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## MSSA Dinner Event In January!!

We have had a great year at MSSA filled with many wonderful events. We know that 2011 is going to be even better and we want you to help us kick it off.

Our annual dinner event is going to be held at the same place as last year and with all the great food again that was raved about in the past as well as the same great desserts.

You are running out of time to get your name in for our annual dinner so stop wasting time and putting it off. Send in your name today along with payment so we can get your spot reserved. We know that we will be giving away another M1 Garand this year. Raffle tickets have been selling well so make sure you get yours now if you cannot attend the dinner.. You can find them on the last page of this newsletter. Simply print out as many as you like and send them in with payment to be entered into the drawing.

Every year we have a guest speaker presentation along with other events like silent auctions or giveaways. We will also be handing out awards that night for different shooters and those who have helped the organization and the causes associated with it.

**Put Jan. 22nd on your Calendar NOW!**



### MEMBERS MEETING

Before the dinner that evening we will have a members meeting starting at around 2:00pm. Association business will be conducted during this time and members are encouraged to attend and at appropriate times give their input. MSSA board members value the involvement of MSSA members in the organization and urge that to continue.

Dinner costs will be \$15 per person. The location is at 5054 Monticello Rd in Jeff City. **Meeting at 2pm and dinner at 6pm.**

Send your reservation into:  
MSSA - Dinner  
PO Box 10170  
Columbia, MO 65205

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# The President's Podium

## Kevin L. Jamison, MSSA President



It has been a memorable year for the shooting community. The Supreme Court ruled that local government must respect our Second Amendment rights. At almost the same time certain judges ruled to restrict those rights. A judge in Westchester county New York is signing “no knock” search warrants to discover if licensed gun owners are storing their guns safely.

Two new cases create trouble when transporting guns across state lines. Federal law under 18 U.S.Code §926A states that guns can be transported through any state, regardless of that state’s law if it is unloaded

and in a locked container, inaccessible and can be possessed in the states of departure and destination. On 22 March, 2010 Gregg C. Revell v Port Authority of New York was handed down in the Third US Circuit followed on 30 June, 2010 by John Torracco v Port Authority of New York in the Second US Circuit court of appeals. They both involved persons who were traveling by air through New York and New Jersey. Each checked his gun at the airport counter under Transport Security Administration regulations, each was arrested and the gun seized. The various plaintiffs sued under 42 U.S. Code §1983. Under that section persons can sue government officials and agencies for violations of federal rights. It appears that §926A is not a federal right; it is at best a defense to criminal charges. Many of these defendants were in New York and New Jersey because their flights had been diverted or delayed. I believe that Torracco was the case where a Port Authority Police Officer proclaimed, “This is New York City, federal law does not apply!” This view of federalism was rejected by a decision at Appomattox courthouse in 1865.

The moral of these cases is that if one checks a firearm with an airline it is imperative not to touch the gun until at the destination. If the aircraft is diverted to another state under no circumstances can the traveler touch the bag holding the firearm. Insist that the airline secure the bag.

In 2008 the Missouri legislature, in its nearly infinite wisdom, changed RSMo 571.070 which bars gun ownership by convicted persons. The new language prohibits possession by convicted persons (but not those who pled guilty). This appeared to bring it in line with the federal statute but it failed to specifically exempt persons who have received pardons, expungements, restoration of rights or a Suspended Imposition of Sentence. It seems that pardons, expungements, restorations of rights or Suspended Impositions of Sentence would have no purpose if the statute applied to those cases. The BATF sees it differently. Recently they have claimed that the Missouri Attorney General sees this statute as affecting persons who have had their records wiped clean. The result is that persons who have ancient, long expunged convictions are suddenly told that they cannot possess firearms or work in the firearms industry. This is wrong on many levels. Rights have been restored to people, and then snatched away without cause. The truly offensive element is that the statute does not have to be interpreted in this fashion. It has always been the law that expungements and pardons and the like have erased convictions. The new statute does not have to be interpreted as requiring a repetition of this principle. In short gun owners who did something stupid a generation ago and went to the trouble of having it removed from their records are being

abused by the same system which proclaims that we have a constitutional right to own guns. The question is what to do.

To help resolve this question everyone should contact their state senator and legislator and have them request that the Attorney General answer the question; "Does 571.070 prohibit firearms possession by any person who has received a pardon, restoration of rights, expungement or suspended imposition of sentence?"

A 2010 amendment to the statute allows persons with felony records to possess replica antique muzzle-loaders. This does not include the "in-line" muzzleloaders, only replicas of antiques. Other states do not allow ex-felons to possess muzzle-loaders at all.

The Department of Conservation has decided to introduce elk into the Ozarks. This angers farmers and endangers drivers but may someday give us a chance for a weekend elk hunt.

Missouri Carry has merged into MSSA, carrying with it a number of members and network of contacts on its web site. This will help promote MSSA to a broader group.

Our Zac Bauer has improved our web site to be of greater service to members and to attract new members.

We have lost Roscoe Morris, a member and Board Member for as long as anyone can remember. When he was no longer able to shoot his greatest joy was to associate with shooters.

Writing this between the twin terrors of Halloween and Election Day I consider the most terrifying news I have received. I am emphatically reminded that John Leinberger is 72 and cannot continue running Junior Activities indefinitely. Anyone who wants to mentor young shooters while learning from the Master, please call my office (816) 455-2669.

