



“Grouse School”

Sunday, September 10, 2017 at 9:00 AM

**MASSAPOAG SPORTSMEN’S CLUB
86 Belcher Street ▪ Sharon, MA 02067**

Lecture, demonstrations, and discussions of everything and all things grouse and woodcock. Topics designed to get the new wingshooter in the woods, and help the experienced wingshooter be more productive.

TOPICS WILL COVER:

The basics of what grouse and woodcock are

Their habitat and habitat management

How to scout for grouse and woodcock cover

Hunting opportunities in Massachusetts

Information on Massachusetts' efforts
to restore grouse cover, and grouse.

Equipment

Safety

Guns and loads

Hunting dogs- to include a demonstration

Hunting tactics- to be combined with the dog demonstration



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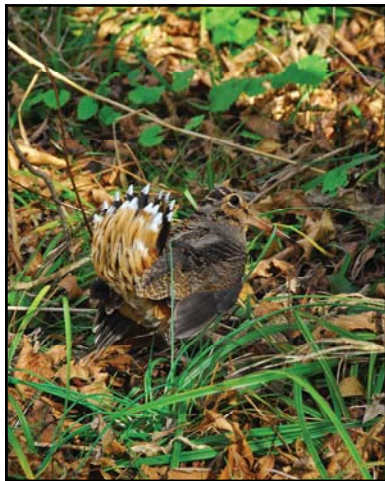


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The day will conclude with a round table discussion where attendees can ask questions of our panel of experienced grouse hunters, each with different preferences in how they hunt to illustrate the various ways it can be done.

THE LECTURERS/PANEL INCLUDES:

Andy Weik, Regional RGS Biologist

David Scarpitti, Mass Wildlife Biologist

Tom Keer, Outdoor Writer

Paul Schwalbe, President, Brian Hays RGS Chapter

Ernie Foster, Jr., President, South Shore/Boston RGS Chapter

Larry Rich, Outdoor Blogger

There will be burgers and dogs served at lunch.

Recreational skeet shooting available after the event. \$6/round, no shot larger than 7-1/2, must have your own gun.

SPACE IS LIMITED TO 40

To reserve a seat please contact:

Larry Rich: 617-838-5597 or e-mail flrbll@rcn.com

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