

From the President...continued

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The Calcutta results included \$2241.88 paid out for the 1st place team, purchased by the team; \$1345.13 to the second place team, purchased by Pat Keslar and \$896.75 for third place, purchased by Peister & Perkovich. A total of \$5,275.00 was bid, with 15% (\$791.25) going to the Past Shooters.

In summation, I am very proud to be your 2008 One Box Past Shooter President. I would like to have 75 Past Shooters come back this fall — so please mark your calendars for the 2008 Hunt—**November 6—9, 2008**. Gather your buddies and come join us! You've missed out on lots of fun if you haven't been here for the past several years. Thanks to all those Past Shooters who come back each year and support the Hunt. We hope to see you again this year and for many years to come. Have questions, or just want to get in touch—my email address is pkeslar@neb-sandhills.net. I'd love to hear from you about your thoughts and suggestions for the 2008 Hunt and the 50th Anniversary Hunt coming up in a couple of years.



2007 Past Shooters Winning Team
Matt Lyne with Bobbi and Lacey; Matt Varney with Sage;
Jim Duncan with Magie and Sara and Dave Stunkel.

2010 Hunt - Our 50th Anniversary

Paul Ulmer - Chairman

As the 50th One Box Anniversary Hunt approaches us, I would like to introduce myself. My name is Paul Ulmer. Some of you may know me from being a New Team guide alongside Todd Reynolds. As Chairman of the 50th Anniversary Hunt, I would like to share with you some possible ideas we have been planning. One thing we know—we want to make the Hunt a huge celebration to acknowledge the fact that the Hunt is the 2nd oldest organized Hunt in the USA. We also want this to be a celebration that focuses entirely on the Past Shooters—without whom this Hunt would not exist.

Several ideas have been put forward for the Hunt, including (1) Past Shooters only; (2) all competitive teams (Hunt divisions to be made by age); (3) selecting a team of 5 members

(original team or 5 new Past Shooters together). I would like to urge everyone to have a hunting partner(s) that is interested in participating in the One Box. You need to encourage them to hunt within the next two years so they can enjoy the 50th Gala. If you haven't participated in a few years, you may want to revisit the One Box to enjoy all the hospitality of central Nebraska.

There are more birds than ever out there in our habitat areas, thanks to the generosity of members in purchasing the surrogators. Both new and Past Shooter teams will benefit.

As with the 25th Anniversary Hunt, the 50th will have a commemorative shotgun, and perhaps other items celebrating the 50th year. If you have suggestions for an item, contact me at paul_ulmer@hotmail.com.

Golden Pheasant Award Outstanding Past Shooter Awards and Others

The Golden Pheasant Award was awarded to Bob Lindly.

Outstanding Past Shooter Awards went to Dave Stunkel and Jim Duncan.

Outstanding Youth Shooting Award (Fred Johnson Award) went to Brody Sikes and Print Zutavern.

Outgoing Board Members were Don and Deb Cantrell and Tim and Julie Johnson, Bob Allen and Norris Marshall.

Past Shooter Gun Raffle won by Gene Wright. Elks Gun Raffle won by Dave Hartman.



Bob Lindly



Jim Duncan



Dave Stunkel



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Dates of Interest

May 1—Deadline for VIP Team member nominations. Here is a chance to recommend an individual shooter who gets a spot on the 2008 VIP Team. Preferably this person will become a long term past shooter member and return to Broken Bow for future Hunts, adding to the success of the Hunt.

September 5 & 6—Shoot and Shout Dove Hunt and Clay Target Competition. Limited Teams with Past Shooter preference. This is a great event and worth the trip back to Broken Bow, If you are interested, contact Matt Lyne at mattshotsclays@yahoo.com or phone him at 308-872-6131 day or 308-872-5639 evening. Teams are put together in May/June, so don't wait!

October 17—Deadline for Past Shooters pre-registration for the 2008 hunt.

November 6-7-8-9—2008 One Box Hunt.

Surrogator with baby pheasants



Surrogator—check the website at www.pheasantrestoration.com for more information.

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from a successful
day!



The estimated number of volunteers needed to accommodate each new and past shooter that attends the hunt - 147 !