I just wanted to start this Corner by wishing everyone a most prosperous new year and a healthy and happy 2009. As a member of the Sportsman’s club we have lots to be thankful for and look forward to. I’m sure we have many new things in store for us as a club as the 2009 year unfolds. I believe if we can weather the coming financial storm together we will all come out the other side much the better for the experience. I look forward to serving the club in 2009 if not as President, at the very least, as an active member.

Not knowing the future and just guessing we will have a new President by the time you read this and the country will be adjusting to this new administration. I thought we might look at some of the men and thinking that created our country as well as those things that affect the freedoms we all hold dear as freedom loving Americans. I did manage to go last Sunday to the NRA Museum for a look see and stopped by the book store to pick up a copy of Les Adams “Bill of Rights Primer.” While looking over the other selections I also found a great little book called the “The American Freedoms Primer.” I started reading it and thought it would be very worth while, perhaps, to include some of these writings in this section of the Recoil for the winter months. Just to mention some of the notables in this little gem there are, John Locke, of course, Algemon Sydney, Edmund Burke, Samuel Adams, John Adams, (FYI - they were cousins and not brothers), Patrick Henry, Washington, Paine, Jefferson, Franklin, Madison, Daniel Webster, James Fenimore Cooper, Tocqueville, Thoreau, Fredrick Douglass, Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt, Thomas Wolfe, J F Kennedy, M L King, and Renauldus Magnus! Quite the line up really! So in the spirit of freedom and real self-education here is the first installment, Samuel Adams on “Natural Rights,” enjoy the read,

Samuel Adams, The Rights of the Colonists
The Report of the Committee of Correspondence to the Boston Town Meeting, Nov. 20, 1772

I. Natural Rights of the Colonists as Men.
Among the natural rights of the Colonists are these: First, a right to life; Secondly, to liberty; Thirdly, to property; together with the right to support and defend them in the best manner they can. These are evident branches of, rather than deductions from, the duty of self-preservation, commonly called the first law of nature.

All men have a right to remain in a state of nature as long as they please; and in case of intolerable oppression, civil or religious, to leave the society they belong to, and enter into another.

When men enter into society, it is by voluntary consent; and they have a right to demand and insist upon the performance of such conditions and previous limitations as form an equitable original compact.

Every natural right not expressly given up, or, from the nature of a social compact, necessarily ceded, remains.

All positive and civil laws should conform, as far as possible, to the law of natural reason and equity.

As neither reason requires nor religion permits the contrary, every man living in or out of a state of civil society has a right peaceably and quietly to worship God according to the dictates of his conscience.

"Just and true liberty, equal and impartial liberty", in matters spiritual and temporal, is a thing that all men are clearly entitled to by the eternal and immutable laws of God and nature, [Page 418] as well as by the law of nations and all well-grounded municipal laws, which must have their foundation in the former.

In regard to religion, mutual toleration in the different professions thereof is what all good and candid minds in all ages have ever practised, and, both by precept and example, inculcated on mankind. And it is now generally agreed among Christians that this spirit of toleration, in the fullest extent consistent with the being of civil society, is the chief characteristic mark of the Church. Insomuch that Mr. Locke has asserted and proved, beyond the possibility of contradiction on any solid ground, that such toleration ought to be ….cont.
extended to all whose doctrines are not subversive of society. The only sects which he thinks ought to be, and which by all wise laws are excluded from such toleration, are those who teach doctrines subversive of the civil government under which they live. The Roman Catholics or Papists are excluded by reason of such doctrines as these, that princes excommunicated may be deposed, and those that they call heretics may be destroyed without mercy; besides their recognizing the Pope in so absolute a manner, in subversion of government, by introducing, as far as possible into the states under whose protection they enjoy life, liberty, and property, that solecism in politics, imperium in imperio, leading directly to the worst anarchy and confusion, civil discord, war, and bloodshed.

The natural liberty of man, by entering into society, is abridged or restrained, so far only as is necessary for the great end of society, the best good of the whole.

