

# RELOAD!

*Celebrating Our 27th Year*



June 2014

## SCHEDULE CHANGES

*We have some schedule changes for June, August, September, November, and December. Please see last article in Reload! for details.*

## MARCH REVISITED

Bill Beinert

There was more than a little bit of dancing at the May Minuet as the birds responded to the rhythm of some fickle winds. I saw more than a few birds jump away from a dead-on shot. Otherwise we could not have asked for better weather; temperature in the mid 60s, with not a cloud in the sky.

The targets were up to Mashomack standards; Great! The presentations on the open fields really exposed them to the varying breezes. The upland and valley presentations exploited the terrain to good (and sometimes teeth-gnashing) effect. Attendance was pretty good, considering that M&M was hosting the Regional Championship this weekend. Average score for the 85 shooters was 57, with a high of 84 and a low of 24.

There were a few "gimmee" stations (which I characteristically failed to take advantage of) among the usual challenges. The far birds on station 7 and the very fast crosser on station 3 come to mind as "challenging". The stations I'm highlighting this week were the "Fur & Feather" at 5 and 12.

Station 5 featured a simo pair with



a very fast rabbit quartering away from right to left and an equally fast bird quartered away from you left to the right. It was my squad's second to last station, and the trapper said that only 1 Traveler had cleaned the station. I was proud of XXing the first two pair, but pride goeth before a fall, and I OO'd the last pair! Only Keith Gernert and Mike Shewokis ran this station.

Station 12 was on report. Both were well below the stand looking down into the valley. The first bird came from a trap 60 yards out and 20 yards to the right, and flew up the hill towards your right with a sudden drop near the end. Real easy to miss. It was followed by a fast right to left bouncy rabbit that evaded a lot of shots. Eight Travelers cleaned this one.

Thanks to Tyler Olay, the trappers, and scorekeepers for helping us have a wonderful day. A big thanks also goes out to President Dean Anglace who did all the legwork and organization for this shoot.

A note to all Travelers: I'll be writing most of the shoot reports from now on and I can't be at every station all the time. So if anyone has any comments 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).

Name	Award	Score
Cypher, Lavert	HOA	84
Fiumarello, Tom	CL1 CH	77
Chambers, Robert	CL1 RU	76
Conklin III, Ira	CL2 CH	80
Luppino, Michael	CL2 RU	75
O'Conner, Rich	CL3 CH	68
Norton, Joe	CL3 RU	66
Gernert, Keith	CL4 CH	69
Evans, Brian	CL4 RU	69
Houlihan, Claire	CL5 CH	62
Pullin, Nile	CL5 RU	59
LaCavalla, Carl	VET1 CH	72
Williams, Lyell	VET1 RU	65
Moore, Paula	LADY CH	67
Barth, Ellen	LADY RU	54
Conklin IV, Ira	JR CH	64
Kutschera, Matt	JR RU	53
Anglace, Andrew	JR 3RD	47
Onuma, Jeremy	JR 4TH	33
Anglace, Jake	JR 5TH	32
Popa, Dave	GUEST CH	73

## JUNIOR'S CLINIC

Jeff Hunter

Club President Dean Anglace, John Hachmann, and I discussed what was in store for the Juniors of the CT Travelers in January. We had success with the Junior Jamboree in the past, but the changing landscape of New York and Connecticut made another event next to impossible. The generosity of the membership donating to the Junior's Program gave us an opportunity to do something special for our Junior Members.

We bounced around a couple ideas and contacted Tom Fiumarello to see if he could help. He came up with a program of instruction for all levels of experience. Paula Moore immediately joined Tom as a volunteer instructor. St. Hubert's Club offered to host the event for us and we were on our way.

Eighteen Juniors participated in the Juniors Instructional Clinic at St. Hubert's Club in Marlboro, New York on Saturday, May 10th. About half of the Juniors in attendance were existing Juniors

looking to fine tune their shooting. The other half of the attendees were new Juniors that wanted to experience shotgunning. It was good to see some new faces and we hope to see them at some of the upcoming events.

