

Joint Quail Conference of the 23rd Annual NBTC Meeting and Eighth National Quail Symposium

July 25-28, 2017 — Knoxville, TN



National Bobwhite Technical Committee

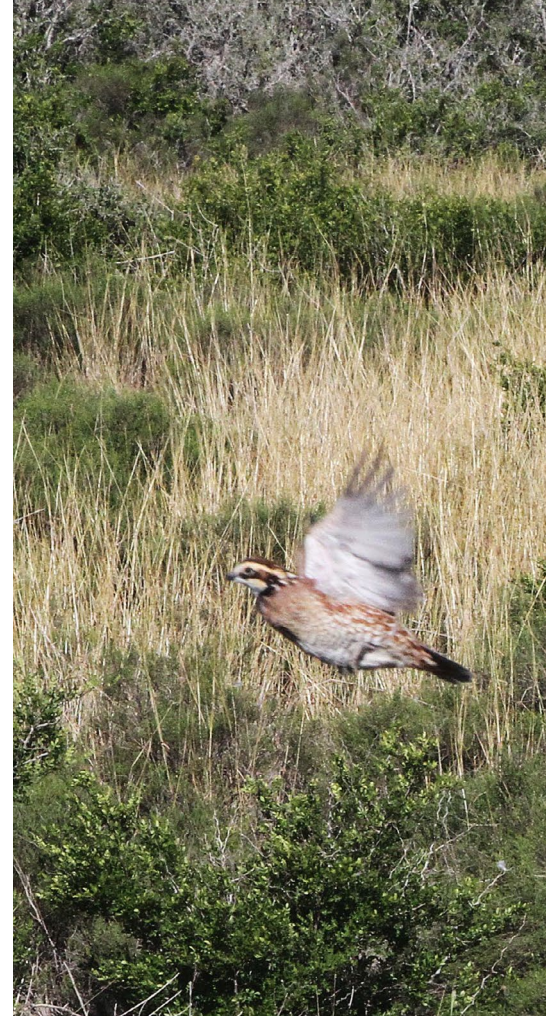
The NBTC conducts an annual meeting during which updates on quail management and research efforts are given. This meeting also provides the committee and subcommittee members an opportunity to discuss and take action on various quail-related issues.



National Quail Symposium

This is the eighth in the series of national quail symposia dating back to 1972, and since Quail III in 1992, western quail have been included. Beginning with Quail VII, the symposia series has been led by NBCI and NBTC.

Quail 8 will feature current quail management and research, including updates and progress of the National Bobwhite Conservation Initiative. Quail 8 is a Western Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies sanctioned technical workshop.



Location

The Joint Quail Conference will be held at the Holiday Inn in beautiful downtown Knoxville. Rooms are available to conference attendees at the group rate of \$99/night (+ taxes). Use code "NBW" when booking a room online or over the phone. Please reserve your room by May 1, 2017.

Located in the heart of Knoxville's Central Business District, the Holiday Inn is a short walk from many attractions, including the Knoxville Museum of Art, World's Fair Park, the University of Tennessee, and the historic Gay Street/Market Square area, which boasts many great restaurants, bars, and shops. Complimentary shuttle service for hotel guests is available within a three mile radius of the hotel. The hotel is 13 miles from Knoxville's McGhee Tyson Airport. Standard taxi fare from the airport is \$25.



525 Henley St
Knoxville, TN 37902
(865) 522-2800
[Book online](#)

Quail 8 Partners:



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Holiday Inn World's Fair Park, Knoxville, TN

