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RMR Weekly E-News

Hello RMR Faithful!

The Christmas Holidays are upon us and we are busy taking our members and their friends and family hunting. The weatherman is calling for a bit of snow which will make the hunting spectacular, as usual. It has been dry the last few weeks so this is a welcomed storm and just in time for Christmas!!

Some of the news you will see was from an earlier E-News, but it is important.

We have plenty of room for you to hunt over the holidays, so pick a day or two and lets go shoot some birds!

We are in the office 730am-4pm to make reservations or you can do so via email as well. We will be closed ½ of a day on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, but open all other days. If you leave a message, I will call you back to make your reservation, or return an email via the email too.

Time is short this week, but I want everyone to have a Merry Christmas and hope that you remember the Reason for the Season! Christ is Born!!

RMR CHRISTMAS NEWSLETTER AND CALENDAR

The RMR Calendar and Newsletter is in the mail to members. If you just can't wait to read the newsletter, or don't get a hard copy as a non-member, you can go to our website and click on NEWSLETTERS and go to QUARTERLY NEWS and see the Christmas Message to the Masses. I want to thank all of you who say that you like the E-News and the Newsletters...they are fun to write and I hope they are informative too. Remember, you can have your friends look at the website if they want Dr. Axton's wisdom.

UNITED COMES TO THEIR SENSES

United Airlines Reverses Antler Policy

As we had reported to you earlier, SCI has been heavily engaged with United to reverse their policy that prohibits individuals from flying with antlers as part of their checked baggage. After lengthy discussions and endless emails over the last two months, United has changed their policy. Copied below is a short excerpt from United last email detailing the change in policy.

As you have recently contacted us, I wanted you to be the first to know that we have heard our customers' feedback about our Antler and Animal Horn policy, and are responding. Soon we will begin accepting Antlers and Animal Horns as checked baggage again... We will soon publish new requirements – and ones we previously did not have – about packaging and cleaning Antlers and Animal Horns to ensure their safe, clean transport.

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CHRISTMAS TREES

We are collecting Christmas trees again this year, and if you have paid attention at all when you are hunting, they really do make a difference by adding cover in many of our fields. If you will save your tree, and bring it with you when you are finished with it, that will be great. If you see Christmas tree lots in your travels, you might stop and tell them that if they have left over trees at the end of the holidays, we will be glad to take any and all they have if they need a place to dispose of them. We 'plant' the trees by punching a hole in the ground and standing them upright. This stops the snow and creates artificial tree rows or windbreaks and the birds really do use them, plus it puts more water in the ground around the structure and more grasses and weeds grown around them the following years.

GUN SAFETY CLASS

We will be holding the CCW gun safety classes again after the holidays are over, and we are through with the sport show in Denver. We will hold two classes on the 16th and 17th of January. You don't have to take both days...one is plenty and this will qualify you to get your concealed carry permit in Colorado. If you would like to have us put you on the list, email me and we will do so. Cost is still \$75 and more details will follow, but this is an all day class with much of it on the range actually shooting.

GOOSE AND DUCK HUNTING WITH STILLWATER OUTFITTERS

Here is the information again about the Goose hunting in and around Ft Collins/Brighton/Sterling in Colorado. Travis said that the RMR hunters have been great and he is extending our discount through the end of the season! THANKS TRAVIS!!

Travis Reininger the owner of Stillwater Outfitters is giving RMR folks a \$50 discount. He normally charges \$250 per gun for the hunts with a 3 for Geese. If you call and book a hunt tell him you are calling from RMR you can get the hunt for \$50 off. He is doing this for RMR members and their guests only. Make certain you tell him when booking that you are with RMR. Call him at 303-659-8665 . The Goose season lasts until the middle of February.

SERVICE GROUP SHOOT FEBRUARY 6th

Mark your calendar for the 8th Annual Service Group Shootout which will be held on February 6th. This fun event has raised more than \$175,000 in the last 7 years for many charities and this year the three charities are LATIGO, Big Brothers and Big Sisters, and The Pikes Peak Therapeutic Riding Center. You can be a sponsor or you can just hunt, but this is a great way to have a great time hunting and help raise money for some deserving groups. We sent you something in the mail about the shoot, so put a team together and lets have some fun!!

TWO FOR THE ROAD

Tony was a pianist and was practicing late one night. There was a tap on the door, when he opened it his landlord was standing outside the door. He asked; "do you know there is a sick lady upstairs?"

Tony answered, "No, I haven't heard that song. Can you please hum it a little?"

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Doctor: What's wrong with your bother?

Boy: He thinks he is a chicken.

Doctor: really? How long has this been going on?

Boy: Five years.

Doctor: Five years??!!

Boy: We would have brought him in earlier, but we needed the eggs.