

HEALTHY FORESTS

SPORTING TRADITIONS

ABUNDANT WILDLIFE

17th Annual Potomac Valley Chapter Conservation & Sportsmen's Banquet

**SATURDAY
MARCH 8, 2014**



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

Dinner: 7:30 p.m.

*Tickets are limited
and have sold out the
last two years so
please order your
tickets early!*

**URBANA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
3602 Urbana Pike • Urbana, MD 21704**

Simple Directions: 1/2 Mile north of the Village of Urbana on Route 355

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: \$90

Jr. Membership & Dinner Ticket: \$35
(17 Years of Age & Younger)

**Don't Miss Your Chance
To Become An RGS Sponsor!!!**

***Sponsor Contributions and Donations
received by March 1, 2014
will be listed in the Banquet Program.***

For more information, please contact:

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EARLY BIRD BONUS RAFFLE TICKET PACKAGE

Contains \$200.00 Worth Of Raffle Tickets For The Cost Of Only \$100.00.

***All Early Bird Raffle Ticket Packages Must Be
Ordered By February 22, 2014.***

If You Would Like To Purchase Your Bonus Raffle Ticket Packages At The Banquet,
You Will Receive \$150.00 Worth Of Raffle Tickets For \$100.00.

Use The Order Form To Purchase Your Bonus Raffle Ticket Package
And Pick Up Your Tickets At The Door When You Register!!!

EARLY BIRD DOOR PRIZE

***To Be Entered Into A Drawing For A
\$300.00 Pack of Raffle Tickets***

***Order Your Tickets By
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2014.***

*RGS will offer every woman and youth (16 & under) who take and pass a hunter education course and/or participates in a "Woman in the Outdoors Program" an opportunity to receive a one-year RGS membership and a complimentary dinner at a Ruffed Grouse Society Banquet (with paying adult).
Need to provide proof of completion during the calendar year.*



***For Every 10 Sponsors
We Will Give Away
A Fine Grade Shotgun***

THE PURPOSE OF THE RUFFED GROUSE SOCIETY

- Established in 1961, The Ruffed Grouse Society is North America's foremost conservation organization dedicated to preserving our sporting traditions by creating healthy forest habitat for ruffed grouse, American woodcock and other wildlife. RGS works with landowners and government agencies to develop critical habitat utilizing scientific management practices.
- Forest conservation is facing the important challenges of unhealthy forest management practices, habitat loss and declining wildlife populations. RGS exists to protect, create and enhance healthy forests, abundant wildlife and our sporting traditions through scientific management of woodlands and public education.
- Devoted to the sporting life, ruffed grouse and woodcock hunters are a special group with a passion for the unique challenge these birds present. From Alaska and the Canadian Provinces to the Gulf of Mexico, our members include hunters, non-hunters, woodland owners, industries and conservation professionals. Our events and activities focus on camaraderie, learning, sharing and supporting the goals of our organization.
- RGS members and staff embrace our duty to enhance forest habitat and wildlife. There is a sense of fulfillment with being involved in an organization that makes a difference in habitat and wildlife nationally and locally.

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Healthy Forests - Abundant Wildlife - Sporting Traditions

The Ruffed Grouse Society Potomac Valley Chapter 17th Annual Conservation & Sportsmen's Banquet Saturday, March 8, 2014

SPONSOR PACKAGES – All sponsors receive recognition in the banquet program, chances in the sponsor gun drawing, and entry in the sponsor rewards program.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gold Sponsor\$2500 | \$ | |
| | 8 memberships & tickets, 4 sponsor gun drawing chances, 1 high end shotgun, and a choice of Option 1 or 4 tickets for Option 2 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Sustaining Sponsor\$1000 | \$ | |
| | 8 memberships & dinner tickets, 4 sponsor gun drawing chances, and a choice of Option 1 or 4 tickets for Option 2 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Conservation Sponsor\$500 | \$ | |
| | 4 memberships & dinner tickets, 2 sponsor gun drawing chances, and a choice of Option 1 or 2 tickets for Option 2 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Banquet Sponsor\$275 | \$ | |
| | 2 memberships & dinner tickets, 1 sponsor gun drawing chance, and a choice of Option 1 or 1 ticket for Option 2 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Non-Attending Sponsor\$250 | \$ | |
| | No dinner package - 1 membership & a choice of Option 1 or 1 ticket for Option 2 | | |
| | TOTAL | \$ | |

**Sponsor will receive the appropriate number of tickets for distribution to guests.
*STUBS MUST BE TURNED IN FOR MEMBERSHIPS TO BECOME ACTIVE.***

2014 SPONSOR REWARD PROGRAM (*Sponsors - Please Choose One Of The Following Options*)

- OPTION 1:** RGS unframed Print of the Year by Chuck Ripper or unframed print available from prior years.
Visit ruffedgrousesociety.org for prior years' sponsor print selection.
 - OPTION 2:** Raffle Ticket(s) for Entry into the Sponsors Only National Drawing for a chance to win 1 of 7 prizes drawn at the end of the 2014 Banquet Season. Seven tickets will be drawn in the order listed below with the first ticket winning the first prize and so forth. .
- 1) Fausti DEA S/S 20-Gauge Shotgun
 - 2) Beretta 687 Silver Pigeon III O/U 28-Gauge Shotgun
 - 3) Caesar Guerini Woodlander O/U 20-Gauge Shotgun
 - 4) CZ Ringneck S/S 28-Gauge Shotgun
 - 5) Orvis Helios 2 Rod/Reel Outfit: 8'6", 5-Wt., Mid-Flex, 4-Pc.
 - 6) Browning Silver Hunter Auto 20-Gauge Shotgun
 - 7) SportDOG TEK 1.0 GPS Tracking + E-Collar

Our Corporate Sponsors



Ruffed Grouse Society In Action



DINNER TICKETS -

- ___ Member (RGS Membership & Dinner)\$60.00\$ _____
- ___ Membership & Spouse (Includes 2 Dinners)\$90.00\$ _____
- ___ Jr. Membership & Dinner Ticket (17 & Under)\$35.00\$ _____
- ___ I Am Unable to Attend Banquet But Please Renew My Membership (\$35 Regular)\$ _____
- ___ Early Bird Bonus Raffle Ticket Package (*Order by February 22, 2014*)\$100.00\$ _____

If 8 Dinner Tickets Are Purchased, A Table Will Be Reserved In Your Name _____

MAIL ORDER FORM TO:

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Name _____

Address _____

Phone Day _____ Evening _____

E-mail _____

Check or Money Order (Payable to RGS) Credit Card (MC, Visa, Discover, American Express)

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Billing Address If Different From Above: _____

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

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