



## Oregon Hunters Association

# Hoodview Chapter News

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### Chapter Meeting

Date: Thursday  
March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2005

Place: J.J. North's Buffet  
10520 NE Halsey  
Portland, OR

Time: 6pm - Social Hour  
Dinner is optional  
7pm – Meeting

#### Program:

Let's get ready for Turkey season! This month's chapter meeting will focus on spring turkey hunting. We'll discuss turkey calling, hunt setup, loads, decoys and other great turkey hunting tips. Make it a family night and bring the kids along for some fun!

### Club Update

Last month's chapter meeting speaker was ODFW Wildlife Biologist Keith Kohl from The Dalles. He discussed the ODFW plan to reintroduce Rocky Mountain Goats to the Columbia River Gorge including the history of goats in the Gorge and the previous reintroduction attempt that failed. He then fielded questions from the 54 in attendance about goats and other game animals as well. A big Hoodview Thank You to Keith for taking time to visit us. For more information about the proposal, Keith can be reached in The Dalles at 541-296-4628 or via email at Keith.L.Kohl@state.or.us

Coming this month - The "All Game Meat Banquet" will be held on March 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> at the Good Shepherd Church located just off Hwy 26 in Boring. It's a great event and our Promo Crew will be there as usual. For tickets or information contact Ron Nelson @ 503-658-4441. Also on March 5<sup>th</sup>, we'll be working up on Powell Butte again. Bring your hunting buddies and family out for a few hours of rewarding work and come join us at 8:30 am - In the process we'll make a difference in the local environment and possibly change the way we're regarded by many people outside of the hunting community.

Don't forget that March brings Hoodview's "Annual Meeting" and we will be conducting elections. This year we will be electing the Vice-President, Treasurer, and Board Positions 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9. Nominations are now open and will remain open until we vote. Last but not least - Have you purchased your Banquet tickets yet?

*Rick Williams*

### Membership Drawing

The general membership winner for February was **Gordon Riedel of SE Portland**. Unfortunately, he was not present to receive his **\$100 Cash** present from Hoodview, so **Better luck next time Gordon!** We'll draw another member's name and try to give the \$100 away again this month. You might be the lucky one drawn, but will you be there to collect? Good luck to all and remember you must be present to win!

Hoodview's volunteers did a great job at the Sportsman's Show last month. We would like to thank everyone that volunteered their efforts to the show. They helped get OHA's message out to hundreds of attendees, made it possible to sign up 23 new members, advertise our youth events and banquet, and sell raffle tickets and OHA promotional items. A special thanks to Kyle Buschke for working all day for three days in spite of the fact that his mother was very ill. Thanks again, Kyle.

*Carl Plasker - Hoodview Promotional Volunteer Coordinator*

### Club Calendar

March 4 <sup>th</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup>	Hunter's Harvest Dinner @ Good Shepherd Church in Boring
March 5 <sup>th</sup>	Johnson Creek Watershed Council - Watershed Wide Event
March 18 <sup>th</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup>	Rose City Gun Collectors Gun Show @ Portland Expo
March 26 <sup>th</sup>	Hoodview Chapter Banquet @ Gateway Elks Lodge
April 15 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Turkey Season Opens
April 16 <sup>th</sup>	Scoutcapades @ Multnomah Greyhound Park
April 22 <sup>nd</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup>	Rose City Gun Collectors Gun Show @ Portland Expo

