

Oakdale Sportsmen's Club News *The Golden Pheasant* May 2016

President's Corner, May 2016

Members of the Oakdale Sportsmen's Club: Your Board is attacking the long list of club improvements. These are funded by dues renewal, which has just concluded. Your Membership Chair, Tim Brown has started on the waiting list of well over 125 applicants. The attrition this year is approximately 50 openings. Our projects are funded by our dues, and the annual Steak & Oyster Fundraiser. This year to involve our 700 members, we are asking for you as a general member, to step up and donate a raffle prize. The Board's goal was to reach 200 members. So far, we are well short of that mark. As I'm writing this, there have been 27 generous donations and only we have only 21 days left to the event! This leaves 173 member donations to go. See who has stepped up in the weekly email blasts from Matt Kiolbassa, our new Golden Pheasant newsletter editor. Please call me, donate, and help your club.

The Steak & Oyster dinner is May 7th. Tickets are now sold out. If you can't attend, please consider donating a raffle prize instead.

The April meal was steaks and although we had a little trouble with the oven getting the potatoes cooked, it was an outstanding meal! Julio Rosa, your Master Sargent at Arms was in charge. Julio and his crew did first class job. Director at Large Dave Bellington was in charge of the raffle and offered up a Ruger Vaquero single action 45LC. This was the third raffle with a gun, and I've received nothing but praise for having yet another gun. Our plan is to keep this up. What make and model would you like to see at the next dinner?

Be sure to check your electronic Golden Pheasant for more details of Club improvements and to get a preview of the guns we will have at the S&O fundraiser this year.

I will leave you this –

- Safety is a high priority, be safe at all times, have your membership card in your possession and please present it when asked.
- Be responsible for your family and guests.
- Donate a raffle prize to the Steak & Oysters

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Member's Dinner is Tuesday May 3rd: The May meal is Ribs!

Annual menu:
Jan—no meal; Feb—Cioppino;
March—Corned Beef and Cabbage;
April—Steaks; **May—Ribs;**
June—Past President's meal, steaks;
July—no meal; Aug—Steaks;
Sept—Steaks; Oct—German;
Nov—Fish Fry; Dec—Whole Pig.

Social hour 5:30p. Dinner 7:30p.

Calendar

Hall Rentals—May: None Listed
Cowboy Fast Draw—May 14th at 9a
Rifle Competition— May 21st at 9a
3 Gun Cowboy – May 21st at 10a
Pistol Fun Match —
USPSA Match — May 15th at 9a
CCW Classes—Contact WWW.Madison-Society.org
Trap –Weds. 2p and Sats. 10a to 2p
Archery Shooting— Monday Nights 5:30p
Rifle Range Open —Thur. and Sat. 9a to 1p
The Kitchen Section —Wed 5:30p to 8:30p
Board of Directors Meeting —May 10th 7:30p

Section Reports

Rifle

We had a great turnout with 15 shooters!
Rim Fire: Brent Alteri
Heavy Varmint: Brent Alteri w/ .412 group
Light Varmint: Jim Waddell w/ 1.61 group
Military: Preston Dyer
Modified Military: Dan Madden
AR-15: Julio Rosa
Hunter: Dave Starr
Lever: Preston Dyer
Blk. Powder Cartridge: Vern Gladney
Cowboy Action: Julio Rosa
Pistol Gong: Preston Dyer
Rifle Gong: Vern Gladney

Pistol

April 3rd fun match had a great turn out—125 guns going thru 5 fun and fast stages. Lots of new faces enjoying the stages. At the April 17th USPSA match, we had some hot weather and hot shooting too. The 116 guns going thru 5 stages took all day but lots of happy people enjoyed them. Until next time shoot them when you see them, Bruce

Archery

We are shooting and having fun. We have changed things up and making the course tough, about a mile of walking and shooting, and we have 16 3-D targets. I'm at the Club at 3:30PM and shoot at 6:00PM on Mondays. Come out and shoot! Aaron

Monthly Dinner Raffle Winner

Congratulations to the John Schiro, winner of April's dinner meeting gun raffle! John took home a Ruger Vaquero 45LC. We will raffle off another gun at our May dinner. You can't win if you don't come!

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