

May 2012 GOAL Submission, Barre Sportsmen's Club

NEXT CLUB EVENT: Steak & Lobster, June 3, 6:30pm, tickets \$25/each, Call John (Fig) at 978-857-8202

In Memoriam

Please keep Jeff Degnan and family in your thoughts and prayers. We were very sorry to hear of the loss of his father, Paul Degnan, fondly known to most as Pudge. He was a fixture at archery feeds joining us and sharing in the various discussions, spent many a year plowing the club, and attending many other events. He will be sincerely missed.

Membership

We are at capacity for membership – 175 members. There is now a waiting list. Please don't discourage anyone who might be interested in applying, just be sure they know there is a waiting list, and that when openings occur people will be called in the order their application was received to fill a vacated spot.

RENEWALS should have been received and should be sent back asap. If you did not receive one, please download it off the website and send it in so that we can be sure to get you on this years' updated membership list.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS have the event dates printed on the back, AND have the new gate code (which will become effective with the installation of the new combination locks slated for June). Please be sure to get your card to obtain the code.

Pertinent Reports: Treasurer's report was read and accepted.

Archery: starts May 14th (Monday evenings at 6pm). Call John (Fig) with any questions 978-857-8202.

Trap: starts May 23rd, Wednesday evenings.

Sporting Clays: Thursdays at 5:30pm.

Pistol: Pistol shoots are Fridays (May 18th) and June 15th at 6pm. Questions, call Bert DuVernay at 413-477-6529.

.22 Shooting: started May 8th at 6pm, call Tony Pitisci with any questions.

200 Yard Rifle: started May 7th and will be every Monday thereafter, 6pm. Contact is Peter Stalker.

Gate Reminders

Keys for the building are still in process. There will be a new gate lock which will be installed in June with a combination lock. You have to get your club membership card to get the combination code.

REMINDER WHEN AT THE CLUB – WHEN YOU LEAVE, PLEASE CLOSE THE GATE BEHIND YOU IF YOU ARE LAST TO LEAVE.

Big Turkey Award: Be sure to sign up at the Club. Youth and adult welcome – a dollar to enter.

Few Highlights and upcoming details:

Range signs are ready. We will be having a club cleanup on June 16th at 9am. Come one come all – it's a great way to start the new year of membership with some volunteer hours that will get our club 'ship shape' for events that follow the rest of this year. We will have cleanup both inside and out. Feel free to bring any tools you think we might need 'just in case' for the cleanup. The more the

merrier and the less time it will take to get the club 'polished and shined'. The range sign installations may also be a part of this day. Feel free to contact a member of the board if you have any questions.

Youth Turkey Hunt

The hunt was a great success, with many turkeys taken, but more importantly, the youth had a great time getting in the woods and trying their newly learned skills with seasoned professionals. Thank you to all the youth for showing an interest – I hope that you learned something and perhaps sparked a further interest in the outdoors. And for those who mentored – thank you all very much. Your time and dedication to our sporting activities and the outdoors is appreciated as well.

Meat Raffle

The meat raffle was lightly attended however, of those there, nearly all left with some winning. The event, for those that attending, was quite enjoyable and entertaining as always in large part to our 'raffle master' Mike and his trusty assistant☺. This annual event falls the same Saturday each year, and if you haven't been, mark your calendars and get there next time – many were able to stock the freezer or at least have a few meals supplemented with their 'winnings'.

