

# **SPRINGVILLE FIELD & STREAM CLUB, Inc.**

## **2011 Officers & Directors**

**President:** Gary Ebert      **1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:** Vacant      **2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President:** Karl Ott      **Secretary:** Ron Schunke

**Treasurer:** Rich Zifra      **Financial Secretary:** Jeff Kinon      **Membership Secretary:** Nick Wentz

### **Two Year Directors:**

Tim Dashnaw  
Dick Kazmark  
Bernie Young  
Rich Lockwood

### **One Year Directors:**

Dolf Bonenberger  
Jim Schweickert  
Jerry King  
Kevin Ploetz  
Bob Dzara interim for Karl Ott

Our next regular meeting is Thursday February 3, 2011.

Regular membership is still only \$30.00 and Junior membership (under 18) is \$5.00

**The Building Fund Raffle is February 5, 2011 at St. Al's Parish Hall. Call Karl Ott for tickets and more information @ 592-4931**

We're looking for volunteers to run the Family Picnic.

The clubs website is [springvillefieldnstream.org](http://springvillefieldnstream.org)

If you have pictures or other information you would like to put on our website or newsletter,

you can email it to Gary Ebert at [lifttrk1@yahoo.com](mailto:lifttrk1@yahoo.com) or

Dick Kazmark at [rkaz800@live.com](mailto:rkaz800@live.com)

### **Welcome New Members**

<b>Barbara Crandall</b>	<b>Peter Sears</b>
<b>Laura Crandall</b>	<b>Wayne Ganschow</b>
<b>Charlie Gardner</b>	<b>Matt Sobota</b>
<b>Paul Folsom</b>	<b>Thomas J. Sansone</b>
<b>Joseph Weronski</b>	<b>Miguel Negroni</b>

## Archery 2010

Getting ready for archery season is always fun. Setting targets up with the Boy Scouts makes the job easy and enjoyable. The scouts set up 15 targets with the help of Dave Carrier, Jim Holtz, Jim Schweickert & Gary Ebert. The scouts spent the weekend and helped taking down the targets. Karl Ott came out and showed the boys around the kitchen. Next year we hope to have 3 troops camped out.



Bernie Young shows Bill Wood one of his tree stands. Bernie has a few stands and a hut in his woods.



Jeff Kinon harvested this buck at his deer camp in Schoharie County

I got this 8 on Sunday, 7:15 AM  
It weighed 124 lbs dressed"

