



The Naperville Trapshooter

The Official Newsletter of the Naperville Sportsman's Club - June 2013

The Fred Section

Members' Meeting and Board Meeting

We will have a member's meeting followed by a board meeting on Tuesday, June 11th. The meeting starts at 7:30; doors open at 7:00. All members are invited and urged to attend both meetings.

...*Fred Turek*
Secretary

NSC Member's family Needs Help

Wayne McCallister's son David needs help battling a serious illness. Please read the following request.

Help me lead a normal life
Become a living kidney donor.
It's a gift of life.
David McCallister
Phone: 312-919-0220
Website: SaveDave2013.com
Email: savedave2013@yahoo.com



I am David McCallister. I'm 25 years old and have a young daughter. Unfortunately I also have a genetic disease that destroys kidneys. Mine have failed and I need a living donor transplant.

Living Donor kidneys have less chance of rejection and have a much longer life span. Anyone in good health can donate. To contact me or to learn more about the life saving living donation process, go to SaveDave2013.com or call 312-919-0220.

Thank you. David

President's Message

2013 Annual Dinner and Raffle

It's almost time for the 2013 Annual Dinner and Raffle will be held on June 22nd. This is the Club's premier event of the year for members. The party will start around 12:00 PM. Dinner is scheduled to be served at 5:00 PM. Your 2013 membership dues include this event. Guest tickets will be \$10.00. (Setup at 9:00 AM)

NSC Handicap Championship

The NSC Handicap Championship is on June 6th. We have emailed the final roster to the participants. All members are invited to partake in the food and refreshments. We have another exceptional spread planned this year. I look forward to seeing you there.

New "Full" and "Probationary" Members

At the May meeting the Board approved Tom Maiman for Full Membership. The Board also approved Joe Krupke for Probationary Membership. When you see them in the clubhouse or on the line please congratulate them on becoming a Full or Probationary Members of the Club.

Upcoming Events

The NSC Handicap Championship is on June 6th. The Annual Dinner is on June 22nd. We will sponsor ATA events on June 23rd, August 4th and October 13th (ATA National Trapshooting Day). The Wobble league will start on September 5th. Please mark your calendars now.

New Member Orientation

The next three new member orientations (informal history and workings of the club) will be held at the club on Sunday June 9th, Sunday July 14th and Sunday August 11th 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



2013 Events

Sunday, January 27 – Doubles League

50-pair doubles targets each Sunday for six weeks

Sunday, March 17 – Irish Open

50 Target Event – 25 singles and 25 handicap

Thursday, March 28 – Singles League

50 16-yard targets each Thursday for eight weeks

Sunday, April 28 – ATA Shoot

Thursday, June 6 – Club Handicap Championship

See Bob Ash for details

Sunday, June 23 – ATA Shoot

Sunday, August 4 – ATA Shoot

Thursday, September 5 – Wobble League

50 16-yard wobble targets each Thursday for eight weeks

Sunday, October 13 – ATA Shoot

National Trapshooting Day – trophies will be awarded

Thursday, November 7 – Gobble Wobble

See Jay Spitz for details

How is your Shotguns and Shooting IQ?

Following is the fourteenth list of questions which were taken from a book titled Shotgun + Clay Target Sports Trivia written by Mike McGuire. See how many you know. **Watch for the answers to these and more questions next month.**

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1. **T or F** Plastic wads have helped to reduce the recoil over the cardboard wad and paper shell.
 2. What year did the U. S. Government outlaw lead shot for waterfowl hunting because of the damage to the ecosphere?
 3. _____ is a series of holes drilled, laser cut or spark-eroded at angles and shapes near the end of the barrel
 4. What controls the shot strings' spread as it leaves the muzzle?
 5. In handicap trap there shall be not more than _____ yards difference between adjacent shooters in the squad, and no more than a total difference of _____ yards in a squad.
 6. **T or F** The Olympic Trap clay target is the same diameter as the American Trap target.
 7. The comment "_____ " are birds that you broke (hit); "_____ " are birds you did not break (misses)
 8. Will a back-bored 12-gauge barrel increase velocity?
 9. **T or F** As the shot size is increased, the deformity that will occur as it passes through the constriction of the choke will increase.
 10. Who are considered the "best gun" manufacturers in Germany today?
 11. What is the approximate time for a trap machine to re-cock its throwing arm?
 12. How many traps and posts are used in International, Bunker and Olympic Trap?
 13. What is a "cheek weld?"
 14. What is a good way to allow you to absorb recoil without losing your balance?
 15. What is the line called that one follows in space for a clay target?
 16. **T or F** When shooting International Skeet, you will be required to hold a low gun.
 17. What is the other common name for an auto-loader?
 18. Name the three general types of chokes.
 19. What is firearm (shotgun) manufactured prior to 1899, by Federal definition, called?
 20. Shotgun workmanship is described by what two terms?

