

# Frankfort Sportsman's Club



## OCTOBER 2012 NEWSLETTER

### From the Editor:

With cold weather approaching everyone should be aware of the bad weather that might cause the club to not open. If you think the weather maybe to bad to shoot, but don't know if the club will be open, please call (815-469-9887) around opening time to confirm.

### This Month's Events

October

This years Turkey Shoot (Sunday, Nov 11<sup>th</sup>) has been renamed the Veteran's / Turkey Day Shoot Watch for announcements and postings in the Clubhouse.

### September "Straight" shooters

Marcin Michalek	1	
Mike Gaynor	1	(his first)
Mike Smrz	2	
Don Guinta	1	
Ed Haley	4	(1x50)
Dino Milla	3	

Please make sure every time you shoot a perfect score sign the sheet soon to be posted on the bulletin board in the club house. If you've done multiple 25's, make sure to keep it updated. If you've done consecutive 25's, without a miss in between. Please indicate how many (50's, 75's and so on) on the sheet.

If your name should be on this list and is not, please let me know and I will make sure it is on next month.

### From The Trap Committee:

When shooting trap, remember the voice callers pick up sound coming from the shooter directly in back of the speakers. The optimal distance, according to the manufacture, is one yard in front of you. If you bring the caller closer

to you, it will pick up any additional noise like the racking of a pump shotgun or even a cough. With that said, we have also determined that when the wind is from the north, the pickup sound of calling is somewhat diminished and you may have to position them closer to you.

Also be aware of the noise created when throwing your empty hulls into the tubs.

We all know are provided to reduce the time spent by the trap boys in picking up the hulls, we do understand that there will be hulls on the ground, but please try to minimize this if you can. And be aware that we are looking into something other than the tubs that will reduce this unneeded noise.

Thank you,

Mike Turner, Trap Committee Chairman

### Continued Reminder:

Don't forget to keep your email up to date.

Without this it will be hard to find out what's happening at FSC

### "Surprise Shoot" Trap League Final results

Monday Night trap final results after 300 targets

Pl.	Name	Ave.	%	Net
1	Ed Haley	45.5	91.0	49.55
2	T. Haskell	44.67	89.33	49.47
3	Derrald Taylor	41.83	83.67	49.18
4	Dino Milla	41.67	83.33	49.17
5	Jeff Hobson	40.33	80.67	49.03
6	Bob Franklin	39.17	78.33	48.92
7	D. Guinta	39.0	78.0	48.9
	Hank Freitag	39.0	78.0	48.9
9	Mike Gaynor	37.67	75.33	48.77
10	Mike Turner	37.17	74.33	48.72
11	Rich Layman	37.0	74.0	48.7
12	C. Vandenburg	36.67	73.33	48.67
13	Joe Murphy	36.33	72.67	48.63
14	Mike Wilbur	32.4	64.8	48.24



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15	Chris Sabo	25.0	60.0	47.50
16	Patrick Hayes	22.17	44.33	47.22
17	Sean Cryan	DNF		

Congratulations to all 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> place shooters

Party:

On the award night, we had pizza brought in and some fun game shoots.



**Game Night fun**



**The Coyote looking for a Roadrunner**

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### **Thursday Morning trapshooting:**

Before traveling to the club on a Thursday morning during the upcoming months, please make a call or send an email to either Lou Englesman or myself to find out if we will open. We will try to email those that are on the current Thursday morning list, but if you have never attended on a Thursday and have never asked to be put on the list, please make note of our email addresses.

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### **NRA Basic Shotgun Training**

Jeff and Pam Hobson, NRA Certified Shotgun instructors, are offering the NRA certified Basic Shotgun training class on November 17<sup>th</sup>.

A new student will learn all the safe handling and nuances of shooting a shotgun. They will also learn what to look for when purchasing a new shotgun rather than finding out later what they should have bought.

Older shooters may learn something too!  
Go to <http://wetrainsome.com/> for more information.

### **Reloader's Corner**

*(taken from the NRA basic shot shell reloading class)*

Safety tips with Primer

- Never use excessive force when seating a primer, it may ignite and may ignite other primers located nearby. This may cause damage to your equipment or may cause injury or death to yourself or others nearby
- Wear eye protection when handling primers
- Avoid using obsolete primers that have a lack of covering over the flash

### **Ideas?**

Still waiting for any new idea's or information for the monthly newsletter? Please let me know at [mturner1011@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mturner1011@sbcglobal.net).

### **Club Championship Results**

Total entries for this years club championships were very good at 27 sign-ups. The trap series included singles, 24yd handicap, wobble and doubles. Each had it own champion and a Trap Overall Champion.

For the Sporting Champions there were 4 who only competed in the Sporting Overall Championship.



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For the Club Overall Championship, there were 7 competitors. And the winners are:

Singles	Thurlow Haskell (mens) shoot off Pam Hobson (ladies) Tim Bartolini (junior) Don Guinta (senior)
Handicap	Mike Turner (mens) Tim Bartolini (junior)
Doubles	Ed Haley (mens) shoot off
Wobble	Jeff Hobson (mens) Mel Petersen (senior)
Trap Overall	Ed Haley shoot off

Sporting Champion	Matt Delimata
Club Overall Champion	Mike Smrz

Congratulations to all the 2012 winners and good luck next year.

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### 2013 FSC Elections

Please be aware of the up and coming nomination for the 2013 FSC Board. You soon will be asked if you would like to run for an office. This is your opportunity to make an impact. It's always good to have "new blood" with new idea's to make the club go forward.

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### New "Workparty" practice

A Signup sheet is now located on the bulletin board next to the cashier window. Remember this is a change from previous signups, it is an "Honor System" so please make an effort to do something for the club. All help, regardless of what it may be, is greatly appreciated. If you are unsure of what is needed, please don't hesitate to ask a board member.

Until next month as always,  
happy shooting!  
And DON'T forget to vote!