



DAKOTA TERRITORY GUN COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION, INC.

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Summer Edition

June, 2005



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Summer is here again and gun shows are taking a short vacation. Looking back, it was an enjoyable and successful season. Everyone I talked to said they did good at the Rapid City Show and a couple said it was the best they ever had done. It's a good feeling to know the shows are diverse enough to have what a lot of people want. Keep up the good work. We get to see a lot of good people, friends and those who will be friends. I'd like to thank all who support the association and our shows. With the moisture (something new) we are getting, things may be looking up for ranchers and farmers. They may not have to buy as much hay and have a little money to spend on something they want. Keep a positive outlook, have a great summer and see you in the fall.



Club Historian . . .

Notes from Bruce Foster
As of June 10, 2005 I have received 181 responses to the survey sent to the membership to compile history of the DTGCA. Thank all of you that responded. Hopefully others will respond through the end of July. Several members have been extremely helpful with additional information regarding the history of the club and I hope others will do as well. Hope to see many of you that responded at the shows starting this fall.

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LETTER OF APPRECIATION.....

Below is one of the many letters of appreciation received at the association office. The recognition given to the DTGCA is greatly appreciated in the fact it will increase the strength and growth of the association for years to come.



VOLUNTEER FUND-RAISING COMMITTEE

Northeast South Dakota Chapter 12892 Fairfield Drive Aberdeen SD 57401

March 28, 2005

Dakota Territory Gun Collectors
PO Box 5053
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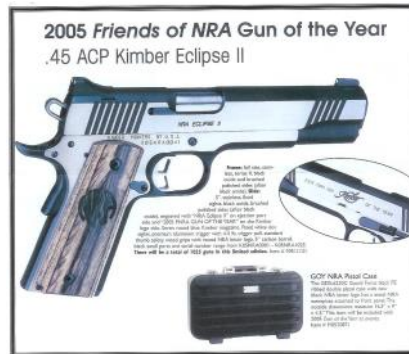
Dear Roger,

On behalf of our entire Aberdeen, Northeast Friends of NRA Committee, thank you for your generous support of our recent Friends of NRA fundraiser. Your contribution of underwriting helped us net \$23,812.34. These dollars are being used to fund projects that will ensure the future of the shooting sports including firearms safety, youth programs, conservation education and research through the state of South Dakota.

We are deeply appreciative of your donation and once again thank you for your participation and rest assured that we will work tirelessly to preserve the future of the shooting sports.

Respectfully,

Arnie Goldade
Chairman



DAKOTA TERRITORY GUN COLLECTORS ASSN. INC.

HAS ONCE AGAIN UNDERWRITTEN THE GUN OF THE YEAR FOR ALL OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA AND NORTH DAKOTA FRIENDS OF THE NRA BANQUETS.

THANK YOU!

Show Reports

INCOME	Brookings	Yankton	Aberdeen	SF Trophy	Pierre	Grand Forks	Watertown
Table Rent	6225.00	2800.00	5820.00	18157.00	5100.00	6405.00	11175.00
Admissions	5920.00	5300.00	5272.00	19805.00	4588.00	10406.00	11224.00
Other	4100.00			26.00	29.29	926.00	
TOTAL	16245.00	8100.00	11092.00	37988.00	9717.29	17737.00	22399.00
EXPENSES							
Prizes			335.00	2386.90			
Promotional			436.00	880.47			
Advertising	1705.31	1654.63	2302.00	912.90	2099.15	2727.96	2983.74
Building Rent	4553.19	500.00	2879.00	6188.21	3241.15	7694.06	800.00
Labor	2325.00	1200.00	1606.00	4495.00	705.00	1550.00	3550.00
Manager	1713.52	1147.63	1448.00	4853.09	1357.78	1712.29	2920.66
Misc	628.25	90.00	236.00	276.58	329.28	755.65	588.68
Refunds				279.00			300.00
Table Rent	2080.00	546.00		2861.40			2080.00
Taxes	382.10	265.00	608.00	1465.57	357.86	702.44	829.92
TOTAL	13387.37	5403.26	9850.00	24599.12	8090.22	15142.40	14053.00
NET INCOME	2857.63	2696.74	1242.00	13388.88	1627.07	2594.60	8346.00

AWARDS RECEIVED

CATAGORY	ABERDEEN, SD	PIERRE, SD
BEST COLLECTABLE LONG GUN DISPLAY	1st Robert Liebl, Stanley, ND- Savage 1899 2nd Keith Ketterling, Millette, SD—22 Hornet	1st Bruce Foster, Black Hawk, SD-LeFever Shotgn 2nd Richard Stark, Baker, MT-Savage 99 Lever Rfls
BEST COLLECTABLE LONG GUN	1st Bob Campbell, Sisseton, SD-Engraved 1866 Wn 2nd Paul Kittelson, Redfield, SD-1887 Wn shtgn	1st Larry Nelson, Rapid City, SD-Joe Foss Rem 1882 dbl bbl 10 ga
BEST COLLECTABLE HANGUN DISPLAY	1st Kent Miller, Aberdeen, SD-Colt Auto's 2nd Daethal Dockter, Milbank, SD-Rugers	1st Kent Miller, Aberdeen, SD-Colt Auto's 2nd Sonny Pesicka, Rapid City, SD-SA Revolv- ers
BEST COLLECTABLE HAND GUN	1st Steve Livermore, Pierre, SD-1907 SAA 38- 40 2nd Don Glynn, Fullerton, ND-Colt 1849 Pocket	1st Dennis Darrington, Waubay, SD-1860 Colt Army 44 2nd Jack Lau, Summit, SD-Baby Nambu Pistol
BEST HISTORICAL DISPLAY	1st Bruce Foster, Black Hawk, SD-LaFever Shotgn 2nd Dale Flihs, Groton, SD-US Military	No Displays

