

The Naperville Trapshooter



The Official Newsletter of The Naperville Sportsman's Club

June 2008 Issue

.....Member/Board Meeting Date: 7:30 P.M. July 8, 2008
.....Member/Board Meeting Date: 7:30 P.M. August 10, 2008

Membership Notes

Full Membership

The Membership Committee is again pleased to welcome a new full member into the Naperville Sportsman's Club family. **Joe Krol** was sponsored by Club member **Tom Castagnoli**.

Joe was introduced a year ago and fulfilled the terms of his probationary requirements during 2007-08 and was inducted by the Club's Board of Directors at the recent Club meetings held at Sportsman's Park on May 13.

We offer our hearty congratulations to Joe for making and meeting the commitments required of full membership, as well as our continuing thanks to Tom for his sponsorship and mentorship of another fine candidate!

NMO sessions

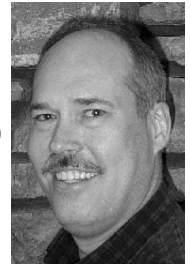
New Member Orientation sessions hosted by Club President Jim Monk, are mandatory for our probationary members and open to any member who wants a refresher on range operations and equipment. Upcoming dates for NMO sessions are tentatively scheduled for June 8th, July 13th and August 10th.

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President's Message

Annual Dinner

The Annual Dinner will be held June 21st. We will be setting up at 9:00 (come out to help if you like). The party starts around 3:00 and dinner at 5:00. Please RSVP to rsvp@napervillesportsmansclub.org, call me or leave a note at the desk. Please tell us how many will be attending. Guests will be \$10.00. We are having the Pig Roast again with Pork Loin and BBQ Chicken. I can't wait to see you all there.



New Pat-Trap Installed

The new Pat-Trap has been installed in trap house #3. It will throw regular trap and doubles. Thanks to everyone that helped get it done. But the two guys that deserve extra special thanks are Don Hiltz and Bob Seetin. Without their help we would not have our new machine ready to go.

Open House

Mark your calendar for September 21, 2008. We will need plenty of volunteers to help with the event. Contact Jay Spitz or me for more information

New Member Orientation

The next three new member orientations (informal history and workings of the club) will be at the club on Sunday June 8th, Sunday July 13th and Sunday August 10th at 10:00 AM. Please RSVP to myself at 630-842-0391. The Range Volunteer clinic will begin at 11:00 AM on those days. Everyone interested in learning how the machines work should attend.

*...Jim Monk
President*

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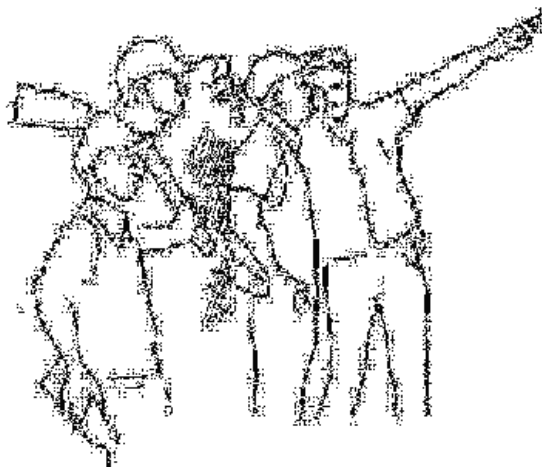
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Shooter Accomplishments

04/17/2008	Aaron Harriman 25 @ 16
04/20/2008	Joe Kuhn 50 @ 16
04/24/2008	Judy Novotny 25 @ 16
04/24/2008	Steve Pfister 25 @ 16
04/24/2008	Art 49 @ 16
04/24/2008	Steve Pfister Dove
04/27/2008	Monk 25 @ 16
05/01/2008	Tom Coleman 25 @ 16
05/01/2008	Aaron Harriman Dove
05/01/2008	Judy Novotny Dove
05/04/2008	Jim Chakour 25 @ 16
05/04/2008	Bill Benson 50 @ 16

...Joe Kuhn
NSC Director



Registered Shooting - Update

A few months ago, Scott Calhoun and I threw out this topic for feedback and with no surprise, got no feedback. Believing this to be a good program for our Club, we pressed on and kept up our contact with the ATA delegate for Illinois and a couple weeks ago, received confirmation that Naperville can register targets with both the Illinois and Amateur Trapshooting Associations.

