

# PRAIRIE NEWS

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## **Upcoming Events:**

Trade show season is upon us! What better way to welcome in the new year than by catching up with old friends and new at meeting points across the nation. We've listed a few featured shows happening in the next few weeks and hope to see you at some of these conventions.

### ***Dallas Safari Club***

January 3 – 6

Dallas, Texas

[www.biggame.org](http://www.biggame.org)



### ***The Shooting, Hunting, Outdoor Trade Show***

January 15 – 18

Las Vegas, Nevada

[www.shotshow.org](http://www.shotshow.org)



### ***Safari Club International***

January 23 – 26

Reno, Nevada

[www.showsci.org](http://www.showsci.org)

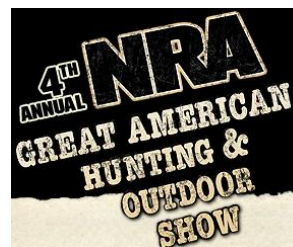


### ***Great American Hunting and Outdoor Show***

January 25 – 27

Frederick, Maryland

[www.nrahuntingshow.org](http://www.nrahuntingshow.org)



### ***National Pheasant Fest***

February 15 – 17

Minneapolis, Minnesota

[www.pheasantsforever.org](http://www.pheasantsforever.org)



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## **New Year's Resolutions:**

Have you made your resolutions for the new year? Instead of the old favorites – lose weight, get organized, stop drinking/smoking – try some of our goals and realize success.

10. Prepare a pheasant recipe that doesn't include wild rice or mushrooms.
9. Target practice at least once a month so your gun doesn't collect cobwebs, especially if you're not able to hunt regularly.
8. Bag a game bird that you haven't previously hunted such as duck, goose, dove, etc.
7. Frame your favorite hunting photo so you have a lasting memory to look at every day.
6. Take a younger person hunting – share your enthusiasm and expertise with them.
5. Mount your best trophy of the season.
4. Keep a journal of all your hunting expeditions.
3. Tell your dog how much you appreciate him or her, with special thanks for supporting your hunting.
2. Tell your spouse how much you appreciate him or her, with special thanks for supporting your hunting.
1. Call today to reserve your space at Dakota Prairie Lodge & Resort for the 2013-14 season!

## **Photo Gallery:**

We never tire of reviewing all the great photos from our hunts, and we know you feel the same way because the website gallery pages always receive the most activity. So here's a few memories from 2012 that we'd like to share:



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## **Prairie Puzzle:**

New for 2013! Each monthly newsletter will feature a trivia question about pheasants, hunting or South Dakota. Send us your answer, and we will draw one winner from all correct respondents. The lucky winner will receive a free Dakota Prairie Lodge & Resort hunting hat!

January question: ***In what year was South Dakota's first pheasant hunting season?***

Please submit your answer by January 10, 2013 to be included in the prize drawing. Responses will be accepted via mail, phone, or email. Good luck!