

**Notice:**

This Saturday and Sunday there is a registered skeet shoot (see attached fliers) and also on Sunday there is a Cabela's group event which will use all the trap fields. Plan accordingly...call in the afternoon for trap field availability.

**Volunteers Section:** (by Brian Konopski: Volunteer Program Coordinator email: [bkonopski@winnipegtrapandskeet.com](mailto:bkonopski@winnipegtrapandskeet.com))

With the main shooting season upon us, we urgently need volunteers to help out with the following important activities to get our season off to a terrific start!

Cabela's Booth

Volunteers are needed for during the days for the rest of the week and the coming weekend. This is a great opportunity to promote the club and the great sport of shotgun shooting...and grab some volunteer points. Please contact Brian Konopski immediately.

Bingo!

Three more volunteers are needed to work a fund raising bingo at Club Regent this week on Friday May 14, from 6:00 pm to 7:45 PM. If you can come out, please contact Brian Konopski ASAP.

Target Moving

This Thursday evening at 6 pm, the club manager is seeking a few volunteers to help move cases of targets from storage into all the houses. Can't shoot while they're still in the boxcar!

Season Opener Skeet Shoot

Our first skeet shoot of the year will be the Season Opener on May 15 and 16 and we are still looking for volunteers to support all aspects of this shoot.

Doubles Marathon

Trap event volunteers (registration, scoring, canteen and target help) are needed for our first Trap shoot of the year, the Doubles Marathon, on May 29 and 30. This is a big and important shoot for the club.

Canteen

Canteen volunteers are also needed for Monday and Wednesday nights beginning next week through to the end of June for the Junior Trap and Junior Skeet programs respectively; you know how teenagers can eat! If you're out there with your son or daughter anyway, please consider lending a hand.

Please follow up with Brian Konopski, by email or by calling 253-3414 to signup or get more information on these or any other volunteer opportunities.

**Volunteer thanks:**

Thanks to Andy Waldner for making and installing a new set of stairs for the high house skeet field 2. Thanks to Derek Smith for assisting with the installation. A wonderful and strong job as usual from Andy. They will out last the skeet house for sure.

Thank you to Ed Pauch, Matt Glavin, Norm Dyck, Ron, Valerie and David Stelck, Trevor Lewarton, Shebly, Brian and Susan Konopski, Mario Morelatto, Brian Konrad, Louise Curé and David Mosscrop for staffing the WTSC booth at the Cabela's Outdoor Days.

Be kind to your volunteers:

"Volunteers are somebody! Somebody who cares, somebody who devotes time without pay, somebody who praises all, large or small and somebody who has a common bond with others to make things better."

**Up-coming shoots:**

May 15 – 16 Registered Skeet: WTSC

May 22, 23, & 24 International Trap fun long weekend shoot.

May 29 – 30 Doubles Marathon: WTSC

**ATTENTION WINNIPEG REGION COMPETITORS**

The Winnipeg Region Teams will be selected from Events # 1 to 3 of this weekend. Top five shooters in each event will represent the Winnipeg Region in the Provincial Championships at Brandon, July 9 – 10 - 11

**Membership renewal reminder:**

New memberships were due on April 1. Please make sure you include your refundable volunteer cheque with your membership renewal.

Members are required to wear their membership card while shooting at the club. Please see Louise for a 2010 sticker. If you do not have a membership card please let Louise know so that it can be printed.

If you choose not to renew your membership, you will be charged non-members prices for each round.

**Group Shoots:**

Last Friday night Lorne Ross and myself were at the club to not just mentor, but in fact to host a group from Ducks Unlimited (coordinated by Chris Benson) and staff from Cabela's. Lorne not only provided the use of some of the Junior shotgun program's guns but provided the highest caliber of mentoring, that only years of experience can bring to the new shooter.

These events generate additional revenue streams for the WTSC and they also provide a way to introduce new people, non-club members to the sport we all enjoy so much.

Within every group there is the guy or lady that has never shot anything before and end up being really talented and breaks a bunch of targets. To be there and help release that inner joy and watch them and their co-workers have such a great time is truly rewarding.

President's weekly e-Newsletter  
May 12, 2010

On Saturday I hosted a small group of guys who wanted to try shooting as part of a stag party. They later went to try archery. Same thing...a gentleman who had only ever shot an air rifle when he was 12 years old, took to the shotgun like a duck to water and had a great time. I think at least 2 of these 5 guys will come back to the club.

In this newsletter over the coming weeks Brian Konospki or myself will post volunteer opportunities for mentoring at group shoots...if you volunteer I promise you will get a lot more out of the experience other than a few volunteer points.