## A First for the Hoodview Chapter

As we move into the spring season the Hoodview Chapter has a unique opportunity at hand. Rick Williams, our Chapter Board Chairman has been nominated to serve on the State Board of Directors for the Oregon Hunters Association. This marks the first time that a Hoodview Chapter member has been given this honor. Rick has been nominated for the Vice-Presidents position that will be vacated by our going VP John Crafton from the Redmond area. As I have gotten to know Rick in the last few years since I first wandered into a Hoodview Chapter Meeting, I am again and again amazed at the vigor, intensity and willingness to step up to the task at hand that he brings to the OHA mission. As most of you are aware Rick pens the Chapter newsletter each month. Anyone who has ever attended a Chapter Board Meeting has seen his administrative skills in action. Most Saturday afternoons you will find him at The Portland Gun Club, 2,3,4, maybe 5 kids on the trap range, YESSO shotguns in hand teaching the next generation of hunters and shooters safety and shooting skills. It has been my distinct pleasure to be involved in these Saturday outings with my Son, Steffan. Rick's repore with the kids is amazing. In the next issue of Oregon Hunter, the OHA magazine you will find position statements from the candidates for the open State Board positions. I urge you to take a few moments to look them over and cast your Ballot by mail before the mailing deadline. Rick's election to the State Board will give Hoodview Chapter an even stronger voice within the State organization than we currently have. Please join me in sending Rick Williams to the OHA Board of Directors.

Craig Schirle  
Hoodview Board Member

## ODFW Mule Deer and Elk MO's

The ODFW has prepared new Management Objective plans for Oregon's Mule Deer and Elk populations. Management objectives are used by biologists to help guide harvest management decisions related to herd health, habitat and wildlife damage to property. The proposals call for changes to reflect improved population information, long-term or permanent changes in habitat availability, and changes in the amount of property damage throughout Oregon's 67 Wildlife Management Units. The management objectives for deer were last updated in 1992. Elk management objectives were updated in 1994. The proposed management objectives will be presented to the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission for approval at its May 13 meeting in Prineville. The only remaining meeting in our area for you to voice your opinion regarding the proposed MO's will be held at the Clackamas Northwest Region Office on Wednesday, March 9, from 7-9 p.m. For more info call ODFW at 800-720-6339 (ODFW) or 503-947-6002

***I strongly urge all hunters to take an active roll by attending this meeting - It's your hunting tags that are at stake!***

***Rick Williams***

## Anti-Hunting/Animal Rights Threat Updates

### Eye on Missouri Bill Will Help Sportsmen Combat Anti's - (02/18) Missouri

Legislation in Missouri will severely hinder anti-hunters' efforts to ban outdoor sports via the ballot box.

House Joint Resolution 8, introduced by Rep. Mike Dethrow, R-Alton, will require a two-thirds majority vote to pass initiative proposals dealing with the harvest of birds, fish, game, wildlife, and forestry. It will make anti-hunters' efforts to ban hunting, fishing or trapping via the ballot box more difficult.

"Bringing wildlife issues - including hunting and trapping bans - before the voters has become a popular tactic employed by the anti's," said Rob Sexton, U.S. Sportsmen's Alliance vice president for government affairs. "They want to take the science out of wildlife management and allow the public, who can be swayed by emotional issue campaigns, to decide what is best for a state's wildlife resources."

Sending wildlife issues to the ballot ignores the Missouri Department of Conservation's management authority and the science on which management is based. Current Missouri law requires that these initiatives receive only a majority vote for passage.

Aside from discounting the wildlife agency's authority, ballot issues force sportsmen to raise and spend millions of dollars to protect sound conservation principles. These are monies that otherwise could be used to protect wildlife habitat and for other valuable projects.

Last year, the U.S. Sportsmen's Alliance played a key role in the defeat of anti-bear hunting initiatives in Maine and Alaska. Both states require a simple majority to pass a ballot issue forcing sportsmen to spend unprecedented amounts of money to get their message to voters. House Joint Resolution 8 would give sportsmen the upper hand if anti-hunting initiatives arise in Missouri.

HJR 8 is currently before the House Committee on Conservation and Natural Resources.

**Information Reprinted From The U.S. Sportsmen's Alliance Website @ [www.ussportsmen.org](http://www.ussportsmen.org)**



# HOODVIEW CHAPTER

Invites you to attend our Annual Sportsman's Banquet to be held at the Gateway Elks Lodge on March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2005 at 711 NE 101st Street in Portland, OR

This festive evening will feature many crowd favorites including a Live Auction, Silent Auction, General Raffles, Wall of Guns Raffle, Outfitter Tent Raffle, Waterfowl Hunter's Raffle, Gun Safe Raffle and the Upland Hunter's Raffle. You will also be treated to a wonderful prime rib or stuffed chicken sit down dinner. This is a casual evening event, so dress comfortably and plan to have a great time.

