

# RELOAD!

CELEBRATING OUR 29TH YEAR.  
JULY 2016



## ALBERT ANGLACE MEMORIAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Bill Beinert

Beautiful weather greeted us at Mid Hudson for the annual club championship. A double header was on the menu - twice the shooting for the same drive time!

The morning shoot was sheer delight. Warm temperatures, clear skies and not too humid. Combine that with great birds and you have a Travelers' championship to be remembered. One hundred and twelve Travelers and guest enjoyed the outing.

Station three was one of the trickier ones. The first bird was a fast rising teal that disappeared behind a tall tree right in front. Few of us could hit it on the way up, and it was dropping fast by the time you caught sight of it falling behind the tree. The report on station three was a crossing left to right target at least 35 yards away.

Station seven was something of a test of your focus. This simo pair featured a battue and an outgoer from the left that moved fast and crossed just at the sweet spot.

Station fifteen was another simo pair that demanded focus. Two rocket powered birds launched from the left and quartering out high to the right required your best.

Congratulations to club champion Christian Suter, who shot an out-of-this-world 93. Class 2 winner was Mark Baltazar with an 84. Class 3 went to Anthony Regelski Jr. (82). Class 4 to Will Schnell (74) and class 5 to Halina Duda (74).

The median score was 68, while the class medians were: Class 1 - 84; Class 2 - 74; Class 3 - 71; Class 4 - 62; Class 5 - 45.



2016 Club Champion - Christian Suter

Photo by Derek Moore and his brand new Nikon D810 (I'm just a little jealous)

The afternoon shoot was a somewhat different experience. The temperature and humidity had risen and made it somewhat uncomfortable. Many had chosen to pass up the second round citing fatigue and Father's Day commitments leaving 53 die-hards to go out again after the hot dogs and cheeseburgers at lunch.

Adding to the fatigue and weather conditions, some of us thought that the morning shoot was a prelim and the afternoon was for the championship. But the opposite was true with the main event being shot in the morning and the "prelim" being the afternoon.



This is what the Al Anglace Championship is all about; a Father and sons shooting. — Photo by Derek Moore

While the Modified European Start was intended to allow the Mid-Hudson staff time to change targets between events, it ended up being a larger than anticipated job. People started shooting before the signage was updated and there ended up being two station 12s and a station 20 that wasn't on the scorecard. By the time I was at my last station, zipping it and hearing Dean tell me I was at the wrong station, I was long past caring.

Nevertheless, Phil Steinkraus broke 89 birds for HOA. The median score was 71.

Our thanks to Richie, Steve Meyen, and the crew at Mid-Hudson for their efforts. Thanks also to Dean Anglace for organizing it and Danielle Anglace for doing all the work.

If anyone has any comments or pictures they'd like to see included, please shoot me an email within a day or two after the shoot so I can immortalize your (or a buddy's) outstanding (or amusing) performance: [editor@ctsca.org](mailto:editor@ctsca.org).

### **MAY MINUET CORRECTIONS**

We have some revisions to the scoring for "May Minuet". George Begakis was the true CL2 Champion with a 75 with Steve Jones slipping from CL2 Champion to CL2 Runner-up. Bill Harding slips to CL2 Fourth and Peter Lusk slips into CL2 Third.

Derek Moore is CL3 Runner-Up while Santo Costarelli slips down to CL3 Third. In Class 4, Sabine Moeller is CL4 Runner Up and Brad Hoecker slips to CL4 Third.

We are sorry for these mistakes, we are going through some computer issues and some things slipped through the cracks.

