VirtuAl StAtE conTEST

Senior Contest Structure
Individual Events

Wildlife Challenge 50 Points

- Contest will be open from May 3rd and closes at noon on May 7th
- Will be offered on Google Quizzes, must sign statement of integrity
- Spelling & capitalization for species identification are determined by the WHEP Manual

On-site Recommendations of Wildlife Management Practices 50 Points

- Contest will be open from May 3rd and closes at noon on May 7th
- Scenario, video recording of habitat, along with any other important details such as vegetation composition, pictures of important areas, etc. will be provided
- Offered on Google Quiz Checkbox Grid (modeled after WMP Answer sheet in WHEP manual)
Saturday May 8th, via scheduled Zoom Call
Teams of 3-4
Scenario, aerial photographs, along with any other important details such as vegetation composition, pictures of important areas, etc. will be included and given to teams on May 3rd & must be submitted by May 7th at 12:00 pm.
Teams will be instructed to give presentation on the management plan they created to a panel of judges or "landowners"
15 minute maximum presentation on species that are provided
Following the presentation, a Question and Answer session will occur with the group and panel of judges that will ask questions regarding the team's presentation
Visual aids are allowable (not required)
Judging criteria include:
- Subject matter,
- Logic and flow of management plan,
- Appropriate content for all parts,
- Contribution of team members,
- Ability to answer judge’s questions, and
- Delivery (poise and tone) of the group presentation.