

**Southern Minnesota Chapter
North American Versatile Hunting Dog Association**

**- Annual Meeting 2008 Notes -
(January 26, 2008)**

Introductions – 4 new members attending

President's Update (Matt Dodd) – Thanks for attending

Vice President's Update (Chad Dahl) – “What he said.”

Treasurer's Update (Mark Root) – We are well off!

Secretary's Update (Vaughn Snook) – Activity reports are filed...one of the few chapters that actually gets this done!

Newsletter Editor (Vaughn Snook) – Sounds like everyone likes it (?)...please send me your material

Suggestions –

- Equipment Review
- Breed corner (Braque Du Bourbonnais...new member)
- Classifieds (Any current member...send Vaughn the ad)
- Recipes (Schiebel's Ground Swat Grouse recipe)

Webmaster (Scott Schiebel) – Thank you Scott! Does anyone want to take the reins?

Test Secretary (Monica Redmond) – WOW! Best TS we have had!

Membership cost – remain the same at \$20 individual, \$25 family

Grouse & Spouse – Excellent! Had great fun! 8 couple went on trip.

New business – purchase remote release traps?

Gunnar Kruger – Randy Bartz (The Flagman) may have grounds we can use...no decision was made to use it. Gunnar needs to keep us updated.

Kelley Farms discussion – cost, etc.

Sponsors – Club & International...need to be in newsletter...consider it done.

Officers – they will remain the same...Schiebel would like to turn the reins over...place a request in the March Newsletter!

Training grounds discussion...what is available:

- Tammel Springs (Etna Creek AMA)
- Bassett Grounds
- Chase the Adventure – no cost
- Pheasant View
- Jay Boehmke's property

NAVHDA Invitational will be in Stillwater, MN 2008 – members will be notified when volunteer drive is started

Designate a day for mentoring? Not decided

Huebbe, Kruger, Snook will be getting together a chapter “What you need to be doing with your pup between training sessions” document...with some methods.

Training –

2nd Saturday every month = Etna Creek AMA (Tammel Springs)

3rd Sunday every month = Chase the Adventure

1st Sunday every month = Bassett Grounds

Every Thursday evening = Pheasant View

Date	Day	Location	Contact
March	?	?	?
April 5th	Saturday	Chase the Adventure	Dahl
April 6th	Sunday	Bassett Grounds	Schiebel/Redmond/Sake
April 10th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
April 12th	Saturday	Etna Creek AMA (Tammel)	Dodd/Snook?
April 17th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
April 20th	Sunday	Chase the Adventure	Dahl
April 24th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
May 1st	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
May 4th	Sunday	Bassett Grounds	S/R/S
May 8th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
May 10th	Saturday	Etna Creek AMA (Tammel)	Dodd/Snook?
May 15th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
May 18th	Sunday	Chase the Adventure	Dahl
May 22nd	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
May 29th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
May 31 st /June 1st	Sat/Sun	Chase the Adventure/Etna Creek AMA?	Redmond/Haas
June 5th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
June 8th	Sunday	Bassett Grounds	S/R/S
June 12th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
June 14th	Saturday	Etna Creek AMA (Tammel)	Dodd/Snook?
June 19th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
June 22nd	Sunday	Chase the Adventure	Dahl
June 26th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
July 3rd	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
July 6th	Sunday	Bassett Grounds	S/R/S
July 10th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
July 12th	Saturday	Etna Creek AMA (Tammel)	Dodd/Snook?
July 17th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
July 20th	Sunday	Chase the Adventure	Dahl
July 24 th	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
July 31st	Thursday	Pheasant View	Dodd
August 2 nd /3rd	Sat/Sun	LaFarge, Wisconsin	Jensen
August 9 th /10th	Sat/Sun	Cardinal Marsh	Beeghly/Johnson
August 16 th /17th	Sat/Sun	Cardinal Marsh/Chase the Adventure	Redmond/Courneya/Holstrom
August 28 th -31st	Th - Sun	Kelly Farms - Invitational	?
October 11 th /12th	Sat/Sun	Grouse & Spouse Hunt	Kruger

Chapter logo clothing? Yes!

Ask Huebbe's about SS & LS T-shirts...SS Orange and LS "social outing" color

Sponsorship – Should there be "Honorary" or "In Kind" sponsorships for our testing/training grounds providers? Yes! Vaughn needs logo for Chase the Adventure and Pheasant View

Grouse & Spouse 2008 – October 11/12...Kruger is contact

Seminar? Yes!

Possible seminar people...

- Kevin Sipple (Dodd will contact)
- Ed Erickson (Dodd will contact)
- Bob West (?)
- NSTRA Smith?
- Pete Bruno (Tritronics rep)

Vaughn – Send Mark Root, Dave Fass' email address so they can start the permitting process.

Decision made to only allow chapter equipment to be used on sanctioned chapter events. They cannot be "checked out" and used individually...for reasons of possible breakage, insurance, etc.

Final...Matt Dodd was approved by Kruger/Schultz/Courneya/Schiebel to spend ~\$1,000 on new things (priorities were listed as remote release traps and an auto-backer).

Members in attendance:

Boehmke, Jay
Courneya, Doug
Dahl, Chad
Dodd, Matt
Enberg's
Erickson, Scott (new member)
Haas, Angie
Holstrom, Dave
Horn, Brad (new member)
Huebbe, Terry
Jensen, Glen
Jensen, Gary (new member)
Kruger, Gunnar
Redmond, Monica
Root, Mark
Schiebel, Scott
Schlotthauer's
Schultz, Bill
Schultz, Pat
Silber, George

Snook, Vaughn
Steffen, Mark
Tebay, Steve