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Aquatic Resources Education Association



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Sunday
10/20/2024

Travel Day

Monday 10/21/2024	Noon - 5:00 pm	Registration Desk Open
	3:00 - 4:30 pm	AREA Board Meeting
	6:00 - 8:00 pm	Welcome Reception / Dinner [included]
	8:00 - 10:00 pm	Hospitality Room open

Tuesday 10/22/2024	7:30 - 8:30 am	Breakfast [included]
	8:30 - 9:30 am	Welcome to Rhode Island: Terrence Gray, Director - RI Department of Environmental Management AREA Board, Conference Committee
	9:45 - 10:30 am	New Officer Installation; Membership Meeting
	10:30 - 10:45 am	Break
	10:45 - 11:30 am	Keynote - Ayana Melvin, Director of Conservation Action, Aquarium Conservation Partnership
	11:30 am - noon	Fish and Wildlife Service Updates: Fish and Wildlife Service's Office of Conservation Investment (Formerly WSFR)
	noon - 1:30 pm	Lunch [included]
	noon	Silent Auction Opens
	1:30 - 3:00 pm	Aquatic Education Discussions [general session] Updates and overviews from members
	3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Afternoon Break
	3:15 pm - 5:00 pm	Round Table Discussions
	5:00 pm	Announcements
	6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Dinner on your own
	8:00 - 10:00 pm	Hospitality Room open

Wednesday 10/23/2024	7:30 - 8:30 am	Breakfast [included]
	8:30 am - noon	Concurrent Sessions
	Noon - 1:30 pm	Lunch w/Sponsor Speaker [included] Silent Auction continues
	1:30 - 3:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions
	3:30 - 3:45 pm	Break
	3:45 - 5:00 pm	Regional Meetings
	6:30 - 7:00 pm	Keynote Speaker
	7:00 - 8:00 pm	Banquet and Awards [included]
	8:00 - 10:00 pm	Hospitality room open

Thursday 10/24/2024	7:00 - 8:00 am	Breakfast [included]
	8:00 - 11:30 am	ARE Workshops
	11:30 am - 12:30	Lunch [included]
	NOON	Silent Auction Closes
	12:15 pm	Announcements; Pick Up Silent Auction Items
	12:30 - 5:00 pm	Field Experiences

Friday 10/25/2024		Travel Day - Safe Travels
	11:00 am	Check-out

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