**Doors Open at 5:30 for Social Hour and Auction Preview**

## DINNER PACKAGES

### Single ~ \$70

1 Dinner Ticket  
1 OHA Membership  
1 Grand Door Prize Ticket

### Couple ~ \$100

2 Dinner Tickets  
1 OHA Membership  
2 Grand Door Prize Tickets

### Sponsor ~ \$200

2 Dinner Tickets  
1 OHA Membership  
2 Grand Door Prize Tickets  
\$40 General Raffle Tickets  
1 Sponsor Gun Raffle Ticket  
Sponsor Gift ~ Program Recognition

### Sponsor Table ~ \$700

8 Dinner Tickets & Reserved Table  
1 OHA Membership  
8 Grand Door Prize Tickets  
3 Sponsor Gun Raffle Tickets  
1 Grand Slam Raffle Ticket Package  
Sponsor Gift ~ Program Recognition

**WIN GUNS!** **WIN GEAR!**

### Grand Slam Raffle Ticket Package

28 General Raffle Tickets (Valued @ \$140)  
1 Upland Hunter's Raffle Ticket (Valued @ \$10)

**\$150 Value ~ You Pay Just \$75!**

### ATTENTION! ATTENTION!

Ladies and gentlemen we will have two VERY VERY special items at our banquet this month. We have received two American flags from our Armed Forces that were flown over Iraq. These Flags will each be accompanied by a certificate of authenticity and a photo from Iraq. This is being done with the blessings of our troops because they want to support those of us who support them and their families. This is your chance to proudly own a piece of history and show your support not only for OHA but also our troops. How - You ask? Join us on March 26<sup>th</sup> and find out!

**Craig Hoffman**

- ◆ Sponsor Gun Raffle ~ One firearm given away for every 15 sponsor package sold ◆
- ◆ Grand Door Prize ~ Weatherby Vanguard Bolt Action Rifle ◆
- ◆ Please see other side for ordering information ◆

## OHA Hoodview 2005 Banquet Order Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner Package: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Meal Selection: # \_\_\_\_\_ Prime Rib # \_\_\_\_\_ Stuffed Chicken

Presale Grand Slam Raffle Ticket Package # \_\_\_\_\_ Pkgs @ \$75 Each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Method: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_\_ MasterCard

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Card Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Order now and support the OHA,  
Wildlife, Habitat, and Hunters  
Rights in the State of Oregon

To register; complete and mail, phone or email information to:  
OHA Hoodview Banquet ~ PO Box 22620 Milwaukie, OR 97269  
Phone: 503-786-0729 ~ Fax: 503-653-5665 ~ Email: ken1.2@netzero.net

**Note: Please list all attendees with contact information**

### The Last Bite

#### *Marinated Dungeness Crab*

2 or 3 Dungeness Crabs, cleaned and cracked.  
3/4 cup red wine vinegar  
3 cups Cannola oil  
6 cloves of whole garlic  
2 teaspoons coarse grind salt  
1 teaspoon black pepper  
1 red onion

In a blender place the vinegar, garlic, salt and pepper. Pulse the blender on the slowest speed it has for about 5 seconds. Add Cannola oil and pulse again just to mix oil and vinegar. Place Crab and sliced onion in a non-reactive bowl and pour marinade over. Toss well and place in refrigerator for up to six hour stirring about every hour or so. 15 minutes before serving drain in a colander. Serve with lots of crusty sourdough bread and a tossed green salad.

Make sure to have a roll of paper towels on the table. This is an "interactive" meal, fingers work best! Enjoy

*Craig Schirle*

### 3 Gun All Hunters Raffle

This raffle features not one, not two, but three choice prizes - one of which is sure to strike your fancy no matter what you like to hunt! Don't miss out on your chance to own one of these beauties!

