

## **4<sup>th</sup> Annual 2014 Fall Hunter's Kick-Off**



### **Mark Your Calendars**

**Saturday, October 4, 2014 @ 6PM**

**@ the Barre Sportsman's Club**



There will 14 items to be raffled off including rifles, shotguns and cross bows. A complete detailed listing will be forthcoming. Tickets will be available for sale on April 1<sup>st</sup>. Only 1000 tickets are to be sold at \$20/ticket. Additionally, there will be the 'Tin Can' raffle as in past years.

**\*\*\* Your Raffle ticket will admit you to the Spaghetti Supper \*\*\***

Those who attended our previous Fall Hunter's Kick-off raffles can attest to the magnitude and quality of this annual event. This year will not disappoint. Stay tune for more details as they become available.

POC's for this event are: Rob Deschenes and Meridith Young. Tickets will be available through any Club members after April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**=== GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY TO AVOID SELL-OUT ===**

This year's raffle prizes include the following:

- Benelli Legacy semi-auto 12 gauge etched scene & gold trigger, 26 inch
- Benelli Montefeltro semi-auto 20 gauge wood, blued 26 inch
- Benelli R1 semi-auto rifle, 300 win mag, with scope, Realtree camo, blued
- Benelli M2 semi-auto 12 gauge slug shotgun, black-synthetic
- Benelli M2 semi-auto 20 gauge slug shotgun, Realtree camo finish
- Benelli SuperNova Pump 12 gauge, 3.5 inch ComfortTech Adv MaxWtrfwl
- CZ Bob White side x side 20 gauge shotgun wood, blued finish
- Remington 770 rifle 30-06 bolt action with scope, camo, stainless steel
- Remington 770 .243 bolt action with scope, black synthetic finish
- Remington M887 pump 12 gauge 3.5 inch black synthetic with 28 inch barrel
- Lanbar semi-auto 12 gauge wood, blued with gold trigger & stainless steel bolt, 28 inch
- Thompson Center 50 cal Bone Collection muzzle loader, camo, blued
- Parker Enforcer Cross Bow package
- Diamond Outlaw Compound Bow package

### **Membership**

Update from the VP indicates there are NO openings. We are at the 175 member cap. If anyone is interested in becoming a member you are invited to join our waiting list, contact our Vice President via the contact in the header above.

### **Outdoor Sporting Functions**

The Club is still in need of a volunteer to take charge of the Sporting Clay function. If you have an interest and would like to ensure this activity continues, as in the past, please step forward and express your interest to one of the Club officers. If you have questions / concerns as to what is involved they will be able to help you or direct you to a person with that knowledge.

### **2014 Youth Turkey Hunt**

In spite of a cold and wet day, 7 youngsters bagged turkeys while some had story's of the 'one that got away'. Thanks to Rick French, Pepper Cooley and Ruth French plus the other volunteers for making this annual event an educational and fun day for youth of our Club. Check out a few of the many photos by Ruth French. For additional photos visit our website.



Pepper Cooley ..... Who's in the center? ..... Rick French





### **Club Sporting Functions:**

<b>Archery</b> .....	POC: Fig (John) Neri (978) 857-8202 Mondays @ 6PM through to Fall (shoot for 3 weeks, 4 <sup>th</sup> week a steak feed)
<b>Pistol Shoot</b> .....	POC: Bert Duvernay (508) 413-6529 3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday @ 6PM until time change.
<b>Range .22 Shoot</b> ...	POC: Tony Pitisci (978) 355-4474 Tuesdays @ 6PM through to Fall (initial cost is \$15)
<b>200 Yard Rifle</b> .....	POC: Peter Stalker (978) 928-5223 Mondays @ 6pm until light is lost
<b>Sporting Clays</b> .....	POC: looking for volunteer(s) to fill this position
<b>Trap</b> .....	POC: Mike Noblini (508) 889-7839 Wednesday @ 7:30PM through to Fall \$3/rd. for Members, \$8 for 12 or 20 gauge shells (if needed) Junior Members – 1 <sup>st</sup> round Free, additional rounds are \$2

### **Excalibur Recalls Crossbows**

Excalibur issued a safety recall notice for certain crossbows due to a possible injury hazard, they can fire unexpectedly. For details of this recall visit the link below;

<http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/2014/Excalibur-Recalls-Crossbows/>

### **Other Club Reminders**

- The Entrance Gate code has NOT changed.
- The updated membership cards are available if you have not received yours
- Crowd Control Manager(s) are required by Mass Law for ALL indoor Club functions. All members are urged to go online to take this 30 minute course to get certified as a Crowd Control Manager. The Website address is <http://public.eopsslearning.com/> and click on the DFS-Crowd Manager Training.
- When you leave the property; PLEASE close the gate & lock the new combination lock.
- NO ALCOHOL IS ALLOWED TO BE BROUGHT ONTO THE PREMISES AT ANY TIME – this is NOT a club rule but is a STATE LAW due to our liquor license.
- Please ‘POLICE’ the range after firing to clean up your cartridges/rounds.
- By-Laws are available online.

## 2014 EVENT & FUNCTION CALENDAR

### JUNE

Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> - Steak & Lobster Dinner, 1:00PM, POC: John 'Fig' Neri  
Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM  
BOD Meeting - TBD

### JULY

Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM  
BOD Meeting - TBD

### AUGUST

Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM  
BOD Meeting - TBD

### SEPTEMBER

Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM ... Annual Installation of the Officers  
BOD Meeting - TBD  
Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> - Fall Club Grounds Spruce-Up  
Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> - Clambake, 11:00AM, POC: John 'Fig' Neri  
Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> - Friends of the NRA Banquet (details when they become available)

### OCTOBER

Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM  
BOD Meeting - TBD  
Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> - Fall Hunter's Kickoff, 6:00PM, POC's: Rob Deschenes & Meridith Young

### NOVEMBER

Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> - Youth Pheasant Hunt, 9:00AM, POC: Chris Duggan  
Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Turkey Shoot, 10:00AM, POC: Janet Pierce  
Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM  
BOD Meeting - TBD

### DECEMBER

Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM  
BOD Meeting - TBD  
Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> - Children's Christmas Party, 1:00PM, POC: JoAnn Bousquet