

OUR GOAL: To Promote, Preserve, and Experience One of the Greatest Southern Traditions Known... Quail Hunting.

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2015 Fall Field Trail November 21

The Alabama Quail Hunters Fall Field Trial will be held on November 21st.

Please encourage our members to bring family, children and friends and guests (including those young people that might be interested) for a fun day!

Please be sure to thank Gates Shaw for hosting the field trial and his willingness to share his property!

If you would like to register your dog please contact Bob Carr (205-902-4156) or Frank Harris (205-595-0203).

Please register by Thursday (11/19) at the latest.



Registration fees are as follows:

- Puppy Class: Up to 12 months old, \$35.00
- **Derby Class:** Any class up to 36 months old, \$40.00
- •Gun Dog: Class is open to any dog, \$45.00

•Senior Dog: Class is open to dogs over 8-years-old, \$45.00

Directions to Gates Shaw Farm

• Take I-65 and Exit at the Montevallo & Calera Exit onto AL Hwy 25.

• Go South on AL Hwy 25 through Calera, Montevallo & Wilton about 13 miles total to Bibb Co. Hwy 65(about 7 miles from Wilton)

• Turn Right onto Bibb Co. Hwy 65 and go about 1 mile to Carlton Pass.

• Turn Right onto Carlton Pass and go to the dead end.

• The gate at the dead end is the entrance into Gates Shaw's Farm.

• Go through the gate to the designated parking area.

AQH Scholarship

•Frank Harris•

On August 3rd, 2015, the board of directors for Alabama Quail Hunters Inc. approved an operating scholarship to a college student.

The recipient must be a student with a declared major in wildlife, forestry, or agronomy. The amount of the scholarship will be \$1,000.

The scholarship will not be awarded to the same recipient in two consecutive years. The board of directors for Alabama Quail Hunters will retain sole authority with all aspects of the scholarship.

Generally it is understood that a student whose studies specialize in quail, fire, longleaf pines or native warm season grasses will receive



preference for the award. At the present time Alabama Quail Hunters has \$ 2,000 available to offer for scholarships.

Funding for this initial scholarship was made possible through a joint venture with Stan Wood, his wife Suzanne, and AQH, Inc.

From the Treasurer's Desk

If you have not yet paid your annual dues for 2015, please make your check out for \$30.00 for 2015 and 2016 dues to AL Quail Hunters and mail it to me at my new office address: 2245 Pine Lane, Hoover, AL 36226.

If you have any questions, my new office phone number is 205-902-4156. Also, remember my new email address is coalcarr123@gmail.com.

> Thanks, Bob Carr AQH Treasurer

2016 Dues: \$15 Contact Bob Carr

Welcome to our Newest Members:

Jim Christensen, Pelham George Hebb, Dora Ben Miree, Birmingham Edwin Morris, Tuscaloosa Todd Walker, Birmingham

Hey Folks!

New bird hunting opportunities are being offered in south Alabama. For several years, if a person wanted to hunt wild quail in Alabama, the opportunities were limited. Limited—even if one could afford the price of the ticket. Most wild quail hunting have been on private lands.

Two opportunities never before offered are now available for the 2015/2016 season. Either R.J. Lott or Daniel Howell is offering them.

Lott

R.J. Lott is near Elba and is offering hunting opportunities-including lodging. R.J. has 800 hundred acres of family land located on Coffee County Road 306. His wife offers pet grooming services for your dog.

For around \$1,000 you may find what you've been searching. R. J. is semi-retired from the construction business. He has moved back home and has renewed efforts to bring back wild quail. The lodge is a new construction from old materials. It resembles a country storefront around the 1950's. Feel free to call R. J. at 334-224-1004.

Howell

Daniel Howell is offering club memberships east of Dothan (off of State Road 84) in the Ashford community. The terrain is nearly flat which makes walking and hunting ideal! In addition to wild quail, Daniel is offering day shooting on pen raised quail as well as dove shoots.

Full memberships cost \$3,500 annually. Lodging is not offered. In nearby Dothan, along the Ross Clark Circle, there is plenty of lodging with rooms priced around \$100 per night. Daniel operates as Rocky Creek Farms. You may contact Daniel by email at howellrcf@gmail.com or call # 334-714-0104, and see what he has to offer!

AQH is planning a fall field trial on Saturday, November 21st, 2015. Complete information is included in this newsletter.

All for now!

Frank Harris AQH President

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Check payable to "Alabama Quail Hunters"

Call N.H. Holt, (205) 936-6293 for more information.



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