Main Event		
Name	Award	Score
Suter, Christian	HOA	93
Steinkraus, Stefanie	CL1 CH	91
Steinkraus, Eric	CL1 RU	88
Calcagnini, George	CL2 CH	87
Baltazar, Mark	CL2 RU	84
Regelski Jr, Anthony	CL3 CH	82
Andiorio, Steve	CL3 RU	81
Schnell, Will	CL4 CH	74
Zavada, Ron	CL4 RU	67
Roberge, Lisa	CL5 CH	58
Andiorio, Arin-Jon	CL5 RU	57
Moore, Paula	LADY CH	76
Duda, Halina	LADY RU	74
Schreyer, Mark	VET1 CH	88
Canale, Mike	VET1 RU	84
Magistro, Charlie	VET2 CH	60
Holtzman, Robert	VET2 RU	58
Neave, Tyler	JR CH	68
Anglace, Jake	JR RU	66
Andiorio, Alex	JR 3RD	64

Pre-lim/Afternoon		
Name	Award	Score
Steinkraus, Phil	HOA	89
Suter, Christian	CL1 CH	87
Anglace, Dean	CL1 RU	86
Shea, Joe	CL2 CH	79
Baltazar, Mark	CL2 RU	78
Regelski Jr, Anthony	CL3 CH	79
Zibbideo, Chris	CL3 RU	76
Schnell III, Will	CL4 CH	81
Anglace, Jake	CL4 RU	68
Halupa, Mark	CL5 CH	59
Papitto, Paul	CL5 RU	38
Lenar, Lana	LADY CH	73
Meyen, Sue	LADY RU	73
Anderson, Kurt	VET1 CH	78
Calcagnini, George	VET1 RU	77
Neave, Tyler	JR CH	75
Stagliano, Jonathan	JR RU	50
Neave, Hailey	JR 3RD	48

## JULY SHOOT LOGISTICS

Dean Anglace

We return to Orvis Sandanona on Sunday, July 17th to honor the memory of our friend, Ron Leonardi. Ron was a cornerstone of the Travelers from the very early on. Ron was a classic gentleman; always neatly dressed and very giving of his time and knowledge.

Our “Simo Sunday” shoot has been very popular with the membership in the last few years. Fifty true pairs over the woods of Orvis Sandanona. We will shoot Fifty true pairs in the woods of Millbrook, NY followed by a BBQ Lunch and Awards.

We are also trying something new. If you would like to signup for the shoot via Winscore, the July event is now up! Please remember to put that you are a CTSCA member in the “Squad With” box.

## THE PENNSYLVANIA BLAST

Bob Schrager

I know Fall is a way off, but October in the Poconos is prime leaf peeping season and hotels fill up fast. It's not too early to make hotel reservations. Our Fall trip, "The Pennsylvania Blast," is now planned. The Connecticut Travelers travel to Pennsylvania for Columbus Day Weekend, October 7, 8 & 9, 2016 for orange and green clays flying among the red, orange and green foliage. After all, we like things Traveler Tough. So mark your calendars.

This should be plenty of notice and no excuses about "other plans" will be accepted. Meal reservation forms will be sent out later.

Friday afternoon we visit an old friend, Rock Mountain Sporting Clays. <http://rockmountainclays.com>. Many of us have been there before and know that the Rock is a shotgunner's paradise. The presentations shift through woods, over fields, from towers and cliff, and down the valley. It is considered to be one of the premier courses on the East Coast.

Saturday we spend the day with Bill Appel at his facility, Thunder Ridge Sporting Clays, [www.thunderridgesporting.com](http://www.thunderridgesporting.com). It provides a fully automated 16 field, 48 shooting position course. Thunder Ridge is a beautiful course located near Pennsylvania's Grand Canyon. The vistas overlooking the entire valley as you go around the course during the Fall are second to none.

For those not shooting, the nearby town of Wellsboro with its gas lights and antique shops and the Leonard Harrison State Park are good places to spend the day.



On the way home, Sunday morning we stop off at Whitetail Preserve. [www.whitetailpreserve.com](http://www.whitetailpreserve.com). We shot there a few years ago and found it to be well worth a return visit. In addition to trap and skeet there is a 19 station sporting clays course set up by the internationally known course designer, Michael Davey. It was challenging and yet fun; plenty of targets for everyone.

