

## Calendar of Events

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- May 6, 2026  
- May 8, 2026
- 2026 WEFMAX Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**  
Check the website for details!  
<https://www.wef.org/events--education/conferences/wefmax/wefmax-in-pittsburgh-pennsylvania/>
- May 7, 2026
- 2026 Joint Spring Meeting**  
08:00 AM - 04:30 PM EST  
Traci Storm,  
traci@chesapeakewea.org
- May 8, 2026
- Chesapeake WEA Board Nominations Deadline**  
Check the website for details!
- May 13, 2026
- Young Professionals Committee Meeting**  
08:30 AM - 09:30 AM EST  
Stephen Greiling,  
sgreiling@wrallp.com  
*If you would like to attend the Chesapeake WEA Young Professionals Committee Meeting, use the link below.*  
*Join the meeting now*  
*Meeting ID: 259 736 436 914 1*  
*Passcode: zx2Ue2E4*
- May 14, 2026
- Stormwater Committee Seminar**  
07:30 AM - 05:00 PM EST
- May 16, 2026
- PCOC Tree Planting Event w/Gunpowder Valley Conservancy**  
**Tree Planting Event**  
**1555 Corbett Rd.**  
**Monkton, MD 21111**  
10:00 AM - 01:00 PM EST  
Emma Danz,  
edanz@gftinc.com

May 20, 2026

**YP Coffee Chat**

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM EST

Stephen Greiling,  
sgreiling@wrallp.com

*Click the graphic for the meeting link.*

May 20, 2026

**PWE No Water, No Beer Speaker Series**

05:30 PM - 07:30 PM EST

May 21, 2026

**Chesapeake WEA Board Meeting**

09:30 AM - 12:00 PM EST

Traci Storm,  
traci@chesapeakewea.org

*Link will be posted closer to the date.*

May 25, 2026

**Chesapeake WEA Call for Write-In Nominations for 2026/27 Board**

Check the website for details!

May 27, 2026

- May 29, 2026

**2026 WEFMAX Bend, Oregon**

Check the website for details!

<https://www.wef.org/events--education/conferences/wefmax/wefmax-in-bend-oregon/>

May 31, 2026  
- June 5, 2026

**2026 Short Courses Program**  
**Mount Saint Mary's College**  
**16300 Old Emmitsburg Rd.**  
**Emmitsburg, MD 21727**

See Short Course Website for details. [www.wwoshortcourses.org](http://www.wwoshortcourses.org)  
Traci Storm, 410-960-5514  
[traci@chesapeakewea.org](mailto:traci@chesapeakewea.org)  
*Be sure to scroll past the graphic for more information.*

*The 77th Annual Short Courses will be held May 31 - June 5, 2026, at Mount St. Mary's University in Emmitsburg, Md*

*Purpose of the Short Courses: Since 1949, the Short Courses have offered training, information, and insights that enable water and wastewater systems personnel to operate and maintain their facilities in a more effective, safe, and economical manner. The courses offer innovative ideas and serve as a "refresher" for existing operators.*

*The Short Courses are sponsored by the three parent organizations: Chesapeake Section of the American Water Works (CSAWWA), Water and Waste Operators Association of Maryland, Delaware, and the District of Columbia (WWOA), and Chesapeake Water Environment Association (CWEA).*

*Please visit the following websites for scholarship opportunities:*

*CSAWWA Short Courses Scholarships - [www.csawwa.org](http://www.csawwa.org)*

*WWOA Short Courses Scholarships – [www.wwoa.net](http://www.wwoa.net)*

*CWEA/Stanley Kappe Short Courses Scholarships – [www.chesapeakewea.org](http://www.chesapeakewea.org)*

*Short Courses Committee Scholarships – [www.wwoshortcourse.com](http://www.wwoshortcourse.com) \* Small system operators are encouraged to apply!*

*Courses offered at the 2026 Short Courses include: (All courses have been submitted for MDE TRE credits). Individual classes of the Superintendent track have been submitted for MDE TRE credits.*

*Introduction to Water*

*Water 3&4*

*Advanced Water*

*Water Distribution*

*Introduction to Wastewater*

*New - W5A Exam Prep*

*Advanced Wastewater*

*Industrial Wastewater*

*Wastewater Collection*

*Superintendent (expanded to 4 days)*

*Classes run Monday – Thursday for 8 hours (8am-Noon & 1pm-5pm) each day with a final course exam on Friday morning. The Industrial Wastewater course has its final exam on Thursday afternoon. Passing the final course exam while attending a minimum of 80% of the classroom hours earns attendees 1.5x the maximum credit hours. Superintendent classes consist of single-day classes (Monday - Thursday) only with no exams.*

*Registration Information: Online registration begins April 1, 2026, and ends at midnight on May 17, 2026. All payments must be made via credit/debit card. There will be no walkup or late registrations! Class sizes may be limited, so don't delay registering.*