....Tom Coleman



Answers to Last Month's Trivia Questions!

Following are the answers to last month's Shotgun + Clay Target Sports Trivia questions. How many did you know?

1. What is the pre-set trajectory of the targets, 10 feet in front of the American Trap House?
Between 8 and 10 feet high, recommended height is 9 to 9-1/2 feet
2. Name three common types of shotgun wooden stock grips.
Straight hand grip, "English". Semi-pistol or half-pistol grip aka "Prince of Wales" grip, and full pistol grip. There are others, but these are the most popular ones.
3. **T or F** Swing through, pull away and sustained lead are all three trap shooting approved methods
False. They are recognized as sporting clay shooting methods.
4. What are the only two ways a shotgun can be carried safely?
Unloaded in a gun case or open and visibly empty.
5. What is the largest size shot you can use in American Trap competitions?
7-1/2 shot
6. **T or F** A shooter may repeat any portion of a regularly advertised trap shooting program
False. A shooter can ONLY shoot once in an event.
7. **T or F** The gauge of the shot shell is printed on every box and every shell
True! Always check to see that you have the correct ammunition for your gun before firing that first shot.
8. A round of trap doubles is how many birds?
50 Birds, 25 Pairs
9. What type of shotgun should not be fired until it has been inspected and approved by a qualified gunsmith?
A Damascus barrel shotgun
10. _____ is the machining process of reaming or boring, making a larger inside diameter bore in the shotgun barrel.
Back boring
11. **T or F** A shooter should practice in the same shoes or boots that they plan on wearing in a competition.
True! Different shoes or boots could change your sight picture that you had in practice.
12. Name two popular types of barrel construction for double shotguns.
Chopper Lump and Monobloc (Italian term)
13. Should the beads on the trap barrel's rib be "stacked" in a figure 8, or "side-by-side" for proper alignment?
Yes! "Stacked" like a figure eight (8)
14. **T or F** In a one-day exhibition, Capt. Adam H. Bogardus broke 5,681 glass balls straight, and Annie Oakley broke 4,722 out of 5,000 glass balls.
True! Just a fun question about two great early trapshooters
15. Which body part, the feet or your upper body, do you adjust (move) to determine a natural point of aim?
Your feet. They position your shotgun where you want to aim it.
16. Which shotgun manufacturer designs his rib with three centered channel grooves, with raised, matted surfaces on the side?
SKB, a nice feature
17. What four measurements of the stock are determined by the Try-Gun?
Cast, drop, pitch, and length of pull
18. **T or F** There is no difference on trigger guard tangs between a straight hand or pistol grip stock.
False. Different stocks, different trigger guard tangs
19. Where is the finest English walnut for gun stocks grown in the United States?
Northern California, and English walnut is becoming scarce!
20. Name the two most popular grips (stocks) on a double-trigger side-by-side shotgun.
Straight hand stock and "Prince of Wales" stock.

....Tom Coleman



2013 Calendar of Events

January	February	March
Sun, 27 – NSC Doubles league starts*		Sun, 17 – NSC Irish Open Thu, 28 – NSC Singles League starts **
April	May	June
Sun, 21 – ATA (McHenry) Sun, 28 – ATA (Downers Grove – targets only) Sun, 28 – ATA (Naperville – targets only)	Sun, 5 – ATA (Maywood) Sun, 19 – ATA (Northbrook) Sun, 26 – ATA (McHenry – targets only)	Sun, 2 – ATA (St. Charles, Bob Sommers Memorial) Thu, 6 – NSC Handicap Championship Sat-Sun, 8-9 – ATA (Downers Grove, Grand Chicago) Tue-Sun, 11-16 – ATA Illinois State Shoot (Brittany Shooting Park, Bunker Hill, IL) Sat, 22 – NSC Member Picnic Sun, 23 – ATA (Naperville, targets only) Sun, 23 – ATA (McHenry) Sun, 30 – ATA (Northbrook)
July	August	September
Sun, 7 – ATA (St. Charles, Illini Indian) Sun, 14 – ATA (Downers Grove, Illini Indian) Sun, 21 – ATA (McHenry, Buckle Shoot) Sun, 28 – ATA (Maywood, Zone Illini Indian)	Sun, 4 – ATA (Naperville, targets only) Sun, 4 – ATA (Maywood – targets only) Wed-Sun, 7-11 – ATA Grand American Preliminary (WSRC, Sparta, IL) Mon-Sat, 12-17 – ATA Grand American Championship (WSRC, Sparta, IL)	Thu, 5 – NSC Wobble league starts*** Sat-Sun, 14-15 – ATA (Downers Grove, Illinois Northern Zone) Sun, 22 – ATA (Northbrook, Illini Indian) Sun, 29 – ATA (St. Charles, Fall Handicap)
October	November	December
Sun, 13 – ATA National Trapshooting Day (Naperville, trophy shoot) Sun, 20 – ATA (Downers Grove, Grundy County Handicap)	Thu, 7 – NSC Gobble Wobble Shoot	