**Junior Shotgun Program:**

Monday night was the first night for this year's rendition of the Lorne Ross classic: Manitoba Junior shotgun program. Despite cool, misty weather over 4 squads of junior trap shooters and their parents were at the club, and as usual breaking targets under the watchful eyes of Lorne, Ken Wight and Brian Barrett. Stacey and Lindsay got the junior shooters organized and all ran smoothly.

Gerri Gerow and Susan Konopski kept the food flowing.

There is still time to have your junior shooter come out for trap shooting.

**Leagues:**

The trap league started on May 2, see Stan Orr or Louise Curé as soon as you can to get your 5 man or woman team signed up. Update... there is still a lot of openings.

Please pay your entry fee and begin shooting your rounds.

**Ladies Program:**

We have had tremendous interest in this program this year.

The WTSC will once again be offering this popular program, here are the details:

Instructor: Stan Orr

Time: Wednesday evenings, registration 6 pm shooting 6:30 pm

Duration: May 26 - June 12

Cost: \$140.00 for members and \$150.00 for non-members (includes insurance for 3 weeks)

What's included: 8 rounds and 8 boxes of shells.

What is NOT included: ladies do not receive an annual membership.

**Gun Raffles:**

WTSC Land Purchase Account gun raffle tickets are now available for purchase at \$10.00 each (only 250 tickets 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. Tickets are selling well, so get them now.

Junior Skeet – Brian Konrad has Skeeter Raffle tickets available call 981-6353 (cell) for more information.

<p><i>Winnipeg Trap &amp; Skeet Club</i> <b>2010 GUN DRAW</b> No. 0001</p> <p>Name: .....</p> <p>Address: .....</p> <p>Postal Code: .....</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes you can send me shoot events info</p> <p>Phone: .....</p> <p>e-mail: .....</p> <p>License No. 10/10 Draw Date: Aug. 8, 2010</p>	<p> <i>Winnipeg Junior Skeet – Skeeter Squad</i> <b>2010 RAFFLE</b> Hwy. #3 SW 4 KM @ Oakbluff, MB. Phone: 736-2779 www.winnipegtrapandskeet.com</p> <p> <b>6 PRIZES TO BE WON</b></p> <p> <b>1st Prize: 12 ga. O/U Walnut</b> (Made in Turkey) Retail Value \$1,049</p> <p> <b>2nd Prize: 12 ga. Semi-Auto Walnut</b> (Made in Turkey) Retail Value \$749</p> <p><b>3rd Prize: Burris Landmark 8x32 Binoculars</b> Retail Value \$399</p> <p><b>4th Prize: 1000 Rounds of 12 ga. 2 1/4" Sporting Target Ammo OR 500 Rounds of Steel 3" Hunting Ammo.</b> Retail Value \$325 (PAL Required)</p> <p><b>5th Prize: WTSC Logo Embroidered Wind Jacket and a Zippered Hoodie (Adult Sizes - Sm-XL)</b> Retail Value \$160</p> <p><b>6th Prize: Cobalt "Grand American" Engraved Rosewood Laminate Knife</b> Retail Value \$89</p> <p><b>SCORE BRAND</b> 12 ga, O/U &amp; Semi-Auto - 1st name drawn has choice of firearm. (PAL Required)</p> <p><b>Tickets \$10.00</b> Only 600 Tickets Printed</p> <p>No. 0001</p> <p><b>Draw Date: NSSA Prov. Shoot, August 8, 2010.</b> Sooner if all tickets are sold. Winners contacted via mail, email or phone.</p> <p>License No. 10/10</p>
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**Things to watch for:**

- Shooting leagues: Skeet, Sporting Clay
- WTSC crested clothing to purchase
- Sporting Clays/FITASC course/parcours



## **NSSA REGISTERED SKEET SHOOT**

### **May 15, 2010**

### **Saturday 10:00 AM Start**

20 gauge 100 singles (2 or more shooters required)  
28 gauge 100 singles (2 or more shooters required)  
410 gauge 100 singles (2 or more shooters required)

**WTSC crested** clothing for top shooter HOA  
class combined per event

**Cost:** \$45.00/ 100 targets

**Juniors:** \$25.00/100 targets (Reduced price)

**Vet \$25.00 & Sr. Vet:** \$20.00/100 targets (Reduced price)

One **FREE Skeeter Raffle Ticket** per event per day  
for all shooters paying full NSSA price for a registered event.

Vet (60 – 69 years) & Sr. Vet (70 + years)  
WTSC crested clothing for top shooter in HOA combined

Lewis Class for unregistered shooters only  
(\$5.00 from each registration)

### **Class established after first 100 targets**

Advanced Squad Registration or Event day 9:00 to 9:30 AM

Call: 736-2779

Canteen open for lunch



## NSSA REGISTERED SKEET SHOOT

May 16, 2010

**Sunday 10:00 AM Start**

12 gauge 100 singles (2 or more shooters required)  
Doubles 100 singles (2 or more shooters required)

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class combined per event

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