*Full week*

*(classes, meals, lodging)*

*Early Bird (Apr 1st - May 2nd)*

*Registration*

*May 3rd – 17th*

*Registration*

*Members*

\$600  
\$650

*Non-members*  
\$625  
\$675

*Full week*  
*(classes & lunch only)*  
*Early Bird (Apr 1st - May 2nd) Registration*  
*May 3rd – 17th Registration*

*Members*  
\$325  
\$375

*Non-members*  
\$350  
\$400

*Single day*  
*(classes & lunch only)*  
*Early Bird (Apr 1st -May 2nd) Registration*  
*May 3rd – 17th Registration*

*Members*  
\$85  
\$95

*Non-members*  
\$95  
\$105

*To Register: Please review the entire official Short Courses brochure at [www.wwoshortcourse.com](http://www.wwoshortcourse.com). Online registration is available beginning April 1st at: <https://wwoshortcourse.regfox.com/77th-annual-short-courses> or go through the Short Courses website. Our cancellation policy can be found on our website however no refunds will be issued the week before or during the Short Course. Should you have any questions, please contact Ivy Swann at [pwswan23@aacounty.org](mailto:pwswan23@aacounty.org) or Lauren Thompson at [help@wwoshortcourse.com](mailto:help@wwoshortcourse.com).*

*MDE Certification Exams: In addition to the Short Course exams, the MDE Board of Water and Waste Systems Operators will hold operator certification exams on Friday, June 5, 2026, in Patriot Hall at the college. You must apply separately to the Board to sit for a certification exam held at the Short Courses by May 10th. Any questions regarding the Certification Exams should be referred directly to Board of Waterworks and Waste Systems Operators staff at 1(800) 633-6101, ext. 3167 or (410) 537-3167 or email at [martin.fuhr@maryland.gov](mailto:martin.fuhr@maryland.gov). Exam applications can be found at:*

<https://mde.maryland.gov/programs/Permits/EnvironmentalBoards/Pages/BWW.aspx>

*Under no conditions should you contact the college regarding the Short Courses or the MDE Certification exams.*

*Looking forward to seeing you at this year's Short Courses,  
Short Courses Committee members  
Jay Price*

June 8, 2026

**Submission deadline for MDE's July Credit Review Meeting**

See details.

*Must submit all applications by today for MDE's July 8, 2026 credit review meeting.*

June 10, 2026

**Young Professionals Committee Meeting**

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM EST

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June 10, 2026

**21st Annual Ed Norton/Gary Wyatt Memorial Golf Tournament**

07:30 AM - 02:00 PM EST

Kraig Moodie,

[kraig.moodie@rjnmail.com](mailto:kraig.moodie@rjnmail.com)

June 10, 2026

**21st Annual Ed Norton Gary Wyatt Memorial Golf Tournament**

**The Woodlands Golf Course**

**2309 Ridge Road**

**Windsor, MD 21244**

07:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST

June 11, 2026

**Joint Asset Management Committee Webinar - Tagging**

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

Sonia Wu,

[yudu.wu@wsp.com](mailto:yudu.wu@wsp.com)

- June 17, 2026  
**YP Coffee Chat**  
08:30 AM - 09:30 AM EST  
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- June 19, 2026  
**Chesapeake WEA Call for Write-Ins Deadline for 2026/27 Board**  
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- June 21, 2026  
- June 24, 2026  
**ACE 2026 in Baltimore, MD**  
Will post when details become available.  
Angie,  
angie@csawwa.org  
*Details to follow.*
- July 8, 2026  
**Young Professionals Committee Meeting**  
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- July 8, 2026  
**MDE Credit Review Meeting**  
See above.  
*See details on the date of 6/8/26.*
- July 14, 2026  
- July 16, 2026  
**MidAtlantic Biosolids Association 2026 Symposium**  
Details coming soon!  
*Details to come!*
- July 15, 2026  
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- July 16, 2026  
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- July 27, 2026  
**Chesapeake WEA Election for 26/27 Board Opens**  
Check the website for details!

- August 6, 2026      **Chesapeake WEA Inaugural YP Summit**  
**Reservoir Center for Water Solutions**  
**301 Water St. SE**  
**Washington, DC 20003**  
Details to follow.  
Stephen Greiling,  
sgreiling@wrallp.com  
*More details to follow!*
- August 12, 2026      **Young Professionals Committee Meeting**  
08:30 AM - 09:30 AM EST  
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- September 1, 2026      **2026 Tri-Association Conference**  
- September 4, 2026  
Details to come.  
*Details to come.*
- September 7, 2026      **Submission deadline for MDE's October Credit Review Meeting**  
See above.  
*Must submit all applications by today for MDE's October 7, 2026 credit review meeting.*
- September 26, 2026      **2026 WEFTEC - New Orleans**  
- September 30, 2026  
Details to follow.  
*Details to follow.*
- October 7, 2026      **MDE Credit Review Meeting**  
See above.  
*See info under 9/7/26*

November 5, 2026

**Collection Systems Seminar**

**Elk's Lodge**

**2 Pythian Drive**

**Edgewater, MD**

Details to follow.

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