Based upon early promises to attend, it looks like we again will have a fine turnout. Home for the weekend will be the Best Western Grand Victorian Inn, 255 Spring Street, Sayre, Pennsylvania, 18840-1909. (570-888-7711). We've stayed there in the past and they always take good care of us. We have a block of rooms reserved under the CT Traveler name at a special rate. Information on the hotel and our room block is at the end of Reload! First come, first serve. Note that if you are looking for additional entertainment, both shooters and non-shooters can lose their money at the Tioga Downs Casino which is close-by to the hotel.

If you have any questions, contact me, [robert@schrager.org](mailto:robert@schrager.org) or (if you must) (203-531-6930).

## TENTATIVE CTSCA SHOOT CALENDAR

<u>Date</u>	<u>Shoot</u>	<u>Facility</u>
17 JUL	Ron Leonardi Memorial Simo Sunday*	Orvis Sandanona
14 AUG	Summertime, Summertime	Lehigh Valley Sporting Clays
18 SEP	Septembershutzenfest*	Peacedale
7-9 OCT	Fall Trip	Rock Mtn, Thunder Ridge, Whitetail Preserve
16 OCT	Orange, Orange, Orange*	Fairfield County Fish & Game
20 NOV	Small Gauge Championships	Mid-Hudson
11 DEC	Christmas Shoot*	Fairfield County Fish & Game

\*NSCA Registered

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The upcoming **CTTRAVELERS** Monthly Shoot

**Ron Leonardi Memorial  
Simo Sunday**

Sunday, July 17th, 2016

Orvis Sandanona  
Millbrook, New York

**DIRECTIONS:** Taconic Parkway North to NY Rte. 44 East exit. Turn right off ramp and follow Rte. 44 to Rte. 44A on left. Turn left onto 44A and continue to club driveway on the left. (845) 677-9701

Traditional Shoot Format  
Safety & Announcements at **9:45** followed by a shotgun start shortly thereafter.  
BBQ Lunch and Awards to follow at Sandanona

Your application must be received on or before  
**Wednesday, July 13th, 2016.**

You can also sign-up on Winscore!

CTSCA Members **\$90** Guests **\$110**; Lunch Only **\$15**.  
**Juniors (<21) always shoot for free!**

Mail this application and your check payable to CTSCA to:  
**CTSCA, c/o Dean Anglace, 355 Housatonic Trail, Southbury, CT 06488**

	Name List Names paid with enclosed check.	NSCA Number	Jr	Vet1	Vet2	Lady
<b>You</b>						
2						
3						
4						
5						
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Contact Number in the event of last minute shoot changes: \_\_\_\_\_

If possible, please squad with: \_\_\_\_\_

Your application must be received by the required date for preferred squadding. All cancellations must be received by close of business on the Thursday before the scheduled shoot. Any cancellations after Thursday or "no shows" will forfeit their entry fee. If you need assistance filling out this form, please consult <http://www.ctsca.org/node/1762>.



## *Grand Victorian Inn*

*255 Spring Street, Sayre PA*

*Route 17, Exit 61 570-888-7711*



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**to receive your special rate of: King or Double: \$94  
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**RATE INCLUDES BREAKFAST BUFFET**

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**Check Out: 11:00 am**

**Please make your reservations by [September 23, 2016](#)**



## *Grand Victorian Inn*

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**LIGHT LUNCH WILL BE INCLUDED**

**REGISTRATION WILL OPEN AT 8:30 am; THIS WILL BE A SQUADED START**  
**PLEASE COME AND ENJOY THE FUN.**

**6 SHOOTERS PER SQUAD**

CUT HERE AND ENCLOSE THE BOTTOM PORTION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ NSCA# \_\_\_\_\_ Circle one - SVT VT L SJR JR

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Squad with: 1\_ Yourself \_\_\_\_\_ 2\_ \_\_\_\_\_ 3\_ \_\_\_\_\_

4\_ \_\_\_\_\_ 5\_ \_\_\_\_\_ 6\_ \_\_\_\_\_

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*Please write dollar amount in the "Total" column next to each event entered.*

EVENT	COST	
THE CRUCIBLE	\$75	_____
LEWIS	\$10	_____
TOTAL		_____

Please enclose Pd registration for each shooter on the squad.

*Make all checks payable to "FCF & GPA"*

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