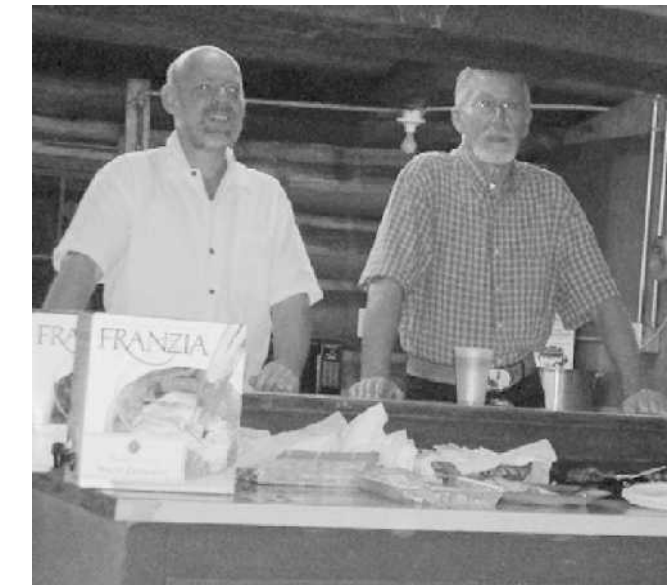


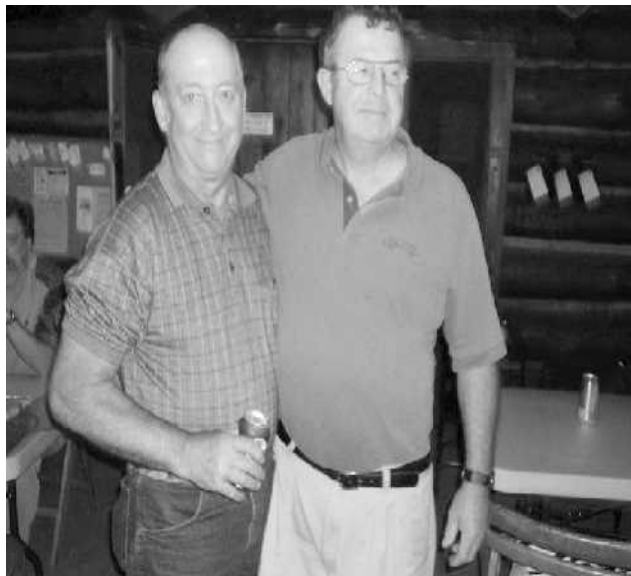
Gary Ebert harvested this 7 pointer opening morning of regular season. "I also took a nice doe on the last Friday of regular season".



Bernie Young took this beautiful buck during muzzle loading season.

# Ladies Nite





Words can't tell what a nice night we had  
but the smiles on the faces can.

I'd like to give a special thanks to  
Jerry King, Rich Zifra, Bernie Young,  
Dolf Bonenberger and Karl Ott.  
These guys put together a warm evening  
to show our appreciation to our ladies.

God Blesses

### **“Kids Can Make A Difference”**

Some of our Jr. members from SGI Middle School are involved in a project that involves helping out the environment. The Jr. members are Bradley Zifra, Tyler Olrogg and Matt Sabota.

Tyler has an idea about building a Monofilament recycling bin at our Trout Pond. He says “this is a recycling bin for fishing line. When the bin fills up, we send it back to a company for recycling it.”

The boys say they would be happy to build duck houses and help stock the trout pond.

Our Jr. members would like more information about our club to take back to the Middle School and share with their class mates and teachers. They also would like someone to come to the school to give a lecture.

Happy New Year. I'm looking forward to bring a few new ideas to the club this year. One idea would be to organize an archery workshop between members of our local Boy Scouts and members of the Tri-County Kingdom Archers. They are the local chapter of The Christian Bowhunters. For the Boy Scouts to achieve their archery merit badge, they must make an arrow.

Another area that showed up in hunting statistics is that women are becoming more involved with hunting. Between 2008-2009, we had 3 women join the Field & Stream. In 2010, we had 10 women join. They range from elementary girls to grandma girls. I couldn't resist that.

My wife attended her first Women in the Outdoors this past May. I was very surprised how much Laurel enjoyed this. Many of you read her article about her day at Women in the Outdoors.

Any ladies interested in this years Women in the Outdoors can contact Angie Wojcik @ 496-5292. The ladies are in the planning stage and can use all the help they can get. They will be meeting at Tim Hortins on Friday, January 14, 2011 at 7 PM.

Back to hunting. More women than men took up hunting last year, according to new net figures from the National Sporting Goods Association.

While total hunters in the U.S. decreased slightly (.05 percent) between 2008 and 2009, the number of female hunters increased by 5.4 percent, netting 163,000 new participants. Growth areas for women included muzzleloading (up 134.6 percent), bowhunting (up 30.7 percent) and hunting with firearms (up 3.5 percent).

Data also show women outpaced men among net newcomers to target shooting with a rifle, where female participation grew by 4.1 percent.

New hunters and shooters are cause for celebration because more participation helps with funding for conservation, according to officials with National Hunting and Fishing Day.

Our **Political Action Committee** will be going to Albany January 24. Chairman Dick Kazmark has been leading an exhausting charge in educating anti-gun people as to the most revealing facts in the gun-control controversy.

Dick, Larry Ciszak, Bernie Young & myself will be meeting with our elected officials in Albany, both pro & anti gun. If you have any questions you'd like us to ask them, please email them to me. [liftrk1@yahoo.com](mailto:liftrk1@yahoo.com)