

McHenry County Boy Scouts

Dear Sir or Madam,

This year we are doing something different at our Annual **McHenry County Sporting Clay Shoot** that will offer several opportunities in which scouts may participate. We are inviting all qualified McHenry County Boy Scouts to spend the day shadowing adults and working toward receiving their Shot Gun Merit Badge as well as the Hunter Safety certificate. In order to do this, there are certain skills that they are required to learn from this valuable experience:

- Why BB and pellet air guns must always be treated with the same respect as all firearms.
- How to properly react if a friend visiting your home asks to see your or your family's firearm(s).
- The need for and proper use of eye and hearing protection.
- Learn the main points of the laws and regulations for owning and using guns in their community and state.
- Basic shotgun safety rules.
- Basic shotgun shooting techniques.

These are just a few of the important skills and information that these Scouts over the next several months. The day of the event they will take the final step by shooting clay birds on the range. We are happy to have Stan Mill and Jim Clingingsmith in attendance to run the class.

This year the Sporting Clay Shoot will be held on **September 11, 2010** at the **Richmond Hunt Club on Route 17, Richmond, IL.** We recommend that the Scout(s) spend all day with your group. Each scout will need to be supplied with a shot gun, shells, and other incidental items. Please assist in providing these items as the scouts may want to shoot, but not have the required equipment.

The average cost to sponsor a scout is \$100.00, but any donation would be appreciated. If you are interested in sponsoring a scout, or if you know of any one else who would be a good shadowing host, please complete the enclosed form and return it to me no later than Saturday, June 12, 2010. If you have any questions, please contact me at (815) 334-9450 or by email at mark_gibson@mgmechanical.com.

Thank you for your support,

Mark W. Gibson
Chairman
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Woodstock, IL 60098

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MCHENRY COUNTY SPORTING CLAY SHOOT

>>> 2010 Youth Sponsor Form <<<

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Total</u>
_____	_____	<u>SUPPORT A YOUTH</u>	\$ _____
	\$ 100.00 ea.		

Due By June 12, 2010

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Class Schedules

Shot Gun Merit Badge (Read the book ahead of time).

Classroom May 20, 2010 7 pm to 10 pm
Location To be Determined

Shooting May 22, 2010 8 am to 12 pm
Location To be Determined

Rain Date will be May 23, 2010

Hunter Safety Certification

Classroom June 24, 2010 6 pm to 10 pm
June 26, 2010 8 am to 5 pm
Location Shamrock Health & Fitness
411 Leah Lane
Woodstock, IL 60098

You will need to bring a highlighter, paper and pencil.

Please mail back to: McHenry County Sporting Clay Shoot c/o MG Mechanical Contracting Inc.
-1513 Lamb Rd. Woodstock, IL 60098

Thank You for Your Support, Your M.C.S.C.S. Committee