

Managing Visitors and Volunteers in Natural Areas

Gold Head Branch State Park, Keystone Heights, FL

15-16 May 2024



Natural Areas
TRAINING ACADEMY

Agenda

Wednesday, 15 May 2024

9:15 *Check-in begins @recreation hall*

9:30 Welcome, introductions, agenda, and online review

10:25 Field trip through Gold Head Branch State Park

12:00 *Lunch (provided by NATA)*

1:00 Continue... Field trip through Gold Head Branch State Park

3:30 Resource-based recreation in natural areas, managing visitors, and challenges

5:15 Adjourn

Group Dinner (optional pay-on-you-own at local restaurant)

Campfire social (optional group activity)

Thursday, 16 May 2024

8:15 Welcome, review, and agenda

8:40 Environmental interpretation

10:15 Volunteer program management

12:00 *Lunch (provided by NATA)*

12:45 Recreation planning - group exercise

3:30 Workshop summary, evaluations, and certificates

4:00 Adjourn