

Las Vegas Woods and Waters

GAMEBAG

"all we want to do is hunt and fish and talk about it"



February Program:

Chris Klineburger GameMaster of the World

Chris is the author of GameMasters of the World. This historical document shows the reader the reason the Safari Club International honored him with the title "the Pioneer of Asian hunting and conservation" and why he was the first to be inducted into the Mountain Hunter Hall of Fame, as well as the SCI Hunting Hall of Fame and was presented the Weatherby Award of Special Recognition. Chris has truly lived the life of a hunter and has hundred upon hundreds of great stories about his adventures. The movie The Great Shikar is about Klineburgers unique expedition into Afghanistan following the footsteps of Marco Polo collecting sheep and other wildlife. Don't miss this luncheon.

Texas Hold'em Poker Event

February 10, 2012 6pm

at Clark County Shooting Range Education Center room D

40.00 Buy In for 2,000 in chips \$30 Re-buy during the First Hour for 1,500 in chips Snacks & Sodas provided by LVWW or BYOB. \$5 from each entry goes to Woods & Waters for room & snack expenses. Payout depends upon total number of players Must, must, must RSVP (miket199@gmail.com) to reserve a seat.

Must RSVP to Mike Taylor Honcho 245-2012

Mark your Calendar

March 17th : Annual Banquet at South Point

Coyote Jackrabbit Hunt - Joe Luby

April 15th: Spring Feast at Desert Hills Gun Club

Next meeting Wednesday February 8 at noon

Putter's Bar and Grill 6945 S. Rainbow at 215 South

Menu

London Broil with burgundy mushroom sauce, Chicken Marsala, rolls and butter, mixed greens salad with assorted dressings, garlic mashed potatoes, glazed baby carrots and peach pie.

Presidents Message

Hope everyone is off to a terrific start in 2012! I know it often seems like the first quarter is a quiet or slow period for the Club until things really kick into gear with the Banquet. But in reality, there is a lot of work going on right now to make 2012 a fantastic year for the LVWWC – and you can help!

First, the Banquet Committee had their first meeting January 31st. If you weren't there, contact Randy Weaver ASAP and offer to pitch in and help put on the best Banquet yet. Remember, serving on the Banquet Committee – truly serving and being an active helpful part of the group – is the price you pay for whatever cool LVWWC logo item the committee distributes this year. It's also a great way to build friendships and camaraderie with fellow Club members.

Next up is the first official Texas Hold 'Em Poker event put on by Honcho Mike Taylor on February 10th. This should be a lot of fun and what else were you going to do the week after the Super Bowl anyway! Also, my money is pretty much guaranteed to be up for grabs since I've never played Texas Hold 'Em before. So sign up with Mike and come out and maybe win a couple bucks.

And this is the time of year when the Game Warden is working really hard to make sure we have plenty of high quality events throughout the year. Russ Johnson has a great lineup with some new stuff added this year. We're also adding several new fishing events to help beef up the Angler of the Year competition. Several events need a Honcho, so please get in touch with Russ ASAP and offer your services. I've heard rumor that the Honcho gifts for 2012 are going to be stepped up a notch, so don't miss out – get involved now!

I also want to take a few words to tip my hat to Brian Patterson and Kyle Otto. Kyle did an amazing and often thankless job with the Game Bag for so many years. And Brian was good enough to give Kyle a much needed break and also kept the rest of us from being stuck with it. Both of these guys exemplify the take-charge, step-up, volunteer attitude so necessary to the success of an outfit like the LVWWC.

And lastly, a little business – if you haven't yet paid your 2012 dues, please make arrangements to do so at the February luncheon. The dues are due at the first of the year partly because the inflow of cash allows us to fund necessary Banquet expenses to ensure the best event possible. I know everyone wants to see lots of great raffle and auction items with plenty of guns included, so do your part and get squared up with the Treasurer.

Now I'm off to review Brian's article in last month's Game Bag about big game tag application dates and figure out where to put in for this year. See you on the trail...Joe Luby

Dues are \$48 per year please send them in. I know many of you pay at the banquet but monies collected early help us put on the best banquet in the valley so please pay promptly. Next month may be your last GameBag please renew your membership.

This is your club and YOU make it what you want. If you would like to see a fishing trip to Lee's Ferry or a 1000 yard shooting event or a bowling pin shoot or anything else step up, contact the Warden or the President and lets get it organized. Some of these events have long standing history but we are always looking for something fun and new to try. Have you been on a trip and think others would enjoy it? Gather the info, make the contacts, get the details and present it to the members. This club is primarily social so lets get together and hunt and fish and talk about it! Big time memories are from past events like dove hunts or Fubar froggin down in Parker.



2011 Awards given at January Meeting

January marks the start of the year and recognition of those that performed in the previous 12 months. We hold several shooting and fishing events and the title of Marksman of the Year or Angler of the Year get bragging rights. We also recognized those honchos that took time and effort to put on an event for the rest of the club members. Here's a breakdown of those honored at last months lunch.

Steve Shultz was named Angler of the Year and after a long drawn out competition that was not decided until the last event (the 3 Gun Shoot) Clayton Philipp out gunned John Fenner for the Marksman of the Year Award. Congratulations Steve and Clayton and a HUGE thank you to all the honchos for the year.

