

THE
GAMEBAG

THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE LAS VEGAS WOODS AND WATERS CLUB
"all we want to do is hunt and fish and talk about it"

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday
Sept 14th at noon

Putter's
6945 S Rainbow
at 215 South

September 2011 Speaker: Rodney Tucker

LWWW PRESENTS

FALL FEED AND SHOOT*

DESERT HILLS GUN CLUB

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SAT SEPT 24TH HIGH NOON

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FOR RSVP FOR FOOD AND SHOOT

*MARKSMAN OF THE YEAR EVENT

Hunting seasons are upon us.
Remember to be safe!

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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Well, how many of you got out and went bird hunting to kick off the 2011-2012 hunting season? I know Joe Luby III went out for his first ever Nevada bear hunt and said the trick was the Doritos!! Ask him about his trip the next time you see him. As of this writing he was still unsuccessful but he did see bears in Nevada.

Our guest speaker will be Rodney Tucker who at the last luncheon donated 8 pheasant hunts in Utah. Just past Zion national park to be exact. He will be giving a slide show of the facility and what they have to offer. My son and I will be going the last Saturday in Sept and he will be telling us how many vacancies he has left.

Russ Johnson put a dove hunt together in Yuma Arizona this year so we'll have to get a report from him at the luncheon.

Our monthly event for Sept will be a rib cook out and a sporting clay shoot at the Desert Hills Gun club so get you doubles gun out and get anybody that you want to introduce the club too and be there by noon for the grub and the shoot will start shortly after that. The cost for the shoot will be \$30 and it includes a team golf cart.

We are coming into the end of the year now and that means getting ready for the Banquet. The banquet will still be at the South Point but it will be on ST Patricks Day this year which is March 17th so put it on your calendar.

See you at the luncheon!
Mike Reese President

What's for Lunch?

Mixed Green Salad with Assorted Dressing, Baked Ziti Bolonese, Chicken Marsala (editors favorite), Italian Style Green Beans, and Assorted Mini Bundt Cakes! Hungry yet?

Fall Cookout and Shoot Sept 24th at noon

Desert Hills Gun Club

This year will be having Putters cater all the fixins. They are serving BBQ ribs, beans, corn, dessert. They will start serving at noon so get there early and Mike Reese will be signing everyone up for the 50 bird sporting clay event. Please bring about 3 boxes of shell and a gun capable of shooting doubles. **NO SINGLE SHOTS.**

The fee for the shoot is \$30 per person and it includes a team cart so if you have a guest you will need to rent another cart providing they have extras. The teams will consist of 4 shooters per team and if you have a golf cart or a razor please feel free to bring it out but no ATV's on the course. This will be a marksman of the year event so start practicing!!

The Honcho for this event is Mike Reese. Please RSVP for both the food and the shoot. We don't want anybody to go without. 400-6501 or by email at mreese@yesco.com

See you there



Coming next month!

2011 Striper Tournament Wrap up!

Rumor has it that the crew at the this year's LVWWC Striper Tournament caught over 50 fish! Sounds like a fish story to me!

Get all the details in next month's GameBag.

Special thanks to
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2011 Archery Shoot by Brian Patterson

We had a great shoot thanks to honcho Sean Cassidy. Sean pulled everything together with the event and even cooked up some good food on the grill. Sean had a good set up for the event, Silver State Archery Shop and his bar, Lucky Joe's. He used both for the event. Shooting at the archery shop and eating/drinking at the bar next door. It was a hot day so the indoor event was a perfect way to spend the afternoon.

There were some participants that are very avid archers with their own equipment that uses space age technology. Super light, super fast bows with complex sights and carbon fiber arrows. Then there were some who only shoot once a year at this event using house or borrowed bows from the more "experienced". The first 30 minutes were spent warming up and getting used to the equipment. Sean had us set up at only 10 yards, but this was a very good thing.....it gave some confidence to those unfamiliar with the sport, and showed how deadly the experienced guys could be.

When the shooting began it was a fun format of 52 targets. A deck of cards face down, the best poker hand would win. This meant hitting 5 cards was an advantage. We were thankful again that Sean had picked the 10 yard distance. That's only 30 feet. Look across the room you are in right now. Chances are shooting the targets would be like shooting the light switch on the wall. The rules were simple, you can not shoot the same card twice and a missed card was one less for your poker hand. Best hand wins!

