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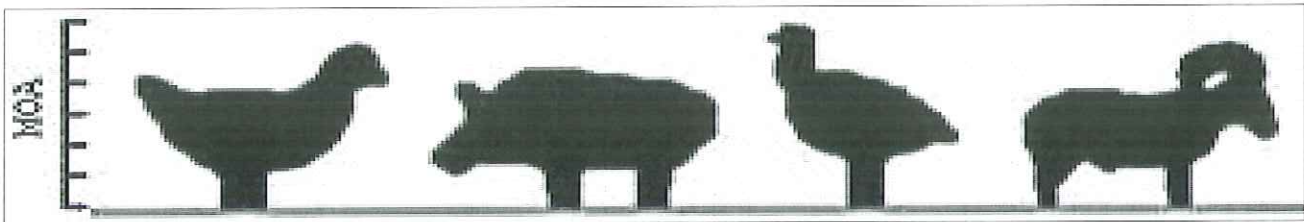
GAMEBAG

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



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May 8th Lunch Program: Catching Big Bass in tough conditions (snow). Randy Weavers son Blaze competes for the University of Nebraska Bass Team, come watch a short video.



Silhouette Target Shoot at CCSC May 4th

Another Marksman of the Year event to be held at the Clark County Shooting Complex (CCSC) Don Turner will be the honcho contact him at 602 799-6466 for more shoot details.

The annual "metallic silhouette shoot" will be held at the Clark County Shooting Complex Education Center. Set up and squading begins at 0800 hrs. with shooting starting at 0900 hrs. We will be shooting both pistol and rifle silhouette matches. \$20.00 gets you entry into the match for your choice of rifle or pistol. If you want to shoot both, the fee is \$30.00. Firearms are .22 long rifle caliber rifles or pistols only. No other calibers allowed. Any sights are authorized. All shooting is from unsupported standing position. Ear and Eye protection required. Kibitzing optional and provided free of charge. Bring a clip board and a pencil for scoring. 40 animals a course so if you sign up for both you will be shooting 80 animals (shooting at anyways). So bring at least 100 rounds of ammo. Strict muzzle control and safety discipline will be maintained at all times while at the range. These are the only animals you'll be able to shoot that you don't have to dress nor cook, so come on out and share the fellowship and a great day of shooting. This is a marksmanship event of the year.

Eagle Valley Fishing May 4th/5th

Eagle Valley Resort is hosting a \$50,000 tagged fish event and LVWW is headed up to get in on the action and camp and catch some fish. Honcho Sean Cassidy has reserved a special camping area with 8 spots available, the club will be having their own biggest fish competition and BBQ on Saturday night. Get out of town and enjoy a good time on the lake, contact Sean at 371-1612 for additional details and to hold your camp. The fishing is picking up and should be great in early May, check out the nice fish Sean landed last year. Use this trip to pre-scout the area for the coyote hunt to be held June 1st.



Next meeting Wednesday June 12th 12 noon at Charlie's Lakeside
located at 8603 W. Sahara (Sahara and Durango) Price \$20



Randy Weaver's Presidents Message

Spring is here and summer around the corner so lots of outdoor activities are gearing up and the same can be said about Las Vegas Woods and Water club. Last Saturday's annual sporting clays and crawfish feed was a perfect way to start off summer as fun was had by all and the food was fantastic and the weather was perfect. A big thanks to Mike Reese and Kyle Otto, Mike the turnout was great, lots of people won money and lots of great comments and we signed up 5 new members.

As for Kyle Otto's food -all I can say is you had to be there it was great. We had two new members that will be joining just because they had some of Kyle's grub. Kyle and Mike thanks for making this such a great event. Also thanks to Kyle's daughter and Jeff Anderson for their help. John Gilbert was able to come so was nice to see him up and doing better.

The club has many events coming up night striper fishing, trout fishing, muzzle loader shoot, some other things I can't remember so read about it in the Game Bag Brain Patterson has listed all of them.

Lots of legislative action on hunting and gun issues right now so please support those that are active on all the committee's Don Turner, Mike Reese, Brain Patterson.

We are moving forward with changes to our Web page that sound exciting and we are also trying to update our membership directory so if you are asked for a picture give us a smile.

Currently Ken Johnson is heading up our membership committee and we need everyone to help recruit new members and bring back some old ones. So this plea is for everyone to step up please and try and get 1 new member for the year.

Our bank account is on target thanks to the efforts of many club members and we will be purchasing a CD for the first time in club history so as we prepare for the club's future a big thanks to all the members for supporting club functions.

The luncheon is on May 8th so mark your calendars to be at Charlie's Lakeside bring a possible new member and come and learn how to catch big bass in blizzard conditions something all of us need to put on our bucket list.

