

## MONDAY, March 24<sup>th</sup> PRE-CONFERENCE SESSIONS

### New Staff Training

This session gives an overview of the AgrAbility Program for new staff members or those wanting a refresher. Some topics covered include a perspective from the USDA, the role of the National Project, resources available, evaluation procedures, and sources of help inside and outside AgrAbility. Participants will also have opportunities to network with one another, NAP staff members, and USDA contacts.

### Worksite Assessment, Secondary Injury and AT Selection Training

1 pm – 4:30 pm

This preconference professional development session will explore the process of conducting an agricultural worksite assessment, the potential for secondary injuries when using assistive technology on the farm, the selection of AT and modifications, and sources of AT and modifications. The session will also cover the contents of the updated Agricultural Worksite Assessment Tool for Farmers and Ranchers with Disabilities and a new tool for assessing AT safety. The fee for this session is \$25.00

### Mental Health First Aid Training

9 am – 4:30 pm

MHFA is designed to increase knowledge and build skills to help someone who is experiencing mental health problems. The training includes information about signs and symptoms of mental health problems and provides opportunities to practice response skills for specific types of problems. Participants are trained to provide informed, caring support and to suggest and connect people to community resources.

Participants complete 2 hours of self-paced online coursework within the MHFA Connect training system before attending 5.5 hours of instructor-led training through an in-person session. The fee for this session is \$50.00 and does not include lunch. You will have an hour break to get lunch on your own.

### Boots to Business Reboot

9 am – 4:30 pm

This session will assist veterans in understanding the steps, stages, and activities related to launching and growing a business as a post-military career. It will also help participants understand how business ownership might align (or not) with their own personal strength and life goals. It will also provide introductory training and orientation to the fundamental tools and strategies associated with executing plans to launch a new business. \$0 fee-lunch may be on your own

## THURSDAY, March 27<sup>th</sup> 8 am - 4 pm CONFERENCE TOURS (subject to change)

### OPTION 1 (Full Day Tour)

8 am-4:30 pm

Whites Sands National Park, The Museum of Space History, and Pistacioland. \$85 fee includes lunch

### OPTION 2 – (Full Day Tour)

8 am-4:30 pm

NMSU Equine Therapy program, NMSU Meat Lab, and the Santa Teresa Cattle Border Crossing \$75 fee includes lunch

### OPTION 3 (Full Day Tour)

8 am- 4:30 pm

NMSU Chili Pepper Institute, Dairy Farm and Cheese Processing Plant. \$75 fee includes lunch

## CONFERENCE REFUND POLICY

Full refunds are available before February 28<sup>th</sup>. Between February 28<sup>th</sup> and March 14<sup>th</sup>, you will incur a \$100 processing fee. Cancellations after March 14<sup>th</sup> are not eligible for a refund. Please contact Tess McKeel at (585) 447-9015 with any questions.

## HOTEL INFORMATION

*Hotel Rooms have been blocked at the rate of \$110+fees per night. Please make your reservations prior to February 21<sup>st</sup>!*

**Conference Hotel: The Hotel Encanto**

**You can reserve your room through the link on the NTW website:**

**[www.agrability.org/ntw](http://www.agrability.org/ntw) or call:**

(866) 383-0443 and provide the group code: 2503AGRABI.

## REGISTER ONLINE

**<https://goodwillofthefingerlakes.regfox.com/2025-agrability-national-training-workshop-las-cruces-nm>**

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

For information go to [www.agrability.org/ntw](http://www.agrability.org/ntw) or contact:  
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# AgrAbility National Training Workshop

NM Farm and Ranch Heritage Museum 4100 Dripping Springs Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88011

March 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Early registration discount if registered by February 21<sup>st</sup>!

REGISTRATION ENDS MARCH 17<sup>th</sup> • NO ONSITE REGISTRATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_  I am an AgrAbility staff member.

Address \_\_\_\_\_ This is my  home  work address.

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (required) \_\_\_\_\_ This is my  work  home email Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Purdue is committed to making its programs accessible to individuals with disabilities. If you require an accommodation or special assistance for this program due to a disability, please contact us at 585-447-9015.

## Fees

I will be attending a pre-conference session (select one below):

- NewStaffTraining-NO FEE
- Worksite Assessment, Secondary Injury and AT Selection - \$25
- Mental Health First Aid \$50
- Boots to Business Reboot-NO FEE

Early Registration Fee -Does not include tours (on or before Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>) - \$400

Late Registration Fee- Does not include tours (after Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>) - \$450

Full Registration Fee - Farmer/Rancher-Does not include tours - \$325

Full Registration Fee-Student- Does not include tours-\$200

One-Day Registration Wednesday - \$225

One Day Registration Tuesday without banquet- \$225

One-Day Registration Tuesday with banquet- \$285

One-Day Farmer/Rancher Wednesday - \$225

One Day Farmer/Rancher Tuesday w/out banquet-\$225

One-Day Farmer/Rancher Tuesday with banquet-\$285

One-Day Student Wednesday - \$100

One Day Student Tuesday without banquet- \$100

One-Day Student Tuesday with banquet- \$150

Tuesday Evening Guest Banquet Only - \$60

Thursday tour fee- \$85 for tour 1, \$75 for tours 2 or 3

Guest Thursday Tour Fee for those attending with full conference participant-\$85/\$75

Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_

Tour Selection \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial Exhibitor Fee - \$600- includes registration for 1 person, not tours

Non-Profit Exhibitor Fee - \$500- includes registration for 1 person, not tours

SRAP exhibitor table- \$75 Table/chairs only- I need electric YES NO

**Total Enclosed \$** \_\_\_\_\_

I request the following accommodations: \_\_\_\_\_

I require accessible transportation.

I have the following dietary needs: \_\_\_\_\_

I will be attending the reception on Monday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 pm

I will be attending the following tour on Thursday March 27<sup>th</sup> (check one):

Tour #1

Tour #2

Tour #3

I will not be attending a tour

**Payment Method** Payment is required upon submission of registration.

Enclosed is a check made payable to: **Goodwill of the Finger Lakes.**

Please charge to my:

VISA

American Express

Discover

MasterCard

Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ CVC \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail with payment to: Tess McKeel

4119 Lakeville Rd. Geneseo, NY 14454

For security purposes,

please do not fax or e-mail any credit card information.

### OPTIONAL for demographic purposes\*

I am a veteran of or currently serving in the U. S. Military

I identify with the following race/ethnicity

Caucasian

Native American

African American

Asian or Pacific Islander

Hispanic or Latino

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Eskimo or Aleut

\* Questions about race/ethnicity and veteran status will be used solely for aggregated summaries of conference attendance. Participant names are not reported. Submission of this information by you is voluntary.