

108th  
**MINNESOTA STATE**  
**TRAPSHOOTING TOURNAMENT**

**JULY 2-8, 2018**

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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Fellow Shooters –

WELCOME to the 108th Minnesota State Trapshoot. We hope you enjoy our shoot and hospitality as much as we enjoy the fact that you have chosen to attend our shoot. Please take note of the following changes for the 2018 Minnesota State Trapshoot.

1. There will be no penalty classification or penalty yardage for Sub-Juniors, Juniors, and Senior Veterans.
2. One check for “added money” and/or “option money” will be printed at the conclusion of the tournament.
3. The MTA has added money to the Diamond Badge event in hopes of increasing participation for this time honored tradition.



The MTA would like to acknowledge our 2018 Minnesota State Trapshoot sponsors:

1. Aguila Ammunition for Tuesday's Warm-Up Singles
2. Bob Schultz Target Shotguns for Thursday's Brat Feed. This is open to all shooters and their families.
3. White Flyer Targets for Thursday's President's Handicap event.
4. Minneapolis Gun Club for Friday's Doubles Championship event.
5. Shamrock Leather for Friday's Memorial Handicap event. This year marks Shamrock's "50th Anniversary".
6. Federal Ammunition for Saturday's Singles Championship event.
7. Alex Power Equipment for Sunday's Handicap Championship event.

Be sure to stop by our sponsors and vendors and say “Thank You.” Let them know you appreciate their contributions and commitment to our State Shoot.

Friday evening is our Awards Banquet and Hall of Fame Induction. I would strongly encourage and request that all current Hall of Fame members be in attendance to welcome our new Hall of Fame inductees. It is a privilege to honor our Minnesota shooters for their accomplishments. Immediately following the awards ceremony, we will conduct our “live” auction. If you have an item you would like to contribute to our “live” or “silent” auction, please contact any MTA director. Proceeds benefit the Minnesota Youth Shooting Program and your support is appreciated.

Sunday is our annual business meeting and election of officers. It has been my privilege to serve as your President for the last two years. However, I will not be seeking re-election at the end of the current term. Start thinking about getting involved. Put a little “skin in the game” and consider giving back a little of your time to the sport that you enjoy so much. I want to thank all of the MTA Board of Directors for their efforts, help, and fantastic support of the MTA. It has truly been a team effort. Have a great time and shoot well.

Best Regards,

*Scott Messenger*

# PAST PRESIDENTS

## MINNESOTA TRAPSHOOTING ASSOCIATION

1926	W. H. Fawcett	Breezy Point	1974	Tom McKay	Delano
1937	Louis Mica	Hibbing	1975	Al Kamrath	St. Paul
1928	James Guthrie	St. Paul	1976	Al Kamrath	St. Paul
1929	Tom Stevens	Minneapolis	1977	Tom Zelmer	Mankato
1930	Tom Stevens	Minneapolis	1978	John Beuning	St. Cloud
1931	Tom Stevens	Minneapolis	1979	Lynn Mattis	Champlin
1932	W. H. Fawcett	Breezy Point	1980	Roger Lorenzen	Grand Meadow
1933	Jake Reigel	Deer River	1981	Roger Bohm	Princeton
1934	H. W. Maginnis	Minneapolis	1982	Ralph Weber	White Bear Lake
1935	William Harrington	Minneapolis	1983	J. Schwichtenberg	Lester Prairie
1937	Matt Youngman	Sleepy Eye	1984	Bruce Mathisen	Duluth
1938	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1985	Ralph Weber	White Bear Lake
1939	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1986	Keith Hewlett	Rochester
1940	Harry Maginnis	Minneapolis	1987	J. Schwichtenberg	Lester Prairie
1941	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1988	J. Schwichtenberg	Lester Prairie
1942	Roger Dell	Fergus Falls	1989	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake
1943	Roger Dell	Fergus Falls	1990	Dennis Steinhaus	Annandale
1944	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1991	Dick Sturk	Bovey
1945	John Frochlicher	St. Paul	1992	Keith Hewlett	Rochester
1946	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1993	John Bolich	Fridley
1947	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1994	Dick Sturk	Bovey
1948	Ward Ellis	Austin	1995	John Bolich	Fridley
1949	E. R. Maetolzold	Minneapolis	1996	Pat Reysack	Morristown
1950	Ward Ellis	Austin	1997	Bob Wiltse	Minneapolis
1951	Ward Ellis	Austin	1998	Kathy Lahti	Lexington
1952	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	1999	Dennis Vlasak	Maple Grove
1953	Arnold Souba	Graceville	2000	Ron Noren	St. James
1954	Arnold Souba	Graceville	2001	Bill Wuori	Elk River
1955	Clair Lantz	St. Cloud	2002	Peter Falk III	Madison Lake
1956	Clair Lantz	St. Cloud	2003	S. Spletstoeszer	Delano
1957	C. V. Jones	Austin	2004	John Bacon	Maple Grove
1958	C. V. Jones	Austin	2005	Ron Baker	Coon Rapids
1959	Horace Aldritt	Excelsior	2006	Mark Zauhar	Lakeville
1960	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	2007	Mark Zauhar	Lakeville
1961	C. V. Jones	Austin	2008	Mark Zauhar	Lakeville
1962	Art Holm	Minneapolis	2009	Mark Zauhar	Lakeville
1963	Art Finney	St. Paul	2010	Mark Zauhar	Lakeville
1964	Arlos Kegley	LeCenter	2011	G. Lonneman	Worthington
1965	Allen Degner	Owatonna	2012	G. Lonneman	Worthington
1966	Andy Neutzing	St. Cloud	2013	G. Lonneman	Worthington
1967	Glenn Dennis	Blooming Prairie	2014	G. Lonneman	Worthington
1968	Bob Putnam	St. Paul	2015	Scott Steffen	Carver
1969	D. J. Kaplan	Owatonna	2016	Scott Steffen	Carver
1970	Ken Cater	St. Cloud	2017	Scott Messenger	Winona
1971	Stan Wilson, Jr.	Thief River Falls	2018	Scott Messenger	Winona
1972	Paul Robey	Wayzata			
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## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. Official Decision. Every person entering the competition agrees to accept all officials' decisions and to abide by the ATA rules.
2. The State Board of Directors will have complete charge of this shoot. Their decisions in all matters will be final. In event of a dispute over interpretation of any part of this program, the decision of the directors shall govern.
3. To enter the tournament, first have your ATA card ready with averages completed. Second, report to the Handicap and Classification Committee for classification and squadding. Third, pay entry at the cashiers. Any shooters who do not COMPLETE THEIR ENTRY BY CASHIERING will be resquadded after the last squad. Check your entry card **BEFORE leaving the cashier window, it is final.**
4. All shooters are eligible to play purses and options, except those who elect to waive penalty classification and/or yardage.
5. During rush periods it may be necessary to take entries for that day only.
6. AGE CLASSIFICATION FOR CATEGORY - see current rule book and see page 12 in this book and posting on the bulletin board at the State Shoot for more info.
7. All information needed to:
  1. Award trophies
  2. Award added money
  3. Make report for the ATAis taken from the scoreboard sheets so be sure all information is correct. This is the shooter's responsibility.
8. No entry refunded once event has started. Entry refunded if an event is cancelled.
9. The scorer's decision as to whether a target is dead or lost is final; it is subject to review only by the shoot committee or other such governing body before shooting the next five bird event.
10. The scorer must call upon a judge to settle any controversy regarding a score, or when he has made an error by being ahead or behind in his scoring.
11. The Board of Directors reserves the right to call off or to change any portion of the program due to bad weather or other just causes.
12. Reloads will be permitted for any of the program. They must adhere to ATA rules.
13. MTA 100 or 200 Straight Pins - Shooters breaking one hundred or two hundred straight without carryover will be awarded a 100 or 200 straight pin. Only one such pin of each type will ever be awarded to any one shooter.
14. There will be no payoffs in added monies, purses or options for amounts less than \$2.00. One payout check will be at the conclusion of the tournament. Checks will be mailed to individuals

15. Winning scores and all ties will be moved up one class for all singles and doubles, Wednesday - Saturday. No class advancement on Tuesday Warm-Up Day events.
16. No alcoholic beverage or illegal drugs allowed to be consumed before shooting is completed for the day, including regular events, shoot-offs and practice. ATA official rules to govern.
17. Tues, Wed & Thurs 16yd and Doubles ties will carry over to the following type event.
18. To better utilize all trap fields, bank assignments will be drawn by event and posted each day.
19. HOA starts on Wednesday, July 4, 2018.
20. Definition of novice shooter: A novice is a shooter that has had no registered targets prior to the current target year. Once a novice has earned a trophy in any event, they will no longer be considered novice.

It is the shooter's responsibility  
to ensure they have been classified properly.

### SHOOT OFF

All ties for championships and championship trophies shall be shot off at the conclusion of the day's program or at a time designated by the management. After 100 shoot off targets, management may elect to continue the following day, except Sunday. Contestants who fail to report after called for the shoot-offs shall forfeit their right to such championships or trophies.

All ties in the Diamond Badge will be determined by using subsequent 25's from Friday's Memorial Handicap and Saturday's Championship singles.

**The MTA does NOT accept credit or debit cards.**  
**Only cash and checks!**  
***Thank you for your cooperation.***

Every attempt has been made to ensure the  
accuracy of this State Shoot Program.  
In the event of any discrepancy, the decision  
of the MTA Board of Directors will be final.

*We regret any errors or omissions*

# SHOOTER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

1. All shooters participating in any part of the program must show their current ATA average card or yellow ATA payment slip to prove payment for 2018 ATA dues. If neither can be presented the shooter will be required to pay ATA annual dues before participating in any events.
2. Have all scores posted and averages figured on ATA Card before presenting it to the Classification Committee.
3. BE SURE - Once entry is made, it is final. No additions nor withdrawals will be allowed after the event has started.
4. Watch the boards and be ready to compete when your squad is called to the firing line. There will be no waiting for a tardy shooter.
5. If you do miss your squad, you may make up to 50 targets on the practice trap, otherwise report to the office and you will be re-squadded in the last squad if time permits.
6. No scores will be recorded if they are shot in any squad other than the one assigned to you by the office.
7. Check score after each post shot and be sure that they are scored correctly before firing at a target at the next post. Any corrections must be marked "dead" or "lost."
8. Only errors in addition can be corrected after a score sheet leaves the trap.
9. Conduct yourself in accordance with ATA rules at all times.
10. Double check your entry cards. Be sure your Class, Yardage and all other information is correct and legible. It is the responsibility of Lady I, Lady II, Sub-Juniors, Juniors, Junior Gold, Sub-Veterans, Veterans, Senior Veterans, Chairshooters, Novice and MN Lady B to see that they are classified correctly. Report omissions or errors to the MTA Directors at the Classification station immediately.
11. If you win yardage, report to classification and have your average card updated. Class advancements will be automatically bumped by the computer system. Class advancements and earned yardage will be posted on the score board. Be sure to check; it is the shooter's responsibility to be in the correct class and to shoot at the correct yardage. Class advancements start Wednesday.
12. All category shooters must declare their special category at the time of classification in any registered tournament if they wish to compete as a category shooter. Without such declaration, the contestant will not be allowed to compete for the applicable category trophy for the duration of the tournament. No contestant will be allowed to declare or change a special declaration after firing his/her first shot. The only exception to this rule will be to correct an ATA classification error. (See Rule IV, J.) The MTA will be solely responsible for identifying and correcting any classification error.