*-NSC Doubles League – 50 pair of doubles each Sunday for six weeks, ends March 3

**-NSC Singles League – 50 singles targets each Thursday for eight weeks, ends May 16

***-NSC Wobble League – 50 wobble targets each Thursday for eight weeks, end October 24

Officers and Board Members

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Board/Member Meetings: 7:30 PM, 2nd Tuesday

Range Information

Sportsman's Park Trap Range

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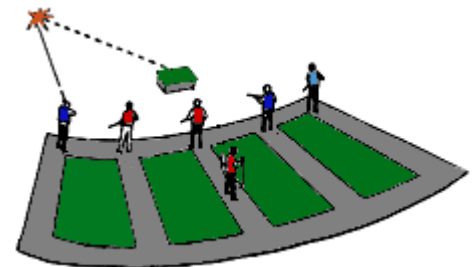
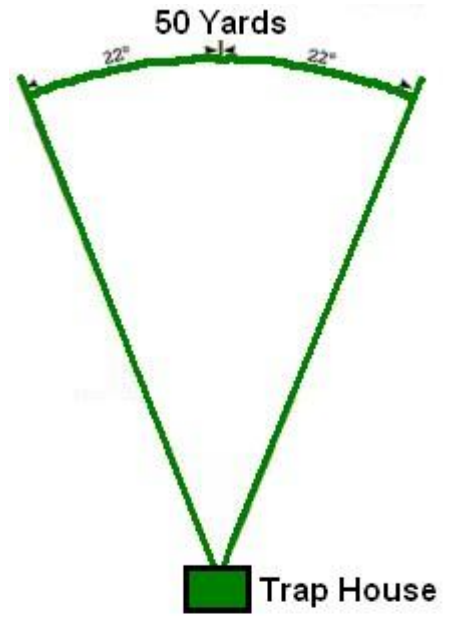
Hours of Operation:

Thursdays: 6:00 – 10:00 PM

Sundays: 12:00 – 6:00 PM. Final Signup at 4:00 PM

Hours are subject to weather and attendance, holidays, and community events

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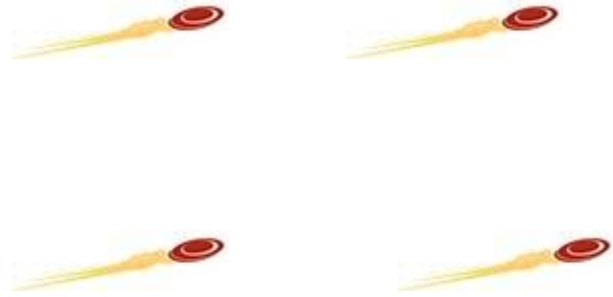
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June 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Club Open 2	3	4	5	Club Open "Handicap Championship" 6	7	8
Club Closed 9 New Member Orientation	10	11 NSC Board & Member Meeting – 7:30 PM	12	Club Open 13	14	15
Club Open "Father's Day" 16	17	18	19	Club Open 20	21	"Annual Dinner" 22
23 Club Open ATA Targets 30	24	25	26	Club Open 27	28	29

July 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	Club Closed 4 	5	6
Club Open 7	8	9 NSC Board & Member Meeting – 7:30 PM	10	Club Open 11	12	13
Club Closed 14 New Member Orientation	15	16	17	Club Open 18	19	20
Club Open 21	22	23	24	25 Club Open	26	27
28 Club Open	29	30	31			

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