As always, I thank-you for the honor of being your president.

## Reserve your seat NOW!!

Reserve your seat at the Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner. To be held January 22, 2011 at DAV chapter 17 building at 5054 Monticello Rd., Jefferson City, Mo.

Meeting to begin at 2pm. and Dinner to begin at 6pm.

Dinner costs will be **\$15 per person** again this year. Same great meal. Same great friends.

Door prizes and silent auctions will again be among the activities.

**This is the place where the drawing for the M1 Garand is held. Send in your tickets included in this newsletter to be eligible.**

Please list Name and number in party.

Send reservation payments to:

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- **Basic Pistol shooting**
- **Basic Rifle shooting**
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- **Muzzleloading Pistol, Rifle and Shotgun**
- **Personal Protection in the Home**
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- **Range Safety Officer and Chief Range Safety Officer**

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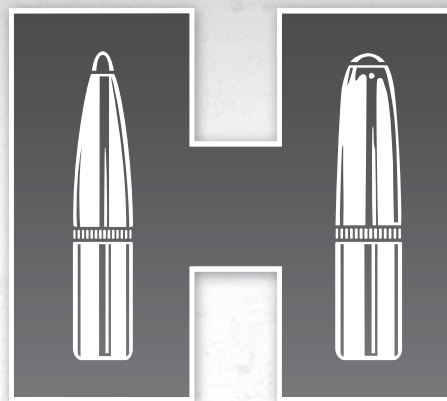
Though MSSA may not be able to help with finances, non-affiliated and out-of-state clubs can also contact Lee for training information.

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By Lee Koester Secretary/Treasurer

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If you are tired of the paper copy and wish to view online only please let me know and I can remove you from the NEWSLETTER mailing list. You will still get your renewal notices, when sent, and membership cards sent via snail mail.

If you would like to stop the hard copy of newsletter and consequently save MSSA printing, stuffing and postage costs, please let me know.

Send a short note to that effect with name, address and phone, for verification purposes, to MSSA – WEBNL, PO Box 10170, Columbia, Mo. 65205-4002.

Or email me at home. [leekoester@hotmail.com](mailto:leekoester@hotmail.com).

Please type MSSA – WEBNL on subject line and in body of email please state your desire for web only newsletter, name, address and phone.

We will begin this with the first newsletter of 2011, after the Annual Awards Dinner.

Please send your request ASAP so database can be prepared.

Thank you.

# Introducing the ATLATL

## Part I

A new hunting method has been introduced to residents of Missouri thanks to the Missouri Department of Conservation and a number of hunting enthusiasts who prefer a different kind of tool to bring down their quarry.

**This is their story.**

MDC Commissioner Chip McGeehan - The picture was taken in 2010 when several Missouri Atlatl Association members met with Commissioners and MDC staff to demonstrate the atlatl.



Starting in fall 2010, hunters will have the opportunity to pursue deer with an atlatl. While this is the most recent hunting tool to be recognized by the Missouri Department of Conservation, it predates the bow and arrow by a thousand years. In the Americas, for example, there is evidence that the atlatl (pronounced at-la-tel) was in use thousands of years ago. Often considered the first compound weapon because it consists of two parts - the atlatl and the “dart” or “spear,” - it provided early hunters the ability to bring down large game, including mammoths and mastodons, from a longer distance than was possible with hand held spears.

The term “atlatl” is from the Aztec language of Mexico and has generally been adopted today by modern enthusiasts in America and elsewhere in place of the more generalized name of “spear thrower.”

In the Americas it was the primary hunting weapon for thousands of years, and while the bow and arrow started to replace it about two thousand years ago, it continued to be used by some cultures up to modern days. In fact, it is still used by a few Inuit people for hunting seals and is also used by some aboriginal groups in Australia.

The atlatl is a deceptively simple device. Typically, it is a narrow piece of wood about 22-24 inches in length with a handle on one end and a “spur” on the other end. The spur can be carved into the wood itself or can be made from a separate material such as antler or bone. The spur of the atlatl engages the dart which typically has a “dimple” or small indentation at the back end. Darts can vary considerably in length, but typical darts used by modern atlatlists

are about seven feet long. They can be made from a variety of natural materials or man-made materials. One of the most popular dart materials is river cane (native bamboo) which grows in parts of Missouri and is widespread throughout the southeastern United States. It is durable, and is naturally tapered which allows for more flex toward the back of the dart. Various reeds, wood, as well as aluminum and carbon can be effective dart materials. While not necessary, most darts are fletched.

The dart is propelled by a motion, somewhat similar to throwing a baseball. The key to obtaining maximum velocity is the rapid rotation of the wrist. With the arm bent at the elbow and at a right angle to the body, the atlatl is brought quickly forward in a throwing motion. Near the end of the throw, the wrist is rapidly rotated. The faster the wrist is rotated, the more force is transferred to the dart. (Note: You can see demonstrations of throwing on You Tube or by going to the World Atlatl Association's web site: [www.worldatlatl.org](http://www.worldatlatl.org).)



Modern interest in the atlatl began to grow with the founding of the World Atlatl Association in 1986. Today, there are numerous target competitions throughout the United States and in a number of European countries. While many atlatlists have limited their interests to target events, others have also been working to promote the recognition of the atlatl as a legitimate hunting device.

