



## IDNR TRAPPER EDUCATION COURSE SCHEDULED

Area residents will have the opportunity to learn basic principles of safe and ethical trapping at a free Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) trapper education course scheduled at the location below:

Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

A state law requires that all trappers born on or after January 1, 1998, must successfully complete the trapper education course before they can purchase their first trapping license.

Participants completing the trapper education course receive a Trapper Education Certification card verifying that they have passed the course of instruction.

This is an excellent opportunity for first time trappers who need the course in order to qualify for the trapping license. It can be beneficial for both beginning trappers and as a refresher course for current trappers.

The Illinois Trapper Education Course consists of a minimum eight hours of instruction and covers the basics of equipment requirements, techniques, wildlife management, trapper ethics, game identification, and Illinois laws and regulations.

Pre-registration is required for attendance at the class.

For additional information on this and other Safety Education courses visit our website at:

**<https://www.dnr.illinois.gov/safety/>**