## OPEN OR OUT

All guns must be unloaded with the action open at all times except on the firing line or in the gun rack.

Violators subject themselves to immediate disqualification, without recourse, and dismissal from the grounds.

*Thank you for keeping our shoot safe*

# CLASSIFICATION

- Keep your card up-to-date and accurate to be properly classified. We will not accept electronic presentation of scores.
- The Classification Committee consists of the ATA Delegate, ATA Alternate Delegates and the State Directors.
- The Classification Committee reserves the right to change a shooter's classification at any time.
- Classification will be **based on known ability** with particular attention paid to the most recent 1000 targets.
- Registration and Classification will open at 8 a.m. each day, and will close at 4 p.m.

## 16 YARD CLASSIFICATION

(Plus Known Ability)

- CLASS AAA – 98% and over
- CLASS AA – 96.25% and under 98%
- CLASS A – 94.75% and under 96.25%
- CLASS B – 93% and under 94.75%
- CLASS C – 90% and under 93%
- CLASS D – Under 90%

## DOUBLES CLASSIFICATION

(Plus Known Ability)

- CLASS AAA – 96% and over
- CLASS AA – 92% and under 96%
- CLASS A – 89% and under 92%
- CLASS B – 86% and under 89%
- CLASS C – 82% and under 86%
- CLASS D – Under 82%

# PENALTY CLASSIFICATION

Target requirements may be fulfilled using targets from the day after the 2017 MN State Shoot through Warm-up day of the 2018 Minnesota State Shoot.

## 16 YARDS

Unless you have 500 16 yard targets, all shooters will be advanced one class for penalty classification.

## HANDICAP

Unless you have 500 handicap targets, all shooters will be advanced 2 yards from their current yardage.

## DOUBLES

Unless you have 500 doubles targets, all shooters will be advanced one class for penalty classification.

*The following categories are exempt from penalty classification and yardage: Sub Jr.; Jr. and Sr. Vet. This applies for singles, handicap and doubles.*

# CATEGORY SHOOTERS

## SPECIAL ATA CATEGORIES

(from the 2017 ATA Rulebook, Section IV, Paragraph J.)

All Lady I, Lady II, Sub-Junior, Junior, Junior Gold, Sub-Veteran, Veteran, Sr-Veteran, and Chairshooters must declare their special category at the time of classification in any registered tournament if they wish to compete as a category shooter. Without such declaration, the contestant will not be allowed to compete for the applicable category trophy. No contestant will be allowed to declare or change a special declaration after firing his/her first shot. The only exception to this rule will be to correct an ATA classification error. The following rules apply to shooters who have declared a special category. At all tournaments where All American points will be awarded in any event, shooters may declare only one (1) category (i.e. Lady I, Lady II, Sub Junior, Junior, Junior Gold, Sub-Veteran, Veteran, or Senior Veteran). Note: Chair shooters are exempt from this rule.

1. A female shooter, who has not reached her 55th Birthday, may declare Lady I.
2. A female shooter, who has reached her 55th Birthday, may declare Lady II.
3. A shooter who has not reached his/her 15th birthday may declare Sub-Junior.
4. A shooter who is 15 but has not reached his/her 18th birthday may declare as Junior.
5. A shooter who is 18 but has not reached his/her 23rd birthday may declare as Junior Gold.
6. A shooter who is 55 but not reached his/her 65th birthday may declare as a Sub-Veteran.
7. A shooter who is 65 but not reached his/her 70th birthday may declare as a Veteran.
8. A shooter who is 70 years of age and older may declare as a Senior Veteran.
9. Age-based categories are established on the birthday of the shooter. For purposes of determining age category for HOA and HAA awards the category declared by the participant on the first day he/she shoots shall be used.
10. Shooters who become eligible for new age-based categories during the target year may elect to continue to compete in the previous category for the remainder of that target year. (For example a shooter reaching age 70 may elect to continue to shoot as a Veteran for the remainder of the current target year.) However, once a shooter has elected to move to the new category that decision is irrevocable and he/she may not again declare eligibility for the previous category. Junior shooters reaching the age of 18 may continue to declare Junior category for the remainder of the current target year.

When there is no Sub-Junior trophy Sub-Juniors will be included in the Junior category. Senior Veterans will be included in the Veteran category when there is no Senior Veteran trophy. Where there is no Junior Gold or Sub-Veteran Trophy, these shooters will be included in the Open Class. Where there is no Lady II trophy, these shooters will be included in the Lady I category.

### SPECIAL MINNESOTA-ONLY CATEGORIES

MN LADY B (Previously known as Lady II) applies to female shooters whose Singles Category is Class C or D.

NOVICE CATEGORY applies to shooters with no registered targets prior to the current ATA target year.

# MINNESOTA TRAPSHOOTING HALL OF FAME

*Russ Barber	St. Paul	1968	Paul E. Robey Sr.	Plymouth	1992
*Earl Donahue	Minneapolis	1968	*Dr. W. G. Miskoff	Hutchinson	1992
*Dave Fauskee	Worthington	1968	Doug Sundberg	Richville	1993
*Mrs. E. L. King	Winona	1968	*Dick Sturk	Bovey	1993
*Jack Krink	Worthington	1968	Mary Churchill	Maple Lake	1994
*Capt. B. Fawcett	Minneapolis	1968	*Peter Souba	Brainard	1994
*Jim Dickey	Minneapolis	1968	Richard Berger	St. Cloud	1994
*Geroge Jewett	Anoka	1968	*Robert Redfield	Cloquet	1994
*Harry Maginnis	Minneapolis	1968	Ed L. Mylner	Lester Prairie	1996
*Art Holm	Minneapolis	1968	*Loren Hentges	Blaine	1997
*Ray Zweiner	Bloomington	1969	*Roger Bohm	Princeton	1997
*Ernie Maetzold	Minneapolis	1969	Jeff Deschepper	Marshall	1998
*Horace Aldritt	Excelsior	1969	Dennis Steinhaus	Annandale	1998
*Herman Hirschy	Minneapolis	1969	Pat Laib	Spicer	1999
*Arnold Souba	Graceville	1970	*Keith Hewlett	Rochester	1999
*Art Finney	Mankato	1970	*John Bolich	Fridley	2000
*Junior Dick	Minneapolis	1971	Ray Steffenson	Dassel	2000
*Charles L. Horn	Minneapolis	1971	Neil Winston	St. Paul	2001
*Forest Saunders	Minneapolis	1972	Dean Neumann	Dakota	2003
*Bard Higgins	Duluth	1973	Ralph Weber	White Bear Lake	2003
*Rogers Fawcett	Minneapolis	1973	Rick Nelson	Louisberg	2004
*Allen Degner	Owatonna	1974	*Roman Sinnen	New Germany	2004
*Clair Lantz	St. Cloud	1975	Lou Kosiba	St. Cloud	2004
*Jerry Novotny	St. Paul	1976	Eric Munson	Cokato	2005
*Leonard Wieland	LeSueur	1976	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	2006
Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	1977	Tom Larkin	Kenyon	2006
Lowell King	Detroit Lakes	1977	Peter Falk III	Madison Lake	2007
*Jimmy Robinson	Minneapolis	1977	Kathy Lahti	Lexington	2008
Jim Kelly	St. Paul	1978	*Ron Noren	St. James	2008
*Henry Hein	LaCrescent	1979	Pat Gottberg	Wells	2009
*Oz Conrad	Stillwater	1980	Mark Zuhar	Lakeville	2010
Stan Watson Jr.	Thief River Falls	1981	B. Van Nieuwenhuyzen	Laverne	2010
Craig Hall	Concord	1982	V. Hines Schmidt	Farmington	2011
*W. Sonnenschein	Pipestone	1983	No Inductees		2012
*Robert Putman	St. Paul	1984	Glen Lonneman	Worthington	2013
*Roy Long	Aberdeen S. D.	1985	Ed Brophy	St. Joseph	2013
Charles Delaney	Anoka	1986	*Ed & S. Johnston	Minneapolis	2013
*J. & M. Beuning	St. Cloud	1987	Troy Haverly	New London	2014
R. & L.A. Munson	Howard Lake	1988	Jim Fetzik	Pengilly	2014
Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	1989	*R. Thompson	Glenwood	2015
*Tom McKay	Delano	1989	Betty and Dean Walker	Grand Rapids	2016
*O. B. Stovern	Willmar	1990	Paul Cyr	Oklee	2016
*Ken Carter	St. Cloud	1990	Steve and Kathy Shane	Fairmont	2017
Allen Heil	Glencoe	1991	Tom Townsend	Alexandria	2017
*Phil Theilman	St. Cloud	1991	Wally Shelstad	Buffalo	2018
			Roger Lorenzen	Rochester	2018

\*Deceased

## MINNESOTA TRAPSHOOTING ASSOCIATION 2018 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

### ROGER LORENZEN

I remember my early days being exposed to trapshooting, when I accompanied my dad to our local sportsmen's club. The trap machine used to throw the targets was hand set and guess who was nominated to set trap. At the days end of shooting I was allowed to shoot some targets with club members giving me shells. I was hooked for life as a 12 year old. In the 1950's choice of shotguns was limited, a Winchester model 12 trap gun was my favorite.



The next few years saw marked improvement in my shooting ability through pheasant hunting, local meat shoots, and limited registered target shooting. In 1955 the family attended the Minnesota State Shoot held at St. Cloud golf and trap club. I was fortunate to win the Junior Singles Championship with 97x100. This was followed up the next day with a 96x100 in the handicap with was good for third place behind (2) 97x100 for winner and runner-up.

In 1956 I was honored to be selected to the Junior All American Trap Team. Three others from Minnesota, two of them being professional or industry reps of ammunition companies were Dave Yaeger of Federal Cartridge and Roy Long of Winchester . Upon graduating from high school and entering the work force, trap shooting was put on the shelf for 4 years. When I began attending registered shoots I found handicap shooting more to my liking. I achieved the 27 yard line at the Grand American held in Dayton, Ohio in 1962.

In 1973 winning the Minnesota Singles Championship was a rewarding experience. The previous year, while attending the Ohio State Shoot, winning the Non-Resident State championship with high score over the field was a highlight. I attended many of the surrounding state shoots from 1970's through the present.

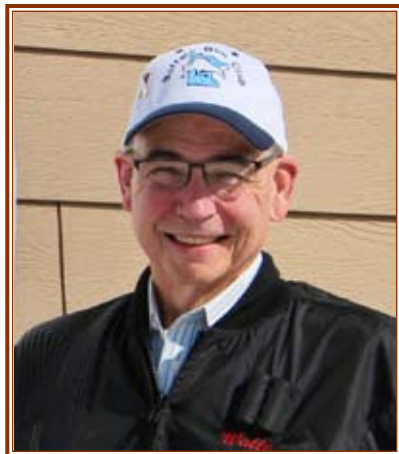
## MINNESOTA TRAPSHOOTING ASSOCIATION 2018 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

### Walter ‘Wally’ Shelstad

Family. For Wally Shelstad, creating a strong family bond has fueled his drive for excellence—at home, work, and at the Buffalo Gun Club—and is his secret to overwhelming success.