The attendees were split into two groups. Each group spent about an hour with either Paula or Tom. After an hour, the groups swapped instructors and were taught by the other instructor on different targets for approximately an hour.

While the juniors were receiving instruction, some of the parents took the opportunity to go around the course at St. Hubert's Club. There were 11 stations setup and they ranged in difficulty from cupcakes to YIKES! I think a good time was had by all.

We would like to thank our generous sponsors; St. Hubert's Club, CZ-USA, Muller Chokes, Tom Fiumarello, and Paula Moore. We would also like to thank the membership for donating to the Juniors Program with their annual dues and participating in the fundraising raffles and other efforts throughout the year.



## SCHEDULE CHANGES

*“Any change, even a change for the better, is accompanied by drawbacks and discomforts.”*  
--Arnold Bennett

We aim to serve our members as best we can. Several members expressed concern that our Club Championships on June 14th & 15th conflicted with the NJ State Shoot at Cedar Creek. Mid-Hudson was very cooperative and agreed to host the shoot the following weekend. The “Traveler’s FITASctic!” will be moved to Saturday, June 21st and the “Albert Anglace Memorial Club Championships” will be moved to June 22nd. While this deviates from our normal “Third Sunday” schedule, we hope to see a large contingent at Mid-Hudson for both days.

While the dates remain the same, we’re also switching up the venues for the second half of the year. We will visit Mid-County in September instead of the frigid December days. We will stay at

Fairfield County Fish & Game Protective Association for October. November will see us at Ten Mile River Preserve and in December we will visit Dover Furnace for the Christmas Shoot.

While we understand these changes break traditions that we have held for years, we think they will keep our schedule interesting. We are still having the Small Gauge Championships, we're just trying to figure out where it will be. The Christmas Shoot will still be a glorious celebration, just at a different club.

## TENTATIVE CTSCA SHOOTING CALENDAR

The dates below are tentative, please check the current Reload! for confirmation.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Shoot Name</u>	<u>Venue</u>
<i>June 21</i>	<i>FITASC Championship</i>	<i>Mid-Hudson</i>
<i>June 22</i>	<i>Albert Anglace Memorial Club Championship</i>	<i>Mid-Hudson</i>
July 20	Simo Sunday	Orvis
August 17	Summertime, Summertime	Mid-Hudson
September 14	Dick Losee Memorial	Mid-County Rod & Gun
October 19	Octobershutzenfest	FCFGPA
November 9	Salute The Colors	Ten Mile River Preserve
December 21	Mistletoe Mayhem	Dover Furnace

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The upcoming **CTTRAVELERS** Monthly Shoot

## Albert Anglace Memorial Club Championships

Sunday, June 22, 2014

Mid-Hudson Sporting Grounds  
411 North Ohioville Road, New Paltz, New York

**DIRECTIONS:** NYS Thruway to Exit 18. Continue to end of exit to Route 299. Turn Right onto Route 299 and go about 1/4 mile to traffic light (stay in left lane). Turn left on North Ohioville Road. Go 2.7 miles to the club on the left.

### REGISTRATION APPLICATION

Your application must be received on or before **Wednesday, June 18, 2014.**

Continental Breakfast opens at 8:30AM at the Clubhouse.  
We will dispatch to our stations at 9:45, please check in so we know you are there.  
Includes a luncheon after the shoot.

CTSCA Members: \$80; Guests: \$90; Lunch Only: \$15.

Mail this application and your check payable to CTSCA to:  
CTSCA, c/o Bob Schrage, 17 Hartford Ave, Greenwich, CT 06830

	<b>Name</b> <i>List names being paid with the enclosed check.</i>	<b>Junior</b>	<b>Lady</b>	<b>Vet1</b>	<b>Vet2</b>	<b>Guest</b>	<b>Unable to Attend Lunch</b>	<b>NCSA Number</b>
You								
2								
3								
4								

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>.