The Missouri Atlatl Association's (MAA) efforts to legalize the atlatl started in 2003 when we first met with the Department of Conservation Department's Regulations Committee. As a result of this meeting, they suggested we work with the Conservation Federation of Missouri (CFM) in order for them to recommend action to the Department. Over the next several years, we gave demonstrations to and made presentations at the CFM annual meetings. In 2006 we introduced separate resolutions to legalize the atlatl for small game and for deer. In response, the CFM Resolution Committee recommended to the Department to legalize the atlatl for small game immediately and to actively study the possibility of legalizing it for deer. As a result, the atlatl was legalized for small game beginning in spring 2007. In early 2010 several MAA members met with the Regulations Committee. As a result of that meeting, the Department decided to legalize the atlatl for deer during this firearms season. Although, we believe it is most appropriate to include the atlatl during archery season and hope the change will be made for 2011, the MAA greatly appreciates the significant step that the Department has taken. We feel that because of the Department's national reputation for excellence, their decision will have a positive impact on legalization efforts in other states.

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# TIME TO RENEW...?

**If your MSSA membership expiration is close, please use the application on the back of this issue and renew now!**

Hint: the newsletter envelope's label includes the expiration date in YYMMDD format.

## **MSSA MEETING NOTICE:**

The next MSSA Board of Directors meeting:

**Jan 22nd 2010**

**DAV chapter 17 building at 5054 Monticello Rd., Jefferson City, Mo.**

All MSSA Members are strongly encouraged to attend.

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Feb 1 • May 1 • Aug 1 • Nov 1

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Junior members may submit school compositions and reports. We will also publish a range or club's upcoming events, matches, and gun shows. Graphics and photos may be included with your article (image files preferred). Please indicate if you would like photos returned, and we will do our best to do so; however, neither MSSA nor its members shall be liable for loss or damage of submitted materials.

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**John Lienberger's**

# Junior Shooters

**Making A Mark**



## 2011 Missouri Junior Olympic Qualifiers

By Ed Camp and John Lienberger

It's time for the 2011 Missouri Junior Olympic shooting events. This year the events will again be held at the indoor range of Pioneer Gun club, Kansas City, MO. There will be four events this year: 3-Position Smallbore, International Air Rifle, Air Pistol and Sport Pistol.

The events are open to all junior shooters born in 1991 or later. Three age categories are used in these events: Junior - J1: ages 18 – 20, born 1991 to 1993: Intermediate Junior - J2: ages 15 – 17, born 1994 to 1996 and Sub-Junior - J3: ages 14 and under born in 1994 or later.

USA Shooting is the official sponsor of these events and those who qualify at them can be invited to the National Junior Olympic events in Colorado Springs to try for National Honors and a spot on the National Junior Olympic Team.

This year's events are held on the weekend of January 8th and 9th and an entry form and program can be found at [www.pioneergunclub.org](http://www.pioneergunclub.org) Rules can be downloaded at [www.usashooting.com](http://www.usashooting.com) and all competitors need to be aware of the current rules when participating in these events.

For further information or questions about these events call Ed Camp at 816-333-7559 or 816-786-6071.

## 2010 State Championship Match Results:

### Indoor Conventional Pistol

March 20 & 21 at Green Valley Rifle and Pistol Club  
State Champion - John Warner III  
Senior Champion - Phil McFall  
Woman's Champion - Kathy Trautman  
Grand Senior Champion - Dick Champagne

### Service Rifle

June 13 & 14 at Benchrest Rifle Club of St Louis  
State Champion - Chris Calumpong

### Outdoor Conventional Pistol

June 19 at Green Valley rifle and Pistol Club  
State Champion - Paul Noles  
Senior Champion - Phil McFall  
Grand Senior Champion - Dick Champagne  
Woman's Champion - Kathy Trautman

### Smallbore 3 Position

September 25 & 26 at Bucksnot Shooting Club  
MATCH WAS CANCELLED

### High Power Rifle

June 5 & 6 at Bucksnot Shooting Club  
State Champion - Jeff Lindblom  
Junior Champion - Chris Calumpong  
Senior Champion - William Corcoran  
Woman's Champion - Ashley Blevins

### Smallbore Prone

September 11 & 12 at Bucksnot Shooting Club  
State Champion - George Johnson  
Junior Champion - Jack Berhorst

### M1 Garand (New Championship Match for 2010)

September 18 at Owensville Gun Club  
State Champion - Frank Harles  
Senior Champion - George Monahan

### Midrange High Power

October 2 & 3 at Bucksnot Shooting Club  
RESULTS HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED YET

# TALES FROM THE HUNT

## “Just Me and Duke” By Gary Miers

For the most part, I get to hunt every day during duck season, and I figure I owe some thanks to God for that. I don't hunt on Sunday mornings. On Sundays, I go to church and worship God in the morning, then I hunt in the afternoon until sunset... and usually have time to make it to Sunday evening services too.... and for the most part... folks have gotten used to seeing me at church in my camouflage on Sunday evenings.

This past season, we had a lot of unseasonably warm weather, all the way up to the beginning of December. Early in the month, one Sunday afternoon, for whatever reason, I didn't manage to get to the club until around 3:00pm... By the time we get out of church, go out to eat somewhere, and get back home, it can easily be 2pm... but shooting time doesn't usually end until around 4:45 or so... so if I get to the club by 3, I still have almost 2 hours to hunt. On this particular Sunday, when I got to the club there were only 3 trucks there, so I figured I'd be joining 3 or 4 guys in one of the blinds... which is a typical occurrence.... However, much to my surprise, when I got inside the trailer, the board showed there were already 5 guys and 2 dogs in the blind... some of the guys truck-pooled? That almost never happens... oh well... they were all in blind # 2.