Wally’s dad, also Walter, lived for hunting and fishing, and included his son as soon as he was old enough to be safe. They were hunting buddies until Walter passed in 1979. It wasn’t until Wally’s wife,

Sheri, joined a trap team at her work that Wally became intrigued with the sport. “I had only shot trap once, for a groom’s event. Sheri told me I should check it out.” Wally joined a league in 1976, then a couples’ league later that fall and was hooked. In 1977 he volunteered to be BGC’s Secretary and has served as BGC’s President ever since 1978.



Back then, shooting was more social than competition, with an old fish house serving as the first clubhouse, complete with a little counter, two refrigerators for beer and no rest room, “just some lilac bushes by the North Star gas station!”. With an influx of women shooting, improved facilities were needed and, though cash flow was tight. Wally managed to make ends meet and by 1983 had put up a true building, followed by an addition in 1991. Huge improvements occurred in 2006 when BGC received a MN DNR Shooting Grant—sidewalks were poured and all three trap fields were redone, and again in 2015 when an electrical fire leveled the building. “That fire unified the club,” exclaimed Shelstad. “It unified the members—everyone pulled together and we were back up and running in three days. It was unbelievable!”

Wally introduced ATA registered shooting in 1989 and realized shortly afterward that, if you put together a good program, people would come and support it. “Just like I did in business, I knew I had to develop my own client base with good marketing and incentives—entice people to come and not just expect it—and always let them know how much I appreciated their business.” One big ‘aha’ moment came after Wally thanked an older shooter for coming out. “That shooter

came back five minutes later to tell me that I was the first person who ever thanked him for shooting at a gun club. It was a huge moment for me—customer service—you’ve only got one product at a gun club and that’s the target in the air.” The increase in youth shooting since 2001 has refueled his passion for shooting and managing the club. “The kids bring so much enthusiasm with them when they walk through the gun club door,” says Shelstad. “They just beam!”

While shooting competition used to be a focus, oral cancer in 2012 changed his perspective on the sport. Surgery and radiation on the right side of his face have resulted in loss of hearing, nerve damage and constant pain while shooting, but his new Pro Soft stock looks promising. “Before my cancer I would have called myself a shooter. Now I call myself a supporter, marketer—it’s fun to create something and see how it turns out. I hope to get more shooting in because of the Pro Soft and some decrease in my pain.”

Wally says being the first ATA Club of the Year (2007), ATA Volunteer of the Year (2009), being the 2009 Minnesota’s Doubles Champion with the lone 99x100 in the program and his 99.08 Singles average in 2004 are shooting highlights of his career. The biggest highlight of his life? The constant love and support of his wife Sheri in all his endeavors, and his entire family—Wally, Sheri, & son Kyle—shooting on the same line. “I’m healthy now and looking forward to sharing this sport I love with my grandchildren!” Congratulations, Wally, and thank you for treating all who cross Buffalo Gun Club’s threshold as family.

### **HALL OF FAME CRITERIA**

The Minnesota Trapshooting Association Hall of Fame donors shooters whose accomplishments bring credit to our sport in the areas of Shooting and Support. Men and women of exceptional diligence and sportsmanship are inducted; integrity and character are the first requirements for consideration.

To review requirements or to complete the required online nomination form please visit [www.minnesotatrap.com](http://www.minnesotatrap.com). For additional information, please contact Mark Stevens, Minnesota’s ATA Delegate at [mark@airclimatecontrol.com](mailto:mark@airclimatecontrol.com) or 612-703-6155

# 2017 MINNESOTA ALL-STATE TEAMS

BASED ON 2017 PERFORMANCE

## ALL-STATE MEN'S TEAM

### CAPTAIN

Eric Munson.....95.93%

### MEN'S FIRST TEAM

Dean Neumann.....95.66%  
Troy Haverly.....95.22%  
Peter Walker.....95.16%  
David Michaelis.....95.07%  
John Kelly.....94.76%

### MEN'S SECOND TEAM

Bernie Merchlewitz Jr. ....94.02%  
Brody Padgett .....94.01%  
Nick Kubasch.....93.51%  
David Olson.....93.32%  
Glenn Linden.....93.25%  
Jason Vlasak.....92.73%  
Kyle Berens.....92.70%  
David Harris.....92.24%  
Mark Stevens.....91.65%  
Shawn King.....91.45%

## ALL-STATE WOMEN'S TEAM

### CAPTAIN

Morgan Psyk.....91.66%

Laure Zumbusch.....91.10%  
Betty Walker.....89.23%  
Julie Weins.....89.09%

Sally Stevens.....88.56%  
Vicky Townsend.....87.00%

## ALL-STATE SUB-JUNIOR TEAM

### CAPTAIN

Carson Tauber.....94.74%

Jordan Freiberg.....92.38%  
Jacob Bocock.....92.25%  
Erik Knight.....91.40%

Anthony Klassen.....87.44%  
Tyler Hagen.....82.44%

## ALL-STATE JUNIOR TEAM

### CAPTAIN

Colton Sherman.....94.23%

Lane Berning .....93.58%  
Kylar Berens .....93.24%  
Ben Rodelius.....92.29%

Chrystal Moon.....90.27%  
Matthew Baloun.....89.69%

## ALL-STATE VETERAN TEAM

### CAPTAIN

Randy Cook.....93.88%

### VETERAN FIRST TEAM

William Van Nieuwenhuyzen...93.59%  
Scott Messenger.....92.79%  
Curtis Peterson.....92.02%  
James Noben.....90.61%  
Robert Wynnemer.....90.49%

### VETERAN SECOND TEAM

Edward Deitz .....90.17%  
Michael Crepeau.....90.12%  
Jim "Jimmy Bowen"  
Walkowiak.....87.32%  
Sam Bailey.....89.49%  
Dennis Vlasak.....86.31%

## ALL-STATE SENIOR-VETERAN TEAM

### CAPTAIN

Dean Walker.....93.01%

### SENIOR VETERAN FIRST TEAM

Dennis Steinhaus.....91.19%  
Robert Nielsen.....91.06%  
Frاندell Johnson.....90.15%  
Lou Kosiba.....89.86%  
Byron Churchill.....89.74%

### SENIOR VETERAN SECOND TEAM

Neil Winston.....89.31%  
Don Wilness.....89.08%  
Charles Eckstein.....88.00%  
Richard Berger.....87.99%  
George Day.....87.79%

## MINNESOTA STATE TEAM & ALL AMERICAN REQUIREMENTS

MTA State Teams & the ATA's All American  
Teams are listed in detail on the following official websites:

[www.minnesotatrap.com](http://www.minnesotatrap.com)  
[www.shootata.com](http://www.shootata.com)

Many of America's best trapshooters proudly call Minnesota home.

## MINNESOTA ALL-AMERICANS

Name	Team
Scott Gens	Men's 2nd Team
Eric Munson	Men's 2nd Team
Jack Knaus	Sub Jr. 2nd Team
Ben Dietz	Junior Gold 1st Team
Colton Langer	Junior Gold 1st Team
Dean Neumann	Sub-Veteran 1st Team—Captain
Troy Haverly	Sub-Veteran 1st Team
Randy P. Cook	Veteran 1st Team
Bill VanNieuwenhuyzen	Veteran 2nd Team
Curt Peterson	Veteran 2nd Team
Dean Walker	Senior Veteran 2nd Team

## 2017 STATE WINNERS

Singles Champion	Nick Kubasch	200x200
Singles Lady	Morgan Psyk	197x200
Singles Lady II	Janice Perron Stock	193x200
Singles Sub-Veteran	Mark Stevens	199x200
Singles Veteran	Randy P. Cook	200x200
Singles Senior Veteran	Dale Otis	198x200
Singles Sub-Junior	Carson Tauber	200x200
Singles Junior	Ben Rodelius	198x200
Singles Junior Gold	Calvin Nodsle	200x200
Handicap Champion	Matt Bickell	100x100
Doubles Champion	Eric Munson	99x100
High All Around Champion	Eric Munson	393x400
High Over All Champion	Dean Neumann	1070x1100

## 2017 SPECIAL TROPHIES

High Sub-Junior or Junior Novice (Chris Thornton Trophy)-----Nicholas Hetchler

## 2017 ZONE CHAMPIONS

### Minnesota Champion of Champions

Men's Champion	John Stone
Lady's Champion	Morgan Psyk
Veteran's Champion	Randy P. Cook
Senior Veteran's Champion	Charles Eckstein
Sub Junior Champion	Jacob Bocock
Junior Champion	Kyle Dupont

## 2017 TEAM CHAMPIONS

### Central Zone

Team Champion Class AA	Ben Dietz
Team Champion Class A	Thomas Sletta
Team Champion Class B	Donald Bible
Team Champion Class C	Daryll Olson
Team Champion Class D	Michael Genderson

**TROPHIES NOT PICKED UP AT THE STATE SHOOT  
WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE  
STEER & CALF SHOOT  
DEL-TONE (ST CLOUD), SEPTEMBER 8 & 9, 2018**

*Trophies not picked up at shoots  
will be available at next year's state shoot.*

# **SPECIAL TROPHIES**

## **ALL-AROUND CHAMPIONSHIP**

(400 TARGETS, EVENT 11,12,14)

## **HIGH OVER-ALL CHAMPION**

(1100 TARGETS, EVENT 4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,14)

Shooters are recommended to keep their own scores for High Over-All, All-Around and Special Trophies. Shooters are responsible for totaling their scores to verify computer record.

**NOTE:** Classification for HOA and HAA trophies will be determined on the first day the shooter is classified beginning Tuesday.

### **Event 1**

**~ 14 open, 2 resident ~**

6 classes, 8 categories, MN Lady B, Novice

### **Event 2**

**~ 9 open ~**

Hi Gun, 8 categories

### **Event 3**

**~ 14 open ~**

6 classes, 8 categories

### **Event 4 and Event 7**

**~ 39 Resident ~**

6 classes, 6 class RU, AAA 3rd, 8 categories 1st, RU, 3rd, Novice, MN Lady B

Non-Resident 14 Gift Cards - 6 classes, 8 categories

Non-Resident 23 Points Pins - 6 class RU, AAA 3rd, 8 categories RU & 3rd

### **Event 5 and Event 8**

**~ 30 Resident ~**

Champion, RU, 3rd, 8 categories 1st, RU, 3rd, 27 yard 1st, RU, 3rd

Non-Resident 12 Gift Cards - Champion, RU, 3rd, 8 categories, 27 yard

Non Resident 18 Points Pins - 8 categories RU, 3rd, 27 yard RU, 3rd

### **Event 6 and Event 9**

**~ 37 Resident ~**

6 classes, 6 class RU, AAA 3rd, 8 categories 1st, RU, 3rd

Non-Resident 14 Gift Cards - 6 classes, 8 categories

Non-Resident 23 Points Pins - 6 class RU, AAA 3rd, 8 categories RU & 3rd

### **Event 10**

**~ 40 Resident ~**

Champion thru Tenth, 8 categories 1st, RU, 3rd, 4 yardage groups, 27 yard RU, 3rd

Non-Resident 12 Gift Cards - Champion, RU, 3rd, 8 categories, 27 yard

Non Resident 18 Points Pins - 8 categories RU, 3rd, 27 yard RU, 3rd

### **Event 11**

**~ 45 Resident ~**

Champion, RU, 3rd, 6 classes 1st, RU, 3rd, 8 categories 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Non-Resident 31 Gift Cards - Champion, RU, 3rd, 6 classes 1st, RU, 8 categories 1st, RU

Non-Resident 9 Points Pins - 8 categories 3rd, AAA 3rd

1 Open - Chairshooter

### **Event 12**

**~ 47 Resident ~**

Champion, RU, 3rd, 6 classes 1st, RU, 3rd, 8 categories 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Novice, MN Lady B

Non-Resident 31 Gift Cards - Champion, RU, 3rd, 6 classes 1st, RU, 8 categories 1st, RU

Non-Resident 9 Points Pins - 8 categories 3rd, AAA 3rd

1 Open - Chairshooter

### **Event 14**

**~ 45 Resident ~**

Champion thru Fifteenth, 8 categories 1st, RU, 3rd, 4 yardage groups, 27 yard RU, 3rd

Non-Resident 24 Gift Cards - Champion, RU, 3rd, 8 categories 1st, RU, 4 yardage groups, 27 yard RU

Non-Resident 9 points pins - 8 categories 3rd, 27 yard 3rd

1 Open - Chairshooter

# MINNESOTA TRAPSHOOTING ASSOCIATION

## ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, July 8, 2018 – 8:00 am

Please note that the Annual Meeting of the Minnesota Trapshooting Association will be held SUNDAY MORNING AT 8:00AM. Any new business a member would like to discuss and vote on at this meeting must be submitted in writing to the Secretary of the Minnesota Trapshooting Association at least TEN DAYS PRIOR to the date of the Annual Meeting. Any requests submitted will be posted on the bulletin board on the grounds at the State Shoot.