In the state of nature every man is, under God, judge and sole judge of his own rights and of the injuries done him. By entering into society he agrees to an arbiter or indifferent judge between him and his neighbors; but he no more renounces his original right than by taking a cause out of the ordinary course of law, and leaving the decision to referees or indifferent arbitrators.

In the last case, he must pay the referees for time and trouble. He should also be willing to pay his just quota for the support of government, the law, and the constitution; the end of which is to furnish indifferent and impartial judges in all cases that may happen, whether civil, ecclesiastical, marine, or military.

[Page 419] The natural liberty of man is to be free from any superior power on earth, and not to be under the will or legislative authority of man, but only to have the law of nature for his rule.

In the state of nature men may, as the patriarchs did, employ hired servants for the defence of their lives, liberties, and property; and they should pay them reasonable wages. Government was instituted for the purposes of common defence, and those who hold the reins of government have an equitable, natural right to an honorable support from the same principle that "the laborer is worthy of his hire." But then the same community which they serve ought to be the assessors of their pay. Governors have no right to seek and take what they please; by this, instead of being content with the station assigned them, that of honorable servants of the society, they would soon become absolute masters, despots, and tyrants. Hence, as a private man has a right to say what wages he will give in his private affairs, so has a community to determine what they will give and grant of their substance for the administration of public affairs. And, in both cases, more are ready to offer their service at the proposed and stipulated price than are able and willing to perform their duty.

In short, it is the greatest absurdity to suppose it in the power of one, or any number of men, at the entering into society, to renounce their essential natural rights, or the means of preserving those rights; when the grand end of civil government, from the very nature of its institution, is for the support, protection, and defence of those very rights; the principal of which, as is before observed, are Life, Liberty, and Property. If men, through fear, fraud, or mistake, should in terms renounce or give up any essential natural right, the eternal law of reason and the grand end of society would absolutely vacate such renunciation. The right to freedom being the gift of God Almighty, it is not in the power of man to alienate this gift and voluntarily become a slave. END

Provided is the link, should you find it interesting and want to continue the reading to the end, sooner rather then later, http://history.hanover.edu/texts/adamss.html, there is way too much thinking going on in this article to print it all.

And Last;

"Nothing is more essential to the establishment of manners in a State than that all persons employed in places of power and trust must be men of unexceptionable characters." --Samuel Adams

"I think we have more machinery of government than is necessary, too many parasites living on the labor of the industrious." --Thomas Jefferson, letter to Thomas Cooper, 29 November 1802

"But of all the views of this law none is more important, none more legitimate, than that of rendering the people the safe, as they are the ultimate, guardians of their own liberty. For this purpose the reading in the first stage, where they will receive their whole education, is proposed, as has been said, to be chiefly historical. History by apprising them of the past will enable them to judge of the future; it will avail them of the experience of other times and other nations; it will qualify them as judges of the actions and designs of men; it will enable them to know ambition under every disguise it may assume; and knowing it, to defeat its views." --Thomas Jefferson, Notes on the State of Virginia, Query 14, 1781

"It will be of little avail to the people that the laws are made by men of their own choice, if the laws be so voluminous that they cannot be read, or so incoherent that they cannot be understood; if they be repealed or revised before they are promulgated, or undergo such incessant changes that no man who knows what the law is today can guess what it will be to-morrow." --James Madison (likely), Federalist No. 62, 1788

See you around the club. Keep safe and warm for the winter months!

Peter Buckingham, President, SCSC
St. Charles Sportsman’s Club, Inc.  
Membership Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday January 7, 2009

The meeting was called to order by President Peter Buckingham at 8:00 p.m. with an opening invocation lead by Club Chaplain, Paul Goodwin. Scouts of Troop 424 led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance. Thirty-eight members signed the roster and an estimated 60 were in attendance.

President: Peter Buckingham reported that the Club and Hall are doing well. There are a number of committees working for the Members’ benefit including the Parliamentarian Committee and a new SOP Committee which will study new Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for hunting, use of ATVs on the properties, and Range use. The committee will be made up of two board members and three regular members.