One thing about duck hunting is that wind has a lot to do with how ducks will want to approach their landing. Therefore, wind direction has a lot to do with blind selection.

At the club, blind #2 faces mostly south but is turned slightly to the west and can be a good blind on a calm day or when there's a north wind... the ducks land right in your face... apparently there WAS a north wind earlier when those guys arrived... but by the time I had arrived the wind had shifted out of the west... which is fine... the ducks will land in on blind 2 from left to right....

However, blind 3 faces east... and with a west wind... you guessed it... the ducks land right in your face... So... since blind 2 was full, I put on my waders, grabbed my gun and got Duke out of the truck and we headed for blind 3. I have all of the guy's cell phone numbers so I called one of the guys and asked them how they'd been doing so far. Ed said they had been there since noon, and only had 5 birds, so it really wasn't looking very promising... I hadn't killed a bird since Tuesday... but with the strong wind, my hopes were high.

I had just got in the blind and barely had time to get my gun loaded, and noticed I had a mallard hen, locked and committed, coming right at the blind. I pulled up and dropped her on the first shot, about 15 yards out in front of the blind, but it wasn't dead. Duke jumped out after it pretty quick, but before he could get on the bird, it started diving under. Not a big deal usually, he stays on them, and he will dive under after them if necessary. However, this was one smart bird... it was swimming away underwater, and came up about 10 yards to Duke's left... and Duke chased toward it... and it dove under again... this bird was not going to give up easy... next it popped up about 10 yards to his right... I jumped out of the back of the blind and went around front to give Duke an assist.... the bird kept diving and circling back... finally it popped up near the edge of the corn, and I was between the bird and Duke so I finished it off with another shell. Duke fetched it up and we headed back to the blind.

The wind was blowing hard...and a lot of birds were flying around everywhere... amazingly, I could not hear the duck calls of the guys in blind 2. Normally on a less windy day, you can easily hear the calls from the other blinds in the club... sometimes you can hear the calls from the adjoining duck clubs.

Picture courtesy of Phillip Crowe.



We hadn't been back in the blind only for a few minutes when a pair of mallards started working their way in... I called and they circled around twice... but with that strong wind, they hung up just out of my range... then finally they turned over blind 2... I saw the guns come up... and I think all 5 of them boys unloaded their guns... all misses... no birds...

Not long after they shot, another pair of mallards came in from the north, crossed in front of me before I could get my gun up and almost landed about 10 yards south of the blind... of course I was on the north end of the blind, so when I did shoot, the shot seemed a little far... the hen was closer, and the drake was out of range... I pulled up and dropped the hen. Duke ran out and brought her back no problem... that bird was dead before it hit the water.

Now... I have 2 hens... and for a duck hunter, this is a bad situation... in Missouri, the daily limit is 6 ducks... of which you can only have 4 mallards, and only 2 of those can be hens.... Normally I do try to only shoot the drakes, but this season, we seemed to have an excess of hens, and a shortage of drakes. From this point on, I'd have to be selective and only shoot greenheads.



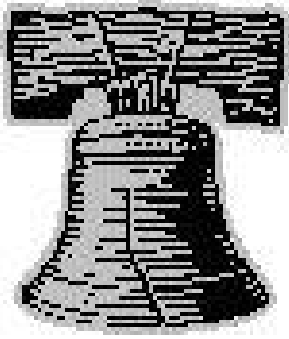
Finally, after a bit of what seemed like calling at birds with no response, I had a pair working in... but they hung up over blind 2... swung in on them... they shot and dropped both... although I could tell one wasn't hit too well. They shot several times at it on the water, then I saw one of them get out of the blind to go chase it... later, after the hunt they said when they shot at that duck on the water... they aimed directly at the bird and they could see their shot spray the water about 10 yards to the left of the bird. Now that's a strong wind!

There were a lot of birds flying around, but for some reason, they didn't seem too interested in my calls or the decoy spread.

Finally, after what seemed like a long time since Duke had retrieved that hen, I finally had another single working straight into the blind... but it hung up at the edge of the hole, just out of range... that wind blowing from directly behind the blind.... I called again, and it came around... I was having trouble making sure it was a drake, but once it got close enough... bang... I dropped that butterball right in the decoys.... Duke was like a laser beam on that bird, and brought it back picture perfect. Now, I had 3 mallards, and I can only take one more greenhead or some other bonus duck... and it seemed there were only mallards flying this afternoon, but you never know what might drop in on you.

