

APC 2015 / 2016 Schedule of Events

Meeting Date	Primary Topic	Topics for predator hunting skills & knowledge as they relate to coyote, mountain lion, bobcat, and fox	Hunt & date
8/13/2015	Intro to APC, and Predators	1 Explain ethical and humane hunting and firearm safety	8/15/2015
		2 Explain the physical traits that make a predator	
		3 Explain the behavioral traits that make a predator	
		4 Explain predator social structures	
		5 Explain vocalizations	
9/10/2015	Fox Bobcat and Scouting Technology	6 What do the different predators hunt	9/12/2015
		7 How often does each predator hunt and when do they hunt	
		8 Explain what each predator does when it's not hunting and where it can be found	
		9 Explain what attracts each predator, then how you attract them	
		10 Explain what deters or frightens each predator	
		11 Explain what gives a predator security & what this means	
		12 Explain how each predator will approach a target of opportunity when they are young, hungry, experienced, high security or low security	
10/8/2015	Bear and Mountain Lion	13 Explain where to find each predator in the desert, forest, or prairies	Boot Camp Oct 10, 11th
		14 Explain scouting for predators and record keeping	
		15 Explain conditions to be considered for a predator stand	
		16 Explain how to approach a predators stand	
		17 Explain what to do in the predator stand and how long to do it and how to leave the predator stand	
		18 How many stands do you need and how often do you return to withstand	
11/12/2015	Coyote	19 Explain what clothes to wear and body odor	11/14/2016
		20 Explain which fire arms and what equipment to use	
		21 Explain hunting by yourself, pair or trio	
		22 Explain time of day to hunt predator during seasons of year	
12/10/2015	Skinning & Fur Preparation	23 Explain coyote lifecycle and associated calling techniques which vary according to lifecycle	12/12/2016
		24 Carcass disposal, night hunting, moon cycles	
		25 Explain the difference in distance between calling stand when driving versus walking	
1/14/2016	Technology & Multi Club Hunt	26 Talk about using a ladder sitting standing laying down	Multi Club hunt 1/16/16
		27 Explain shooting aids and the differences between them all.	
		29 Talk about call and types of calls and what predator and prey sounds to use	
2/11/2016	Calling with E-caller & hand	30 Talk about hunting on private land and public land	2/13/2016
		31 Talk about shooting proficiency each year and sighting equipment in each year	
		32 Talk about using Google maps, land navigation, GPS use on foot and in a vehicle.	
3/10/2016	Turkey	33 Talk about hunting vehicles and equipment needed in vehicle and on body	3/12/2016
		34 Talk about number of days hunting and how proficiency goes up as days increase to point. Do not practice but practice perfect	
		35 Record your hunts over the course of the hunting season to be successful	
4/14/2016	Firearms	38 Talk about why & how using a ladder, standing, sitting chair/ground, laying down	4/16/2016
		39 Explain stalking vs calling a coyote when why how	
		40 Talk about hunting contest and what you learn	
5/12/2016	Awards		