First Vice President: Frank Fruh stated that an SOP Booklet is being developed which will detail committee responsibilities and contacts. This will provide the members with an outline of procedures and whom to contact for various issues including Range Rules, Fundraising, and Gate Procedures.

Second Vice President: Perrin Lewis informed the Membership that a NRA Basic Pistol Instructor Certification class will be held December 23, 24, and 25 at Annapolis Rod and Gun Club. If interested please contact Perrin at mdeng0014@verizon.net.

Secretary, Dennis Menefee reported a correction to the Recoil was reported by High Power Committee Chairman, Russ Levin: The High Power Clinic will be held Sunday February 1, 2009. The notice printed in the January Recoil stated the date incorrectly. Dennis then made a motion to accept the minutes of the November Membership Meeting as printed in the Recoil with the change as noted. The motion was seconded and passed.

Treasurer: Tony Barnett made copies of the December Treasurer’s report available to the members and answered questions from the membership explaining what several entries covered. Tony also presented a summary report to the membership for club income and expenses for 2008, including presentation of expenditures by category, as well as starting and ending balances. He noted that a more detailed analysis would be presented at the Annual Meeting for the club year from 1 April 2008 through 31 March 2009. A motion was made to accept the Treasurer’s Report. The motion was seconded and passed.

Huntsmaster: Jim Pollock, in order to report on the 2008/2009 hunting season and award recognition for outstanding hunters, he will need a copy of the Maryland Harvest record from members by the March Membership Meeting. Information to be included is Date, Location, Sex, Weight, and for bucks, the number of points, spread of rack, and a picture.

Conservation: Phil Lang reported that Blossom Point has changed Commanders and a MWR director has not yet been hired. The former Post Commander will continue to push through programs including Wounded Warrior Hunting. Information will be forthcoming as Phil is updated.

Property: Dave George said he is conducting an audit of all SCSC physical property such as targets and committee accessories. Committee Chairmen are required to conduct and submit their audits by the March Membership Meeting.

Hunter Safety: Marlene Smith informed the Members that the State Hunter Safety board will hold a meeting in February to determine dates of Hunter Safety Classes for 2009. For a list of dates please contact Marlene at jo3smi@msn.com and she will e-mail the dates when they become available.

COMMITTEES
Cowboy Action: Ed Winter reported for Steve Goldman that Cowboy Action had no activity in December.

High Power: Russ Levin reported a High Power Clinic will be held by award winning Coast Guard Shooting Team member Commander Lito Ignacio on Sunday, February, 1 2009. Please see the Recoil or contact CDR Ignacio at lito_ignacio@msn.com to sign up. Note: The date given in the January Recoil was incorrect. The clinic will be held Sunday, February 1, 2009.

Grounds: Roger Hall reported that he will be replacing the gong on the outdoor range. The existing gong and frame are in very poor condition. Contact Roger if you can help with this project.

Indoor Range: Paul Goodwin reported that the Indoor Range is being heavily used. The Indoor Range will be open the 2nd Wednesday in February. The Indoor Range will not be open when there is an SCSC Membership Meeting or activities at Middleton Hall. See the Recoil or contact Paul at preldor@comcast.net for information on Indoor Range Hours. The Committee presented awards to winners in the Tactical League (Low-light/No-light shooting). See Paul’s Committee report in the December Recoil for details and winners.

Junior Rifle: Perrin Lewis reminded everyone that during the winter months Junior Rifle is held in the Indoor Range the 1st Sunday of each month at 2pm. Junior Rifle is drawing 6 to 10 young shooters each month. Volunteers and shooters are welcome.