#### Remington 700 CDL - .300 Ultra Mag



#### Remington 11-87 Premier - 12 Ga.



#### Ruger



New Model Single Six  
Single Action Revolver  
22 LR / .22 WMRF

**3 TICKETS / \$5 ~ 1 IN 600 ODDS  
DRAWING TO BE HELD AT THE HOODVIEW  
OHA CHAPTER MEETING APRIL 14<sup>th</sup>, 2005**

# Youth Turkey Hunting Clinics



## Turkey Behavior and Biology

Learn turkey biology, distribution, habitat, behavior, scouting techniques, turkey sign identification and locating gobblers.

## Turkey Hunting Techniques

Here are the tricks, tips and strategies you need to be a successful hunter. Learn how to set up on the bird, call in a roused gobbler as well as hunting techniques for varying situations. Experts teach decoy use and turkey gear.

## Safety

Learn to hunt safely and practice defensive hunting. Set-up, clothing,

hunting over decoys and approaching other hunters will all be covered.

## Shotgun Handling and Patterning

This hands-on session teaches how to pattern your gun, establish effective ranges and hold your gun as the big tom approaches.

**Clinic Fee: \$10.00**

**Deadline: March 15, 2005**

## To register:

Submit the registration form below with your \$10 payment to:

Colleen Till  
ODFW  
3406 Cherry Ave. NE  
Salem, OR 97303-4924

You will receive location information and directions after March 15, 2005. For questions, please contact Colleen Till at 503-947-6017.

## SPONSORED BY:

**Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife**  
**Oregon Hunter's Association**  
**National Wild Turkey Federation**

## At each clinic you will learn:

### Turkey Calling

Learn turkey vocabulary and the art of calling. Experiment with a variety of calls and learn how to make basic calls for a successful hunt.

### Turkey identification

Learn how to identify turkeys and determine sex.

## TURKEY CLINIC REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Location:  April 2: White River Management Area  April 2: Clackamas  April 9: Eugene

I hereby acknowledge that there are certain inherent risks in participating in a workshop of this nature. I agree that I will not bring claims against the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, its instructors, operators or sponsors as a result of any injuries, expenses or damages I may suffer in connection with my participation in any workshop, whether such claims are known or unknown in the future.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant signature (parent or guardian must sign for minor)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



Participants agree that photographs may be taken during the workshop and used by ODFW for promotions of education programs.

### Hoodview Chapter Contact Information

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### OHA joins the Johnson Creek Watershed Wide Event Connecting Communities Through Stewardship

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

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Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>  
8:30am-12pm, with celebration to follow  
OHA will be at Powell Butte (SE 162<sup>nd</sup>, just south of Powell Blvd)

Want to be a part of a great community event? For the seventh year in a row, the Johnson Creek Watershed Council (JCWC) and their partners will be taking a Watershed-Wide perspective on winter invasive plant removal, native planting, surveying, naturescaping, composting, and more.

On March 5, 2005 the Watershed Wide Event will bring together hundreds of volunteers from throughout the Johnson Creek watershed to twelve sites for a variety of activities. The Hoodview Chapter of Oregon Hunters Association has "adopted" the beautiful Powell Butte Nature Park and will be sponsoring this year's effort there. Powell Butte, a 600-acre park in the City of Portland, has over nine miles of trails through open meadows, orchards, and forests. The butte is actually an extinct volcano with a 630-ft summit from which, on a clear day, you can see the snowy peaks of Mt. Hood, Mt. Adams, Mt. Jefferson, and Mt. St. Helens.

This year Hoodview volunteers will do double duty. One group will work with chainsaws to remove invasive non-native Hawthorn trees while another group will plant Oak trees and Snowberry bushes as they did last year. Volunteers are asked to bring a shovel and work gloves. This is a great family event and volunteer opportunity right here in our own backyard, so bring the family and come on out on March 5<sup>th</sup> to help preserve and restore wildlife habitat at this unique park. To register (which is greatly appreciated!) and learn more about the Watershed Wide Event, contact Gerry Rondo at [Hondo23.56@juno.com](mailto:Hondo23.56@juno.com), (503) 761-2359 or go to the JCWC website, at [www.jcwc.org/www.htm](http://www.jcwc.org/www.htm) (503) 239-3932.