### NOTE:

ONLY cashiering will be open during the Annual Meeting.  
Classification and Squadding will close during the Annual Meeting.

During the Annual Meeting we will review the past year's financial details, any new business, and hold our annual elections. Each year there are several open offices up for election so it is important all members make every effort to attend.

We will be holding the voting on Sunday. Unless a position is contested, the voting will be done by show of hands. In case of a contested position, there will be a ballot vote.

Votes will be tabulated by the Secretary and Senior Zone Directors. Nominees with the highest vote count will be posted on the bulletin board by 1:00pm Sunday.

# MTA'S COMMITMENT TO YOUTH SHOOTING

The Minnesota Trapshooting Association is committed to actively promoting trapshooting to young people. We encourage every shooter to take a kid out to the range and teach them safety, respect, and the responsibility that goes along with any shooting sport.

Please take the time to build a youth program at your local club. The future of our sport and all shooting sports is in our young people. It is our responsibility to provide them with positive experiences that will start them on the lifelong enjoyment of trapshooting.

For more information please contact:

**MARK STEVENS**

**MINNESOTA'S AIM YOUTH DIRECTOR**

PO Box 292 ~ Buffalo, MN 55313 • Phone: 612-703-6155

## NOTICE TO ALL YOUTH SHOOTERS AT STATE

Junior and Sub-Junior shooters may enjoy, for all events  
(excluding the Diamond Badge Event),  
**\$20.00 TARGETS FOR TROPHIES ONLY.**

Special pricing and Monday's discounted donation/youth shooter  
proudly provided by the  
Minnesota Trapshooting Association  
Minnesota Youth Shotgun Association

## SPECIAL NOTES FOR OUR 2018 SHOOT

**SALES TAX:** Minnesota requires sales tax on targets thrown at clubs. Sales tax is included in target prices at our State Shoot.

**BANK DRAWING:** To assure a balanced use of all traps, banks will be drawn daily. Look for a squad/bank posting in the clubhouse and shelters around the grounds.

**GOLF CART USE:** Use of golf carts during our State Shoot will continue to be allowed. Drivers **MUST** be licensed to operate a motor vehicle to operate golf carts; proof of insurance is required. We ask that all shooters not engaged in shoot management please keep their carts behind the main trap field sidewalk. Call Alexandria Golf at 320-762-1114 to rent a golf cart.

## CAMPING FACILITIES DURING OUR STATE SHOOT

Camping facilities, either primitive or hook-up, are available on a first come, first serve basis. Call ahead for trailer parking prior to July 1st. For reservations please contact:

### ALEXANDRIA SHOOTING PARK

Attention: Cindy Townsend  
6533 Co. Rd. 87 SE ~ Alexandria, MN 56308  
Phone: 320-766-8816  
cjto8@ymail.com

# YOUTH DAY

(Minnesota Residents Only)

Monday July 2, 2018

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Who can participate?** Youth Day is for Minnesota resident youth shooters who fall into AIM age-category guidelines.

**Do I have to bring my own shells?** Yes. You will be required to bring whatever you will need to shoot the events you choose for the day. Shells are available for purchase on site.

**What else should I bring with me?** Bring your ATA membership card (the hard blue or orange card with your ATA number on it), your ATA paper average card, a check or cash for registration, your gun and shooting supplies, and be prepared for a fantastic day! Many shooters also bring a small cooler with snacks and drinks. Alexandria Shooting Park will also have items for purchase.

**Is it expensive for my youth shooter to participate?** No, in fact the MTA grants each Minnesota-resident youth shooter discounted target costs for youth day. In addition the MTA provides discounted targets for the remainder of the shoot for all events. The MTA also pays for the first year's membership dues to the ATA. Shells are the responsibility of each shooter for the events they wish to participate in.

**Does the MTA take credit cards or debit cards?** No, cash or checks only. There is no ATM onsite so please make sure your shooter comes prepared.

**What time should I arrive?** Registration begins at 8:00am so plan to come early and be prepared ahead of shooting time, especially if you are looking to join a team or for someone to complete your team. Shooting begins promptly at 9:00am.

**I'm a Sub-Junior but my friends are all Juniors – can I shoot with them?** Yes. Youth shooters of different age categories may choose to shoot together however, for team award purposes, the shooter with the oldest age category will determine the category for the entire squad. For example: 4 Sub-Jr's and 1 Junior shooting on the same squad will be considered a Junior squad for team purposes only.

**I do not have a team. Can I still compete?** Absolutely! Youth Day is both a team and an individual competition. Sometimes there are partial teams looking for shooters in their category to make a full team too, so check with shoot staff when you get to this year's Youth Day for more information.

**When will trophies be awarded?** The Awards Ceremony will convene 1 hour after the final shooter has completed their round.

More information will be mailed out to current ATA youth shooters, gun clubs throwing ATA targets in 2018, and available online at the MTA's official website [www.minnesotatrap.com](http://www.minnesotatrap.com).

If you have specific questions regarding Youth Day, please contact Mark Stevens (612-703-6155) or Sally Stevens (763-486-0853).

# YOUTH DAY

Monday July 2, 2018

Registration Opens at 8:00 am • Shooting at 9:00 am

## MTA YOUTH PROGRAM SPECIAL EVENT SPONSORED BY THE MTA

Junior/Junior Gold.....	\$20.00/100 targets
Pre-Sub/Sub-Jr. ....	\$20.00/100 targets
ATA Fee .....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee ...	\$ 3.00

Any **full-time student** who is a Minnesota resident in these age categories may enter.

Must be an ATA Member to participate. Memberships (\$12 annually) are available at the shoot; new youth shooters receive their 1st ATA membership FREE courtesy of the MTA.

Youth Shooters, Parents & Coaches

### NEW FOR 2018

ATA's AIM youth categories (based on age as of September 1st of the current target year) will be used for this event:

Junior Gold (100 target event)	Age 18-22
Junior (100 target event)	Age 15-17
Sub-Junior (100 target event)	Age 12-14
Pre-Sub (100 target event)	Pre Sub-Jr. Age 11 & under

### Youth Program Trophies Provided by MTA Youth Fund

Team Trophy to Pre-Sub, Sub-Junior, Junior, and Junior Gold Champions.

Team Trophy to Sub-Junior, Junior, and Junior Gold Runners-Up.

Individual Trophy to Pre-Sub, Sub-Junior, Junior, and Junior Gold Champions and Runners-Up.

Individual medals to Pre-Sub: High Lady

Sub-Junior and Junior: High Lady, 1st and 2nd B-C-D Class

Junior Gold: High Lady, 1st and 2nd B Class

\*Special thanks to **Shamrock Leathers** for donating a shooting bag for youth day.

At the end of Monday's shoot, any youth shooters whose score ends in a randomly drawn number is eligible to shoot off for the bag! (For example, if a "6" is drawn, then shooters with the score of 96, 86, 76, etc., are eligible for the shoot-off.)

## Day 1 – WARM-UP DAY

Tuesday, July 3

Registration Opens at 8:00 am • Shooting begins at 9:00 am

### ~ EVENT 1 ~

## WARM-UP SINGLES

Sponsored by Aguila Ammunition

CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D

100 - 16 YD TARGETS

Entry – sales tax included.....	\$34.00
ATA Fee .....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee .....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun) .....	\$10.00

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

### ~ EVENT 2 ~

## WARM-UP HANDICAP

100 HANDICAP TARGETS - 18 TO 27 YARDS

STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE SINGLES

Entry – sales tax included.....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee – (if not paid on previous event) .....	\$ 3.00
Open Purse – (One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Yardage Purse – (Paid per Yardage Group, * One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun) .....	\$10.00

\*Yardage Groups are 18-22.5, 23-24.5, 25-26.5, and 27

### OPEN OPTIONS 18 to 27 yds

\$5.00 on each 25 targets – (One Money - Ties Divide).....	\$20.00
\$10.00 on each 50 targets – (Divided 50-30-20% - Ties Divide).....	\$30.00

Based on the First, Middle & Last 50

Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun) .....	\$10.00
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### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

Wednesday's events are named after their sponsors  
and last year's Championship winners:

<b>Singles:</b>	NICK KUBASCH
<b>Handicap:</b>	MATT BICKELL
<b>Doubles:</b>	ERIC MUNSON

# Day 1 – WARM-UP DAY

Tuesday, July 3

## ~ EVENT 3 ~

### WARM-UP DOUBLES

CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D

50 PAIR DOUBLES - TWO SUB EVENTS - 25/25 PAIR

STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING TODAY'S HANDICAP

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee – (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

## FREE BRATWURST FEED PROVIDED FOR ALL

Thursday, July 5th  
after the close of the day's events

*Generously sponsored by*



## Day 2 – HOA STARTS TODAY

Wednesday, July 4

Registration Opens at 8:00 am • Shooting begins at 9:00 am

### ~ EVENT 4 ~

## NICK KUBASCH SINGLES

CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D

100 - 16 YD TARGETS

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Lewis (Four Classes)-Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class-High Gun.....	\$10.00
High-Over-All Lewis (5 Classes-60/40% each class).....	\$10.00

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

### ~ EVENT 5 ~

## MATT BICKELL HANDICAP

100 HANDICAP TARGETS - 18 to 27 yards

STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EVENT 4

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
Open Purse-(One Money Each 7 Entries-High Gun).....	\$10.00
Yardage Purse – (Paid per Yardage Group, * One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00

\*Yardage Groups are 18-22.5, 23-24.5, 25-26.5, and 27

### OPEN OPTIONS 18 to 27 yds

6 Way Purse (Paid 25-15-10% ; 25-15-10% Ties Divide).....	\$25.00
\$5.00 on each 25 targets – (One Money - Ties Divide).....	\$20.00
\$10.00 on each 50 targets – (Divided 50-30-20% - Ties Divide).....	\$30.00

Based on the First, Middle & Last 50

Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00
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### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

## SHOOTERS

The MTA supports the continuing efforts of the National Rifle Association.