# Traveler's FITASctic!

Saturday, June 21st, 2014

Mid-Hudson Sporting Grounds  
411 North Ohioville Road, New Paltz, New York

The Travelers's FITASC Club Championship returns to Mid-Hudson Sporting Grounds in a championship packed weekend. World Class Target Setting Extraordinaire Richie Frisella Jr. will be setting four championship level old-style FITASC parcours to determine the best of the best! Choose from three three flight times; 9:00, 12:00, or 3:00.

Your application must be received on or before **Wednesday, June 18, 2014.**

**DIRECTIONS:** NYS Thruway to Exit 18. Continue to end of exit to Route 299. Turn Right onto Route 299 and go about 1/4 mile to traffic light (stay in left lane). Turn left on North Ohioville Road. Go 2.7 miles to the club on the left.

CTSCA Members \$90; Guests \$115; Juniors Entry Free.

Mail this application and your check payable to CTSCA to:  
**CTSCA, c/o Bob Schrage, 17 Hartford Ave, Greenwich, CT 06830**

	<b>Name</b> <i>List names being paid with the enclosed check.</i>	<b>Junior</b>	<b>Lady</b>	<b>Vet1</b>	<b>Vet2</b>	<b>Guest</b>	<b>NSCA Number</b>
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Rotation: 9:00am 12:00am 3:00pm

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# 2014 PA EASTERN ZONE CHAMPIONSHIP

hosted by

## [Rock Mountain Sporting Clays](#)

**Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

(rain or shine)

Facilities open @ **8:00AM** / Shooting begins @ **9:00AM**

### **Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup>**

- 100-Bird Prelim
- 50-Bird sub-gauges
- 50-Bird Side x Side & Pump
- Cash options available

### **Sunday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

- 100-Bird Main Event
- Cash options available

- **ALL NSCA RULES APPLY.**
- Eye and ear protection required on the course (*shooters & spectators*).
- All ties broken by predetermined tie breaker stations.
- A **\$50** deposit with pre-registration is required.
- If only shooting *Saturday*, a **\$40** deposit with a pre-registration is required.
- All Main Event entries must be preregistered by **June 22<sup>nd</sup>**.
- No refunds after **June 25<sup>th</sup>**.
- Registrations AFTER **June 25<sup>th</sup>** will be charged a late fee of **\$10**.
- Only one (1) gauge at a time when shooting the sub-gauge events.
- *Saturday* – Prelim course closes @ **2:30PM**, sub-gauge course closes @ **5:00PM** (**MUST BE ON THE COURSE BY THESE TIMES!!!**)
- *Sunday* – must be on the course by **1:00PM**
- All NSCA/PSCA fees included in prices.

For additional information please contact **Rock Mountain:**

Phone: **(570) 965-7625**

Email: [rockmountain@frontier.com](mailto:rockmountain@frontier.com)

Address: **674 Leon Mitchell Road, Springville PA 18630**

GPS: **N 41.41.18 W 75.57.46**

- Judy's Catering will be selling lunch on Saturday & Sunday.
- Directions to RMSC can be found on [our website](#).

**All payoffs will be mailed. Fees are non-refundable. Management reserves the right to alter or change any part of the program without prior notice. Shooter is solely responsible for correctly completing the entry form and checking the master scoreboard for correct Class and Options.**

# Rock Mountain Sporting Clays

welcomes you to the

## **2014 PA EASTERN ZONE CHAMPIONSHIP**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ NSCA #: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Concurrent Lady Jr. Sub-Jr. Vet. Sup-Vet. Sen. Sup. Vet.  
Payment: VISA MC AMEX CC#: \_\_\_\_\_  
Exp. Dt.: \_\_\_\_\_ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup>**