Randy Weaver-President 2013

PS-Big thanks to Brian Patterson for taking time for the game bag again!!!!!!



BLACK POWDER SHOOT June 22nd

Mark your calendar for next month's black powder shoot at CCSC. Brian Patterson is the honcho. We will shoot 5 shots free hand at 50 yards, open sights, no scopes. This is a Marksman of the year event.

Past President Paul Harris in his new backyard, April 15th in Denver, trading in the 110 degrees here in July to 4 inches of snow in April.



Flatnose Ranch Pheasants

Steve Linder and Rod Maly went to the Flatnose Ranch just 13 miles east of Pioche to hunt some pheasants last month. The ranch is roughly 1000 acres with lots of deer as well. Might be a good group outing. This is the first year in operation for the pheasant hunt but Steve and Rod had a great time. Cost was \$20 per bird.

Ruby Mountains horse pack in fishing trip planned.....

Neil Dille is putting together a fishing trip in the Ruby Mountains for later this summer. Member Danny Riddle is the guide, it will be the last week of July 25-28. Danny will be packing the group into the Ruby Mtn Wilderness on mules to some high alpine lakes to do some fishing. The area includes Farve Lake, Liberty Lake and the Dollar Lakes. If you wish to come early or stay late and fish the nearby Ruby Marsh that is ok. The cost is \$750.00 per person for three days on mules and fishing, all meals and tents are included just bring your float tube, sleeping bag and personal gear. Danny has extra tubes and access to small boats if you wish to fish the Ruby Marsh either before or after the back trip. Lots more information will be coming, we would really like to get some interest in this trip. Due to Forest Service permits the maximum group size is 10. For more information contact Neil at 234-7215



Spring Coyote Hunt near Pioche June 1st

Joe Luby is the honcho for a spring coyote hunt near Pioche. June 1st and 2nd we'll meet at the Echo Canyon campground. Head up Friday night, camp out and have a great time. Hunting will be around that area at dawn and dusk with fishing at Echo or Eagle Valley thrown in for anyone that's interested. We'll do a campfire with drinks both nights Friday and Saturday. Heck even if you don't want to chase coyotes come up for a weekend campout of fishing, socializing and fun. Joe will have more details to be emailed out to everyone soon. Joe Luby 290-9590

OHV Registration due by July 1st

July 1, 2013 is the final deadline to have your OHV registered in the state of NV. The law went into effect July 1, 2012 but all this year was a grace period. Tickets will be issued after July 1. Go to NDOW website NOT the DMV site. Download the forms, fill them out, take your machine to an OHV dealer or police office to verify the serial number (no cost when I did mine). Get the form notarized and send in your \$20 fee. DMV will then mail out the sticker to be attached to your OHV.

A Spring Feast to remember

Wow what a turnout! 60 shooters took to the new sporting clay course located on the hill at the Clark County Shooting Complex located at 11357 North Decatur. Another 30 or so took to the patio where crawdads, large shrimp, sausage, corn on the cob and other items were prepared. I heard time and time again that afternoon that this is by far the best tasting shrimp and crawdads that have ever been served!! Our compliments to the chef and his band of comrades' which consisted of head chef Kyle Otto and his accomplices'....Jeff Anderson, Russ Johnson and Kyle's daughter who has been helping him at this event for a few years now. Let's not forget who helped teach Kyle the recipe!! The one and only John Gilbert, who showed up to cheer Kyle and the crew on! This tradition was started awhile back from our past president Paul Harris who used to live in Louisiana. Paul was greatly missed at this year's event as the economy had forced him to move to Colorado but I'm sure he will be back.



About 20 shooters had pre-registered for this event so they could be guaranteed a cart and the word immediately got out that we were having a shoot and feast again. Well people came from as far away as Boulder city and little did I know that they were bringing friends with them. After everyone had signed up we had 60 shooters for the days 50 bird event with more than half of them current members. As with all woods and waters events we open our arms up to guest and let them know that you have to be a current member to win any Lewis class money. This resulted in 4 new members....Rick Plote, Scott Reese, Bill Daniels and Chic Degregorio. Lets shake their hand and welcome them to the club!

Things worked out great for new members Rick Plote and Bill Daniels as they both won Lewis class money and are now in the running for the marksman of the year award.

High score for the day went to current member Larry Wengert who shot an impressive 47X50. Next was new members Rick Plote and Bill Daniels who tied for 2nd with a 45X50. Third place went to Clayton Philipp with a 43 and rounding out the marksman points was Mike Reese with a 42 and Scott Reese with a 41. Everyone who attended and shot the event is awarded with 5 points towards the marksman of the year award.