With Scott's direction, I have since been in discussions with both the ITA Secretary and the ATA and am awaiting Club registration materials as of this writing. This should prove to be a complimentary activity to our Club league shooting – offering another opportunity to leverage available programming.

While there will be some minimal cost associated with registering targets, pricing for the birds and ammunition at the counter will remain the same as well as the ability to use self-loaded ammunition. No tentative dates have been discussed.

The hook here is being able to track your individual progress. For those who are interested, they can take those developed classifications and/or handicap yardage to any shoot and be able to compete with parity, without penalty.

As things progress, we will keep you informed.

...Jay Spitz

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Club Information

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Hours of Operation:

Thursdays: 6:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.

Sundays: 12:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. Final sign up at 4:00 P.M.

Board/Member Meetings: 7:30 P.M., 2nd Tuesday of every month



Open House

Mark your calendars for September 21st – 3rd Sunday in September. This year is the 60th Anniversary of Sportsman’s Park.

While it is just a bit more than 3 months and that can seem like a lot of time, time flies quickly and that means crunch time for me, putting pencil to paper tying down loose ends.

To make this happen, we’ll need upwards of 3 dozen members to volunteer a day for various duties in and around the range that day, hosting our guests. Duties will vary from controlling parking to providing directions on-site to helping with our guests on range - we will have a full plate.

Please mark your calendars for September 21st, and contact Jim Monk or myself with your offer of help. To make this work, we’ll need it!

Thanks!

*...Jay Spitz
Event Chair*

Membership Notes.....continued

Special Dates

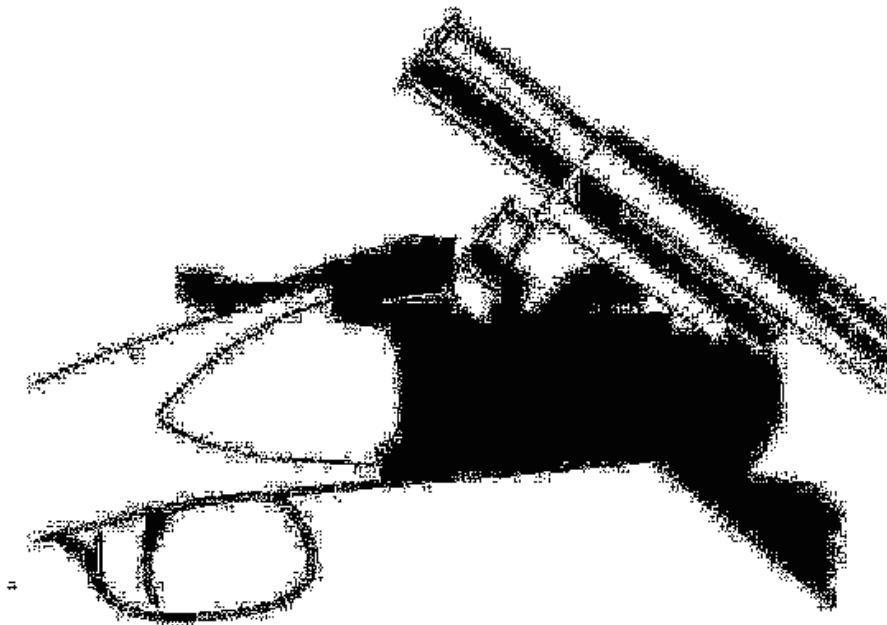
Remember... the Club is **OPEN** Father’s Day, Sunday June 15th. The Club picnic is Saturday **June 21st**.

Work Requirement

Members who shoot and ALL probationary members are required to meet a work requirement as stipulated by the policies and by-laws of the Club. Regardless of whether or not you receive a postcard, it is the responsibility of the member to meet his/her work obligations.

To confirm your work hour status, NMO dates and to RSVP your NMO attendance or catch up on needed work hours, contact Club President Jim Monk at (630) 842-0391 or by email at president@naperville sportsmansclub.org .

