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Who Should Attend: hunters, landowners, white-tailed deer enthusiasts, meat processors and anyone interested in white-tailed deer, venison, processing and learning more about venison products and food safety.

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Additional topics will include:
1. Deer biology and disease update
2. Field dressing, skinning and post-mortem inspection
3. Cut identification and cooking techniques
4. Hands-on cutting and processing demonstrations

Registration Information:
Missouri Venison University is limited to 50 participants. There is a $150.00 registration fee that includes lunch, snacks, door prizes and all educational materials.

To register, contact Kathy Craighead at 573-882-2752 or CraigheadK@missouri.edu

Additional information can be obtained at [http://extension.missouri.edu/venison](http://extension.missouri.edu/venison)