I think with the strong wind, the most of the ducks probably weren't able to hear my calls very well, except those in the direction of the wind...so I stepped up the volume to try to get their attention... And of course, this is how things happen when you're hunting by yourself... out of the corner of my eye, I noticed a bird off to my left. Before I could call or get my gun ready a mallard drake had landed just on the outside of the north end of the decoy spread. My dearly departed dad taught me a lot about hunting in general, and while it's not illegal to shoot a bird sitting on the water, I was taught it really wasn't very sportsman like to do that. Bottom line, I won't shoot a duck sitting on the water.... So, being the good sportsman... I raised my gun and was on the ready... finally he saw me sticking out of the blind, or realized those decoys weren't real birds, and jumped up... bang... I knocked it down...but dog gone... it wasn't dead... it was trying to get up. I fired a second shot and missed, but Duke had an eye on it and I could tell he was on it. He chased it down and got it... and of course, brought it back to the blind. So... I had my limit of mallards... and was thinking I might get an opportunity at a bonus duck... or two... but with a check of my watch... Wow...it was only 5 minutes until shooting time was over.... Man that time flew by... So, just me and duke in the blind... we managed to get our limit of mallards, and had a ton of action. Even though I only fired 6 shots, it was one of the most memorable hunts of the season... just me and Duke.





# Liberty Notes

By Kevin L. Jamison

Winter 2010

In “Window Seat” singer Erykah Badu strips naked while strolling the path of President Kennedy’s assassination and then drops abruptly to the ground. This would be offensive in any public venue. The fact that it is at the location of President Kennedy’s assassination takes it into the realm of extreme discomfort. This is something like the placement of a mosque near Ground Zero. The placement of a mosque near the site of the radical Muslim attack could work for us. The terrorists have been telling people that we hate Islam; this would show that we do not, if we spin it right. The terrorists will spin it as a victory mosque. We should do better at advertising. We sell soap better than our strengths.

The Star’s “Readers’ Representative” refers to “doing the right thing—exercising basic news judgment and ignoring [a controversial event]”. This event was well-worth ignoring, but the concept that basic news judgment involves censoring what they consider to be bad news is alarming.

The Taliban hates music, at least music that excites the emotions; whatever is left is clearly not music. It is therefore our patriotic duty to sing. I suggest “We All Live in a Yellow Submarine.” In that movie the Beatles’ enemy was the Blue Meanies who could be defeated only through music.

Noting its popularity WMSA President-for-Life SHEILA has ordered that all future WMSA meetings be in 3-D.

For those of you who believe that the Supreme Court decisions in Heller and MacDonald mean that we won a final victory, a judge in Westchester county New York is signing “no knock” search warrants to discover if licensed gun owners are storing their guns safely.

Two new cases create trouble when transporting guns across state lines. Federal law under 18 U.S.Code §926A states that guns can be transported through any state, regardless of that state’s law if it is unloaded and in a locked container, inaccessible and can be possessed in the states of departure and destination. On 22 March, 2010 Gregg C. Revell v Port Authority of New York was handed down in the Third US Circuit followed on 30 June, 2010 by John Torracco v Port Authority of New York in the Second US Circuit court of appeals. They both involved persons who were traveling by air through New York and New Jersey. Each checked his gun at the airport counter under Transport Security Administration regulations, each was arrested and the gun seized. The various plaintiffs sued under 42 U.S. Code §1983. Under that section persons can sue government officials and agencies for violations of federal rights. It appears that §926A is not a federal right; it is at best a defense to criminal charges. I remember when §926A was passed in 1986 as the “Firearm Owner Protection Act.” It seems that some of our eastern judicial appointees have decided to

## Don’t Forget!!!

**Don’t forget that our annual Members Banquet and Awards Dinner will be on January 22nd 2011.**

Mark your calendars now!

## 2011 Missouri Gun Show & Event List

- Dec 4-5** Springfield Ozark Empire Fairgrounds
- Dec 10-12** Adrian, Optimist Building
- Dec 17-19** Cape Girardeau, Arena Building
- Dec 18-19** MO Kansas City KCI Expo
- Dec 18-19** Pacific, Pacific Eagles Club
  
- Jan 1-2** St Charles, Convention Center
- Jan 7-9** Columbia Boone County Fairgrounds.
- Jan 15-16** Farmington, Farmington Civic Center
- Jan 15-16** Stover, MO Community Center
- Jan 21-23** Harrisonville Cass County Elks #3791
- Jan 22-23** Springfield Ozark Empire Fairground.
- Jan 29-30** St. Charles Family Arena
  
- Feb 4-6** Heart of St. Charles Center
- Feb 5-6** Springfield Expo Center
- Feb 18-20** Branson Lady of the Lake Parish Center.

More shows to be listed soon. MSSA thanks Gun Shows USA for getting us this information to provide to our members.

re-name the statute. Many of these defendants were in New York and New Jersey because their flights had been diverted or delayed. I believe that Torracco was the case where a Port Authority Police Officer proclaimed, "This is New York City, federal law does not apply!" I ridiculed this comment in an article for "Concealed Carry Magazine." Now it appears that he was right. The criminal charges against the parties were dismissed, but their property was held for years. They were forced to go to jail, pay a bail bond, appear in court and suffer the disruption of their travel plans. I cannot imagine the seizure of any other class of property, much less the arrest of the owner, that would result in two appellate courts treating the abuse as such a trivial matter. These cases were written before the City of Chicago case was decided, but do not mention Heller or the fact that such a decision was pending. We obviously have much more litigation to fight.

Chicago is forced to allow handgun ownership, but the owner must jump through a multitude of licensing, medical and marksmanship tests. It costs \$550 for these requirements to get a license to own a handgun. You buy a gun for yourself, and one for the city. The city requires a marksmanship test, but refuses to allow ranges in the city. We have won recognition of the right to own handguns, but they think that these Jim Crow restrictions will beat us. They are wrong.