Monday, July 24, 2017TRAVEL DAY.....	
Tuesday, July 25, 2017	
8:00am - 12:00 pm 12:00pm - 1:00pm 1:00pm - 2:00pm 2:00pm - 6:00pm 6:30pm - 10:00pm	NBTC Steering Committee Meeting Lunch (provided, Steering Committee members only) NBTC General Meeting NBTC Subcommittee Meetings NBTC Reception
Wednesday, July 26, 2017	
8:00am - 12:00 pm 12:30pm - 2:30pm 2:30pm - 5:30pm 6:30pm - 10:00pm	NBTC Subcommittee Meetings Luncheon (provided) & Awards Presentation NBTC Subcommittee Reports & Business Meeting NBTC & Quail 8 Reception/Poster Session
Thursday, July 27, 2017	
8:00am - 9:00am 9:00am - 10:00am 10:00am - 10:30am 10:30am - 12:00pm 12:00pm - 1:00pm 1:00pm - 3:00pm 3:00pm - 3:30pm 3:30pm - 5:00pm 6:00pm - 8:00pm	Quail 8 Welcome Plenary Session: Conservation Initiatives Break Plenary Session: Management-Oriented Case Study Lunch (not provided) Plenary Session: Case Studies continued Break Concurrent Sessions Quail 8 Reception
Friday, July 28, 2017	
8:00am - 10:00am 10:00am - 10:30am 10:30am - 11:50am 11:50am - 2:00pm 2:00pm - 3:00pm 3:00pm - 3:15pm 3:15pm - 4:15pm 4:15pm - 4:20pm	Concurrent Sessions Break Concurrent Sessions Luncheon (provided) & Awards Presentation Concurrent Sessions Break Plenary Session: Concluding Remarks Closing
Saturday, July 29, 2017TRAVEL DAY.....	

[Register online](#) to pay by credit card, or fill out this form to pay by check.

NBTC ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION: LATE REGISTRATION FEES APPLY AFTER JUNE 15, 2017	<u>By 3/31/17</u>	<u>By 6/15/17</u>	<u>After 6/15/17</u>	Total
Registration includes admission to all sessions, Tuesday and Wednesday lunch, evening receptions, and reception breaks. Early registration deadline is March 31, 2017. Cancellations prior to June 1, 2017 will be fully refunded. Cancellations after June 1, 2017 are non-refundable but substitutions will be allowed.	\$175	\$200	\$225	
QUAIL 8 REGISTRATION: LATE REGISTRATION FEES APPLY AFTER JUNE 15, 2017				
Registration includes Quail 8 Proceedings, admission to all sessions, Friday lunch, evening receptions, and reception breaks. Early registration deadline is March 31, 2017. Cancellations prior to June 1, 2017 will be fully refunded. Cancellations after June 1, 2017 are non-refundable but substitutions will be allowed.	\$250	\$275	\$325	
COMBINED NBTC AND QUAIL 8 REGISTRATION: LATE REGISTRATION FEES APPLY AFTER JUNE 15, 2017				
Registration fee includes Quail 8 Proceedings, admission to all sessions, Tuesday and Wednesday lunch, evening receptions, and reception breaks. Early registration deadline is March 31, 2017. Cancellations prior to June 1, 2017 will be fully refunded. Cancellations after June 1, 2017 are non-refundable but substitutions will be allowed.	\$350	\$375	\$425	

NBTC STUDENT REGISTRATION: Student registration includes all the same amenities as professional registration.				Total
NBTC STUDENT REGISTRATION	\$75			
QUAIL 8 STUDENT REGISTRATION	\$150			
COMBINED NBTC/QUAIL 8 REGISTRATION	\$200			

SPOUSE/GUEST OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES: SPACE IS LIMITED!				Total
Outing: Tuesday, July 25, 2017 Shopping excursion to Gatlinburg (lunch on your own in Gatlinburg), 6 hours	\$15			
Outing: Thursday, July 27, 2017 Guided tour of Great Smoky Mountains National Park including Newfound Gap, Oconaluftee Visitor Center, Mingus Mill, and Cherokee, NC (lunch on your own in Cherokee, NC), 8 hours	\$25			
Reception: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 Sunsphere Social	\$30			
Reception: Friday, July 28, 2017 Awards Luncheon	\$30			

PAYMENT BY CHECK: Make check payable to University of Tennessee Check # _____

Name: _____ Guest Name: _____
to appear on name tag

Organization: _____

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Grand Total

Return registration form and payment to:
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C/O Lisa Widener
274 Ellington Plant Sciences Bldg.
Knoxville, TN, 37996

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