

Certified Burn Boss Workshop Agenda

February 2 – 4, 2021

Hybrid Training via Zoom Video Conference

 (*All times Eastern Time Zone)*

Pre-work, *before* February 2

 **Unit 1: Fire in Kentucky** – *pre-recorded* TBD

 **Unit 2: Burn Plan Development** – *pre-recorded portion* Cody Rhoden, *Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources*

Tuesday, February 2

7:45 – 8:00am Welcome & Course Overview

8:00 – 8:30am **Unit 2: Burn Plan Development** (Pre work questions review) –

 *Ben Robinson/Cody Rhoden, Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources*

8:30 – 9:20 am **Unit 3: Fire Weather** – *Rick Caldwell, Bernheim Arboretum and Research Forest*

9:20 – 10:00am Break

10:00 – 10:50am **Unit 4: Smoke Management** – *TBD*

10:50 – 11:00am Break

11:10 – 12:00pm  **Unit 5: Fire Behavior** – *Tom Edwards, Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources*

12:00 – 1:30pm Lunch

1:30 – 2:20pm **Unit 6: Ignition Techniques** – *Jake Royse – US Forest Service*

2:20 -3:00pm Break

3:00 – 3:50pm **Unit 7: Holding and Contingency Planning** – *TBD*

Wednesday, February 3

Field Day

**Locations:**

Grayson Lake WMA Bernheim Forest

Frankfort (KDFWR headquarters) Berea College

Pennyrile State Forest Peabody WMA

8:00-12:00pm **Field Session & Forest Burn Plan Development**

12:00 – 1:00pm Lunch (bring lunch to eat in field)

1:00 – 5:00pm  **Field Session & Grassland Burn Plan Development**

Thursday, February 4

8:00 – 9:00am **Unit 8: Controlled Burn Safety** – *Michael Schuerman*

9:00 – 9:15am Break

9:15 – 10:15am **Unit 9: Kentucky Fire Season & Air Quality Regulations** – *Strider Deaver, KY Division of Forestry*

10:15 – 10:30am Break

10:30 – 11:30am **Unit 10: Implementing the Controlled Burn** – *Jacob Stewart, Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources*

11:30 – 12:45pm Lunch

12:45 – 2:45pm **Group Discussion**: Crew Briefing Exercise

2:00 – 3:30pm Closing Remarks/Moving Forward – *TBD*