

# HUNTER'S EDUCATION/LASER SHOT

## JOE CRAFTON SPORTSMAN'S COMPLEX

The Crafton Sportsman's Complex Hunting and Shooting Program, located in Action Point, contains Hunter's Hall, which has exhibits on hunting and conservation, and the Crafton Skills Center, a state-of-the-art, twelve-room virtual shooting range. All Summit Experience participants will visit the Crafton Sportsman's Complex on the second full day of the program. Participants will experience the hands-on portion of the hunter education course in Crafton Hunter's Hall, which will include a certificate and hunter education memorabilia. Then, participants will visit the Skills Center for Laser Shot, a virtual shooting experience with a variety of simulations and challenges that will allow shooters to practice pistol, rifle, and shotgun skills before heading to the live range. In addition, participants have the opportunity to receive a hunter education card which will allow them to obtain a hunting license in their home state (see *Hunter Education Certification Course* information, below and on the following page).

## HUNTER EDUCATION CERTIFICATION COURSE

All Summit Experience participants (youth and adult) will have the option to obtain a hunter education card, which allows the holder to purchase a hunting license (in their home state), during their program time at the Crafton Sportsman's Complex. The following steps must be completed by all those participants who want to obtain a hunter education card:

1. Go to the link for the **West Virginia Division of Natural Resources (DNR)** registration site (see table, on following page).
  - a. There are three hunter education classes available during each week of camp; the classes are scheduled for Monday, Wednesday, and Friday each week.
  - b. Summit Experience participants will visit the Crafton Sportsman's Complex on their second full day of programming (so, for example, groups arriving on Wednesday would visit on Friday). Any participant who wants to earn the hunter education card should select the course on the date of their rotation at the Crafton Sportsman's Complex or a date during their week at the Summit.
  - c. If the crew will be visiting the Crafton Sportsman's Complex on a day other than Monday, Wednesday, or Friday (the days on which there are classes listed online), participants who want to earn a hunter education card should simply select a class *close* to the date of their visit. Any date during the week of the participant's Summit Experience can be selected if there is uncertainty about the date on which the crew will be at Crafton.
2. Once registered, navigate to the [www.wvndr.gov](http://www.wvndr.gov) Web page and select one of the five online hunter education courses, of which four have a fee and the last one, offered by the National Rifle Association, at [www.nrahe.org](http://www.nrahe.org), is free. **You must take the course through the West Virginia DNR Web site, and you must select WV as the state.**
3. Once you pass the online test, **print out and bring** your completed Field Day/Practical Exam Voucher with you to the Summit to participate in the hands-on hunter education certification class and final course test for certification. Take a picture of your voucher on your phone as a backup!
4. Once all requirements are met, participants will receive a West Virginia Hunter Education Card which will allow them to purchase a hunting license in any of the fifty states, plus Mexico, Canada, and the United Kingdom. In addition, participants will receive a Hunter Education patch and a West Virginia DNR certificate.
5. The registration link for class during your week is below. If you have any questions, contact Chris Perkins, Hunter Education Program Director, at [Chris.Perkins@scouting.org](mailto:Chris.Perkins@scouting.org) or 304-465-2856.

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## HUNTER'S EDUCATION CARD CLASS SELECTIONS

<p style="text-align: center;">Week 1</p> <p><b>June 5, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192738">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192738</a></p> <p><b>June 7, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192743">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192743</a></p> <p><b>June 9, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192746">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192746</a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 2</p> <p><b>June 12, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192747">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192747</a></p> <p><b>June 14, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192749">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192749</a></p> <p><b>June 16, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192750">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192750</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 3</p> <p><b>June 19, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192751">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192751</a></p> <p><b>June 21, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192752">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192752</a></p> <p><b>June 23, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192753">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192753</a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Week 4</p> <p><b>June 26, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192754">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192754</a></p> <p><b>June 28, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192755">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192755</a></p> <p><b>June 30, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192756">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192756</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 5</p> <p><b>July 3, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192761">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192761</a></p> <p><b>July 5, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192762">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192762</a></p> <p><b>July 7, 2023 (1:00 p.m.)</b>  <a href="https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192771">https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/192771</a></p>	<p>Select the exact date (if there is an online session listed here), a date that is close (the day before or after), or a date during the week the crew will be participating in the Summit Experience. <u>While participants wanting to earn the hunter education card must register, it is O.K. if the exact date is not selected as the one for which registration is made.</u></p>

**NOTE:** When completing the online hunter education course, select **WEST VIRGINIA** as the state; this selection will not impact your ability to purchase a hunting license in your home state.

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