

## G.P.G.C./G.P.S.D.C.

## THE BULLETIN

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#### Welcome **New Members!**





Clint Henker

Will Knight



Rick Stockstill

#### **Trap Shoot Results** July 17

#### **16-yard Singles**

Champion: Gene Wills 2nd Place: Bill Weatherby Tied: Shane Cole

John Slocum won 1st Handicap in shootoff with Bill Weatherby. Gene Wills won 2nd place Handicap in shoot-off with **Roy Walker**. John served lasagna with salad and garlic bread. Always eating good at the Gun Club!

#### **Club Skeet Results**



#### July 10, 2005

Walt Mentzer

Al Barsh - 47

Gene Stewart - 50

Bobby Sherrill - 50

Bill Weatherby - 48

Brad Fitzgerald - 48 Chris Collinviti - 46

12 Ga. **HOA Champion:** 

AA Champion: AA-2: A Champion: A-2:

B Champion: B-2: C Champion: C-2:

C-3: D Champion:

28 Ga. Prelim. **Champion:** 

2nd Place Winner: 2nd Place Shootoff: 2nd Place Shootoff: Dakota Holder - 49 Steve Gilmore - 48 Travis Holder - 47 John Slocum - 33

Gene Stewart - 50 **Terry Cullender - 48** 

C. W. Dagnal Benny Emmons

Other Shooters	28 ga.	12 ga.	Dbls.
C. W. Dagnal	48	48	47
Ken English	47	46	-
Jeff Zwiebel	46	47	42
Joe Miller	-	48	44
Ray Slater	42	44	-
Buz Owen	38	42	40
Doug Doyle	41	41	41
Gene Wills	-	46	44
Johny Pippi	-	-	46
Jack Martin	-	-	46
Tyler Cullender	-	36	39

#### General Info

The GPSDC Board approved plans to finish re-roofing the entry building and the small brick building behind it.

The pistol committee is planning on installing a 9 yd. target line in 2 lanes.

#### Range Officer Duty - August 2005

Wed., Aug. 3 Ken Hulsey Don Kovatch Sat., Aug. 6 Brad Fitzgerald Sun., Aug. 7 Wed., Aug. 10 Al Barsh Sat., Aug. 13 **Benny Emmons** Sun., Aug. 14 Rich Reynolds Wed., Aug. 17 Bill Weatherby Sat., Aug. 20 Joe Bettacchi Sun., Aug. 21 Keith Hill Wed., Aug. 24 Andy Chilla Sat., Aug 27 David Anderson Sun., Aug. 28 Robb Dunn Wed., Aug. 31 John Slocum



## Education Classes Set for the Year 2005

The club will conduct seven (7) TEXAS HUNTER EDUCATION classes this coming year. The schedule is as follows:

#### **Student Class**

Aug. 22, 25, 27 Nov. 14, 17, 19 Sep. 12, 15, 17 Dec. 5, 8, 10

Oct. 17, 20, 22

#### **Instructor Workshops**

Sep. 9, 10, 11 6pm-8 am NRA Pistol Workshop Oct. 8 8 am TP&W Responsible Shotgunning

Each class will consist of two (2) night sessions and one (1) full day. The days are Monday and Thursday nights from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., and the Saturday session will be from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The cost is \$10.00 check, money order or cashier's check made out to:

Grand Prairie Education Committee 972-641-9940 (leave message)

#### Club Skeet Schedule 2005

Brad Fitzgerald, 972-816-0934

August 7 - Sunday October 2 - Sunday September 4 - Sunday November 13 - Sunday

Lunch at Noon - shooting starts at 1:00 PM



August 4 - 7:30 PM GPGC Board of Directors Meeting

August 6 - 9:00 AM ARA Rifle Match August 7 - Noon - Club Skeet Shoot

August 20 - 1:00 PM Public Day

August 21 - 10:00 AM Club Trap Shoot

August 22 - 7:00 PM Hunter Ed Class August 23 - 7:00 PM Hunter Ed Class

August 27 - 8:00 AM Hunter Ed Class

Sept. 1 - 7:30 PM Board of Directors Meeting

Sept. 4 - Noon - Club Skeet Shoot

Sept. 5 - Labor Day

Sept. 9 - 6:00 PM - Instructor Workshop - NRA Pistol (tentative) Call Jan Heath, 972-986-8247

Sept. 10 - 11 - 8:00 AM Instructor Workshop - NRA Pistol

Sept. 10 - 9:00 AM ARA Rifle Match

Sept. 12 - 7:00 PM Hunter Ed Class

Sept. 15 - 7:00 PM Hunter Ed Class

Sept. 17 - 8:00 AM Hunter Ed Class Sept. 17 - 1:00 PM Public Day

Sept. 18 - Noon Club Trap Shoot

Sept. 23-25 - World Warm-up Registered Skeet

#### Club Trap Schedule 2005

John Slocum, 972-602-1600

August 21 - Sunday November 20 - Turkey Shoot

Sept. 18 - Sunday December 18 - Sunday

October 16 - Sunday

Lunch at Noon - shooting starts at 1:00 PM

NOTICE: We are going to be doing some more work on the pistol range in August that will require closing it for a few days during the week.