Honcho's for Marksman or Angler events

1. Sean Cassidy- Archery Shoot
2. Mike Taylor- Spring Feast Sporting Clays
3. John Gilbert- Cooked Spring Feast
4. Kyle Otto- Cooked Spring Feast
5. Brian Patterson- Black Powder Shoot, Otter Creek Fly Fishing
6. Don Turner- Rifle Silhouette Shoot
7. Randy Weaver- Striper tournament and coordinated the Fall Feast food
8. Mike Reese- Fall Feast Sporting Clays Shoot
9. Mike Taylor- Pistol Silhouette Shoot
10. Bob Lepome- 3 Gun Shoot

Honchos for Non scoring events:

- Joe Luby coyote hunt
- Russ Johnson Yuma dove hunt
- Mike Taylor quail hunt
- Neil Dille 4 Wheeler ride
- Don Turner self defense course-pistol
- Rodney Tucker Pheasant hunt in Zion



Honchos



John Fenner and Clayton Philipp

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS NEEDED!

President Joe Luby III, according to the club's bi-laws, appointed a selection committee to review nominees and select our club's most prestigious annual honor and award: The Sportsman of the Year 2011. This person will be honored and so recognized as the highlight event at our annual banquet March 17th. The committee is seeking YOUR nominations, send the nominees name and short statement to Ken Johnson kenjohnson4@cox.net BEFORE March 1st.

Roger Zueger's Recent Texas hunts

Here is a little update from the not so white Great North. Hunting season is over for the year. It ended January 15th. It starts here in North Dakota on August 15th for Canadian Geese and then progresses through to the other seasons. This year I only shot 5 deer. Two bucks, one whitetail and one muley. We had an early does only season in Sept. shot two does then and on in the regular Nov. season. The muley I shot was going over a hill with 6 does, I knew I had hit him but, also knew he didn't fall. We were hunting on private land with the landowner so, we drove down the road until we could see up the canyon that the deer had run in to. The does were running up the canyon and the buck was slowly walking down the canyon. It was about 350 yards away at that time, I shot it again and it fell. The landowner and I walked out to retrieve the deer and when we got about 20 feet away it got up and started walking away. We had no gun so, I suggested we get around it and herd it back to the truck. Well, it worked for a while and then he just stopped and stared at us. I had a pocket knife with a 3 inch blade so I opened it and started to slowly approach the buck. When you get about 5 feet away from a 5 by 5 rack and look at all those sharp points it gets kind of spooky. I was hoping he didn't decide to attack. When I got close enough I grabbed the rack with my left hand and stabbed him in the lungs with the knife. He pulled away and ran about 30 feet and fell over.



I went to Texas for Christmas and then on the 27th went to Bay City with my son for some waterfowl hunting. We hunted geese and ducks over decoys for two mornings and then hunted the afternoons on Matagorda Bay for ducks. We shot some snows and specks and ross's geese. We also shot pintails and some black ducks in the mornings. Out on the bay the ducks were mostly redheads. The shooting was mostly pass shooting so it was fast and furious. I shot a tagged goose that was tagged in 2002 in Canada.



On the 29th we went on a helicopter hunt for wild hogs and coyotes. We shot 14 hogs and 4 coyotes, we also saw a bobcat but, we weren't allowed to shoot it. We hunted on a 6000 acre ranch and it took 2 hours to fly the whole ranch. We ended up taking 177 shots. It isn't a cheap hunt but, it is extremely fun. I will be going again. We got shots at 15 hogs. One got away but, we were chasing 5 at the time. We would fly above the trees and brush and then when we spotted hogs or coyotes the pilot would try to flush them into the open so we could shoot. See y'all (as they say in Texas) at the banquet in March.

Roger Zueger

Past President Roger Zueger currently lives in North Dakota but as you can see he is doing what we all dream about. Way to go Roger.

LVWW biggest event is coming up fast. The BANQUET is set for March 17th at the South Point. Randy Weaver (227-4700) is the honcho and is looking for volunteers to help out. This is a sure way to get a sporty new shirt with the LVWW logo, help out and be the envy of all your friends.

Your are cordially invited to the
21st Annual
Las Vegas Woods and Waters Club
Sportsman of the Year Awards Banquet



March 17th, 2012 - doors open at 5:00 pm
 South Point Hotel and Casino Sonoma Room
 \$50 per person

\$550 for a table of 10 (includes 100 Raffle Tickets)
 Combination dinner of filet mignon and chicken

Raffles, Silent Auction, Live Auction and Games
Order Raffle tickets by March 2nd to qualify for early bird discounts

Call honcho Randy Weaver at 227-4700 for more information

Name: _____ phone _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Spouse/Guest Name: _____

Guest Two Name: _____

Guest Three Name: _____

Reserve _____ Individual dinner tickets at \$50 each \$ _____

Reserve _____ Sponsor Table(s) (10 seats) @ \$550 each \$ _____

(prime location and \$100 in raffle tickets for those buying tables) \$ _____

Reserve _____ Early Bird Raffle Tickets - 25 for \$20.00—your name \$ _____

Reserve _____ Early Bird Raffle Tickets - 25 for \$20.00—spouse/guest name \$ _____