Only two competitors hit all 5 cards. Several hit 4 cards. Mike Reese hit the same card 3 times but only once counts. Ken Johnson hit the ceiling! In Ken's defense, that is not the first time that has happened. The wall is 10 feet away, he hit the ceiling. Kind of how the editor of this paper shoots. It was a good laugh and everyone had a great time. When the cards were turned and we made our poker hands, Paul Harris, definitely one of the best shooters in the room had won first place. Lewis Class payouts went to Paul Harris, Liz Argez, Brian Patterson, and Art Sewall.

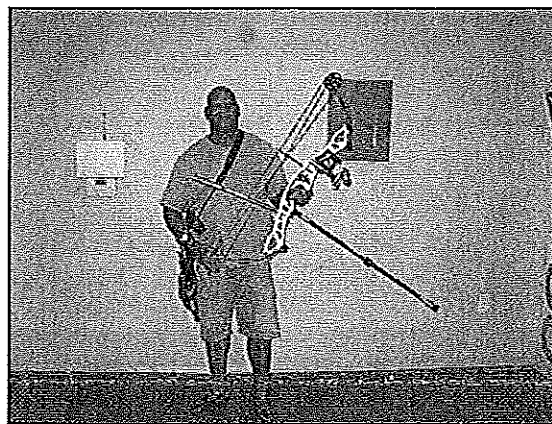
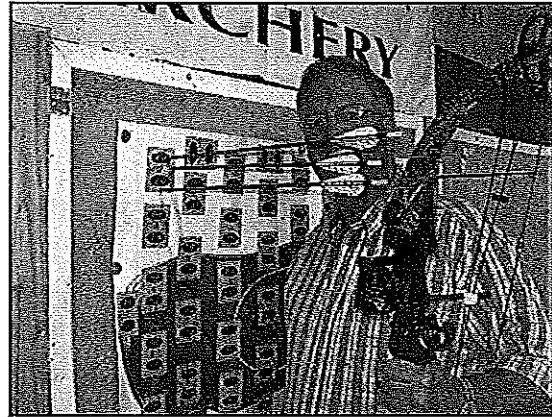
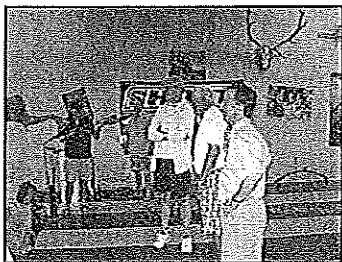
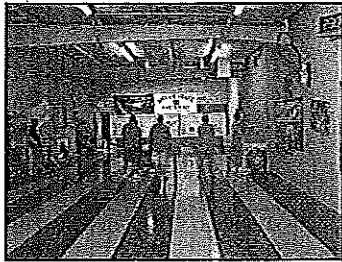
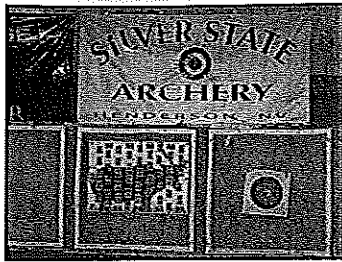
These are the Marksman of the Year event scores;

Paul Harris	10pts
Ken Johnson	9pts
Russ Johnson	8pts
Sean Cassidy	7pts
Brian Patterson	6pts

It should be noted that 3 of the top 5 places all used Ken Johnson's bow. Ken won the bow at our LVWWC banquet and I will confirm it shoots like a dream. Look for me to load up the bow bucket at our next banquet.

from editor- Special thank you to Sean Cassidy and his gang of outlaws for putting on a fantastic event. This is what our club is all about.

Archery Shoot Pics!



Got this to share from Joe Luby III

Hey All,

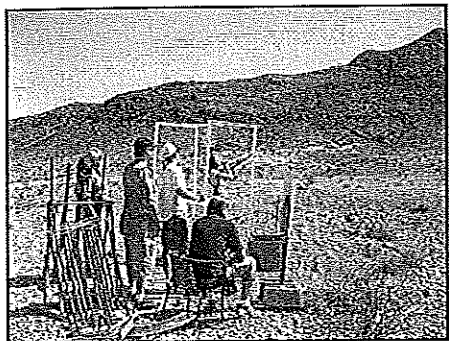
My son Jack and I headed up for our first go at the NV bear hunt last Wednesday. We promptly blew two tires on our camper and the rear axle came detached from the camper just outside of Tonopah. Twenty-five hours and a whole lot of cussing later, we were back on the road headed to an area south of Wellington. Our first day hunting was Friday August 26th. We headed up into a canyon on our ATV and followed the road up onto a wide open plateau area where we could look down the east side of the slopes toward Hawthorne and Walker Lake.

