

Summer Newsletter 2014

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Attentions

Junior Shooters

You may shoot 200 targets this summer at the OGC for \$30 including targets and shells. Ask for more information

Summer League to begin Sunday, June 1st; Sign up now!

The 2014 Owatonna Gun Club Summer League is now forming and will begin competition on Sunday, June 1st. The format of the Summer League will be as it has been in the past with shooters shooting 300 targets over the course of three months' time. You may shoot ahead or behind if you so choose, the only requirement is that your league rounds must be complete by Wednesday, August 27th to be scored for your team. Sponsor fees for summer teams

remain at \$50. Individual membership for the 2014 calendar year is \$20 and for those participating in the Summer League, also includes our end of year party which will be held on Wednesday, September 3rd this year. A reminder to all shooters that we will be closed on Sunday, August 31st. Please see the calendar that is part of the newsletter as we have two Sundays during the summer that we will not be open for league shooting due to our registered shoot

schedule.

We are also planning a summer doubles league and plan to leave trap #1 set for doubles on all Wednesday nights and Sunday mornings of open shooting. If you would like to join the Doubles League or would like to shoot some doubles while you are at the club, please ask.

We are looking forward to a great Summer League and hope that you will consider taking part. If you have any questions, call us at the club.

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Spring League Results

A total of 15 teams shot the 2014 Spring League at the Owatonna Gun Club. This was a smaller turnout than usual, but it could be attributed to the dismal spring weather that we have had. The individual winner

this spring was Rich Wolfe with a 198, followed by Jerry Chellgren (197), Dale Otis (196) and Dave Harris, making a comeback from shoulder surgery also with a 196.

The high lady was Becky Wolfe. The team standings were lead by the Pat's Gun Repair team with a score of 964. Team members were Pat Gottberg, Jerry Chellgren, (continued on page 2)

June 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 <i>Summer League begins</i>	2	3	4 <i>open</i>	5	6	7
8 <i>open</i>	9	10	11 <i>open</i>	12	13	14
15 <i>No open shooting</i>	16	17	18 <i>open</i>	19	20	21 <i>Southern Zone</i>
22 <i>open</i>	23	24	25 <i>open</i>	26	27	28
29 <i>open</i>	30					

Cabela's Shoot

Safety First!

- Ear and eye protection required for shooters and trap help
- **Absolutely NO alcohol is to be consumed before shooting. Scores may be disqualified for violations.**

Trapshooting Websites

Owatonna Gun Club: www.Owatonnagunclub.com

Trapshooting discussion: www.Trapshooters.com

Minnesota Trapshooting site: www.minnesotatrap.com

www.mn-trap.org

ATA website: www.shootata.com

Spring Results

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Scott Messenger, Jim Gierok, and Dale Otis. Runner-up this spring was the Southtown Liquor squad made up of Jim Lemke, Tom Suter, Steve Brua (posthumously), Sam Bailey, and Jay Nietzel. The top two teams in the Handicap Division were Wells Federal Bank comprised of Bob Newman, Steve Newman, Dave Peterson, Al Korman, Jim Moll. Bosch was the runner-up and included our two lady shooters Kim Barnett and Becky Wolfe, as well as Burt Towne, Ben Gruenzner, and Rick Ahrens.

July 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
			<i>open</i>			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<i>open</i>			<i>open</i>			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
<i>open</i>			<i>open</i>			
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
<i>open</i>			<i>open</i>			
27	28	29	30	31		
<i>open</i>			<i>open</i>			

2014 Summer League Important Dates

Sunday, June 1st– first day of Summer League

Sunday, June 15th– no league shooting

Fri. and Sat., July 25th & 26th- Cowboy Action Shoot

Sunday, August 3rd– no league shooting

Wed., August 27th– last day of league shooting

Sunday, August 31st– OGC is closed

Wednesday, September 3rd– Summer Party

Trap Help

The Owatonna Gun Club is always looking for more trap help for the coming year, especially for the ATA shoots that take place in the summer. If you have a son or daughter that is in 7th grade, or older or if you know someone that might be interested in working at the Gun Club, please contact Paul T. Cyr at 507-456-2000 to get your name on the call list. We would like to hear from you if you might be interested.