<b>Prelim – 100 targets</b>	\$75.00	_____
<i>Lewis Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<b>20 Gauge – 50 targets</b>	\$40.00	_____
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<b>28 Gauge – 50 targets</b>	\$40.00	_____
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<b>.410 Bore – 50 targets</b>	\$40.00	_____
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<b>SxS – 50 targets</b>	\$40.00	_____
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<b>Pump – 50 targets</b>	\$40.00	_____
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<b>Saturday Total:</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	_____

### **Sunday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

<b>Main – 100 targets</b>	\$90.00	_____
<b>(\$100 AFTER June 25<sup>th</sup>)</b>		
<i>Class Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<i>Lewis Option</i>	\$10.00	_____
<i>High-Gun-In-Class</i>	\$10.00	_____
<i>HOA/RU</i>	\$20.00	_____
<b>Sunday Total:</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	_____
<b>Deposit:</b>	_____	_____
<b>Grand Total:</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	_____

**ALL OPTIONS MUST BE PAID BY CASH OR CHECK!!!**

**Class Option** – pays 50/30/20 split satisfying 3 places per class.

**Lewis Option** – pays 50/30/20 split paying 1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> every 10 shooters.

**HGIC** – pays 1<sup>st</sup> place in class.

**HOA/RU** – pays 60/40 split to HOA & RU (tiebreaker stations to be used if necessary)

# MID-COUNTY ROD & GUN

*Presents*

## THE EMPIRE CUP

Sunday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2014

100 Bird Main Event  
8:00 A.M. Reg. 10:00 A.M. Start

NSCA MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE  
*LUNCH INCLUDED*

### **PRIZES:**

#### **Main event**

\$20.00 OF EVERY FULL ENTRY  
RETURNED TO CLASS!  
CLASSES: MASTERS thru E  
Prizes based on number of participants!

CLASSES-1<sup>ST</sup>-50% 2<sup>ND</sup>-30% 3<sup>RD</sup>-20%  
Hunter classes and options available

### **COST:**

\$120.00 Pre-registration - incl. NSCA FEES  
& JR's \$50.00 (CONCURRENT ONLY)  
\$130.00 Same day registration

***PIG ROAST AND  
CHICKEN BBQ FOR LUNCH  
INCLUDED***

Registration Winscore.com  
Changes to program @ discretion of management  
Option monies will be mailed

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**TIME**

- Registration open 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.
- Squadded Start: 10 a.m.
- Lunch: 1:30 p.m.
- Award Ceremony: 2:30 p.m.

**SPECT SHOOTING 101**

- Come learn for the first time or improve your new skills at multiple shooting sport options. You will be shooting the same competitors as the pros but without the pressure. Ammunition will be provided and experienced staff will be available to provide coaching and tips.
- \$100 pre-registered, \$110 walk-ins

**EVENT**

- 100 sporting clay targets scored by Lewis Clays

**CLASSES**

- A, B, C, D
- Concurrent prizes for Ladies, Veterans, Super-Veterans and Juniors

**LUNCH**

- Gourmet lunch served from 1:30 - 3 p.m.
- Start auction within during lunch

**ENTRY FEE**

- \$100 pre-registered, \$110 walk-ins
- Juniors Special FREE with parent/guard
- \$600 for corporate/team of 5, includes station sponsorship
- Options: if interested in competing for cash prizes
  - High Score in Class \$10
  - High Overall \$10

**PRIZES**

- High Overall & Runner-Up: 4 Classes A-D & E Prizes
- Squadron of 5 All Target Competition. Bring your turkey gun and win prizes! Winners will qualify for NWWTF World Wild Turkey S&B Target Championships.

