

Donations welcomed!

***For more information,
please contact our ticket chair
& mail order form to:***

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2015 Sponsor Reward Program

Must select one of the following options

Option 1 – Sponsor Print

As a sponsor, you may elect to receive the unframed RGS 2015 Print of the Year or an unframed print from a prior year (while supplies last). You will be sent the 2015 Print of the Year unless you specify a past sponsor print. To view these prints, please visit our website:

www.ruffedgrousesociety.org.

List Print of Year of choice: _____

Option 2 – Sponsor Reward Drawing

Raffle ticket(s) for entry into the Sponsor Reward Drawing for a chance to win 1 of 7 prizes drawn at the end of the 2015 banquet season.

As a sponsor you may elect to participate in the Sponsor Reward Drawing. Seven tickets will be drawn in the order listed below with the first ticket winning the first prize and so forth. The sponsors who elect this option will be assigned a ticket number(s) for the drawing from RGS National Headquarters.

The following are the seven prizes being offered:

1. Fausti Class Over/Under 20-Gauge Shotgun
2. Franchi Aspire Over/Under 28-Gauge Shotgun
3. Benelli Ethos Semi-Auto 12-Gauge Shotgun
4. SKB Model 200 Side-by-Side 28-Gauge Shotgun
5. CZ Ringneck Side-by-Side 20-Gauge Shotgun
6. Browning Silver Hunter Semi-Auto 20-Gauge Shotgun—**Browning, Donor**
7. SportDOG TEK 2.0 GPS + E-Collar—**SportDOG, Donor**

Ruffed Grouse Society in Action

Proven Ability to Successfully Manage Forests

RGS has degreed biologists on the ground nationwide and RGS-owned forest management equipment implementing a proven plan for forest management.

Management Area Program

The RGS MAP program has created over 600 projects affecting over 500,000 acres of habitat in 28 states.

RGS Government Affairs and Policy

The RGS Director of Conservation Policy has an impact on legislation and policy in Washington D.C., and RGS staff are members of congressional and state committees affecting our natural resources and hunting rights.

Coverts Program

The RGS Coverts Program works with cooperative extension services and has affected over 1 million acres of forest habitat.

Consulting Forester Outreach Program

This new program targets private landowners through educational seminars for foresters performed by RGS biologists.

Innovative Partnerships with Industry

RGS has forged strategic alliances with industry to manage over 12,000 acres of forest habitat while RGS retains percentage of timber sale proceeds. The relationship improves habitat for wildlife and enhances recreational value of these lands.

The Recognized Leader in Forest Management

Governmental agencies, private landowners, leading companies and industries recognize RGS as the foremost forest conservation organization. In turn, RGS understands and embraces the opportunity to partner with government, landowners and companies to benefit both wildlife and industry.



Join us for the
28th Annual
Aitkin Area Chapter
Conservation &
Sportsmen's Banquet

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2015

Social Hour & Raffles: 5:30 p.m.

Dinner: 7:30 p.m.

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**HEALTHY FORESTS
ABUNDANT WILDLIFE
SPORTING TRADITIONS**

**EARLY BIRD BONUS
RAFFLE TICKET PACKAGE**

\$220 Raffle Package

Purchase for \$125

on or before August 25, 2015

(Savings of \$95)

August 26 or later buy for \$150

(Savings of \$70)



Step Up & become a Dual Member!

For only \$25, you can become a Dual member in the American Woodcock Society in addition to your Ruffed Grouse Society membership! *The added funds will help more of the birds we love.*



Make Plans To Attend The Banquet!

When you do, you help preserve our sporting traditions through the creation of healthy woodland habitat for ruffed grouse, American woodcock and other forest wildlife.

Cost:

Individual Membership & Dinner Ticket: \$60

Membership & Spouse with
2 Dinner Tickets: \$85

Junior Membership & Dinner Ticket: \$35
(17 & under)



**Don't miss your chance
to become an RGS Sponsor!**



**2015 RUFFED GROUSE SOCIETY
"12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS" NATIONAL RAFFLE**

December 11: Remington Express 20-Gauge Pump Shotgun with Midland XTC- 400VP HD 1080p Black Action Video Camera and Shotgun Mount

December 12: Orvis \$500 Gift Certificate

December 13: CZ Ringneck SxS 20-Gauge Shotgun

December 14: Tristar Hunter EX LT O/U 20-Gauge Shotgun

December 15: Webley & Scott 900 Sporting O/U 28-Gauge Shotgun: includes carrying case. Gun features RGS logo engraved in stock

December 16: Stevens Gold Wing O/U 20-Gauge Shotgun

December 17: SportDOG Tek 2.0 GPS & E-Collar—**SportDOG, Donor**

December 18: Browning BPS Field Pump 12-Gauge Shotgun—**Browning, Donor**

December 19: Fausti Caledon O/U 12-Gauge Shotgun

December 20: SKB IS300 Semi Auto 12-Gauge Shotgun

December 21: LL Bean \$500 Gift Certificate—**LL Bean, Donor**

December 22: Beretta Silver Pigeon O/U 28-Gauge Shotgun

Tickets are \$10 each or 3 for \$20

Winners to be drawn at RGS National Headquarters in Coraopolis, PA and posted on ruffedgrousesociety.org

Ticket sales end at 8:00 a.m. EST on December 10, 2015.

Void Where Prohibited By Law

Winners Responsible For All Taxes

For full details, go to www.ruffedgrousesociety.org/2015 National Raffle

SPONSOR INFORMATION

- _____ Banquet Sponsor @ \$275 _____
2 membership/dinner tickets, 1 sponsor gun drawing chance and a choice of option 1 or 1 ticket for option 2
- _____ Conservation Sponsor @ \$500 _____
4 membership/dinner tickets, 2 sponsor gun drawing chances, and a choice of option 1 or 2 tickets for option 2
- _____ Sustaining Sponsor @ \$1,000 _____
8 membership/dinner tickets, 4 sponsor gun drawing chances, and a choice of option 1 or 4 tickets for option 2
- _____ Gold Sponsor @ \$2,500 _____
8 membership/dinner tickets, 4 sponsor gun drawing chances, SKB Model 590 over/under 20 gauge shotgun and a choice of option 1 or 4 tickets for option 2
- _____ Non-Attending Banquet Sponsor @ \$250 _____

TICKET INFORMATION

- _____ Membership & Dinner Ticket @ \$60 _____
- _____ Membership & Spouse Ticket @ \$85 _____
- _____ Jr. Membership & Dinner Ticket @ \$35 each _____
- _____ Unable to attend –renew my membership (\$35 Regular) _____
- _____ "Step up" as a Dual RGS/AWS member for an added \$25 _____
- _____ Early Bird Bonus Raffle Ticket Package @ \$125 each _____
- _____ Early Bird Bonus Ticket Package after 8-25 @ \$150 each _____
- _____ 2015 National Raffle @ \$10 each or 3 for \$20 _____
- _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED _____

If 8 dinner tickets are purchased, a table will be reserved in your name:

Name/Company _____

Attention _____

Address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

METHOD OF PAYMENT

_____ Check/Money Order Payable To: RGS

_____ CC# _____ Exp: _____

CC Billing Address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip Code _____

Signature _____

I would like to become involved in my local committee to help support RGS and young forest habitat. Please contact me.