You ask who else won Lewis class money? Just ask Neil Dille, Larry Cusiamno, Russ Johnson, Aaron LaDuke, Duanne LaDuke, Gorden Warren, Steve Kiss, Ralph Willits, Ken Johnson, Sean Cassidy, John Fenner, Paul Shoppe, and Bob Lepome how they did at the shoot. By the way....John Fenner isn't lying when he tells you that he broke less than half the targets and he still won money!!!! Just proves that anyone can win!! The only LVWW trap team member to NOT get paid, Mike Taylor.

As I mingled that afternoon with the crowd to see what they thought of the shoot and the food, I was approached by an old Texan who was commenting about the food and he said it was better than back home! I replied "Wow!".....of course he reminded that back home they don't call them crawdads! I replied they probably called them "mud bugs" to which he replied no they just call them "U peel em"
Shooting Honcho Mike Reese



FRATERNITY OF THE DESERT BIGHORN

Annual Banquet

Saturday May 18th, 2013

South Point Hotel & Casino

Doors Open at 5:00 p.m. - Dinner at 7:00 p.m.

Auction Starts at 7:30 p.m.

Hosted Bar 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Rooms have been
blocked at a
special rate for
Banquet attendees

****Door Prize Brand New From Swarovski****

STX Spotting Scope W/ 65mm Objective

Packages Available	Quantity	Amount	Total
Individual Dinner Ticket		\$70.00	
Dinner Package – Includes Two Dinner Tickets and \$40.00 in General Raffle Tickets - 2 Strips (10 Individual Tickets)		\$170.00	
Sponsor Package – Includes Two Dinner Tickets, and \$100.00 in General Raffle Tickets - 6 Strips (30 Individual Tickets)		\$220.00	
Table Package – 10 Seats – Includes Sponsor Gun Drawing		\$750.00	
*Please indicate number of children under 16 in your party			
General Raffle Tickets – \$20.00 Each	Strip of 5 Tickets	\$20.00	
	Strip of 30 Tickets	\$100.00	
MUST BE PURCHASED by April 15th - \$80.00	Strip of 30 Tickets	\$80.00	
Banquet Gun Sponsor		\$400.00	
Annual Membership (Includes Family)		\$25.00	
Life Membership		\$500.00	
Annual Corporate Membership		\$1,000.00	
	GRAND TOTAL		

***ALL RESERVATION FORMS RECEIVED PRIOR TO **April 15th** WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR A **SPECIAL EARLY BIRD RAFFLE** ***

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Address _____

City, State & Zip _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Credit Card Number: _____

Circle Type of Credit Card: **VISA** **MASTERCARD** Exp. Date _____

Fax Number for Credit Card payment is (702) 220-7070.

If you are unable to attend and would like to make a donation to help make our banquet a success, please remit this form and your much appreciated donation.

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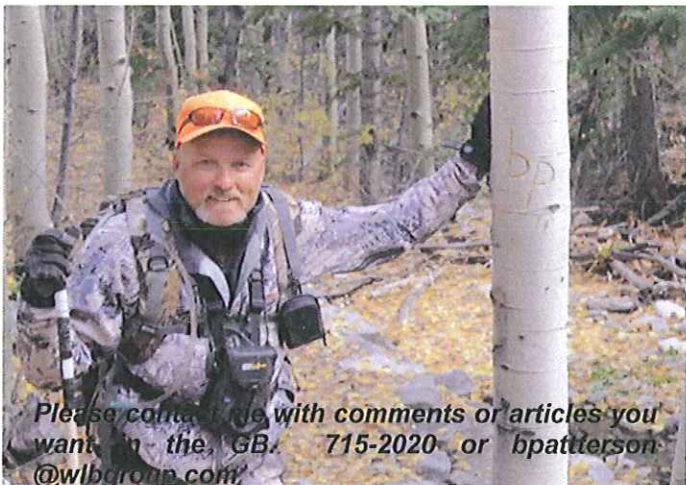
Brian Patterson is still looking for a Ruger Mark III or IV 22 pistol with adjustable sites, if anyone has one for sale contact Brian at 715-2020.

Big crowd at the Spring Feast, sorry if you missed it.



New members: Scott Reese, Bill Daniels, Rick Plote, and Chic DeGregorio all signed up at the Spring Feast. Welcome guys, hope to see you at lunch.

If you see a new face at lunch say hi, introduce yourself and welcome the guys to the club. Invite them to one of our next shoots or outings.



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

In the News/Coming Events

Clark County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife
Next Meeting May 7th 5:30-9 pm at the Clark County Government Center, Pueblo room.