We encourage every shooter to join the NRA and support their diligent work to protect our rights as shotgun sportsmen and sportswomen.

Please visit the NRA booth at this year's State Shoot!



# Day 2 – continued Wednesday, July 4

## ~ EVENT 6 ~ ERIC MUNSON DOUBLES

CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D  
50 PAIR DOUBLES - TWO SUB EVENTS - 25/25 PAIR  
STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EVENT 5

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee – (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

### HELP SAVE LABOR COSTS

Alexandria Shooting Park has done a great job controlling our labor expenses since they started holding our shoot. To help maintain our low costs, the club and the MTA request that shooters not wishing to save their hulls please catch them and hold them in a bag until you are finished shooting, then discard them in a trash bin.

This will save the labor time required to clean up our fields.

*Thank you for your help.*

## EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Alexandria is located in DOUGLAS COUNTY, MN

Emergency Assistance, Call 911

For Local Weather Information tune into one of the following radio or TV stations:

### Radio Stations

KIKV	100.7 FM (Country)	KXRA	1490 AM (Talk & Music)
KULO	94.3 FM (Oldies)	KXRA	92.3 FM (Classic Rock)

Club Phone: 320-763-5315

Douglas County Hospital: 320-762-1511

## Day 3 – MINNESOTA CLASS EVENTS

Thursday, July 5

Registration Opens at 8:00 am • Shooting begins at 9:00 am

### ~ EVENT 7 ~

## MINNESOTA CLASS SINGLES

CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D

100 - 16 YD TARGETS

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

### ~ EVENT 8 ~

## MINNESOTA PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP

*Sponsored by White Flyer Targets*

100 HANDICAP TARGETS - 18 to 27 yards

STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EVENT 7

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event). ....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee – (if not paid on previous event) .....	\$ 3.00
Open Purse – (One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Yardage Purse – (Paid per Yardage Group,* One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00

\*Yardage Groups are 18-22.5, 23-24.5, 25-26.5, and 27

### OPEN OPTIONS 18 to 27 yds

6 Way Purse (Paid 25-15-10% ; 25-15-10% Ties Divide) .....	\$25.00
\$5.00 on each 25 targets – (One Money - Ties Divide).....	\$20.00
\$10.00 on each 50 targets – (Divided 50-30-20% - Ties Divide).....	\$30.00

Based on the First, Middle & Last 50

Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun) .....	\$10.00
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### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

**Day 3 – continued**  
**Thursday, July 5**

**~ EVENT 9 ~**

**MINNESOTA CLASS DOUBLES**

**CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D**

**50 PAIR DOUBLES - TWO SUB EVENTS - 25/25 PAIR**

**STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EVENT 8**

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00

**TROPHIES**

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**TROPHIES NOT PICKED UP AT THE STATE SHOOT  
WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE STEER & CALF SHOOT  
DEL-TONE (ST. CLOUD), SEPTEMBER 8 & 9, 2018**

**Trophies not picked up at either shoot  
will be available at 2018 State Shoot**

*Note: Please make mention in the trophy room if your address has changed in the past year.*

## Day 4 – DIAMOND BADGE

Friday, July 6

Registration Opens at 8:00 am • Shooting begins at 9:00 am

## MINNESOTA DIAMOND BADGE

### OPEN TO ALL RESIDENT AND NON-RESIDENT SHOOTERS

25-16 yard target & 25-handicap target Combination event.

Non-registered targets.

Diamond Badge competition will be based upon first 25 targets of Friday's Memorial Handicap and first 25 targets of Saturday's Championship Singles.

Any ties will be determined by subsequent 25's.

Yardage Groups are 18-19.5, 20-22.5, 23-24.5, 25-26.5 and 27.

Trophies Open to Minnesota Residents Only.

Entry – sales tax included.....\$10.00

Purse and Badge (Compulsory - MN Residents only) ..... \$ 3.00

(Five Yardage Groups - 60-40% - Ties Divide)

MTA added money of \$500 divided evenly between the 5 yardage groups

### 50 OPTIONS

\$5.00 on each 50 targets.....\$ 5.00

(One Yardage Group, Open to ALL SHOOTERS)

(Divided 50-30-20% - Ties Divide)

## WHAT IS THE DIAMOND BADGE AND WHY DO WE SHOOT FOR IT?

The historic Minnesota Diamond Badge has been in competition since 1885, when George Baldwin of St. Paul won it with a score of 43x50. The badge was donated by the St. Paul citizens and was competed for at the State Fair. The badge was an elaborate affair in design, with guns and other sporting designs, and carried a perfect one-karat diamond in the center. It was a perpetual badge never to be in the possession of any one individual.

The Minnesota Diamond Badge originally consisted of 26 targets at 16 yards and 12 pair of doubles, for a total of 50 targets. It was considered the Minnesota State Championship from 1885 through 1913 until the American Trapshooting began State Championships in 1914.

Each year Minnesota shooters relive the past by competing in a fun shoot with hopes of being honored a Diamond Badge replica. While the shoot format has changed, the competitive spirit associated with Diamond Badge lives on. Good luck today, shooters!

*The Minnesota Trapshooting Association is the current custodian and it is kept locked away in a safety deposit box in St. Cloud, MN.*

## Day 4 – MINNESOTA DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Friday, July 6

Registration Opens at 8:00 am • Shooting begins at 9:00 am

### ~ EVENT 10 ~

## MINNESOTA MEMORIAL HANDICAP

**Sponsored by Shamrock Leathers**

**100 HANDICAP TARGETS - 18 to 27 yds**

Minimum of \$1000 added money, guaranteed by MTA.

Added Monies Divided 40-30-20-10. Ties Divide.

Additional Monies Paid Out \$100 Each

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
6 Way Purse (Paid 25-15-10% ; 25-15-10% Ties Divide).....	\$25.00
Open Purse – (One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
Yardage Purse – (Paid per Yardage Group,* One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00

\*Yardage Groups are 18-22.5, 23-24.5, 25-26.5, and 27

### OPEN OPTIONS 18 to 27 yds

\$5 .00 on each 25 targets – (One Money - Ties Divide).....	\$20.00
\$10.00 on each 50 targets – (Divided 50-30-20% - Ties Divide).....	\$30.00
<small>Based on the First, Middle &amp; Last 50</small>	
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00
DIAMOND BADGE (as listed above)	

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

## Contributions requested for MEMORIAL HANDICAP

Please consider donating generously to the  
**MINNESOTA MEMORIAL HANDICAP EVENT**

in memory of our  
deceased trapshooters and family members

~ all contributions will be listed on the grounds ~

**See Pat Laib or Tom Brooks to donate**

*Thank you in advance for your support*

**Day 4 – continued**  
**Friday, July 6**

**~ EVENT 11 ~**

**MINNESOTA DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Sponsored by Minneapolis Gun Club**

**CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D**

**50 PAIR DOUBLES - TWO SUB EVENTS - 25/25 PAIR**

**STARTING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EVENT 10**

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee – (if not paid on previous event).....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun).....	\$10.00
\$5.00 on each 50 targets.....	\$10.00
(AAA, AA, A, Divided 60-40% Each Class - Ties Divide)	
(B, C, D, Divided 50-30-20% Each Class - Ties Divide)	
Lewis (Four Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00

**TROPHIES**

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**MTA SHOOTER  
RECOGNITION BANQUET**

Please consider joining the MTA Board of Directors for our Annual Shooter Recognition Banquet on Friday, July 6, 2018. President Scott Messenger will honor many Minnesota shooters, including our 2017 Minnesota State Team Members. A Live Auction benefiting the Minnesota Youth Fund will follow the banquet.

The banquet will proceed after the shooting concludes for the day.

## Day 5 – MINNESOTA SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, July 7

Registration Opens at 7:00 am • Shooting begins at 8:00 am

### ~ EVENT 12 ~

## FEDERAL AMMUNITION

## MINNESOTA SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

### CLASSES AAA, AA, A, B, C & D

#### 200 - 16 YD TARGETS

Entry – (sales tax included) .....	\$68.00
ATA Fee .....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee .....	\$ 3.00
Class Purse – (One Money Each 5 Entries - High Gun) .....	\$10.00

#### 100 OPTIONS

\$5.00 on each 100 targets .....	\$10.00
(AAA, AA, A, Divided 60-40% Each Class - Ties Divide)	
(B,C,D, Divided 50-30-20% Each Class - Ties Divide)	

Lewis (Five Classes - 200 Targets) – (Divided 40-30-20-10% Each Class - High Gun) .....	\$10.00
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*Note: Sub-Juniors, Juniors and Junior Gold must shoot 200 targets to qualify for trophies*

### TWO PERSON TEAM RACE (Two Classes)

Class One (\$2.00 each) .....	\$ 4.00
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This class includes any two shooters whose combined 16 yard averages in the 2016 ATA Average Book (registered targets shot during 2016) **does not exceed 96%**

Class Two (\$2.00 each) .....	\$ 4.00
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This class includes any two shooters whose combined 16 yard averages in the 2016 ATA Average Book (registered targets shot during 2016) **does not exceed 93%**

You must pick your partner before shooting. Each class shoots for their own money and each shooter may enter only one class. There will be \$50 added to each class, high gun 50-30-20%.

### TROPHIES

Refer to Trophy List on page 16

# Day 6 – MINNESOTA HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIP

## Sunday, July 8

### ~ EVENT 14 ~

## ALEX POWER EQUIPMENT & KUBOTA TRACTOR CORP MINNESOTA HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIP

Immediately following the MTA Annual Meeting at 8:00 AM

100 HANDICAP TARGETS - 18 to 27 yards

Entry – (sales tax included).....	\$34.00
ATA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
MTA Fee.....	\$ 3.00
Yardage Purse – (Paid per Yardage Group,* One Money Each 7 Entries - High Gun).....	\$20.00
*Yardage Groups are 18-22.5, 23-24.5, 25-26.5, and 27	
Jackpot Purse (Open) – (Divided 40-30-20-10% - Ties Divide).....	\$25.00
6 Way Purse (Paid 25-15-10% ; 25-15-10% Ties Divide).....	\$25.00
Hall of Fame (100 targets).....	\$20.00
Oak & Leather Wall Clock Trophy	
\$10.00 Returned in 3 Lewis Classes (Divided 60-40% - High Gun)	
Balance donated to support the ATA Hall of Fame	

### OPEN OPTIONS 18 to 27 yds

\$5 .00 on each 25 targets – (One Money - Ties Divide).....	\$20.00
\$10.00 on each 50 targets – (Divided 50-30-20% - Ties Divide).....	\$30.00
Based on the First, Middle & Last 50	
Lewis (Five Classes) – (Divided 40-30-20-10 Each Class - High Gun).....	\$10.00

### TROPHIES

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# MTA PAST SINGLES CHAMPIONS