Jeff Zwiebel

# **Recipe Corner**

Pork and Dumplings

2 pounds feral hog neck and backbones (or pork roast)

1 Tbsp. Ralph's Spice Mix (see following) or salt and pepper to taste

2 green onions, chopped ½ tsp. garlic powder 6 cups water

Place all of the above in a large heavy pot. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat to medium, cover pot with lid and simmer for at least 1 hour until meat is ready to fall off the bone(s). Remove bones and fat. Then add:

> ½ cup carrots, sliced thin 1 can English peas, drained

Continue simmering for an additional 10 minutes, until carrots are tender.

#### Ralph's Spice Mix

6 Tbsp. Salt

2 Tbsp. Onion Salt

2 Tbsp. Garlic Salt

1 Tbsp. Black Pepper

1 Tbsp. White Pepper

1 Tbsp. Red (cayenne) Pepper

#### Ralph's Dumplings

1½ cups Bisquick ½ cup milk

Mix together until just mixed thoroughly. Do not overmix. Use large spoon to drop the mixture into the simmering pork. Cover and cook 10 minutes or until dumplings are done.

Serves 4-6 adults.

Source: "Old Boots and Bacon Grease: The Campfire Chef" by Ralph Willingham As published in Texas Trophy Hunters, March/April 2005

Benny Emmons for getting the houses loaded and the many meals you cook.

Randy Walhood's Field 5 is almost complete with help from John Slocum in dirt-leveling, watering and mowing.

Thanks to **Bobby Sherrill** for all the electrical work (he has volunteered to do).

**Richard Kummer** for his help keeping our sod undisturbed.

**Gil George** is keeping the landscaping watered.

### Special Thanks

#### A very large "thank you"

My family and I would like to thank all my friends at the Grand Prairie Gun Club for their support and prayers. I would especially like to thank those on the Education Committee for their card & phone calls.

Some of you may or may not know that I had to sacrifice my left arm due to a large cancerous tumor. I have been going through the process of trying to save my arm over the past 6 months but lost the battle.

I do not expect to let this challenge slow me down as far as participation in club activities. With some practice, I will probably be able to give Walhood a "run for his money" on the skeet field!

Good shooting to all, Ron, Joy, & Mat Bobo

> Every Wed. - 1:00 PM - Casual Skeet & Trap Every Sat. & Sun. - 1:00 PM - Open Skeet & Trap unless there is a scheduled event! Every Mon. - 5:30 PM Trap/Skeet **Members and Guests**

#### 2005 ARA Match Schedule for GPGC

(American Rimfire Association)

- Aug. 6
- Oct. 1 & 2
- Sept. 10
- (Tournament)

Matches start at 9:00 A.M., Saturdays. October Tournament starts at 11:00 AM the 1st, and 8:30 AM the 2nd.

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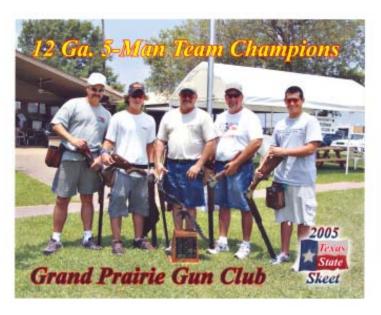
Instructors class was attended by TP&W Kent Irvin



Archery Instructor Class in July



Steve Gilmore, Andy Chilla & John Slocum



l. to r.: Steve Landsfeld, Dakota Holder, Travis Holder, Cliff Mitchell & Trevor Mitchel

The Texas State Skeet Championship was held at the Waco Skeet & Trap Club on June 17-19, 2005. The Grand Prairie Gun Club was well represented by several of our members and was evidenced by the two trophies that now adorn the mantle in the club room. The State Shoot has five 'eagles' for the high score of a five-man team (from the same club) for each of the main events. These 'eagles' are traveling trophies that remain with the winning club until next year's shoot. Grand Prairie now has possession of the 12-gauge and 20-gauge eagles. The 12-gauge eagle was captured by the team of Cliff Mitchell, Travis Holder, Trevor Mitchell, Dakota Holder and **Steve Landsfeld**. The 20-gauge eagle was won by Joe Miller, Bobby Sherrill, Robert Paxton, Robert Lindley and Charlie Beard. The trophies will be engraved with the names of the winning team members and the gun club they represented. This is the first time in the existence of these trophies that the Grand Prairie Gun Club has won. Congratulations to these shooters and for bringing the eagles home to roost at the Grand Prairie Gun Club for the next year!

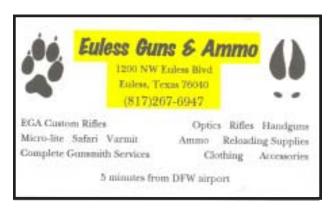
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Be Courteous!

Reload the houses when
you finish shooting. Pick up
your hulls - clean up the
area a little - use
trash cans!

Give Jeff your email address and have your newsletter in color, quicker and save the club handling and postage!



#### For Sale

"New in the box"
Beretta Model 682 Sporting Clays
with 30" barrels and Beretta chokes
Sell for \$2,900

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