Judges who hear these cases are the low profile acts of the administration. These are lawyers who know a senator who puts their name into consideration for a federal judgeship. The administration may not be able to get gun control through congress, but it can appoint judges who find that Jim Crow restrictions are "reasonable." These life appointments must be taken into consideration when we are deciding which candidate is better for us.

The Republic of Korea wants to sell their surplus M-1 rifles and M-1 carbines. American importers want to buy them. **Our State Department blocked the deal on the grounds that they might fall into the wrong hands. The wrong hands already have guns. These sixty-year-old guns are valued by collectors and recreational shooters. The Secretary of State, another presidential appointee, thinks that we are the wrong hands.**

In 2008 the Missouri legislature, in its nearly infinite wisdom, changed RSMo 571.070 which bars gun ownership by convicted persons. The new language prohibits possession by convicted persons (but not those who pled guilty). This appeared to bring it in line with the federal statute but it failed to exempt persons who have received pardons, expungements, restoration of rights or a Suspended Imposition of Sentence. We did not catch this omission at the time, I did not catch the omission. It seems that pardons, expungements, restoration of rights or Suspended Imposition of Sentence would have no purpose if the statute applied to them. The BATF sees it differently. They claim that the Missouri Attorney General sees this statute as affecting persons who have had their records wiped clean. The result is that persons who have ancient, long expunged convictions are suddenly told that they cannot possess firearms or work in the firearms industry. This is wrong on many levels. Rights have been restored to people, and then snatched away without cause. The truly offensive element is that the statute does not have to be interpreted in this fashion. It has always been the law that expungements and pardons and the like have erased convictions. The new statute does not have to be interpreted as requiring a repetition of this principle. In short gun owners who did something stupid a generation ago and went to the trouble of having it removed from their records are being abused by the same system which proclaims that we have a constitutional right to own guns. The question is what to do.

The Missouri Attorney General's office has not publicly announced their interpretation of RSMo 571.070. If forced to do so they will have to justify this interpretation, they cannot. The course of action I recommend is to get them to issue an Attorney General's Opinion on this point. They will not do so at the request of a citizen. They must do so at the request of a legislator. They may take their sweet time doing so, but they must do so. If a number of legislators make the same request the matter becomes a higher priority. Efforts to make this interpretation official may irritate the legislature which will aid efforts to amend the statute.

To help resolve this question everyone should contact their state senator and legislator and have them request that the Attorney General answer the question; "Does 571.070 prohibit firearms possession by any person who has received a pardon, restoration of rights, expungement or suspended imposition of sentence?"

We shall overcome.

By Gerry Snapp - University of Missouri

# Missouri 4-H Shooters VICTORY

Missouri 4-H shooters traveled to Texas for the 4-H Shooting Sports National Invitational – our national competition. We did great with all 9 teams finishing in the top 5 (a first). And we knocked off Texas by winning the state sweepstakes award. An award that Texas sponsors and has always won...until this year.

## Missouri 4-H Shooters Top National Competition

Missouri 4-H members packed their bags, bows, and firearms and traveled to the 4-H Shooting Sports National Invitational and returned with lots of shiny hardware, including the Tom Davison trophy in recognition of compiling the top results by a state program. Since its inception, the traveling trophy had been awarded only to Texas 4-H. After eight years, that changed at 12:02 a.m. July 2 when Missouri was announced at the top program at the 2010 competition.

Missouri took a full complement of teams, 9 teams of 4 youth each plus a volunteer coach for each team. Teams and individuals compete in 3 events within their shooting discipline and are recognized for their performance in each event. Shooters and teams are then recognized for the overall performance in all three events. Missouri teams placed in the top 5 overall in all nine disciplines. These are: Shotgun, Smallbore Rifle, Smallbore Pistol, Air Rifle, Air Pistol, Muzzleloading, Compound Archery, Recurve Archery and Hunting Skills.

The 4-H Shooting Sports National Invitational took place in Kerrville, Texas June 28-July 2. Thirty-one states were represented by 516 youth at the national competition. Hurricane Alex made for wet and miserable shooting conditions most days, but Missouri 4-H shooters made the most of it and shot well.

Shooting Sports is the largest 4-H project Missouri. It has been one of the fastest growing programs nationally over the last 15 years with more than 150,000 boys and girls learning life skills as well as shooting skills under the guidance of caring adult volunteers. Shooting Sports, all 4-H programs are part of the University of Missouri Extension program.





# Overall Results

## Recurve Archery

Individual: Levi Bachmann, 1st  
Zachary Garrett, 2nd  
Ethan Burchell, 7th  
Team – MO 1st

## Compound Archery

Individual: Chase Wilson, 2nd  
Ryan Jacks, 7th  
Team – MO 2nd

## Air Pistol

Individual: Brendan Hendricks, 3rd  
Team – MO 5th

## Air Rifle

Individual: Samantha Marshall, 5th  
Ryan Jones, 6th  
Matt Brooks, 8th  
Team – MO 3rd