## MEN

1914	F. A. Richter	Minneapolis	98 x 100	1969	Allen Heil	Glencoe	200 x 200
1915	F. S. Novotny	St. Paul	96 x 100	1970	Pete Soubra	Minneapolis	200 x 200
1916	S. W. Hamilton	St. Paul	96 x 100	1971	Paul Robey	Minneapolis	199 x 200
1917	C. A. Nason	Thief River Falls	99 x 100	1972	Erwin Adickes	Montrose	199 x 200
1918	Dr. F. H.	Allen Staples	97 x 100	1973	Roger Lorenzen	Grand Meadow	199 x 200
1919	John Harker	Minneapolis	287 x 300	1974	Gerald Bauer	Anoka	200 x 200
1920	F. A. Richter	Minneapolis	292 x 300	1975	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	199 x 200
1921	Loren Hazelwood	Minneapolis	198 x 200	1976	Doug Sundberg	Richville	200 x 200
1922	Dave Fauskee	Worthington	194 x 200	1977	Doug Sundberg	Richville	200 x 200
1923	Dave Fauskee	Worthington	194 x 200	1978	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1924	Dr. Roy Williams	Brainerd	195 x 200	1979	John Wong	Fridley	200 x 200
1925	Jack Fink	Worthington	191 x 200	1980	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	200 x 200
1926	Jack Fauskee	Worthington	195 x 200	1981	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1927	Dave Fauskee	Worthington	195 x 200	1982	John Wong	Fridley	199 x 200
1928	F. Theirault	Pennington	193 x 200	1983	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1929	Jim Dickey	Minneapolis	196 x 200	1984	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1930	Ed Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	194 x 200	1985	Ralph Weber	White Bear Lake	200 x 200
1931	Forest Saunders	Minneapolis	197 x 200	1986	Doug Sundberg	Richville	200 x 200
1932	Jack Cunningham	Sturgeon Lake	198 x 200	1987	Jeff Deschepper	Marshall	200 x 200
1933	George Jewett	Anoka	198 x 200	1988	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1934	Jack Cunningham	Sturgeon Lake	197 x 200	1989	Jeff Deschepper	Marshall	200 x 200
1935	Horace Aldritt	Excelsior	198 x 200	1990	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1936	Harry Maginnis	Minneapolis	196 x 200	1991	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1937	Jim Kelly	St. Paul	199 x 200	1992	Neil Winston	St. Paul	200 x 200
1938	Art Finney	Mankato	197 x 200	1993	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1939	Fred Menth	Robinsdale	200 x 200	1994	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	199 x 200
1940	L. H. King	Fergus Falls	98 x 100	1995	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1941	Otto Nelson	Albert Lea	96 x 100	1996	Jeff Zarn	Sleepy Eye	200 x 200
1942	Junior Dick	Minneapolis	198 x 200	1997	Jeff Deschepper	Marshall	200 x 200
1943	R. A. Purdie	Albert Lea	196 x 200	1998	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1944	Merville Bray	Blooming Prairie	98 x 100	1999	Doug Sundberg	Richville	200 x 200
1945	Otto Nelson	Albert Lea	100 x 100	2000	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1946	A. F. Jones	Thief River Falls	100 x 100	2001	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1947	Art Holm	Minneapolis	199 x 200	2002	Doug Sundberg	Richville	200 x 200
1948	Art Finney	Mankato	198 x 200	2003	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1949	Howard Dirlam	Truman	198 x 200	2004	Scott Green	Alexandria	200 x 200
1950	Gil Hartley	Duluth	195 x 200	2005	Christopher Larson	Glencoe	200 x 200
1951	Gil Hartley	Duluth	195 x 200	2006	Glen Lonneman	Worthington	199 x 200
1952	Clair Lantz	St. Cloud	199 x 200	2007	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	200 x 200
1953	Art Finney	Mankato	197 x 200	2008	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	195 x 200
1954	Art Larson	Wells	198 x 200	2009	Eric Munson	Cokato	200 x 200
1955	Bard Higgins	Duluth	200 x 200	2010	Dean Neumann	Dakota	200 x 200
1956	Art Larson	Worthington	195 x 200	2011	Nick Kubasch	New Germany	200 x 200
1957	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	200 x 200	2012	Glenn Linden	Spring Lake Park	200 x 200
1958	Rube Larson	Wells	198 x 200	2013	Nik Fetzik	Pengilly	200 x 200
1959	Art Holm	Minneapolis	197 x 200	2014	Pat Laib	Spicer	200 x 200
1960	Art Finney	Mankato	199 x 200	2015	Frank Redfield	Cohasset	200 x 200
1961	Bard Higgins	Duluth	199 x 200	2016	Nik Fetzik	Pengilly	200 x 200
1962	Carl Gustafson	Anoka	199 x 200	2017	Nick Kubasch	New Germany	200 x 200
1963	Jimmy Higgins	Anoka	199 x 200				
1964	Stan Watson Jr.	Anoka	199 x 200				
1965	Henry Hein	LeCrescent	200 x 200				
1966	Al Degner	Owatonna	199 x 200				
1967	Bard Higgins	Duluth	199 x 200				
1968	Henry Hein	LeCrescent	200 x 200				

## WOMEN

1959	Virginia Space	Anoka	92 x 100	1993	Rhonda Reysack.	Morristown	197 x 200
1960	Eulalie Higgins	Duluth	96 x 100	1994	Betty Elstad	Duluth	196 x 200
1961	Anna Wosmek.	Minneapolis	96 x 100	1995	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka.	198 x 200
1962	Eulalie Higgins	Duluth	94 x 100	1996	Stephanie Cross	Eden Prairie	192 x 200
1963	Eulalie Higgins	Duluth	193 x 200	1997	Deborah Deering	So. St. Paul	195 x 200
1964	Eulalie Higgins	Duluth	193 x 200	1998	Heather Clement	Fridley	197 x 200
1965	Eulalie Higgins	Duluth	190 x 200	1999	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	197 x 200
1966	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	197 x 200	2000	Linda Roskos	Grand Rapids	198 x 200
1967	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	196 x 200	2001	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	197 x 200
1968	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	197 x 200	2002	Jamie Iverson	Annandale.	198 x 200
1969	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	194 x 200	2003	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	197 x 200
1970	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	198 x 200	2004	Kelsey Zauhar	Lakeville	198 x 200
1971	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	197 x 200	2005	Tammy Heintz	La Crescent	197 x 200
1972	Audrey Grosch.	Minneapolis	189 x 200	2006	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	197 x 200
1973	Maureen Buening	St. Cloud	196 x 200	2007	Christine Griffin	Bryclyn	197 x 200
1974	Harriet Spletstoeszer	Delano	189 x 200	2008	Katie Townsend	Alexandria	192 x 200
1975	Harriet Spletstoeszer	Delano	192 x 200	2009	Christine Griffin	Bryclyn	198 x 200
1976	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	194 x 200	2010	Krysta Miller	Hibbing	197 x 200
1977	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	198 x 200	2011	Mariah Michaelis	Monticello	197 x 200
1978	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	195 x 200	2012	Mariah Michaelis-LI	Monticello	197 x 200
1979	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	197 x 200		Sue Gillard-LI	Glenville	193 x 200
1980	Virginia Schmidt.	Prior Lake	197 x 200	2013	Rachel Stoddard-LI	Tower	199 x 200
1981	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	199 x 200		Kathleen Shane-LI	Fairmont	194 x 200
1982	Mary Churchill.	Montrose	197 x 200	2014	Mariah Michaelis-LI	Monticello	199 x 200
1983	Virginia Schmidt.	Prior Lake	197 x 200		Betty Walker-LI	Grand Rapids	187 x 200
1984	Virginia Schmidt.	Prior Lake	197 x 200	2015	Vicky Townsend-LI	Alexandria	195 x 200
1985	Virginia Schmidt.	Prior Lake	198 x 200		Betty Walker-LI	Grand Rapids	189 x 200
1986	Mary Churchill.	Montrose	196 x 200	2016	Morgan Pysk-LI	Albertville	196 x 200
1987	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	199 x 200		Janice Perron Stock-LI	White Bear Lake	192 x 200
1988	Mary Churchill	Montrose	196 x 200	2017	Morgan Pysk-LI	Albertville	197 x 200
1989	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	199 x 200		Janice Perron Stock-LI	White Bear Lake	193 x 200
1990	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	198 x 200				
1991	Mary Churchill.	Montrose	197 x 200				
1992	Lou Ann Munson	Howard Lake	198 x 200				

## VETERAN

1976	Phil Theilman	St. Cloud	196 x 200	1998	Clifford Horgen	Babbitt	196 x 200
1977	Gil Wildung	Nassau	196 x 200	1999	Walt Gustafson	Becker	198 x 200
1978	Dutch Bakker	Rochester	197 x 200	2000	Gary Lindberg	Wyoming	198 x 200
1979	Allen Degner	Owatonna	193 x 200	2001	Jerome Perron	White Bear Lake	200 x 200
1980	Gil Wildung	Nassau	193 x 200	2002	Jerome Perron	White Bear Lake	200 x 200
1981	Robert Putnam	St. Paul	195 x 200	2003	Jerome Perron	White Bear Lake	199 x 200
1982	John Buening	St. Cloud.	198 x 200	2004	Pete Floe	Blaine	198 x 200
1983	Orian Frost.	Sleepy Eye	199 x 200	2005	B. D. Thompson	St. Cloud	198 x 200
1984	Phil Theilman	St. Cloud	191 x 200	2006	John Bacon	Maple Grove	196 x 200
1985	Curtis Hanson	Babbot	193 x 200	2007	Neil Winston	St. Paul	199 x 200
1986	Robert Putnam	St. Paul	195 x 200	2008	Dennis Swearingen	Cass Lake	191 x 200
1987	Walt Smith	Cohasset	191 x 200	2009	Dennis Swearingen	Cass Lake	199 x 200
1988	Lewis Judd	Rochester	198 x 200	2010	George Sebek	Elk River	199 x 200
1989	Robert Redfield	Cloquet	199 x 200	2011	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	198 x 200
1990	Robert Redfield	Cloquet	199 x 200	2012	Dale Otis	Rochester	199 x 200
1991	Loren Hentges	Blaine	196 x 200	2013	Dean Walker	Grand Rapids	200 x 200
1992	Robert Redfield	Cloquet	196 x 200	2014	James Lembke	Albert Lea	198 x 200
1993	Loren Hentges	Blaine	197 x 200	2015	Sam Bailey	Rochester	199 x 200
1994	Richard Thompson	Glenwood	197 x 200	2016	Bill VanNieuwenhuyzen		
1995	Harold Ibach	White Bear Lake	195 x 200			Chandler	199 x 200
1996	Lou Kosiba	St. Cloud	200 x 200	2017	Randy Cook	Deer River	200 x 200
1997	James Anderson	Granite Falls	197 x 200				

## SENIOR VETERAN

1987	Orian Forst.	Sleepy Eye.	195 x 200	2003	Walt Gustafson	Becker	198 x 200
1988	Robert Putnam	St. Paul	192 x 200	2004	Robert Arnold	Maplewood	197 x 200
1989	Robert Putnam	St. Paul	187 x 200	2005	Walt Gustafson	Becker	197 x 200
1990	Orian Forst.	Sleepy Eye	195 x 200	2006	Keith Thraen	Oakdale	194 x 200
1991	Robert Putnam	St. Paul	194 x 200	2007	Ken Koester	Effie	199 x 200
1992	Arland Wisted	Detroit Lakes	198 x 200	2008	Roger Hanson	Grove City	183 x 200
1993	R. W. Putnam	St. Paul	194 x 200	2009	John Bacon.	Maple Grove	197 x 200
1994	Thomas Brack	Pierz	197 x 200	2010	Doc Hanson	Alexandria.	198 x 200
1995	Arland Wisted	Detroit Lakes	191 x 200	2011	Neil Winston.	St. Paul	198 x 200
1996	Thomas Brack	Pierz	192 x 200	2012	Lou Kosiba	Waite Park	198 x 200
1997	Loren Hentges	Blaine	196 x 200	2013	Lou Kosiba	Waite Park	199 x 200
1998	Loren Hentges	Blaine	199 x 200	2014	Lou Kosiba	Waite Park	199 x 200
1999	Loren Hentges	Blaine	197 x 200	2015	Glenn McLeod	Grand Rapids	197 x 200
2000	Dean Christian	Mankato	197 x 200	2016	David C. Gorham	Princeton	197 x 200
2001	Loren Hentges	Blaine	197 x 200	2017	Dale Otis	Rochester	198 x 200
2002	Thomas Brack	Pierz	198 x 200				

