

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)



When is the Quiet Adventures Symposium?

On Saturday, March 2, 2024. Doors open at 9 am and close at 5:30 pm. Please no pets at this MSU facility.

Where will the Quiet Adventures Symposium be held?

The 2024 QAS will be held at the [MSU Livestock Pavilion located at 4301 Farm Lane](#), Lansing, Michigan on the south side of campus, between Forest and Mt. Hope Roads.

Where will I stay overnight when attending QAS?

QAS organizers have reserved a block of rooms at Candlewood Suites, 517-351-8181, at 3545 Forest Road. Exhibitors and attendees can book rooms at the Quiet Adventures rate until the block is filled.

I bought my ticket online. Where do I pick it up?

On QAS day, go to the Advanced Ticket Desk. Bring everybody in your group listed for the advance tickets. The desk is located inside and to the left past the concessions counter. We'll ask the last name of the person who bought the tickets and then check what people are listed. Once we locate your record, we'll give you wrist bands for entry. **No ticket sales will take place at this desk.** So, if you add a person coming by Feb. 26, you should buy an Advance Ticket for them so that they do not have to wait in a Sales line.

On QAS day can I use a credit card to pay for my ticket?

Yes. There will be two lines, one line for credit cards or cash and one line for cash only. Cash may be faster!

Do I have to pay for parking?

No, parking is free. If you're attending the QAS park in front of the Pavilion (north side). If you're an exhibitor, park in the lot across Farm Lane east of the Pavilion. Caution when parking to NOT block anyone in or you will be ticketed/towed.

Can I buy food at the Pavilion?

Yes, the Pavilion concession stand will be open for food and drinks and will be staffed by MSU concessionaire. Food trucks were not an option for this event. They have added veggie wraps at the request of QAS. There is seating in various places in the Exhibit Hall (tables in the middle of hall), the bleachers in the Arena, and in the Main Stage Auditorium seats.

Is there a station to refill my water bottle?

Yes. There is a filtered water bottle filler station between the bathrooms located near the Main Stage Auditorium. Please bring your own water bottles.

Will there be raffles?

Yes. There will also be door prize raffles. Every paid entry gets a door prize raffle ticket that can be placed in container for desired door raffle prize. You can buy extra tickets at the Raffle Booth. Also see Grand Prizes below!

Do I want to buy a Grand Prize Raffle ticket?

Yes! The Surf prize is a voucher for \$2100 towards a boat of your choice at The Power of Water in Lansing. The Turf prize is a voucher for a bike for \$1500 towards a bike of your choice at Denny's Central Park Bicycles in Okemos. Vouchers have no cash value. Tickets can only be purchased at the event, but you do not need to be present to win. The price for one ticket is \$10 or 3 tickets for \$25. You must be able to be reached and claim the prize within 24 hours.

Will there be a Silent Auction this year?

A beautiful California red cedar strip 14' Cosine Wherry Rowboat will be auctioned. Minimum bid starts at \$500 and goes up \$50 with each bid. We can work with you to arrange trailer and transport! Talk to the builder at QAS. Bids accepted at Raffle Table at the event only.