## Hunting Skills

Individual: Lucas Parks, 1st  
Travis Weiberg, 6th  
Team – MO 2nd

## Muzzleloading

Individual: Logan Sappington, 5th  
Robert Jones, 10th  
Team – MO 2nd

## Smallbore Pistol

Individual: Cody Frizzell, 6th  
Team – MO 3rd

## Smallbore Rifle

Individual: Rachael Davis, 10th  
Zach Collins, 2nd  
Team – MO 1st

## Shotgun

Individual: Alex Olsen, 5th  
John Edward Cottrell, 8th  
Team – MO 2nd

## 1st Day Awards

### Recurve Archery – FITA

Individual: Zachary Garrett, 1st  
Levi Bachmann, 2nd  
Ethan Burchell, 4th  
Team – MO 1st

### Compound Archery – Field

Individual: Chase Wilson, 1st  
Team – MO 3rd

### Air Pistol – Bullseye

Individual: Brendan Hendricks, 4th  
Team – MO 5th

### Air Rifle – 3 Position

Individual: Samantha Marshall, 9th  
Team – MO 5th

### Hunting Skills – Wildlife Identification & Management

Individual: Lucas Parks, 1st  
Shaun Athey, 4th

### Muzzleloading – 50 yd. Bullseye

Individual: Tanner Johnson, 5th  
Logan Sappington, 6th  
Chip Branson, 8th  
Team – MO 2nd

### Smallbore Rifle – Silhouettes

Individual: Zach Collins, 2nd  
Team – MO 3rd

### Smallbore Pistol – Bullseye

Individual: Cody Frizzell, 6th

### Shotgun – Sporting Clays

Individual: John Edward Cottrell  
Team – MO 4th

## Day 2

### Recurve Archery – Field

Individual: Levi Bachmann, 1st  
Ethan Burchell, 5th  
Zachary Garrett, 6th  
Team – MO 1st

### Compound Archery – FITA

Individual: Chase Wilson – 4th  
Ryan Jacks, 8th  
Team – MO 3rd

### Air Pistol – Silhouettes

Individual: Brendan Hendricks, 10th

### Air Rifle – All standing

No top 10/5 placements

### Hunting Skills – Decision Making

Individual: Lucas Parks, 2nd  
Travis Weiberg, 8th  
Team – MO 3rd

### Muzzleloading – Novelty targets

Individual: Logan Sappington, 4th  
Team – MO 3rd

### Smallbore Pistol – Silhouettes

Individual: Ben Morris, 3rd  
Team – MO 5th

### Smallbore Rifle – CMP Sporter

Individual: Zach Collins, 4th  
Team – MO 3rd

### Shotgun – Trap

Individual: John Edward Cottrell, 2nd  
Alex Olsen, 6th  
Team – MO 4th

## Day 3

### Recurve Archery – 3D

Individual: Levi Bachmann, 1st  
Zachary Garrett, 4th  
Team – MO 1st

### Compound Archery – 3D

Individual: Chase Wilson, 4th  
Ryan Jacks, 6th  
Team – MO 5th

### Air Rifle – Silhouettes

Individual: Ryan Jones, 6th  
Matt Brooks, 7th  
Team – MO 2nd

### Smallbore Pistol – Camp Perry Round

Individual: Cody Frizzell, 6th  
Ben Morris, 10th  
Team – MO 3rd

### Muzzleloading – Silhouettes

Individual: Robert Jones, 6th

### Hunting Skills – Hunter/Shooting Skills

Individual: Lucas Parks, 2nd  
Team – MO 3rd

### Air Pistol – Timed/Rapid Fire

Individual: Brendan Hendricks, 5th  
Team – MO 5th

### Shotgun – Skeet

Individual: Ian Olsen, 5th  
Alex Olsen, 9th  
Team – MO 2nd

### Smallbore Rifle – 3 Position

Individual: Shelby Dunseith, 7th  
Team – MO 4th



## Coaches Needed

**MSSA is in need of more coaches for shooting events. If you like shooting and working with young upcoming shooters and don't mind to travel on our dime to different matches in Missouri and elsewhere, please contact us.**

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# MSSA MEETING MINUTES

Notes from our last board meeting.

Past meeting minutes are posted online quarterly at the MSSA website.

MSSA October 16, 2010 meeting.

Called to order at 12:07 pm. by President Kevin Jamison.

In attendance Kevin Jamison – President, Grace Leinberger – Vice President,

Lee Koester- Secretary/Treasurer, Phil Anderson – Executive Officer, John Leinberger- Junior Program Director,

Zac Bauer – Newsletter Editor, Board members Terry Brookman, Larry Crawford, Harold Miederhoff, Stu

Strickler, Greg Meredith, Michael Meyer, Shiela Stokes-Begley.

Spring meeting Minutes were accidentally omitted from newsletter.

Secretary report – Lee Koester. Minutes were sent to Board after meeting. Membership online was mentioned with 22 annual and 2 Life members gained initially. Currently at 522 annual, 154 life and 27 affiliate members. Small discussion on increasing membership followed.

Treasurers report – Lee Koester. With the onset of online memberships, there is some confusion about balancing bank account accurately. Most accounting is accounted for but there are some small discrepancies that are confusing but will be worked out hopefully with the next couple bank statements. Bank accounts and CD accounts are in good shape regardless.

Executive Officers report – Philip Anderson mentioned purchase of .22LR conversion kits for AR rifles with the help of Tim Oliver. Mention of some of our Juniors doing very well in competitions with MSSA sponsorship. Mention of equipment needed for continued support of Juniors. Replacement barrels for ARs, powder, primer and bullets were mentioned. Discussion of market for old AR barrels.