## SUB-VETERAN

2012	Doug Sundberg	Richville	200 x 200	2015	Dean Neumann	Dakota	198 x 200
2013	John Smolnikar	Duluth	199 x 200	2016	David Olson	Coon Rapids	198 x 200
2014	David Olson	Coon Rapids	199 x 200	2017	Mark Stevens	Buffalo	199 x 200

## SUB-JUNIOR

1976	Scott Voss	LeSueur	85 x 100	1999	Thomas Neuman	Rochester	194 x 200
1977	Tim Bushaw	Oslo	98 x 100	2000	Reed Wokasch	Fairmont	197 x 200
1978	Jeff Gorres.	Afton	93 x 100	2001	Matt Krech	St. Paul	192 x 200
1979	Jim Churchill	Montrose	88 x 100	2002	Reed Wokasch	Fairmont	195 x 200
1980	Brian Rubedor	Owatonna	95 x 100	2003	Brody Padgett	Fairmont	199 x 200
1981	Don Bokiniskie	Little Falls	96 x 100	2004	Trent Sovde	Greenbush	196 x 200
1982	Mike Hasch	Prior Lake	93 x 100	2005	Trent Sovde	Greenbush	192 x 200
1983	John Bodine	Forest Lake	96 x 100	2006	Ethan J. Teveldal	Fairmont.	195 x 200
1984	Leif Anderson	Lakeland	94 x 100	2007	Anthony Friesen	Detroit Lakes	195 x 200
1985	Scott Hasselgrave	St. Paul	92 x 100	2008	Anthony Friesen	Detroit Lakes	192 x 200
1986	Rhonda Reysack	Morristown	191 x 200	2009	Andrew Rentschler	Alexandria	189 x 200
1987	Rhonda Reysack	Morristown	188 x 200	2010	Nik Fetzik	Pengilly	194 x 200
1988	Todd Robyn	Isanti	193 x 200	2011	Colton Langer	Shoreview	194 x 200
1989	Kevin Veches.	Buffalo	194 x 200	2012	Emma Olson	St. Michael	196 x 200
1990	Lisa Anderson	Cambridge	188 x 200	2013	Hunter Hedtke	Big Lake	197 x 200
1991	Mike Wiltse	Oakdale	184 x 200	2014	Max Bunning	Plymouth	199 x 200
1992	Mike Wiltse	Oakdale	189 x 200	2015	Max Bunning	Plymouth	199 x 200
1993	Joseph Pfarr	LeSueur	187 x 200	2016	Woody Glazer	New Prague	199 x 200
1994	Nick Westlie	Bemidji	193 x 200	2017	Carson Tauber	Glenwood	200 x 200
1995	Ryan Paulson	Glenville	181 x 200				
1996	Heath Rippenthrop	Albert Lea	188 x 200				
1997	Ryan Paulson	Glenville	186 x 200				
1998	Reed Wokasch.	Fairmont.	184 x 200				

## JUNIOR

1959	Stan Wilson Jr.	Thief River Falls	92 x 100	1991	Kevin Veches	Buffalo	196 x 200
1960	Craig Larson	Albert Lea	98 x 100	1992	Kevin Veches	Buffalo	200 x 200
1961	Joe Moe	Minneapolis	97 x 100	1993	Ryan Peterson	Blue Earth	194 x 200
1962	Craig Hall	West Concord	99 x 100	1994	Jeff Zarn	Sleepy Eye	195 x 200
1963	Darryl Holm	Minneapolis	193 x 200	1995	Josh Geisinger	Annandale	194 x 200
1964	Michael Higgins	Duluth	193 x 200	1996	Josh Geisinger	Annandale	194 x 200
1965	Craig Hall	West Concord	195 x 200	1997	Kris Haug	Albert Lea	198 x 200
1966	Randy Cook	Deer River	195 x 200	1998	Jacob Kelly	Cokato	197 x 200
1967	Randy Cook	Deer River	195 x 200	1999	Jacob Kelly	Cokato	196 x 200
1968	Randy Cook	Deer River	195 x 200	2000	Thomas Neuman	Rochester	197 x 200
1969	David Shaw	Winona	197 x 200	2001	David Michaelis	Monticello	197 x 200
1970	John Waseca	Sauk River	197 x 200	2002	Thomas Neuman	Rochester	199 x 200
1971	John Waseca	Sauk River	193 x 200	2003	Bryan Stuntebeck	Wadena	199 x 200
1972	Randy Voss	LeSueur	199 x 200	2004	Chad Kubasch	New Germany	200 x 200
1973	Randy Voss	LeSueur	196 x 200	2005	Chad Kubasch	New Germany	196 x 200
1974	Randy Voss	LeSueur	199 x 200	2006	Drake Dill	Crane Lake	197 x 200
1975	Randy Voss	LeSueur	194 x 200	2007	Matt Sonnen	Stillwater	197 x 200
1976	Robert Mathison	Duluth	199 x 200	2008	John Wenner	Excelsior	190 x 200
1977	Jim Baumann	Austin	198 x 200	2009	Alex Steffens	St. Michael	198 x 200
1978	Troy Haverly	New London	192 x 200	2010	Kyle Riihinen	Hibbing	196 x 200
1979	Patrick Gorrberg	Wells	197 x 200	2011	Zach Warweg	New Market	199 x 200
1980	Mike Mattis	Minnetonka	192 x 200	2012	Nik Fetzik	Pengilly	199 x 200
1981	Brian Rubedor	Owatonna	195 x 200	2013	Kurt Potter	Montrose	200 x 200
1982	Brian Rubedor	Owatonna	189 x 200	2014	Justin Lavine	Buffalo	199 x 200
1983	Eric Wigand	Crookston	193 x 200	2015	Kory Miller	Apple Valley	199 x 200
1984	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	191 x 200	2016	Jesse Groen	Ham Lake	198 x 200
1985	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	196 x 200	2017	Ben Rodelius	Maple Lake	198 x 200
1986	Scott Berning	St. Michael	200 x 200				
1987	John Ulvin	Forest Lake	196 x 200				
1988	Mark Fritz	Winona	196 x 200				
1989	Eric Overby	Prior Lake	194 x 200				
1990	Kevin Veches	Buffalo	198 x 200				

## JUNIOR GOLD

2012	Anthony Friesen	Detroit Lakes	198 x 200	2015	Zach Warweg	Elko-New Market	200 x 200
2013	Lucas Koch	Wheaton	198 x 200	2016	Corey Heitz	Belle Plaine	199 x 200
2014	Joshua Taylor	Monticello	198 x 200	2017	Calvin Nodale	Detroit Lakes	200 x 200

### HOW THE ATA SUPPORTS STATE ORGANIZATIONS

The ATA, in its program of building strong state associations, aids them financially. From each \$20 ATA annual membership, \$2 is returned to the state organization. From each \$500 ATA life membership, \$250 is returned to the state organization over a ten (10) year period, and part is retained in a special ATA emergency fund.

From the \$3 daily fee you pay, twenty percent (20%) is returned to the state organization.

**The MTA's refund for 2017 from the ATA is \$5,587.00**

## MTA HANDICAP CHAMPIONS

1923	John Anderson	Minneapolis	92 x 100	1975	Lyle Parks	Carlton	98 x 100
1924	Gus Evander	Wheaton	97 x 100	1976	Paul Glaeser	Waconia	98 x 100
1925	Tom Stevens	Minneapolis	94 x 100	1977	D. R. Lee	Albert Lea	99 x 100
1926	John Anderson	Minneapolis	96 x 100	1978	Mike Borman	Lindstrom	97 x 100
1927	Dick Berens	Litchfield	97 x 100	1979	Richard Thompson	Glenwood	98 x 100
1928	George Schaut	Minneapolis	89 x 100	1980	Richard Blitvich	St. Cloud	98 x 100
1930	August Kothe	Aitkin	96 x 100	1981	Pat Fischer	Thief River Falls	98 x 100
1930	A. O. Feirabend	Grey Eagle	94 x 100	1982	Lawrence Dick	Buffalo	97 x 100
1931	E. L. King	Winona	97 x 100	1983	Dennis Vlasak	New Hope	98 x 100
1932	J. H. Adams	Minneapolis	96 x 100	1984	Tom Townsend	Alexandria	99 x 100
1933	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	98 x 100	1985	Phil Theilman	St. Cloud	99 x 100
1934	Harry Maginnis	Minneapolis	96 x 100	1986	Marlon Quiggle	Fairbault	96 x 100
1935	Al Aldritt	Minneapolis	96 x 100	1987	Virgil Fedorenko	Lakeland Shores	97 x 100
1936	Ed Honor	St. Cloud	90 x 100	1988	Scott Splettsoeszer	Delano	97 x 100
1937	Otto Weber	Albert Lea	97 x 100	1989	Terry Clark	Eagan	99 x 100
1938	Ernie Maetzold	Minneapolis	98 x 100	1990	David DeMars	Fairbault	99 x 100
1939	J. A. Johnson	Breckenridge	93 x 100	1991	Lem Pierce	Bemidji	98 x 100
1940	Arnold Souba	Graceville	98 x 100	1992	Lee Freeman	Jackson	97 x 100
1941	Sam Micka	Hibbing	95 x 100	1993	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	96 x 100
1942	Vince Foster	Springfield	98 x 100	1994	Robert Gieminski	Winona	98 x 100
1943	Ervin Maile	Austin	98 x 100	1995	Josh Gagner	St. Cloud	96 x 100
1944	Roger Dell	Fergus Falls	93 x 100	1996	John Kramer	Winona	96 x 100
1945	Carl Schultz	Winona	92 x 100	1997	Harold Link	Caledonia	99 x 100
1946	Vince Foster	Springfield	94 x 100	1998	James Vargo	Bloomington	99 x 100
1947	Ed Colosky	Hopkins	96 x 100	1999	Veryl Olson	Brooklyn Park	97 x 100
1948	B. W. Orne	Ortonville	96 x 100	2000	Gene Kaehler	Winona	99 x 100
1949	Roy Miller	Grove City	97 x 100	2001	Dean Neumann	Dakota	99 x 100
1950	Ernie Maetzold	Minneapolis	97 x 100	2002	Jim Deering	Inver Grove Hts.	100 x 100
1951	W. A. Bruckbauer	Sleepy Eye	94 x 100	2003	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	99 x 100
1952	Merville Bray	Blooming Prairie	97 x 100	2004	Mike Huias	Sleepy Eye	99 x 100
1953	Mike Mulder	Minneapolis	99 x 100	2005	Mark Zauhar	Lakeville	99 x 100
1954	Gil Wildung	Nassau	98 x 100	2006	David Allen Sholes	Utica	99 x 100
1955	Jim Greenwood	Fergus Falls	97 x 100	2007	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	100 x 100
1956	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	98 x 100	2008	Dean Neumann	Dakota	96 x 100
1957	Al Fontana	Minneapolis	99 x 100	2009	Alex Steffens	St. Michael	99 x 100
1958	Al Degner	Owatonna	95 x 100	2010	Calvin Nadsle	Detroit Lakes	99 x 100
1959	Earl Sinna	St. Paul	99 x 100	2011	Richard Wolfe	Fairmont	99 x 100
1960	C. E. Purdie	Fairbault	99 x 100	2012	Scott Messenger	Winona	99 x 100
1961	Tom Carter	Minneapolis	97 x 100	2013	Jason Vlasak	Princeton	100 x 100
1962	LeRoy Barret	Winona	98 x 100	2014	Bob Petty	Annandale	98 x 100
1963	Michael Kelly	Minneapolis	93 x 100	2015	Max Bunning	Plymouth	99 x 100
1964	Stan Wilson Jr.	Thief River Falls	97 x 100	2016	Zach Warweg	Elko New Market	99 x 100
1965	Jimmy Higgins	Duluth	98 x 100	2017	Matt Bickell	Waseca	100 x 100
1966	Allen Heil	Glencoe	99 x 100				
1967	Hans Johnson	Grand Rapids	98 x 100				
1968	Carl Borgen	Virginia	100 x 100				
1969	Fred Silvas	St. Paul	97 x 100				
1970	Roger Bohm	Princeton	100 x 100				
1971	Charles Fish	Hibbing	96 x 100				
1972	Dave Lorenzen	Grand Meadow	96 x 100				
1973	Larry Wilson	Austin	96 x 100				
1974	Kevin Hewlett	Rochester	96 x 100				