After poking around up there a bit, we stopped to have a snack and figure out our next move. Well, it turns out that standing around your ATV eating Doritos is the key to seeing bears because I happened to look north and spotted a nice bear walking amongst some trees about 800-1000 yards away. We only saw glimpses of him for a few seconds before he was long lost to the trees for good. After that, we stopped and ate a lot of Doritos hoping to draw some more bears out, but no luck, he was the only one we saw all weekend.

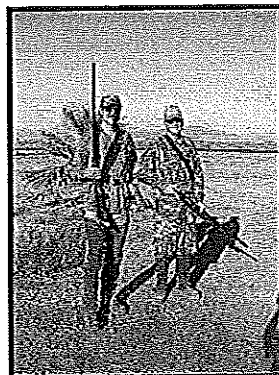
We did find a lot of tracks and ran into other hunters along with several guys with dogs that are out willing to help any hunter that wants it. I got a couple phone numbers to call to line up some dogs for next weekend (Labor Day) when we're going back up to try it again. Interesting, there were bears all over the mountain Friday and Saturday (tons of fresh tracks each day and even throughout the day, dogs having good success, etc.) but on Sunday it was like they had all packed up and moved to another zip code. Even the dogs couldn't find a bear on Sunday. As we're learning, that's one of the difficulties with bear hunting - they don't follow a regular pattern like deer or elk. They just wander wherever their nose and stomach lead them at any given time. I will have another update after next weekend and hopefully a photo or two of my NV bear!

Thanks,
Joe O. Luby III

HIGHLIGHTS AND LOWLIFES



Blasting clays at the 09 Fall Cookout and Shoot



This is Clayton Phillip and Gordon "Boots" Warren scaring the dove in Parker some time ago.

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The Back Page:

Calendar of Events (tentative at very best)

August- Holdem Tournament

Honcho Mike Taylor 245-2012

Striper Tournament

Honcho Randy Weaver 460-7829

September- Fall Feast and Shoot*

Honcho Mike Reese 400-6501

October- Happy Hunting!

November- Silhouette Shoot

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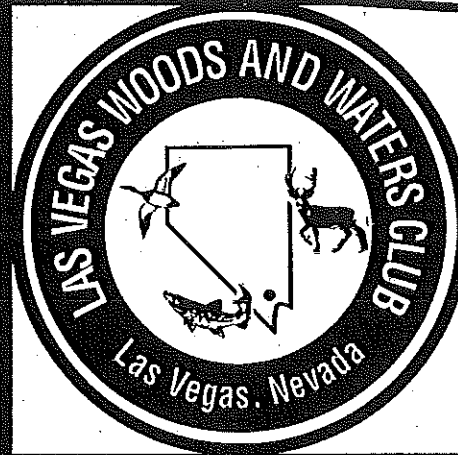
December- 3 Gun Shoot

Honcho Bob Lapome

Honchos needed for some events! Volunteer today!

*Marksman of the Year Event

Look for info on these and other events in future issues of the GameBag



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LVWWC BOARD MEETING DATES

Members encouraged to attend

Sept 27

Oct 26; Nov 29

Luncheon Dates

(2nd Wed of each month at Putter's)

Sept 14

Oct 12; Nov 9

LAST LUNCH:

CHICKEN MARSALA

THIS MONTH!

DON'T MISS IT!

See you at
the next
lunch at
Putter's!

Thanks to everyone for
contributions.
Keep it coming!

Marksman of the Year standings:

2011 Standings after 4 of 6 events.

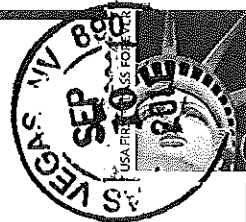
John Fenner	30	25pts
Clayton Philipp	31	24pts
Paul Harris	24	24pts
Russ Johnson	28	23pts
Brian Patterson	22	21pts

"Bipartisan usually means that a larger-than-usual deception is being carried out."

-George Carlin

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