JUNE 2012	
Sunday, 3 rd – <u>1pm, Steak & Lobster Dinner</u> (POC Fig 978-857-8202)	
Tuesday-Wednesday 5-6 th – MALAFIA Gun Course	
Thursday, 7 th – 7:30pm, Club Meeting	
RANGE IS CLOSED -----Friday-Saturday 8 th -9 th – GIRL SCOUTS CAMPOUT ----- RANGE IS CLOSED	
Thursday, 14 th – 7:30pm, BOD	
Saturday, 16 th – 9:00am, Club Cleanup (ALL WELCOME, Please come help out!)	
JULY 2012	AUGUST 2012
Thursday, 5 th – 7:30pm, Club Meeting	Thursday, 2 nd – 7:30pm, Club Meeting
Thursday, 12 th – 7:30pm, BOD	Thursday, 9 th – 7:30pm, BOD
Friday, 20 th – RESERVATION - Vintages Shoot	
Saturday, 21 st – PRIVATE RENTAL	
SEPTEMBER 2012	OCTOBER 2012
Thursday, 6 th – 7:30pm, Club Meeting, (ELECTION OF OFFICERS)	Thursday, 4 th – 7:30pm, Club Meeting
Sunday, 9 th – <u>11am, Clambake</u> (POC Fig 978-857-8202)	Saturday, 6 th – <u>FALL HUNTER'S KICKOFF</u>
Thursday, 13 th – 7:30pm, BOD	(POC Rob 978-771-7013/Meridith 978-434-7932)
Sunday, 30 rd – 2 Club shoot (Petersham&Barre)	Thursday, 11 th – 7:30pm, BOD Meeting
FRIENDS OF NRA BANQUET – limited seating!!	Saturday, 20 th – PRIVATE RENTAL
NOVEMBER 2012	DECEMBER 2012
Thursday, 1 st – 7:30pm, Club Meeting	Thursday, 6 th – 7:30pm, Club Meeting
Saturday, 3 rd – 9am, Youth Pheasant Hunt (POC Chris Duggan 978-928-5878)	Thursday, 13 th – 7:30pm, BOD
Sunday, 4 th – <u>10am, Turkey Shoot</u> (POC Rob D. 978-771-7013)	
Thursday, 8 th – 7:30pm, BOD	

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE – Fall Hunter’s Kickoff

Tickets are on sale – please get some to sell. Please know that ALL tickets are due back by September 9th at the Clambake. If you do not return your tickets by then, you own them and MUST pay for them. (We want to be sure we have all tickets in and back so we can SELL OUT.)

Need tickets to sell – come to a meeting or talk to one of the board to arrange for you to pick some up to sell. Thanks to everyone who has already taken and sold tickets!!!

2nd Annual Fall Sportsmen’s Classic October 6, 2011 @ Barre Sportsmen’s Club, 6pm

Only 1000 Raffle Tickets - \$20/ticket

Purchase of a raffle ticket gets you dinner and entry to the event. Tables of sporting and outdoors items will also be raffled off, in ‘bulk’ or ‘meat raffle’ style at the event, besides the drawing for the ‘big’ raffle.

1-Binelli Super Nova Pump 12 Gauge shotgun waterfowl edition, 3”1/2 inch, 28” barrel, max-4 camo finish; 2-Binelli Super Nova Pump 12 Gauge Shotgun, rifled slug 3”1/2 inch, 28” barrel real-tree camo finish; 3-Stoeger Condor Competition Plus 12 Gauge over/under Shotgun, 28” ported barrels adjustable comb, palm swell, blued/gloss wood finish; 4-CZ Bob White 20 Gauge side by side Shotgun 26” barrel, straight English style grip, blued/walnut finish; 5-Browning Silver Hunter 12 Gauge Shotgun 3”, 28” barrel, aluminum alloy receiver, vent ribbed barrel, satin walnut stock, semi-auto; 6-Lanber 12 Gauge Shotgun, 3”, 28” barrel stainless steel engraved receiver, wood stock, semi-auto; 7-Remington 870 Super Mag 12 Gauge pump shotgun combo, field/slug barrels, 3”1/2, 26” barrel black/wood finish; 8-Mossberg 500 model 12 Gauge Pump Shotgun combo field/slug barrels, 28” barrel, wood/blued finish; 9-Binelli R1 30-06 Rifle 22” barrel, base for scope, AA grade satin walnut finish, blued barrel, semi-auto; 10-Thompson Center .308 Venture Predator Bolt Action Rifle 22” barrel, fluted scope, 3 round detachable mag, Real Tree Max-1 camo finish; 11-Remington 770 7mm Rem/Mag rifle, 22” barrel, 3x9 scope, stainless steel/Real Tree camo finish, bolt action; 12-Thompson Center Hot Shot Youth model .22 long Rifle, single shot, youth sized peep site for easy training, rifled barrel, auto safety, real tree apg camo finish, break open; 13-Thompson Center Triumph Bone Collector .50 caliber muzzle loader, 28” barrel, rifled sites, reversible hammer extension, speed breech, power rod, flex tech stock, Real Tree AP finish; 14-Diamond Outlaw Compound Bow package; 15-PSE Crossfire cross bow with scope package.

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& Mark Belliveau and Smith & Wesson*

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN PURCHASING A TICKET, PLEASE CUT OUT,

FILL OUT AND MAIL THE BELOW COUPON,

Include a check for \$20 per ticket desired to purchase, written to 'Barre Sportsmen's Club' (or BSC):

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: ____ (____) ____ -- _____

Check here if you will be attending the event.

Mail check and this coupon to: John Neri, POB 607, Barre, MA 01005