August 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
					ATA Central Zone	
3 ATA Shoot No league shooting	4	5	6 <i>open</i>	7	8	9
10 <i>open</i>	11	12	13 <i>open</i>	14	15	16
17 <i>open</i>	18	19	20 <i>open</i>	21	22	23
24 <i>open</i>	25	26	27 <i>Last day of summer league</i>	28	29	30

We will be closed on Sunday, August 31st!!

2014 Degner Shoot Results

The 29th annual Degner Memorial HOF shoot was held on Sunday, May 18th at the OGC. The weather was sunny and close to seasonably warm, a welcome change from the cool and wet spring that we have been experiencing. The 38 singles shooters were led by AA victor Scott Gens with a 99. The leader in A was Jim Lemke with a 98 while Amy Boras, Todd Mortensen, and Myron Miller shared B with scores of 97. . Class C champ was Carter Condradt who carded a 97. Ken Hanson and Dick Lamont tied at 91 to pace the D entrants.

Shooting from the 21.5 yard line Dick Ward carded a field high 95 to top Gary Pederson by one in the handicap. A long jam of 93s had Carter Condradt, Jim Lembke, Bob Newman, and Scott Gens tied for third place. Scott Gens and Dave Harris carded field high 96s to pace A class doubles. Todd Locke led B shooters with a 90, the same score as Tom Suter had to top C standings.

OWATONNA GUN CLUB

Summer League 2014

Please be sure each Team Shooter is advised of the following information. A copy of the rules will be posted at the Club.

General Information

Gun Club Hours: Wednesdays—5:00PM to 9:00 PM

Sundays - 9:00 a.m. to Noon

Memberships: Annual - \$ 20.00

Life - \$ 200.00

Price: Members - \$5.00 per round Juniors - \$3.00

Non-members - \$7.00 per round

Shooting Program

The Summer League Program will consist of 300 targets, all thrown from 16 yards. Shooting competition will begin on Sun., June 1st and conclude on Wed. August 27th.

Banquet Night for Summer League will be Wednesday, September 3rd.

Team Signup Sheet Summer League 2014

(Please bring along to club)

Name of Team (sponsor) _____

Team Members:

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

5) _____

Sponsorship paid (\$50)_____ Board Member_____

Owatonna Gun Club
PO Box 12
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Gun Club Hours

- **October thru November**

Sunday: 9:00 A.M.-12:00 Noon

- **Dec. thru Feb. Closed**

- **March and April**

Saturday: 12:00 noon to 3:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon

- **May thru September**

Wednesday: 5:00 to 9:00 P.M.

Sunday: 9:00 A.M.-12:00 Noon

Busy summer of ATA Shooting at the OCG

The summer months are a great time for trapshooters and this will be especially true at the Owatonna Gun club this summer. The highlight of the schedule will be 17th annual Cabela's Shoot which has become one of the top shoots on the Minnesota shooting schedule. It will be held June 12th through the 15th. Last year we expanded the shoot to four days and with the exception of Sunday's weather we had a great shoot. We had competitors from surrounding states and Canada who vie for over \$9000 in prize money and

Cabela's gift certificates. Last year we paid out in excess of \$18,000 in prizes and trophies. Once again, given the spring that we have had, we are really looking forward to having four days of good weather. As is our custom, in addition to the great targets, we rolled out the OGC hospitality so shooters and their families were more likely to enjoy their stay in Owatonna. The following weekend the OGC will host the Minnesota Southern Zone shoot on June 21st and 22nd. Shooters compete for places on the Zone Team in advance of the State

Shoot. Alexandria is the host of the Minnesota State Shoot which will be held July 6th through the 13th this year. Finally on August 1st, 2nd, and 3rd we will host a ATA Central Zone site. This shoot is conducted telephonically and will have a number of sites throughout the Central Zone. Shooters in Owatonna compete against other shooters throughout the Zone for awards and also for club awards at the OGC. If you want information on shooting ATA registered targets, see one of the OGC board members.