Membership: At the December Board Meeting five new applicants were presented to the Board and accepted for presentation to the Membership for approval. The names of the applicants had not been printed in the January Recoil. The five applicants were asked to leave the room while President Buckingham asked the members present if they would like to consider voting on these applicants at the January Membership Meeting. Parliamentarian Frank Fruh stated that this has occurred before and that the Members present could vote on whether or not to suspend the rules for this occasion. A motion was made by a member to suspend the rules and vote on membership for the five applicants present. The motion was seconded and passed by show of hands. The applicants were asked to return to the meeting. Dave George presented the new applicants for membership:

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The applicants were introduced, invited to leave the room and the motion was made to accept them into membership. The
motion was seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed. The five were invited to return and welcomed as new members. It was also stated by President Buckingham that any member having an objection to any applicant because of this omission would have the opportunity to address the concern and the appropriate action will be taken.

**Mountain Property:** Jim Pollock reported that he is still collecting bids to build a platform for a shed on the Mountain Property and will report when the bids are in.

**Shotgun:** Peter Buckingham reported that Shotgun brought in $313 for December. He further stated that the Shotgun Committee has three new members but still needs volunteers. This would be a good way to work off required hours and have a good time.

**Unfinished Business:**

**High Power:** A motion was made to close the Outdoor Range the first Sunday Morning February 1, 2009 for the High Power Clinic. This motion was printed in the *Recoil* per SCSC By-laws. The motion was seconded and after discussion, the motion passed.

**Glock Match:** A motion was made to close the Outdoor Range at Noon Friday May 15 and all day Saturday May 16 and Sunday May 17 to host the Annual Regional Glock Match. This motion was printed in the *Recoil* per SCSC By-laws. The motion was seconded and after discussion, the motion passed.

**New Business:**

A member brought up that the By-laws require that members provide 16 hours of work for the SCSC during their first two years of membership but that this has not been enforced. Discussion ensued on a course of action to track workers hours and enforce the rules. President Buckingham and SOP Committee Chairman Fruh stated that the SOP Committee will come up with procedures and present them to the Membership for approval.

President Buckingham stated that it has been brought to his attention that Members have been bringing guests to hunt on SCSC properties in violation of SCSC By-laws. Several members related known incidents during the 2008/2009 season. President Buckingham reiterated that Members need to read and know the rules which do not allow guest hunters.

President Buckingham related that ACPT will be doing site surveys for gravel and lead testing January 15 and 16 and the Outdoor Range will be closed on these dates. Notices are posted at the Range.

A member asked if the Board was working on plans to move the Outdoor Range should the need arise. Discussion by the Membership followed. Treasurer Tony Barnett related his position that the Board should develop a contingency plan to move the range to the alternate ACPT property, but that work is not currently proceeding on such a plan. Tony noted that such a plan would need to address range construction engineering studies, zoning approvals and possible transfer of the current range zoning exemption, noise abatement, berms, drainage, and include a cost estimate for the range relocation.

**Good and Welfare:**

Junior ROTC is still using the Indoor Range on Monday afternoons for Air Rifle.

Elaine Costello won $78 in the 50/50 Raffle. Steve Goldman won the workers raffle for Cowboy Action August 8, 2008. The meeting was adjourned at 9:21pm.

Respectfully submitted, Dennis Menefee, Secretary

**St. Charles Sportsman’s Club**

**Board of Directors Meeting Minutes**

**December 17, 2008**

SCSC Board meeting minutes 12-17-08

Called to order at 8:21 P.M. Associate Member, Randal Browning, presented a report on hunters trespassing on ATV’s throughout the hunting property. A committee was established to create an “ATV usage” SOP. Frank Fruh will Chair the committee. Randal also reported on the development of a land use policy. The “ATV usage” committee was expanded to work on the two issues he presented.

Frank will check with Comcast regarding if it is possible for us to send group emails to our membership.

The President reported that ACPT has requested a total range closure while they do some land surveys in the area.

Huntsmaster, Jim Pollock, has requested that a notice be placed in the next *Recoil* asking all to submit their reports on game harvested this year. Jim is also working on estimates for improvements to the mountain property.

John Fitch reported he would like to start a cash raffle based on the MD lottery. Motion made and passed to investigate further.