Reserve _____ Early Bird Raffle Tickets - 25 for \$20.00—guest two name \$ _____

Reserve _____ Early Bird Raffle Tickets - 25 for \$20.00—guest three name \$ _____

Early Bird Raffle Tickets MUST be purchased by 3/2/2012 for discount prices

All tickets \$1 each AFTER March 2, 2012

Membership for Year 2012 renewal (\$48) new member (\$63)

Total enclosed \$ _____

___ Check enclosed or Bill my ___ Visa ___ MC

Acct No. _____ expires _____

Signature _____ date: _____

Mail coupon with check or credit card to: LVWWC, PO Box 29081, Las Vegas, NV 89126

ANNOUNCEMENTS



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BUY—SELL—TRADE

Buyers & sellers agree to obey all firearms laws & local regulations in all transactions and hold LVW&W harmless.

Two Browning Citori's one 12 ga one 20 ga both have screw in chokes and English style stocks \$2,000 for the pair or \$1,100 each contact Wes at 533-0792

Gary Wehrkamp 858-5077 has a new Bennelli Super Sport 12ga with 30 inch barrel brand new only 35 shells through it. Selling for \$1,600

Brian Patterson has a 30hp electric trolling motor and battery for sale \$75 call 715-2020

Russ Swain has a pair of really old hunting boots; size 13.....may have been submerged in the shit pond in Kansas... Bad smell, but nice and warm like when you have crapped your pants.... possibly responsible for growth of 6th toe..... Reasonable price negotiable...

Mike Taylor was able to find a cook stove and the pistol he was looking for. This is a good forum to swap gear, if you are looking for and item post it here.

The club is looking for a small enclosed trailer to store club items, if you have one contact Joe Luby.

GET WELL wishes go out to Gordon Warren and Paul Shoppe. Both long time members are having some recent health issues. Hope to see you both back at lunch soon.

In the News:

Clark County Advisory Board (CAB)
 Next Meeting March 20th 6-9 pm at the Clark County Government Center Pueblo room

This is your chance to voice your concerns to the decision makers about hunting and fishing issues in the state of NV. Mike Reese and I both sit on this board that makes recommendations to the Wildlife Commission, they set the rules and regulations throughout Nevada.

Sportsman's Warehouse
 5647 Centennial Blvd. Ann/95
 Opening March 12 with Grand Opening event March 24th

LVWW Banquet
 March 17th at South Point

Fraternity of Desert Bighorn
 May 19 Banquet at South Point

Per our lunch speaker Steve Carpenter the Clark County Sporting Clays course should be open in the fall Sept or Oct.

Please contact me with comments or articles you want in the GB. 715-2020 or bpatterson@wlbgroup.com

2012 Officers

President	Joe Luby
1 ST Vice President	Randy Weaver
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Club Board of Directors 2012

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Calendar of Events (tentative at best)

February– Texas Hold'em Poker Event 10th
Honcho Mike Taylor 245-2012

March– Annual Banquet South Point 17th 6pm
Honcho Randy Weaver 460-7829
Coyote/Rabbit Hunt 31st Hiko
Honcho Joe Luby 451-3456

April– Spring Feast and Sporting Clays 15th
Honcho Mike Reese 400-6501

May– Silhouette Rifle Shoot 5th
Honcho Don Turner 602 799-6466
Eagle Valley Trout Fishing 6th
Honcho Sean Cassidy

June– Black Powder Shoot 23rd CC Shooting Range
Honcho Brian Patterson 715-2020
Kolob Res or Otter Creek Trout Fly Fishing 10th
Honcho Paul Harris 596-6849

July– Archery Shoot 12th
Honcho Needed

August– Lake Mead Striper Tournament 25th
Honcho Randy Weaver 460-7829
San Diego Tuna Trip 18-19th
Honcho Sean Cassidy

September– Fall Feast and Trap 22nd
Honcho Mike Reese 400-6501
Yuma AZ Dove hunt 1-2nd
Honcho Russ Johnson 271-0430

October– Searchlight Quail Hunt 13th
Honcho Mike Taylor 245-2012

November– Silhouette Pistol Shoot 17th
Honcho Don Turner 602 799-6466

December– 3 Gun Shoot 13th
Honcho Bob LaPome 378-3373

January– Ice Fishing Cave Lake 28th
Honcho Neil Dille 234-7215

Honchos needed for some events! Volunteer today!
Marksman of the Year or Angler of the Year Events
Look for info about these and other events in future issues
of the GameBag.



Luncheon Dates

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

January 11
February 8
March 14
April 11
May 9
June 13
July 11
August 8
September 12
October 10
November 14
December 12

Marksman of the Year standings:

2012 Standings after 0 events.

Your name here 1ST
My name here 2ND
Your buddies name here LAST

Attend the events (it's a lot of fun) and you will have bragging rights for the year on being the best marksman in the club!
Angler of the Year events too so brush up on your "catching" skills

"Accuracy is EVERYTHING" .- Wyatt Erp

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