## MTA DOUBLES CHAMPIONS

1923	G. E. Eastman	Minneapolis	46 x 50	1975	Henry Hein	LaCrescent	93 x 100
1924	Gus Evander	Wheaton	92 x 100	1976	Jim Ostrander	Cohasset	99 x 100
1925	H. W. Freeman	Wadena	44 x 50	1977	Allen Heil	Glencoe	98 x 100
1926	Jim Guthrie	St. Paul	46 x 50	1978	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	99 x 100
1927	I. H. Dart	Minneapolis	45 x 50	1979	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	98 x 100
1928	Ed Micah	Hibbing	45 x 50	1980	Jim Heckroth	Newfolden	99 x 100
1929	Harry Maginnis	Minneapolis	47 x 50	1981	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	97 x 100
1930	L. Welland	LeSueur	47 x 50	1982	Pat Laib	Spicer	97 x 100
1931	Roger Fawcett	Minneapolis	95 x 100	1983	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	97 x 100
1932	Jack Cunningham	Sturgeon Lake	94 x 100	1984	Bob Elstad	Duluth	97 x 100
1933	George Jewett	Anoka	92 x 100	1985	Robert Redfield	Cloquet	99 x 100
1934	Harry Maginnis	Minneapolis	94 x 100	1986	Charles Lindberg	Champlin	97 x 100
1935	J. A. Johnson	Breckenridge	91 x 100	1987	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	99 x 100
1936	Junior Dick	Minneapolis	88 x 100	1988	Jeff Deschepper	Marshall	97 x 100
1937	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	97 x 100	1989	Ted Pohlman	Lakefield	99 x 100
1938	Junior Dick	Minneapolis	94 x 100	1990	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	99 x 100
1939	Junior Dick	Minneapolis	88 x 100	1991	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1940	Junior Dick	Minneapolis	92 x 100	1992	Dean Neumann	Dakota	99 x 100
1941	Roy Miller	Grove City	93 x 100	1993	Jason Dobrinz	Rochester	100 x 100
1942	Arnold Souba	Graceville	94 x 100	1994	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1943	Junior Dick	Minneapolis	45 x 50	1995	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	99 x 100
1944	Matt Youngman	Sleepy Eye	48 x 50	1996	Jeff Deschepper	Marshall	99 x 100
1945	Unknown		No Score	1997	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	98 x 100
1946	Arnold Souba	Graceville	46 x 50	1998	Doug Sundberg	Richville	99 x 100
1947	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	88 x 100	1999	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	97 x 100
1948	Don Graham	Winona	96 x 100	2000	Scott Berning	Hanover	98 x 100
1949	Don Graham	Winona	96 x 100	2001	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	100 x 100
1950	Art Finney	Mankato	97 x 100	2002	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1951	Art Finney	Mankato	93 x 100	2003	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1952	Mike Mulder	Minneapolis	90 x 100	2004	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1953	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	95 x 100	2005	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1954	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	93 x 100	2006	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1955	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	90 x 100	2007	Pat Gottberg	Wells	99 x 100
1956	Art Finney	Mankato	93 x 100	2008	Jim Bruce	Rochester	97 x 100
1957	Jimmy Beuning	St. Cloud	93 x 100	2009	Walter Shelstad	Buffalo	99 x 100
1958	Don Baker	Rochester	90 x 100	2010	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	99 x 100
1959	erry Novotny	St. Paul	93 x 100	2011	Eric Munson	Howard Lake	100 x 100
1960	Bard Higgins	Duluth	93 x 100	2012	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	99 x 100
1961	Clarence Olson	Owatonna	93 x 100	2013	Nick Kubasch	New Germany	99 x 100
1962	Art Finney	Mankato	95 x 100	2014	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	100 x 100
1963	Jerry Novotny	St. Paul	95 x 100	2015	Peter Walker	Sartell	100 x 100
1964	Bard Higgins	Duluth	98 x 100	2016	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	99 x 100
1965	Stan Watson Jr.	Thief River Falls	95 x 100	2017	Eric Munson	Cokato	99 x 100
1966	Al Degner	Owatonna	87 x 100				
1967	Craig Hall	West Concord	97 x 100				
1968	Loral I. Delaney	Anoka	98 x 100				
1969	Craig Hall	West Concord	97 x 100				
1970	Ed Zimgible	Anoka	98 x 100				
1971	Virgil Western	Rothsay	97 x 100				
1972	Henry Hein	LaCrescent	93 x 100				
1973	Stan Wilson Jr.	Thief River Falls	99 x 100				
1974	Robert Folley	Zimmerman	98 x 100				

## MTA HIGH ALL AROUND CHAMPIONS

1959	Jerry Novotny	White Bear Lake	383 x 400	1991	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	394 x 400
1960	Paul Kelly	Duluth	381 x 400	1992	Gary Lindberg	Wyoming	390 x 400
1961	Ray Zweiner	Blooming Prairie	377 x 400	1993	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	390 x 400
1962	Jerry Novotny	White Bear Lake	385 x 400	1994	Larry Freeman	Fairmont	388 x 400
1963	Jerry Novotny	White Bear Lake	377 x 400	1995	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	393 x 400
1964	Stan Wilson Jr	Thief River Falls	383 x 400	1996	Dean Neumann	Dakota	386 x 400
1965	James Higgins	Duluth	388 x 400	1997	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	389 x 400
1966	Henry HeinLa	Crescent	383 x 400	1998	Douglas Sundberg	Richville	396 x 400
1967	Craig HallWest	Concord	391 x 400	1999	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	392 x 400
1968	Dr Richard Moyer	Hibbing	391 x 400	2000	Jeff Zarn	Sleepy Eye	395 x 400
1969	Allen Heil	Glencoe	389 x 400	2001	Dean Neumann	Dakota	396 x 400
1970	Ralph Nissen	Anoka	388 x 400	2002	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	397 x 400
1971	Allen Heil	Glencoe	389 x 400	2003	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	399 x 400
1972	Henry Hein	La Crescent	389 x 400	2004	William Van Nieuwenhuyzen	Chandler	395 x 400
1973	Henry Hein	La Crescent	382 x 400				
1974	Dr Don Westman	Plymouth	380 x 400	2005	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	392 x 400
1975	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	386 x 400	2006	Eric Munson	Cokato	395 x 400
1976	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	386 x 400	2007	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	396 x 400
1977	Doug Sundberg	Richville	389 x 400	2008	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	382 x 400
1978	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	396 x 400	2009	Eric Munson	Cokato	394 x 400
1979	Jim Heckroth	Newfolden	393 x 400	2010	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	391 x 400
1980	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	388 x 400	2011	Glen Lonneman	Worthington	391 x 400
1981	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	391 x 400	2012	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	393 x 400
1982	Pat Rischer	Thief River Falls	382 x 400	2013	Nick Kubasch	New Germany	393 x 400
1983	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	391 x 400	2014	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	394 x 400
1984	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	384 x 400	2015	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	394 x 400
1985	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	392 x 400	2016	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	398 x 400
1986	Dan Cambell	Oslo	388 x 400	2017	Eric Munson	Cokato	393 x 400
1987	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	390 x 400				
1988	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	392 x 400				
1989	Tom Larkin	Kenyon	391 x 400				
1990	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	396 x 400				

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1965	Craig Hall	West Concord	658 x 700	1987	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	772 x 800
1966	James Higgins	Duluth	663 x 700	1988	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	775 x 800
1966	Henry Hein	LaCrescent	663 x 700	1989	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	764 x 800
1967	Dr Richard Moyer	Hibbing	679 x 700	1990	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	775 x 800
1968	Allen Heil	Glencoe	770 x 800	1991	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	780 x 800
1970	No Name Available		769 x 800	1992	Pat Laib	Spicer	768 x 800
1971	Henry Hein	LaCrescent	753 x 800	1993	William Van Nieuwenhuyzen	Chandler	770 x 800
1972	Henry Hein	LaCrescent	765 x 800				
1973	Roger Lorenzen	Rochester	757 x 800	1994	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	771 x 800
1974	Paul Robey	Minneapolis	747 x 800	1995	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	764 x 800
1975	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	764 x 800	1996	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	764 x 800
1975	Douglas Sundberg	Richville	774 x 800	1997	Eric Munson	Cokato	772 x 800
1976	Douglas Sundberg	Richville	767 x 800	1998	L A Overby	Lakeville	777 x 800
1977	Robert Munson	Howard Lake	769 x 800	1999	Eric Munson	Cokato	770 x 800
1979	David Thoele	Plymouth	761 x 800	2000	William Van Nieuwenhuyzen	Chandler	766 x 800
1980	Jim Heckroth	Thief River Falls	767 x 800				
1981	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	766 x 800	2001	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	778 x 800
1982	Jim Lembke	Albert Lea	750 x 800	2002	Eric Munson	Cokato	791 x 800
1983	Douglas Sundberg	Richville	772 x 800	2003	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	790 x 800
1984	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	767 x 800	2004	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	787 x 800
1985	Robert Redfield	Cloquet	773 x 800	2005	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	780 x 800
1986	Bob Munson	Howard Lake	775 x 800	2006	Eric Munson	Cokato	1082 x 1100

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2007	Eric Munson	Cokato	1070 x 1100	2015	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1076 x 1100
2008	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1063 x 1100	2016	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1078 x 1100
2009	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1078 x 1100	2017	Dean Neumann	Dakota	1070 x 1100
2010	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1072 x 1100				
2011	Eric Munson	Cokato	1075 x 1100				
2012	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1079 x 1100				
2013	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1080 x 1100				
2014	Scott Gens	Vernon Center	1083 x 1100				