Phil Lang reported that topo maps of the Virginia mountain Property are available. Contact him for maps. He further reported that the Beagle club that was interested in using our land for trials has had no further contact with us.

David George reported that he needed $520 to print and mail out the new membership cards. Motion passed. He further reported that he had four new applications to submit. A motion was made to present them before the membership at the January meeting and seconded.

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A discussion was held concerning “Guests.” As per the SCSC bylaws, guests were NOT ALLOWED to hunt on our property, but could use the ranges on a not-to-interfere basis when the ranges are open and they are accompanied by a member. They can use the shotgun range anytime on Sundays during regular open hours without a member escort.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:04 P.M. Respectfully Submitted, Frank Fruh, First Vice President, for Dennis Menefee, Secretary.
A motion was made, seconded and passed to present to the membership the following applicants for membership. They will be voted on at the February 4th membership meeting:

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Respectfully Submitted, Peter Buckingham, President, For Dennis Menefee, Secretary

The club newsletter, Recoil, is available in the member section of the SCSC web site at stcharlessc.com. Copies of the Recoil are available online from January 2002 to present. The latest Recoil is generally posted to the web site about the same time that it goes to the printer. You will need Adobe Acrobat Reader in order to download, read, and print the Recoil.

Committee Reports

Cowboy Action
Steve Goldman
In order to get ready for the upcoming Cowboy Action matches which will start 14 March, the Cowboy Action Committee will be organizing the targets and props and taking inventory. The dates are 31 January and 14 February. Anyone not on the committee but who would like to learn about the type of targets we shoot this would be good time to work off some of those worker hours and learn something at the same time.

High Power
Russ Levin
Since I did not have an invitation to the Inaugural Ball, I thought it would be worthwhile to look at all of our supplies for the coming Hi-Power shooting season that starts on the First Sunday in March. Fortunately we have all the “right stuff”. We have filed and registered our matches with the NRA Competition department and the said they would process the paperwork.

Please remember that the High Power shooting clinic being taught by an internationally recognized shooting champion will be held on the first Sunday in February 2009 at the outdoor range. Bring your high power rifle, 80 rounds of ammo, $30 for the books, and show up at 8:30 am. Please check the flyer in this month’s Recoil or call Russ Levin at (301) 843.8622. Class is limited to 10 folks and we have three so do not delay. The range is closed that day for other shooters until after the clinic has finished.

Please participate in club events because they are held for your benefit and the chairpersons and volunteers put a lot of effort and their time into the events. Volunteers are always needed so please let the chairperson shown in the Recoil know that you are willing to help. New members are required to volunteer in order to renew their membership.

Please pray for our men and women who are in harms way. There is no greater sacrifice then to lay down ones life for God and Country.

Hunter Safety
Cindy Perkins/Marlene Smith
Instructors: SCSC Hunter Safety has been asked by MD DNR to host a Hunter Safety/Instructor Update Training Session for the 2009 year. The class will be held on the evening of 16 April at Middleton Hall. DNR Hunter Safety/Education News-letters should go out this month.

SCSC Web Site
(www.STCharlesSC.com)
Tony Barnett

The annual club activities calendar can be viewed on our web site, stcharlessc.com. Contact Tony if you have any questions, comments or suggestions on our site. Members-only password is: scscmember.
Huntsmaster
James Pollock

HUNTSMASTER AWARDS
All entries must be in by March 4, 2009. I need to know what animal was harvested: Deer (buck or doe), Bear, Moose, Elk, etc., etc. I will need a copy of the Harvest tag or confirmation number and the date and place taken, along with size and weight. A picture of the game taken, especially those with antlers, would help greatly.

Junior Rifle
Perrin Lewis

The St. Charles Sportsman’s Club Junior Rifle program is open to kids age 6 to 18 years of age and is free of charge. The goal of the program is to teach basic rifle marksmanship and firearm safety. Junior rifle will be held on February 1st at the Indoor Range. We will be starting at 1:00 PM and we normally shoot for about 3 hours. If anyone has any questions or would like to help out, please feel free to contact Perrin Lewis at 301-638-1230 or by e-mail mdeng0014@verizon.net. Preregistration is not required but is appreciated.

