

FSCA Newsletter

March 2023



Presidents Letter

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This month is very busy with youth hunts and numerous events from other clubs as well. After living here in PB County all my life, I have decided to move to Lake City FL. I am resigning from FSCA but leaving you in good hands. Billy Boatwright will be your new president.

It has been a privilege to be a member of this club and I am very proud to have belonged for over 25 years, having held most of the positions in the club. I think we are the premier club in the state, but perhaps I am bias.

Mike Prince

Hello fellow club members as you heard from Mike's president letter, the club leadership has changed. We all are wishing Mike happiness in this new chapter of life and thank him for his leadership. I'm sure many of you already know my background and all the time and Events I've helped with over the years if you're not familiar with me, you're welcome to come to the next club event and meet me in person. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the next FSCA events.

First of all, I would just like to say thank you to all the volunteers who made outdoor youth day 2023 another huge success! After 25 years, you know what you're supposed to do and how you're supposed to do it. It was nice to see some new faces volunteering this year and of course the old ones as well. This year FSCA had somewhere around 1150 participants along with 100 volunteers that make this event successful, thank you everyone. A big thanks to all the sponsors, without them this would not be possible. Would also like to thank Devyn and the staff from Everglades Youth Camp for providing FSCA the only facility in the state of Florida, that would host an event of this kind.

A big thanks to Lauresa and Kerry for taking time out of their busy schedules to put on a few successful youth Gator hunts. I would also like to thank all the volunteers that make these hunts happen. I'd like to wish Steve and all his volunteers success in their turkey hunt this weekend at Grassy Island. A big shout out to SFWM for allowing us to hunt these great spots and hope to keep doing this for many years to come. Just would like to mention don't forget the board meeting will be at SFWM recreation meeting March 20th 5:00 pm please be there. We have a lot of great events coming up and I'm looking forward to working with everyone to make them successful.

Would also like to take the time to thank Randy for chairing the Corbett Area cleanup.

Jessica we would like to thank you for the time you gave the club and wish you the best of luck in your new endeavors.

Billy Boatwright
President

MISSION STATEMENT

FSCA started in 1994 by a small group of like-minded individuals with one goal:

Work to Increase Public Recreation in Florida.

From that simple goal we have branched into many areas, but our focus has never changed.

We are Florida Sportsmen

UPCOMING EVENTS

Grassy Island Turkey/Hog
Youth Hunt
3/10/23-3/12/23

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Alligator Youth Hunt
3/17/23-3/19/23

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Alligator Youth Hunt
3/24/23-3/26/23

Broward Airboat Show
3/25/23-3/26/23

Airboaters for Autism
4/1/23
Coleman Landing

Lake Okeechobee Airboat
Show
4/15/23

Outdoor Expo
4/22-4/24/23

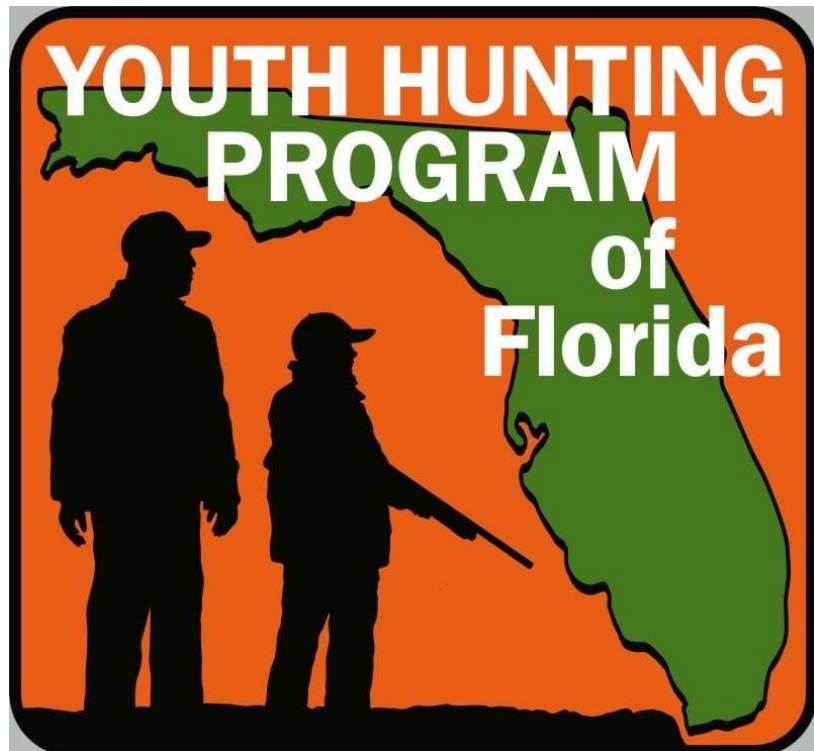
Earth Day on the Kissimmee
River
4/29/23

FSCA/Turkey Banquet
May

Unity Weekend KOA
Okeechobee
7/15/23



This is a busy month for the members of the FSCA. We have 5 youth hunts scheduled! Looking forward to all the happy hunters as some will be harvesting game for the first time



Past Events

Youth Day

Another spectacular Youth Day is in the books!

25 years of getting kids out into the great outdoors!

1150 guests through the gate and over 150 volunteers!

Thank you to all the sponsors, attendees, and volunteers for your support.



Youth Day Sponsors

Without you this would not be possible

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Links & Information



If your child would like to join us on a hunt, check out the [Youth Hunt Calendar](#) and get signed up. All youth need to have completed their [Florida Hunter Safety Course](#) prior to their hunt.



Hunting - [License & Permits](#), [Season Dates & Species](#),
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March

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Feb 26	27	28 6 PM FSCA Board Mee ↻	Mar 1	2	3 Youth Hunt - Alligator - Palm Beach County/STA 2 (14-17 C Youth Hunt- Alligator -Palm Beach/DuPuis WEA (14-17 On	4
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26 -Youth Hunt - Alligator - FI -Air Boat show	27	28 6 PM FSCA Board Mee ↻	29	30	31	Apr 1

April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Mar 26 -Youth Hunt - Alligator - FI -Air Boat show	27	28 6 PM FSCA Board Mee ↻	29	30	31	Apr 1
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Airboat Show and Festival

March 25th & 26th 2023

Saturday March 25th 11am - 11pm \$15 Per Person

Sunday March 26th 10am - 5pm \$10 Per Person

Children 12 and under are Free



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Saturday • July 15, 2023

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\$360.00 PER TABLE OF 8 SEATS



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