

This is the e-Newsletter of segues...I want it to flow as smoothly as Jonathan Weselake shooting a high house -low house pair from post 4 on the International skeet field!

Post Easter Bunny shoot set for Sunday:

9:00 registration, 10:00 start time, 75 targets (3 rounds of 25 on 5 stations) and Pancake brunch from 11:00 to 1:00 for the low price of \$25.00.

Even if you shoot the Sporting Clays at St. Hubertus on Saturday, you will never see this many rabbits at one time.

Notice:

The targets are coming...the targets are coming....Yes our first shipment of targets (1000 cases) is scheduled for delivery Saturday morning and as per Brian Konopski's email as the new volunteer coordinator...many hands are needed to make this job go quickly. Derek Smith has the boxcar organized and clean all ready to receive the shipment. Please contact Brian if you can help as soon as possible either by replying to bluethunder88@gmail.com or by calling me at home at 204-253-3414. Speaking of targets...*(there's 1)*

Targets

Please remember that a round of skeet or trap consists of 25 targets; please limit yourself to that number unless of course there is target breakage. If the breakage becomes frequent, please notify the manager so we can correct the problem with either the targets or the thrower. Over the course of a year these few extra targets per round add up to 100's of cases! The new token machines will help the club maximize our target usage...*(there's 2)*

Token Machines:

The installation is almost complete on trap field 4 and is complete of skeet field 1. Members have been using these in test mode for the past couple of Sundays. The hardware is functioning very well and the members are getting used to the experience. Skeet shooters and pullers need to be ready when you call for the target as they all count against the amount on each token. Also trap shooters remember that the microphones are active all the time so any cussing after the shot will send another target flying and count against the entire squads total number of allotted targets. With International trap only the microphone in front of the next shooter is active and only after a cussing time delay has past, so you may want to try shooting that.

Welcome new members:

A warm WTSC welcome to Scott Masniuk (third generation WTSC member now). And speaking of Scott...*(there's 3)*

Volunteer thanks:

To Scott for getting the sewage pump back in working order in the Main Clubhouse and for installing a new on demand hotwater tank in the Bower building. Scott and Triple M Sales Ltd helped the WTSC out with great discounts on parts and Scott donated his labour. He and I spent part of a few hours one weekend installing the hotwater tank.

House and Grounds

In the Bower building the new hotwater is really hot, so be careful. (*that's 4*)
Spring is here and if you did not get enough yard work at home or you live in an apartment and miss yard work. Ian Wood (Director House and Grounds) is looking for a few volunteers who could do some raking, shoveling and general clean-up during the coming week please call him at 831-1850

Hours:

WTSC is now on summer hours. Please check the web site for times and notices, also it is a good idea to check the answering machine for the latest news on club opening and closings. We do not want anyone to be disappointed.

Club regular hours of operation will begin April 5 weather permitting. The 'summer' hours of operation will be Tuesday and Thursday from 4:30 until dusk and Sundays from 10:30 to 4:00 (with the last ticket/token being sold at 3:15).

Fun Shoot:

Post Easter Rabbit shoot and brunch has been scheduled for this coming Sunday (April 11). Normal trap and skeet will be available.

Membership renewal:

New memberships start April 1

Members are required to wear their membership card while shooting at the club. Please see Louise for a 2010 sticker.

Leagues:

Time is running out to get your team signed up for the Trap league. The league will start on May 2, so see Stan Orr as soon as you can to get your 5 man or woman team signed up.

Gun Raffles:

WTSC Land Purchase Account gun raffle tickets are now available for purchase at \$10.00 each (only 250 tickets were printed). The raffle is for your choice of either a Stevens 512 12 or 20 gauge Over/Under. The second ticket drawn will get the gun that is left. If you would like to sell a book or two, please see Louise. Each book of tickets you sell is worth 2 volunteer points.

The Junior Shotgun program is once again holding its' raffle, please see Lorne Ross for tickets.

Things to watch for:

- Shooting leagues: Trap, Skeet, Sporting
- WTSC crested clothing to purchase
- Junior Skeet Program gun raffle
- The 2010 MTA shoot book has been mailed out to everyone who shot registered targets last year in Manitoba. The book will soon be available in a pdf version on the website.