I can always use the help of the members. Just a reminder to those who have been members for less than two years, you are required to work 16 hours for the first two years of membership. Junior Rifle is a great way to get these hours taken care of. If you are not able to make it out to the range on these dates I can find other things for you to do at your convenience. Thanks again to all those who have come out to help. I can not run this program without your help.

Membership
David C. George

Membership dues for 2009-2010 can now be paid using the enclosed renewal application. Mail it to me with your check or bring it to a membership meeting.

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New applicants approved by the SCSC Board are published in the board minutes section.

Note: SCSC has a limit of 450 Regular members. As Regular members resign, Associate members (based on the order in which they joined) will be given the opportunity to upgrade to a Regular membership.

NRA Information Needed
SCSC must maintain 100% NRA membership. Please check your Recoil label for (NRA ? and/or Date ?) to determine if your NRA information is current.

Scouting
Russ Levin / Ed Teleky

In February, the SCSC Troop 424 heads back north to the Broad Creek Scout Reservation in Northern MD for a weekend of cabin camping as the Scouts orienteer and hike throughout the 4,000 acre park. The club’s Troop offers a wide range of outdoor activities including whitewater rafting, skiing, archery, and rifles for boys 11-17. For more information contact Scoutmaster Ed Teleky at 301-645-9049, 301-646-9876 or eteleky@hotmail.com.

Shotgun Report and Work Schedule
Peter Buckingham, eringgrp@comcast.net, 301-646-5300

Shotgun took in $313 for the month of December. “E Troop” was the top Team with $118. Shotgun is doing well for now, we could use a few more shooters to keep the Trappers busy. Good news on the Trap motor, it finally came in! Yippee, Jim Neiberding from Team “C” is going to put the motor in and have it ready very soon. We did pick up one more new, Jim Dawson, we trained and assigned him to A Team so that is very helpful. Shotgun Committee is “the very best” Committee to serve the club on. If you are a shotgun enthusiast, really good discounts for Skeet, Trap and Sporting Clays are the order of the day. OJT provided on site and free lunch for all Trappers on their weekend. It would be hard to find a better deal in all of SCSC. We even teach you how to shoot the shotgun games for free!

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Wanted: 10-12 ft jon boat, just need the boat no trailer, Richard 301-934-8608.


8mm Styer ammo, 5 round stripper clips with ammo in original German boxes. 270 rounds, $10 per box. Marshall Hammond, 301-735-8375, mfh213@verizon.net.

Mossberg 500 barrel, modified accu-choke, vent rib, 3 inch chamber, center bead. $75.00. Richard, 301-934-8608.

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The range will be available for member use after scheduled matches are complete. Call the chairman of the activity at the range office for an approximate ending time.
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NRA High Power
Rifle Basic Shooting Clinic

Date: Saturday, 1 Feb 2008

Location: Rifle Range, Saint Charles Sportsman's Club
Piney Church Road, Waldorf Maryland

Time: 7:30 am Sign-Ups (Come Early, First Come, First Served)
8:00 am to 2:00 pm Class/Live Fire

Equipment Requirements:

- **SERVICE RIFLE**: M16/AR15 series rifle, M1 Garand, or M14/M1A; Iron-Sights only; Caliber: 223 caliber, 30-06 caliber, or 308 Winchester.

- OR

- **MATCH RIFLE**: Semi-Auto or Bolt-Gun with Rear & Front Aperture Sights only; No mounted scopes.

- **AMMUNITION/MAGAZINES**: 128 rounds minimum; 2 Mags or 2 clips (M1 Only) Required; Shooter must use either safely reloaded ammunition or factory ammunition. NO AMMO AVAILABLE ON RANGE TO USE.

