

**CONNECTUCUT STATE TRAPSHOOTING ASSOCIATION**  
**STATE SHOOT MEETING MINUTES**  
**JUNE 24, 2012**

A Motion by President Minervini was made to reconvene the State Shoot meeting put on hold at 11:45 a.m., June 24, 2012. A second was made by Delegate DeSerio. Motion to waive the reading of the minutes by Delegate Russo and seconded by Delegate Shook.

Correspondence:

None

Treasurers Report

President Minervini gave the report for Treasurer Farber who was on the line shooting. The CTA is solvent with 1112 shooters by September 2010 and 1091 shooters by September 2011. We had 12 shoots this year for an average of 75 shooters and 10 shoots last year for an average of 66 shooters. With the economy as it is, the CTA is doing well.

Presidents Report

President Minervini expressed his thanks to all the shooters for attending this year's State Shoot. He also thanked all of the sponsors: Nssf, North Atlantic Sportsman, Lomac Limited, and Browning. Appreciation was given to all of the businesses and individuals who placed ads and to Delegate Cimino for obtaining the gun for the Lucky number shoot off and doing a great job as trophy chairman. Thanks were also given for the donation of ammo and selling of tickets to Delegate Bicknell for the raffle to be held at the close of the meeting. Congratulations to Malcolm Ross and the Hartford Gun Club for providing an excellent facility and all the hard work which was key in the success of the shoot.

Vice President Report

VP Ross made mention of discussion with Hartford Gun Club to expand the trap fields for next year from 5 to 6 banks. He also thanked Delegate Cimino for the excellent trophy package for this year's shoot. Thanks expressed to Delegate Hruskocy for the hard work on the program book and the CTA website. VP Ross also stated that anyone willing to help with these projects would be appreciated and that expansion of the website is forthcoming.

Secretary's Report

None

ATA Delegate Report

ATA Delegate Latouf introduced ATA Vice President Wayne Morris. Mr. Morris addressed the meeting and congratulated all on a successful shoot. He spoke about the upcoming Eastern Zone and Grand American. Next year the ATA will give each state shoot a sterling silver buckle and \$500 dollars to split

50\30\20. Winners will then be eligible to compete in the Presidents Handicap for another buckle and 1000 dollars. This is similar to the old Budweiser Handicap events from years ago.

President Minervini thanked Joyce and Wayne for helping ATA Delegate Latouf as shoot off chairman with the difficult task of putting together shoot offs each evening in a timely fashion. They are instrumental in the cashiering of the shoot.

Old Business

None

New Business

Elections: President Minervini call for nominations and seconds for the following:

ATA Delegate

Delegate DeSerio nominated Rich Latouf and Mr. Hamlin gave the second. As there were no other nominations from the floor, Secretary Pittera cast one vote for Rich Latouf as ATA Delegate.

Alternate ATA Delegate

JJ Ziolkowski nominated Cheryl Pittera as Alternate ATA Delegate and Lenny Benedetto gave the second. As there were no other nominations from the floor, Secretary Pittera cast one vote for Cheryl Pittera as Alternate ATA Delegate.

Delegates at Large – Two positions

Delegate Joe Cimino nominated John Russo as Delegate at Large and Vice President Malcolm Ross gave the second. As there were no other nominations from the floor, Secretary Pittera cast one vote for John Russo as Delegate at Large.

Mario Fasano nominated Dave Bicknell as Delegate at Large and Lenny Benedetto gave the second. As there were no other nominations from the floor, Secretary Pittera cast one vote for Dave Bicknell as Delegate at Large.

State Shoot Honoree

President Minervini presented Ben Giaquinto with a plaque commemorating him as State Shoot Honoree. The plaque read as follows: To Ben Giaquinto past President 2008 – 2011 for his exemplary leadership and dedication to the Trapshooting community.

Ammo Raffle

Delegate Dave Bicknell stated that over \$1600 was raised and President Minervini drew three winning tickets. Luigi Zaino, Rich Latouf and Stan Bialowbrezki were the winners.

State Team Winners recognized and names read by Delegate Bill Boudreau as follows:

David Bicknell	.9440
Hani Hafez	.9380
Antonio Lobo	.9336
Joseph Wheeler	.9285
Michael Lipetz	.9141
Frank Morton	.9107
Fred Andrulat	.9068
William Boudreau	.9048
Daniel Gutt	.9047
Theresa Bellerive	.9012

Singles		
Men	David Bicknell	.9859
Sub Junior	Brian Raab	.9195
Junior	Garrett Palmer	.9574
Sr. Ve	Frank Blish	.9613
Veteran	Ben Giaquinto	.9616
Ladies	Theresa Bellerive	.9565
Handicap		
Men	Fred Andrulat	.9175
Sub Junior	Brian Rabb	.8822
Junior	Garrett Palmer	.9015
Sr. Vet	Frank Blish	.8786
Veteran	Louis Masante	.9000
Ladies	Theresa Bellerive	.8921
Doubles		
Men	David Bicknell	.9386
Sub Junior	Brian Raab	.8154
Junior	Louis Raab	.7783
Sr. Vet	Bill Boudreau	.9046
Veteran	Ben Giaquinto	.8500
Ladies	Theresa Bellerive	.8550

President Minervini asked for a motion to adjourn. Delegate DeSerio motioned and Delegate Lindboe gave the second. Meeting adjourned at 1:16 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Cheryll Pittera CTA Secretary