

# American Association of Pesticide Safety Educators (AAPSE)

## National Conference in Green Bay, WI

Hyatt Regency Green Bay – July 27-30, 2026

### DRAFT AGENDA

#### Monday, July 27, 2026

Noon – 3:30pm	Meeting preparation @ Riverview 1
4:30 – 6:00pm	<b>Registration Table Open</b> @ Grand E Foyer
4:30 – 9:00pm	Sponsor Lounge and Vendor Set up @ Grand E/F Foyers and in front of Riverview
5:00 – 7:00pm	<b>AAPSE Board Meeting</b> @ Board Room
7:00 – 8:30pm	<b>Welcome Reception</b> @ Riverview 2
8:30 – 10:00pm	Hospitality Room Open

#### Tuesday, July 28, 2026

7:00 – 8:00am	Breakfast (provided) – Riverview 2 <b>Registration Table Open</b> @ Grand E Foyer
8:00 – 8:10am	<b>Welcome</b> – Jolene Warnke, AAPSE Planning Committee Chair @ Grand F/G
8:10 – 8:20am	<b>President’s Welcome</b> – Sherm Takatori, AAPSE President
8:20 – 8:40am	<b>Welcome Speaker</b> – Patrick Robinson, Associate Dean of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Community Development, University of Wisconsin-Madison Extension
8:40 – 9:35 am	<b>Keynote Speaker</b> – Annie Jones, Professor, University of Wisconsin Madison
9:35 – 9:45am	<b>Sponsor Introductions</b> – Faye Golden, Cooks Pest Control
9:45 – 10:00am	Break
10:00 – 11:00am	<b>EPA Updates</b> – To be announced
11:00 – 11:30am	<b>Ag Chemical Recycling Council Program and Triple Rinse Demonstration</b> – Leigh O’Neill, Ag Chemical Recycling Council
11:30 – noon	<b>NASDA</b> – To be announced
noon – 1:00pm	Lunch with <b>Platinum Sponsor Presentations</b>
1:00 – 2:00pm	<b>Pesticides Moving Across Borders</b> – Christine Tokarz, EPA Region 8
2:00 – 3:20pm	<b>Sponsor Olympics:</b> Team Building and Competitive Activities to Engage the Sponsors and Membership – Beth Gervais, et al sponsors
3:20 – 3:30pm	Break
3:30 – 4:15pm	<b>Defense Against Tick Bites: Research Insights from the Midwest Center of Excellence for Vector-Borne Disease</b> – Lyric Bartholomay, Midwest Center of Excellence for Vector-Borne Disease, University of Wisconsin-Madison
4:15 – 4:45pm	<b>Publications, Printing, and e-Resources Support</b> – Bill Gleason, Gleason’s Printing
4:45 – 5:00pm	<b>Housekeeping and Wednesday Agenda Reminders</b>

5:00pm	Adjourn and Dinner on your own
6:30 – 8:30pm	<b>Sponsor Dinner</b> (by invitation only) @ Offsite
7:00 – 10:00pm	Hospitality Room Open

### Wednesday, July 29, 2026 – Pest Quest and Membership Meeting

7:00 – 8:15am	Breakfast (provided) @ Riverview 2
7:00 – 8:15am	<b>Committee Meeting Rooms</b> (grab breakfast and go to designated room)
8:20 – 9:00am	<b>Make and Take Session</b> ( <i>More info on how to participate will be coming</i> ) @ Grand F/G
9:00 – 9:15am	Load Buses for Pest Quest
9:15 – 9:30am	Transport to the <b>Green Bay Botanical Garden</b>
9:45am – 2:00pm	<b>Pest Quest Tour:</b> IPM and horticultural practices, garden tour, and presentations from the Oneida Nation and Brown County Parks. Lunch will be provided.
2:00 – 2:15pm	Load Buses
2:15 – 2:30pm	Transport back to Hotel
2:45 – 5:00pm	<b>AAPSE Membership Meeting</b> with Guest Presentation @ Grand F/G
5:00pm	Adjourn and Dinner on your own
3:00 – 8:00pm	Downtown Farmers Market on Broadway Open
7:30pm	<b>Team Trivia Challenge Extraordinaire</b> @ Grand F/G
7:00 – 10:00pm	Hospitality Room Open

### Thursday, July 30, 2026

7:00 – 8:15am	Breakfast (provided) @ Grand F/G
7:40 – 8:15am	<b>AAPSE Awards Presentation</b> during Breakfast
8:15 – 8:25	Break
8:25 – 9:45am	<b>Rodenticides: Task Force, AI, and Applicator Use</b> – Staci Johnston, Ecolab, and Alex Blahnik, Liphatech
9:45 – 10:15am	<b>Restricted Use Pesticides from an Agency Perspective</b> – Ethan Olson, T H Agri-Chemical
10:15 – 10:30am	Snack Break
10:30 – 11:00am	<b>Safety Data Sheet Data, Incident Response, and Poison Control Data</b> – Ashley Brown and Abby Nordaune, SafetyCall International
11:00 – 11:45am	<b>PFAS: Environmental Impacts and Pesticide Dilemmas</b> – Kim Kelly-Tunis, Nisus Corporation
11:45am – 12:00pm	<b>Meeting Closing Remarks and Adjournment</b> – Brett Bultemeier, AAPSE President
1:00 – 6:00pm	Optional EXTRA Adventure Possibilities for an Extra Fee ( <i>More info will be coming</i> )
1:00 – 6:00pm	Optional Bell Lab Tour - Madison