- **RIFLE SLING**:
  - Service Rifle Slings: Either M1903-Style Sling or Military Web Sling.
  - Match Rifle: Match rifle slings, as commercially available or advertised.

- **BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH** (LUNCH AT 1:00 PM DURING LECTURE).

- **LEATHER WORK GLOVES OR SHOOTING GLOVES**.

- **RECOMMENDED CLOTHING WEAR**: Working Jeans or Military Fatigue Pants (something that can get dirty & loose fitting), comfortable t-shirt, comfortable hiking boots or regular "sneaker" shoes, and sweatshirt. If you have High Power Equipment, BRING IT PLEASE.

  ***Bring warm coat/sweater and appropriate field rain gear***

- **EYE PROTECTION & HEARING PROTECTION**: (PLUGS AND EAR MUFFS RECOMMENDED)

Cost/Student Size: $30.00 per person; 10 students MAX

Directions: E-mail or See Website (http://www.stcharlessc.com/map.html)

Contact Information: Lito Ignacio, lito_ignacio@msn.com
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To order Ticket(s) DESCRIPTION QTY PRICE TOTAL

Individual Banquet Ticket $40.00 – Couple $75.00
Reserve a Club or Corporate Table of 8
Liberty Sponsor Attending includes: 2009 NRA Sponsor Sculpture “Bad Boy” Cape Buffalo, Special Sponsor Multi-Tool and Hat, Tax Deduction Receipt, Listing in Program, Year Subscription “NRA Traditions” Magazine & Other Special Offers. (Includes 2 Dinner Tickets)
Non Attending Liberty Sponsor but proud to support or Added to a Corporate or Club Table (No Tickets Included)
*** Add a Sponsor Bucket Ticket Pack @ $25.00 ($200.00 of Raffle Tickets) (Sponsors & Sponsor Tables Only Limit 1 Each ) Not Available at the Dinner
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Pioneer Sponsor Liberty benefits and NRA Smith & Wesson M&P 45 with NRA Logo.
Kimber Sponsor – Limited Time offer receive a Kimber Marias O/U 20 G side lock shot gun, only 90 available with less than 40 left, for details & specs go to www.friendsofnra.org
Can’t attend, but, I would like to make a tax deductible donation to help the NRA Foundation Please list me as a Donor, here is my tax-deductible contribution of: □ $ 200.00 □ $100.00 □ $75.00 □ $50.00 □ $25.00
TOTAL Make checks payable to Southern Maryland Friends of NRA

Complete order info: Name ___________________________City__________ ST______Zip______
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Mail to: Southern Maryland Friends of NRA % Perrin Lewis, 216 Wells Ct., Waldorf, MD 20602

Additional Information: Call: Perrin (301) 638-1230 or Email at MDEng0014@verizon.net or Brian Swartz (NRA Field Rep.) at 973-343-2104 or Email at bswartz@nrahq.org

Note: Early ticket reservations may be mailed to the address listed or held for pick-up at the door.

Have a business? Want to support the cause? Can you sell some tickets? Have Something to Donate? Call or email so you can help and be recognized.

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SUPPORT THE FNRA & NRA FOUNDATION – DEDICATED TO TEACHING FREEDOM!
ST. CHARLES SPORTSMAN'S CLUB, INC
4045 Renner Road, Waldorf, MD 20602 / Attn: Membership Renewal
2009-2010 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL APPLICATION / (Waiver, Hold Harmless and Release Form)

To avoid late fees, dues must be paid no later than **Wednesday, March 4, 2009**. Any dues payment received after this date is subject to a **$25.00 per month late fee**. Please check the upper left hand corner of your Recoil; if the date is **March 3, 2009**, then **it's time to renew**! A Regular Membership renewal is $150 and Associate Membership renewal (member number starts with an "A") is $300.00 (plus required late fees). Please complete this form and include payment in full using a check or money order payable to **St. Charles Sportsman's Club or "SCSC"**, then return to the address above. The **top line of your Recoil Mailing Label shows the current NRA information on file**. If your label is missing NRA information or it reflects an expired membership (??-Question marks), please include a copy of your new NRA membership card. SCSC members must retain an active membership in the NRA.

