



# Somerset Sportsman's Club,

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## **END OF 2008 NEWSLETTER**

### **OFFICERS FOR 2009**

President: Joe Fortin  
Vice President: Peter Bernard  
Treasurer: Ed Oullette  
Secretary: Chet Burak

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR 2009**

Jim Rothwell  
Tom Ferry  
Dana Cuniff  
Chris Doyle  
Ed Cadorette

### **CONSERVATION CAMP**

Applications for the Jr. Conservation Camp must be received no later than April 4, 2009.

### **GAME DINNER & GUN RAFFLE**

A game dinner will be held on February 15th. Tickets are \$25.00 each and club members will be given preference until January 15th. A raffle will be held for a Savage Mod.10GXP3,.223 bolt action with scope. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00

### **INTERCLUB SHOOT**

The Interclub shoot has been postponed until after the 1st. of the year, possibly sometime in either February or March.

### **REMINDER**

Please remember that the range is closed during Deer Hunting season. Do not drive past the front gate, do not sight in, or do any shooting while other members are in the woods. This is a safety issue and the club rules will be enforced.

### **CORNED BEEF DINNER**

The club will hold a Corned Beef Dinner on March 14th. Tickets will be \$10.00

### **NEW MEMBERS**

*We will begin publishing the names of new club members starting with this Newsletter*  
The following became members in December

Tony Ferreira    Nicholas Rockwell  
Andrew Alves    Mark Tschirch  
James Ferreira    Bill Frenette

### **DUES**

If you have not paid your 2009 dues, please do so as soon as possible.

### **AFFILIATED**

The club has re-affiliated with GOAL  
(Gun Owners Action League)

### **JIM'S CORNER**

"I want an official Red Ryder, carbine action, two hundred shot range model air rifle" "No, you'll shoot your eye out." These lines are from the movie "A Christmas Story". Remember when this was the ultimate air rifle. Did you know that Lewis & Clarke had an air gun with them on their expedition to find the Pacific Ocean and that they used it to obtain small game. Now we have air guns out there capable of taking down Deer. Air Guns of today range in caliber from .177 to .50 and hunting with one presents a very different challenge.

### **MEETING DATES 2009**

*January 12, February 9, March 9, April 13, May 11, June 8, July 13, August 10, September 14,  
October 12, November 9, December 14*

**THE RANGE WILL BE CLOSED ON JANUARY 5th. & 6th. AND ON  
JANUARY 12th. WHILE THE SWANSEA POLICE QUALIFY. NO SHOOTING FOR  
CLUB MEMBERS ON THESE DATES**