SPECIAL FEATURE

DAKOTA TERRITORY BELT BUCKLE COLLECTION



1980 FIRST buckle, good, heavy, solid brass, oval in shape, the preferred one of all the buckles, 300 made



1983 SECOND buckle, good heavy, solid brass, round in shape, 300 made



1986 THIRD buckle, 25th anniversary, pewter in metal, oval in shape, 300 made



1989 FOURTH buckle, Pewter edged with green, the least preferred of the bunch, 400 made



1992 FIFTH buckle, 2 kinds of metal used, brass in color, 250 made



1995 SIXTH buckle, 2 kinds of metal, brass color, larger than the 5th buckle, preferred by many, 325 made



1998 SEVENTH buckle, many metals, brass in color, 325 made



2001 EIGHTH buckle, 40th anniversary, solid brass, 500 made



2001 SPECIAL EDITION, NINTH buckle, sterling silver, undated 100 made



2004 TENTH buckle, solid brass, smallest of all the buckles 250 made

The DTGCA Collector Belt Buckle, where did it originate from, how many are there, when were they first produced? One of the original founders of the DTGCA, Karl George, was the biggest promoter in getting the belt buckle started. The Association was founded in 1961 but the buckle did not surface until 1980. Two others were made but not issued for sale by DTGCA. One was around 1983 round, black and yellow on a silver like metal. The other made before 1980, 3 different styles, not much information on these. The buckle is issued every three years with the next edition coming out in 2007. The Association was fortunate to purchase the entire collection from the estate of Erv Schilling. Between Karl George and Erv, it would be a fair assumption to say you will not find two greater promoters of the buckles than they were. The entire inventory was sold by time the next buckle came into production.

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2005-2006

DAKOTA TERRITORY GUN COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION GUN SHOW DATES

SEPTEMBER 24-25, 2005
MANDAN COMMUNITY CENTER
MANDAN, ND
Chairman: Roger Krumm
PO Box 158
Strasburg, ND 58573
(701) 336-7533

OCTOBER 22-23, 2005
DAVISON CTY. 4-H GROUNDS
MITCHELL, SD
Chairman: Chuck Oster
608 E 16th
Mitchell, SD 57301
(605) 996-4190

OCTOBER 29-30, 2005
JAMESTOWN CIVIC CENTER
JAMESTOWN, ND
Chairman: Roger Krumm
PO Box 158
Strasburg, ND 58573
(701) 336-7533

DECEMBER 3-4, 2005
STATE FAIRGROUNDS
EXPO BUILDING
HURON, SD
Chairman: Randy Barnes
417 Frank SE
Huron, SD 57350
(605) 353-1008

JANUARY 7-8, 2006
CIVIC AUDITORIUM
FARGO, ND
Chairman: Bill Braun
1331 14 1/2 Ave N
Wahpeton, ND 58075
(701) 642-6970

JANUARY 14-15, 2006
SWIFTEL CENTER
BROOKINGS, SD
Chairman: Vic Carter
18299 US Hwy 81
Castlewood, SD 57223
(605) 793-2347

JANUARY 21-22, 2006
MANDAN COMMUNITY CENTER
MANDAN, ND
Chairman: Roger Krumm
PO Box 158
Strasburg, ND 58573
(701) 336-7533

JANUARY 28-29, 2006
NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY
YANKTON, SD
Chairman: Chuck Harens
711 E 14th St
Yankton, SD 57078
(605) 665-4537

FEBRUARY 4-5, 2006 ANNUAL MEETING
RAMKOTA HOTEL
ABERDEEN, SD
Chairman: Roger Krumm
PO Box 158
Strasburg, ND 58573
(701) 336-7533

FEBRUARY 11-12, 2006
TROPHY SHOW-THE BIG ONE
RAMKOTA INN CONVENTION CTR
SIOUX FALLS, SD
Chairman: Chuck Oster
608 E 16th
Mitchell, SD 57301
(605) 996-4190

FEBRUARY 18-19, 2006
RAMKOTA RIVER CENTRE
PIERRE, SD
Chairman: Steve Livermore, G. Verhelst
PO Box 972
Ft. Pierre, SD 57532
(605) 223-2075

MARCH 4-5, 2006
ALERUS CENTER
GRAND FORKS, ND
Chairman: Bill Braun
1331 14 1/2 Ave N
Wahpeton, ND 58075
(701) 642-6970

MARCH 11-12, 2006
RAMKOTA INN
COLLECTOR CLASSIC
SIOUX FALLS, SD
Chairman: Rick Larson
46675 Lovely Circle
Tea, SD 57064
(605) 368-9117

MARCH 25-26, 2006
CODINGTON CTY AG BLDG
WATERTOWN, SD
Chairman: Vic Carter
18299 US Hwy 81
Castlewood, SD 57223
(605) 793-2347

APRIL 8-09, 2006
RUSHMORE CIVIC CENTER
RAPID CITY, SD
Chairman: Sonny Pesicka
135 Johnson St
Box Elder, SD 57719
(605) 923-5191