Fraternity of Desert Bighorn Banquet May 18th at South Point

Rocky Mountain Elk Federation Banquet at South Point June 1st.

Club Secretary John Gorman had surgery Feb 7th to replace a valve in his heart. He has a new cow valve installed, the last one was put in 15 years ago. John is on the mend, we wish him a speedy recovery as his skills are sorely needed on the trap club team. John is still in a slow recovery as of print time.

Don Hunter's wife is recovering from surgery and subsequent infection, we wish her a speedy recovery.

Neil Dille has had several procedures on his legs in the past month and missed last months lunch and several nights at the trap league, let s hope he is on the mend too.

Mike Taylor also had some stints put in his heart recently, he is doing well taking it easy.

2013 Officers

President	Randy Weaver
1 ST Vice President	Mike Taylor
2 nd Vice President	Sean Cassidy
Treasurer	Mike Reese
Secretary	John Gorman
Warden	Russ Johnson
GameBag Editor	Brian Patterson
Board Chairman, past pres	Joe Luby

Club Board of Directors 2013

1 YR TERM

Joe Luby
Russ Johnson
Ken Johnson
Randy Weaver
Don Turner

2 YR TERM

James Bradshaw
Brian Patterson
Sean Cassidy
Neil Dille
Casey Spanish

3 YR TERM

Dallas Snider
Cal Heinbauch
Steve Schultz
Al Schoelen
Ralph Willits

Calendar of Events (tentative at best)



- January- Ice Fishing Cave Lake 26th
Honcho Neil Dille 234-7215
- February- Texas Hold'em Poker Event 10th
Honcho Mike Taylor 245-2012
- March- Annual Banquet South Point 16th 5pm
Honcho Mike Taylor 245-2012
Sunnyside Ice Out 23rd
Honcho George Sundvick 540-9016
- April- Spring Feast and Sporting Clays 20th at CCSC
Honcho Mike Reese 400-6501 Kyle Otto
- May- Silhouette Rifle Shoot 4th at CCSC 8am-12pm
Honcho Don Turner 602 799-6466
Eagle Valley Trout Fishing 4th/5th
Honcho Sean Cassidy 371-1612
- June- Pioche Coyote Hunt and camping fishing 1st
Honcho Joe Luby 290-9590
Black Powder Shoot 22nd at CCSC 7am-1pm
Honcho Brian Patterson 715-2020
- July- Archery Shoot 13th at Sportsman's Warehouse
Honcho Sean Cassidy 371-1612
Cattfish Night Fishing 19th at Lake Mead
Honcho George Sundvick 540-9016
- August- San Diego Tuna Trip 17-18th
Honcho Sean Cassidy 371-1612
Lake Mead Striper Tournament 24th
Honcho Randy Weaver 460-7829
- September- Yuma AZ Dove hunt 1-2nd
Honcho Russ Johnson 271-0430
Fall Feast and Trap 14th at CCSC
Honcho Mike Reese 400-6501
- October- Searchlight Quail Hunt 19-20th
Honcho Mike Taylor 245-2012
- November- Turkey Shoot pistol silhouette 16th
Honcho Don Turner 602 799-6466
- December- 3 Gun Shoot 12th at Guns Ammo
Honcho Bob LaPome 378-3373

Luncheon Dates

(2nd Wed of each month at Charlie's Lakeside)

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

Marksman of the Year standings

2013 Standings after 1 event

Larry Wengert	10 pts
Bill Daniels	9 pts
Rick Plote	9 pts
Clayton Philipp	8 pts
Mike Reese	7 pts
Scott Reese	6 pts

Angler of the Year Standings

2013 Standings after 1 event

Sean Cassidy	10 pts
Neil Dille	9 pts
Steve Reiter	8 pts

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.

*"Good books don't give up their secrets at once."
Stephen King*

The GameBag

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Annual Membership Dues \$48.00 Date _____
New Member Initiation Fee \$15.00
Amount Due with Application \$63.00

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

Business Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Residence Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Business Name: _____

Spouse's Name _____

Email Address _____

INTERESTS (Please circle)

Bird Hunting	RVing
Big Game Hunting	Archery
Varmint Hunting	Camping
Boating	Diving
Photography	Black Powder
Skiing -snow	Backpacking
Flying	Hiking
Pistol Shooting	Trap
Single Action Shooting	Skeet
Sporting Clays	Kayak/Canoe
Target Shooting	4 Wheeling
Dog Handling	Rafting
Golf	Fishing - Fresh
Fishing - Ice	Fishing - Fly
Fishing -Salt	Skiing - water
Own or access to private aircraft?	_____

Signature: _____

Recommended by: _____