## Land of Lakes December Newsletter

<u>January Business Meeting</u> will be held on 02January 07 at the Green Mill Restaurant. The location is in the NE corner of Lexington and 694. Members are welcome at 6pm for eating, with the meeting starting at 7pm. The topics will include finalizing plans for the Upland Hunt and more preparation for the Spring Back to Back.

The Annual Wild Game Potluck and Awards Banquet will be held at the Samsons' on 06Jan07. It starts at 5pm with Dinner beginning at 6:30pm. Bring your favorite recipe of Wild Game to share with everyone, and come prepared to socialize. The directions are: Take Highway 10 to Becker. At the Blinking yellow light take County Road 23 North for 2 miles. Turn Right (East) on 107<sup>th</sup> Street SE (at the end of Pebble Creek Golf Course). Go two blocks and turn left (North into my driveway). Go to the end of the shared driveway. You have arrived. Call 763-262-0585 if you get lost.

<u>The Upland Hunt</u> is planned for February 3, 2007 at Rocky Bay Game Farm near Pine City. There will be two hunt tests held on Saturday. Get your entries in now. We are also looking for workers. Contact Greg Larson if you can help. We will need bird planters and gunners. Send your entries in to our Hunt Secretary, Randy Gustafson.

<u>Training Season</u> is being planned for starting in January. Dennis Riebe and Jeff Kolanski are the co-Chairmen for training. They are putting together a schedule. Some upland training events are planned at Rocky Bay prior to the Upland Hunt Test. Check the Website Calendar for more news.

<u>Election of New Officers</u> is underway. Your ballot should have arrived in the mail. Fill it out and send it back to Randy by 15Dec06 for counting. New officers will be brought in at the January Meeting.

<u>Kudo's:</u> Congratulations to Chris Benz for getting 500 points with Cooper. Also, congratulations to Randy Tull for getting 1000 points with Remington. These are impressive milestones for our club and the abilities of our club members as amateur trainers.

<u>Greetings from the "New" Newsletter Editor.</u> This edition is a shortened version of our normal newsletter that had been put out previously by Randy Gustafson, but I plan to expand content once I get up to speed. So, bear with me and we will see what happens. I may even surprise you with a few pictures, once I get going.

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