**SPECIAL: YOUTH SHOOTING TEAMS**

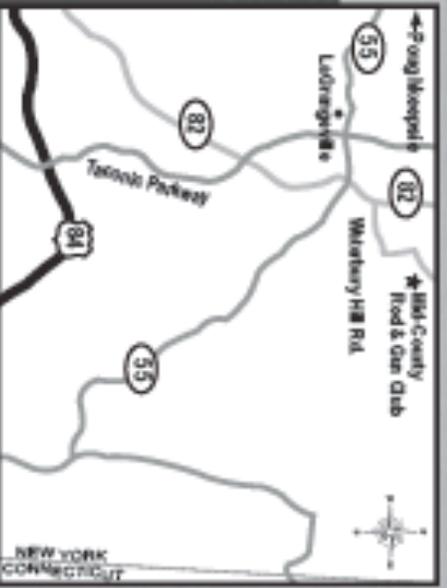
- Squad 3 team members and your shooting team will receive \$5,000 toward your Midway USA Foundation Endowment. We will also be awarding an additional
  - \$5,000 for the 1<sup>st</sup> Place Team
  - \$3,500 for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Team
  - \$2,500 for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Team
- Special prize: \$40 for youth shooters - includes 100 targets. See reverse side for special entry form. Youth shooters paying the special entry fee will only be eligible for consolation prizes.



→ **Directions to Mid-County Rod & Gun Club**

From Poughkeepsie: Take US-44/NY-55E/Church St. Continue to follow NY-55E 8.9 miles. Turn left onto NY-62. Turn right onto CR-68/Waterbury Hill Rd.

From Connecticut: Take I-84/W toward New York State Thruway. Take Exit 16/Taconic Parkway North, lower of Albany; take the RT-62/N ramp. Turn right onto NY-62. Turn right onto CR-68/Waterbury Hill Rd.



# Registration

The Baron Technology, Inc., Northeast Regional Sporting Clays Championship Sunday, June 29, 2014

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

DAYTIME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE SQUARE ME WITH... (MAX. 5)

**REGISTRATION**

Consent:  Ladies  Vet  Super-Vet  
 Junior  Sport Shooting 101

• Note: Event management reserves the right to change this program without notice.

• Make Checks Payable to NWWTF  
 Return Registration Form and Payment to:  
 Mid-County Rod & Gun Club, 650 Waterbury Hill Rd.,  
 LaGrangeville, NY 12540

• For More Information Contact:  
 Steve Meyen  
 (845) 677-4830

[www.nwtf.org](http://www.nwtf.org)

**Youth Shooting Team Member Registration**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ \$40

Team Represented \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

**TWO EVENTS:**

Introduction to Shotgun Sports

for new shooters and

Northeast Sporting Clay Championship

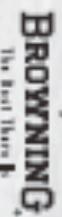
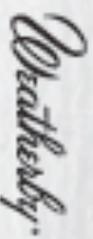
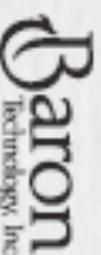
The winners are chosen by Lewis Class - 8  
special way of fighting the scores so everyone  
has a chance to win.

Please join us for the  
**NWTF GUN BASH** taking place  
on Saturday, June 28.

For more information  
contact Sean Langerin at

(607) 693-1192.

**REGIONAL SHOOT MAJOR SPONSORS**



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Baron Technology, Inc.  
**NORTHEAST  
SPORTING CLAYS  
CHAMPIONSHIP**  
Mid-County Rod & Gun Club  
660 Waterbury Hill Rd.  
LaOrangeville, NY 13540

**NATIONAL WILD TURKEY FEDERATION**

**Baron Technology, Inc.**

presents the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual

**NORTHEAST  
SPORTING CLAYS  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

**TWO EVENTS**

For New Shooters

Sport Shooting 101 including: Trap, Skeet,  
5-Stand and Sporting Clays

For Veteran Shooters

Our Championship Clay Event

**Sunday, June 29, 2014**

Mid-County Rod & Gun Club  
LaOrangeville, New York

**MORE THAN  
\$5,000  
IN PRIZES**  
including cash,  
guns and more



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