Interacting with Wildlife for Landscape Professionals
Rookery Bay Environmental Learning Center
300 Tower Road, Naples
Friday, February 27th, 2015

CLASS OVERVIEW
Southwest Florida is home to some of the world’s most unique species. This course is designed to provide Green Industry professionals with “best management practices” for a variety of wildlife interactions. By the end of this workshop participants will understand the different laws protecting animals and be able to take appropriate measures to ensure human safety during or following an interaction with wildlife. This workshop will cover identification of commonly encountered wildlife in southwest Florida, Integrated Pest Management and Florida Friendly Landscaping.

AGENDA
9:00 Introduction,
Misty Snyder, Regional GI-BMP Coordinator, Rookery Bay

9:15 Mammals and Reptiles
Joanna Fitzgerald, von Arx Wildlife Hospital, Conservancy of Southwest Florida

10:30 Break

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11:30 Integrated Pest Management
Mary Jane Cary, GI-BMP Instructor and Master Gardener

12:30 Overview of Naples Fertilizer Ordinance and County Regulations
Monique Barnhart, Natural Resources Coordinator, City of Naples

12:45 Evaluation and CEU’s

1.00 Adjourn