



# *The* **Bullet**



The Newsletter of The Holliston Sportsmen's Association, Inc.

January 2008

## **New Years Day Trap Shooting at The H.S.A.**

The traditional New Years Day trap shoot has been scheduled for Tuesday January 1st, 2008. Start time is 1:00PM. This event is a great way to start the new year. There is no competition involved. This event tends to be more of social event. The shooting is just friendly practice rounds. Most of you will be working on Monday, New Years Eve. Then it's back to work on Wednesday. On Tuesday there is really nothing else going on, you are going to be around anyway, so come on down. The trap committee will have 12 ga. Ammo for sale, and beginners are always welcome.

## **2007 Action Pistol Championship Hastings Again**

Bruce Hastings combined both accuracy and speed to win the Action Pistol Championship on December 2, 2007. A Crawford Barricade course was used with penalties for going over the allowed times. Bruce finished the course with a score of 374. Jim Maxant kept the pressure on ending up in second place with a 322. Len Perlmutter placed third, with Irwin Fischer coming in fourth. Bruce fired a S & W revolver with hand loaded ammo to take the win. Bruce last won this event in 2004. Thanks to all who came out to shoot this exciting event.

## **January Meeting Wednesday January 2nd**

The January meeting of the Association will be held on Wednesday January 2, 2008. The meeting gets underway at 8:00PM. This is the meeting when the first nominations are made for officers and directors positions. Club treasurer Alan Lisak has announced that he will not be able to serve another term. So the Association will be looking to fill that spot. Also, in even years two directors must be chosen. If you have not served as an officer or director this is a good time for you to step up. There was no attendance drawing winner in December so the prize is \$90 for January. But, you have to be there to win!

## **69th Annual Meeting Of the Holliston Sportsmen's Association**

**Will be held on**

**Wednesday February 6, 2008**

**Ham & Bean Dinner, Raffle  
And Election of Officers & Directors**

**Please make a special effort to attend this meeting.  
Drinks at 6:00PM, Dinner at 7:00PM, Meeting at 8:00PM**

**Stay up to date ! See the H.S.A. on-line at [www.hsaneews.com](http://www.hsaneews.com)**

# January 2008

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

**January 1**  
1:00PM  
New Years Day Trap Shoot

**January 2**  
8:00PM -  
January Meeting of the Association

**January 6**  
1:00PM - Light Rifle Championship

**January 7, 14, 28**  
7:00PM - Junior Rifle Club

**January 13**  
9:00AM - Fly Tying Workshop

**January 20**  
10:00AM  
10m Air Pistol Championship

**January 30**  
7:30PM - Director's Meeting  
New member applicants interviewed.

**February 6**  
6:00PM - Annual Dinner  
8:00PM -  
Annual Meeting of the Association

### Fly Tying with Paul Liss

Paul Liss has announced the 2008 schedule for the H.S.A. fly tying workshops. All sessions are scheduled for 9:00AM on Sunday mornings.

Dates are:

**January 13th**  
**February 10th**  
**March 9th**  
**April 13th**  
**May 18th**

Paul brings all the materials. You bring yourself, and tying tools. There is a \$5.00 fee to off-set the cost of materials. Best deal in town! For more information please contact Paul.

### Big Fish Tournament Continues to 12/31/07 Last Chance to get Your 2007 Entries In

Still looking for more entries. We need trout, striper entries just to fill the top three spots in each category. Members have caught some big fish, see all the entries on the club bulletin board. Get those pictures in!

#### 2007 Big Fish Tournament Leader Board (as of 12/30/07)

Category	1st Place Gold Pin	2nd Place Silver Pin	3rd Place Bronze Pin
Trout / Salmon	Luke Spina	Tom Jurchak	open
Largemouth Bass	Jim Maxant	Rich Girvin	Ed Glickman
Smallmouth Bass	Malcolm Gibson	Ed Glickman	Rich Girvin
Striped Bass	Malcolm Gibson	Ed Glickman	open
Bluefish	Danny Lee	Doug Flavin	Danny Lee

## LIGHT RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIP January 6 @ 1:00PM

This event will use the NRA A-32 Light rifle Target. The match will be conducted in accordance with NRA Light Rifle rules, **except**, slings are not permitted. The club will provide rifles and ammo for anyone interested in giving this a try. Some of you centerfire pistol shooters should give this a try. You will be surprised to see that you *can* hit the target.

20 shots prone, two A-32 targets, two shots per record bull, unlimited sighters. 1 1/2 minutes per record shot. (15 minutes per target).

20 shots off-hand, two A-32 targets, two shots per record bull, unlimited sighters. 1 1/2 minutes per record shot. (15 minutes per target)

20 shots kneeling, two A-32 targets, two shots per record bull, unlimited sighters. 1 1/2 minutes per record shot. (15 minutes per target).

## All Around Best Shooter Competitions & Club Championship Matches - 2 Remain to be Fired

**January 6, 2007, Sunday @ 1:00PM**

Light Rifle - 600 3 Position - 60 shots on the A-32 target;

**January 20, Sunday @ 10:00AM**

10m Air Pistol - 60 shots on the B-40 target, .177 caliber pellets;

Member	Archery	Trap	Target Pistol	Action Pistol
R.Girvin	84.00	72.00	72.22	DNS
B.Hastings	DNS	DNS	91.56	77.92
J.Maxant	87.67	46.67	73.56	67.08
L.Perlmutter	84.33	DNS	72.44	17.08
L.Stackpole	79.33	74.67	DNS	DNS
R.Wester	87.33	65.33	DNS	DNS

## 10m AIR PISTOL CHAMPIONSHIP Sunday January 20 @ 10:00AM

This match was originally scheduled for December but it was postponed due to snow. The match is for .177 caliber pellet pistols. The NRA B40 / 4 target will be used:

Stage One

Unlimited sighters (no record shots) on one target - 17 1/2 minutes

Stages 2 through 6

12 record shots (no sighters) 3 shots per bull - 17 1/2 minutes

## Annual Meeting Volunteers Needed

The Annual Meeting will be held on Wednesday February 6. We need volunteers to help out in preparing the clubhouse, and putting on the Ham and Bean Dinner. The same crew has been doing this work for the past several years, and they feel it is time for some other members to step up and help out. Tasks include cleaning the hall, rest rooms, and kitchen. Setting up the hall with tables and chairs. Determining what is needed for paper goods, and then purchasing the required items. Then of course on the day of the dinner there is preparing all the food. Cooking the ham and beans, making salad, cutting up bread, and so on. Then there is the task of serving the food. Carving the hams, setting up and filling the chafing dishes. Last, but not least, comes clean up. Doing the dishes, cleaning up the kitchen, and putting things away. It all adds up to a lot of work. We have been fortunate to have had three or four members that have been willing to handle all of this for us. But now we are looking for help. There will be a work party on Tuesday evening February 5, at 7:00PM to clean the hall, and set up the tables and chairs. On Wednesday February 6, meal preparation will begin at about 2:00PM, and continue through dinner at 7:00PM. If you can help out either on Tuesday evening, or Wednesday afternoon please volunteer at the January meeting, or by contacting Rich Girvin.

**H.S.A. Events**

**NEW YEARS TRAP SHOOT**  
**1:00PM**  
**Tuesday January 1st**

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**2007 LIGHT RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**1:00PM**  
**Sunday January 6**

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**2007 10m AIR PISTOL**  
**10:00AM**  
**Sunday January 20**  
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***Wednesday January 2, 2008 Meeting Reminder:***  
***8:00PM - January Meeting at the HSA Clubhouse***

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