*...Sportsman’s Club
...Membership Committee*





The Fred Section

June 10th Member's and Board Meeting

We'll have our next members and board meetings on Tuesday, June 10th starting at 7:30 PM. (Members' meeting followed by the board meeting.) All members are invited and requested to attend both meetings. Doors open at 7:00 PM.

Family Member Badges

Per our by-laws, persons with the following relationship to a member: "spouse or "life partner" plus any and all eligible children. An eligible child is defined as any natural, adopted, step child, foster child or ward of a member. A child remains eligible until they marry, are no longer a full time student, or reach the age of 23, whichever occurs first." can receive the shooting discount. Family member badges may be ordered, but are not required to obtain this discount.

The most common way to order family member badges is to just fill in those blanks on the renewal form/invoice or on the new member application. There is also a discount when it is done this way.

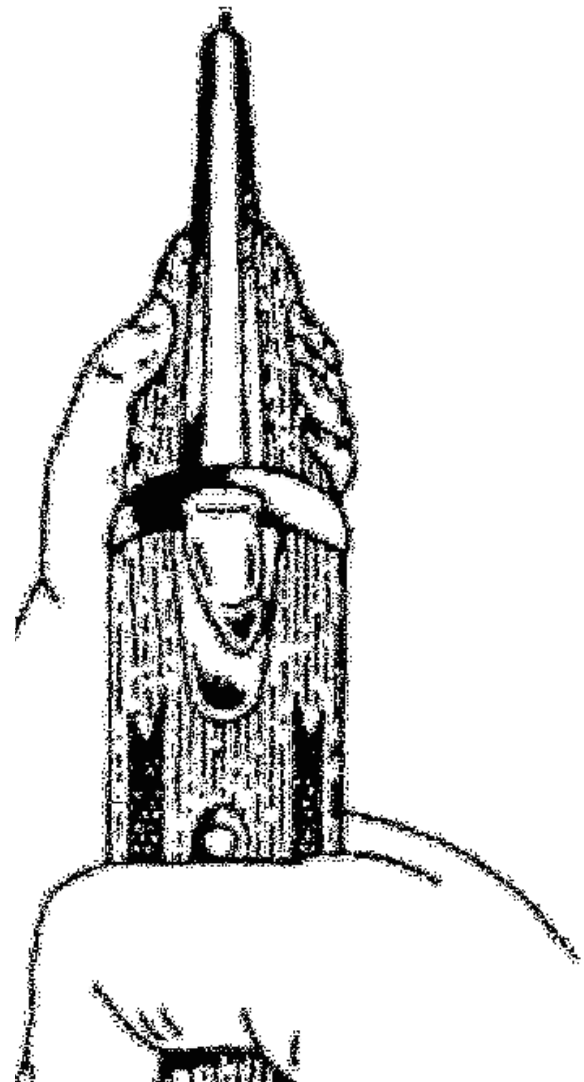
These badges may be ordered separately. This can be done by writing a note which says what it is for and gives the family member's names, call names, relation to you and your name. Include \$2 per badge. This can be done by mail or at the counter. The usual payment rules apply: no cash by mail, and you must be given and retain a receipt if you pay by cash. We now have a form for this which is at the counter and is probably up on the web site by the time that you receive this. It is not necessary to use the form, it is just an aid to getting your family badge order placed.

...Fred Turek
Secretary

Annual Dinner June 21st

For Tickets:

rsvp@napervilesportsmansclub.org,
call Jim Monk at 630-842-0391
or leave a note at the desk



2008 Dates to Remember

Mark your calendars with these important dates!

Member/Board Meeting	6/10/2008
Annual Dinner	6/21/2008
New Member Orientation	6/25/2008
Member/Board Meeting	7/08/2008
New Member Orientation	7/13/2008



Classifieds

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 1	2	3	4	 5	6	7
 8 New Member Orientation	9	10 NSC Board & Member Meeting - 7:30 PM Members welcome	11	 12	13	14
 15 Fathers Day	16	17	18	 19	20	21 Annual Dinner
 22	23	24	25	 26	27	28
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