Junior Programs Director report – John Leinberger. John talked about programs with mention of Air15 program. Discussion on confusion between MSSA and CMP about contact person and difficulty getting proper person as primary contact. Talk on juniors scholarship program. Discussion on sending some promising Juniors to Coach Training School to assist with Juniors programs in the future.

Newsletter Editors report – Talk on changes and additions to website. Ease of entering match results, program announcements and newsletter articles was mentioned. Calendar of events is available for people to enter information. Mo Carry and MSSA store was mentioned with a request for someone to be store manager. Terry Brockman accepted the position. Mention was made of allowing members to get newsletter off website and forgo hardcopy. (see article New Newsletter Service)

Old and New Business - John Leingerger made a formal request for consideration to send some Juniors to Coach School. John will discuss with National Coach Trainer to make trip for fixed fee and train several at once. John will get additional on Trainer and report back to MSSA Board.

Greg Meredith and Phil Anderson made a request for additional funding for Junior High Power Program for reloading materials. A request of \$500 was requested for that purpose with \$500 also going to Junior Camp Program. Lee motioned that money be given immediately. 2nd called and unanimous voice approval.

Large discussion on how to roll all aspects of Mo Carry into MSSA. Specific mention of store items including inclusion of MSSA store, donations and website links.

Zac Bauer made a motion to send an email blast to the current members of Mo Carry to inform them of MSSA as a membership drive. Blast would cost \$60 and Zac asks the board to reimburse him for expense. Motion 2nd by Grace and Board approved via unanimous voice vote.



# MSSA MEETING MINUTES

Notes from our last board meeting. (CONT.)

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There are four current Mo Carry board members that monitored the Mo Carry website for content. Zac asks for approval to retain this four man committee because of their previous history of securing the site. Lee made a motion to retain the committee and appoint them as a committee to report to MSSA Board. 2nd by Stu. Unanimous approval via voice vote.

Annual Awards Dinner preparations were discussed. Everything is progressing. Grace will check on DAV on catering.

Annual awards were discussed. Harold will make the plaques again. Committee of John, Zac and Phil for choosing Hall of Fame, Sportsman, Service, MSSA appreciation, Club of the year and Gary Davis award.

Motion to adjourn. 2nd and approved.

Send in your 2010 hunting pictures and we will print them. Submit them online at the MSSA website.

**IN 2009**

**5 people were killed and over  
300 injured in deer related  
accidents.**

**Keep Missouri  
Roads Safe**

**HUNT DEER**



Reader submitted: Missouri resident Ryan R. brought down this nice buck in the 2010 hunting season with his AR-15 chambered in 6.5 Grendel. Shot in northern Missouri at 150 yards with 120 grain ballistic tip handload.



# Gun Articles Needed

Hey there, if you have a story for us that you think needs to be told, send it in! Do you have commentary about a recent trip to the range? How about a great hunting story that you would like to share? What about that last trip to the gun show that was so crowded and you didn't find what you were looking for? Tell us about it.

We will be happy to print any interesting articles you send us and share your thoughts with the rest of our members at MSSA!

Send any articles via email to

[zbauer@missourisportshooting.org](mailto:zbauer@missourisportshooting.org)

Be sure to put "MSSA Newsletter" in the subject line.



## Meeting Locations

The next MSSA meeting will be at the Annual Members Meeting to be held in Jefferson City on Jan. 22nd.

DAV chapter 17 building at 5054 Monticello Rd., Jefferson City, Mo.

Meeting to begin at 2pm. and Dinner to begin at 6pm.

Dinner costs will be **\$15 per person** again this year.

## JOIN MSSA ON FACEBOOK



MSSA is now on Facebook. The current estimates are that over 500+ million people are now on facebook around the world with over half logging on every day.

If you have a facebook account, please log on and add our page to your profile by clicking on the "Like" botton. Then be sure to share with your friends by encouranging them on your wall to "Like" the page as well.

The MSSA facebook page will be updated anytime there is a new event scheduled on the MSSA website or anytime another newsletter gets published. MSSA members are encouraged to write on the MSSA facebook wall as well.

There is a direct link to the MSSA facebook page on our website or you can search on facebook for "Missouri Sport Shooting".



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<b>CAP, tan w/blue bill</b>			\$12.00 each	x QTY	___	= \$	___
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Official tickets for MSSA raffle drawing. M1 Raffle sponsored by The Missouri Sport Shooting Association and the Civilian Marksmanship Program. Any tickets arriving after drawing date will automatically be entered into the next M1 Raffle. Copies can be made for additional tickets.



## MSSA Membership Application

Renewal  New Application

Annual **JUNIOR** Dues (under 18) – only \$5  
Juniors must also provide Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

- Annual **MEMBER** Dues – only \$20
- Annual Sustaining Member \$50 to \$99
- Annual Silver Sustaining \$100 to \$499
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- LIFE** Membership – \$250
- BENEFACTOR** (Life) – \$500

**Active Duty Military** – 1 **FREE YEAR** (Attach signed declaration of Missouri residency and active duty military service.)

*I'm not ready to join, but send me a free trial issue of the newsletter.*

*I'm already a member. Please add my name to your email alert list.*

Annual **AFFILIATE** Dues – \$30

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Affiliates only - Website\*: \_\_\_\_\_

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**DUES:** x \_\_\_\_\_ years = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Donation: + \_\_\_\_\_

Merchandise Order (see back): + \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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