

## **Teton County Weed and Pest District**

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# **JHWMA News**

## **Jackson Hole Weed Management Association**

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### **Noxious Weed Training: Free and Open to the Public**

The JHWMA is sponsoring a noxious weed training on Tuesday, June 8<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at the Teton County Fair Grounds, Exhibit Hall. Topics will cover all aspects of noxious weed control and management.

Guest speakers will include local landscapers, Forest and Park Service vegetation specialists, Weed and Pest Supervisors, Department of Agriculture Pesticide Compliance Officer, and University of Wyoming Weed and Renewable Resource specialists.

Tuesday and the first half of Wednesday will be presentations on topics such as: Noxious Weed I.D., Integrated Pest Management Strategies, Reclamation and Restoration, Landscaping & Native Plants, Composting, West Nile Virus Update, and Wildlife Safety just to name a few. Thursday afternoon will take place at the Kelly Gravel Pit and consist of outdoor labs on Restoration and Monitoring, Calibration and Spray Equipment, and Integrated Weed Control Strategies.

If you are an outdoor enthusiast of any kind please consider attending this annual training opportunity. The information gained will help you to minimize the spread of noxious weeds and help member agencies to save countless time and money. Please RSVP by contacting the Teton County Weed and Pest office at 733-8419.