TMA TRAINING EVENT



Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries

Cadets receive Treestand Accident Investigations training





As a part of their 26 weeks Academy training to become Wildlife Conservation Officers, 16 Cadets received eight hours of instruction on Treestand Accident Investigations & Reconstruction. Treestand safety demonstrations were lead by John Louk (TMA Executive Director) and Cadets were given the opportunity to learn the proper use a full body safety harness with different types of treestands. LJ Smith, Jr. (Smith Investigations) conducted classroom instruction where he shared his vast knowledge of accident reconstruction. Cadets were divided into small teams and given the task of conducting hands-on investigations of several mock treestand accidents where they practiced interviewing, collecting evidence and sketching the scene.