**NOTE:** SCSC membership cards will **NOT** be provided if NRA information is not current.

Note: If the label on reverse side reflects current NRA and **ADDRESS** information, there is no need to enter this information below.

☐ Check if NRA Life Member   NRA #: ___________________________   Street Address: ___________________________

City: ___________________________   State: ___________________________   ZIP Code: ___________________________

Home Phone: ___________________________   Work Phone: ___________________________

Occupation: ___________________________   Email Address: ___________________________

Membership is a family membership. Are you married?   ☐ No:   ☐ Yes:   Spouse’s Name: ___________________________

**Please Check Appropriate Box and Remit Dues as Indicated:**

(If payment not received by May 6, 2009 you will be dropped from membership)

☐ **REGULAR MEMBERSHIP**

Enclose a Check for $150 (Thru March 4th - 2009)
Enclose a Check for $175 (From March 5th - April 1st)
Enclose a Check for $200 (From April 2nd - May 6th)

Note: Upgrade requests from Associate to Regular will be solicited after May 6th once resignations have been determined.

☐ **ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP**

Enclose a Check for $300 (Thru March 4th - 2009)
Enclose a Check for $325 (From March 5th - April 1st)
Enclose a Check for $350 (From April 2nd - May 6th)

Waiver, Hold Harmless and Release: In consideration for the use of SCSC owned or leased property, or participation in Club activities, I agree to the terms of this document.

1. I acknowledge that there are always risks involving physical activities and acknowledge that there is always the risk involving the use of firearms, crossbows, archery or other equipment. While SCSC strives to have a safe environment, the Club cannot guarantee total safety.
2. I understand that if there is an accident involving property damage or personal injury involving me, I will assume all responsibility and liability.
3. I hereby waive and release SCSC, its officers, directors, employees and agents from any and all costs, liabilities, expenses and judgments including attorney’s fees and court costs arising out of my participation in Club activities.
4. Furthermore, I agree to indemnify SCSC, its officers, directors, employees and agents from all claims made by me or any action brought on behalf of me or by others including not limited to spouse, children, other family members, guardians, holders of your powers of attorney, etc.
5. It is understood that if a member or guest of this Club causes an injury to another’s person or property, that person causing the injury can be held liable.
6. As a SCSC member, I understand I am executing this agreement on behalf of all included in the “Family Membership” as defined in the SCSC by-laws.

I hereby certify by my signature hereon that I have never been convicted of a felony or any offense involving the use of firearms and have never had any hunting or fishing privileges suspended, except as explained on the attached sheet. I realize that any revelation of such conviction or suspension may result in my being expelled from the Club. I further agree to adhere to the St. Charles Sportsman's Club Pledge, the By-laws, the Club Code of Ethics and the Waiver, Hold Harmless and Release. PLEASE SIGN FORM - (If ‘NOT’ Renewing SCSC Membership – Please Check Box Below)

Signature of Member: ___________________________   (Signature Required)   Date: ___________________________

☐ **DO NOT RENEW MY MEMBERSHIP - I HEREBY RESIGN FROM THE CLUB (SCSC)**   I have enclosed my gate key and any other Club property issued to me while a member. I further understand I have relinquished all rights and privileges of membership in the St. Charles Sportsman's Club and will not use the facilities or property except as a guest of a current member or while participating in a function open to the public. I understand that, for me to be able to return to the club at a later date as a regular member (if currently a regular member), I must resign in good standing PRIOR TO the Close of Business of the MARCH 4, 2009 membership meeting. Otherwise, I must rejoin as an associate member or repay the initiation fee.
See You At The Membership Meeting

Wednesday, February 4, 2009
Middleton Hall, 8:00 p.m.

Membership Renewal Application Enclosed

High Power Clinic Information Enclosed

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