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Target Shooting:



Our target shooting stand is still in production. During the past month, the banners for the side panels were designed and fabricated.

First, the plexiglass panel is cut to the correct

dimension and measured to ensure that it is square. Meanwhile, the design with our logo and web address is printed onto an adhesive sheet. Similar sheets are prepared for our partners to be displayed on the other sides of the shooting stand.





Then the sheets are rolled onto the plexiglass panels, and all air bubbles are removed. The adhesive is allowed to cure. We are all very excited about the production of our target shooting stand and believe it represents one of the potential favorite pastimes at the Lodge.



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Opinion Survey:

To best utilize our target shooting stand and make it available to as many hunters as possible, we are considering hosting a shooting clinic in the morning of the opening day of the regular pheasant hunting season, i.e. October 19 from about 8 to 10 a.m.

We would offer complimentary coffee and refreshments during the clinic as well as prizes for exemplary shooting. To avoid being inundated with hundreds of hunters, we would probably need to ask participants to RSVP so that we can organize our staff appropriately.

So, our question to you is: Would you or friends of yours be interested in participating in our shooting clinic? Of course, not everyone will find themselves in Brule County on that date, but we believe there are sufficient hunters in the area who could benefit from this opportunity.

Please call us at 1-855-SD-LODGE or email us at <u>info@SD-PheasantHunting.com</u> to share your comments. If you have any suggestions about timing, logistics or other details, we would very much welcome your feedback. Thanks in advance for your help!

Fishing Update:

All up and down the Missouri River, fishing tournaments abound throughout the spring and summer. One of the best festivals this month is the South Dakota Walleye Classic in Alaska, SD. Check out the details for this event at SDWalleyeClassic.com.



Prairie Puzzle:

The answer to last month's question about the number of kernels on an ear of corn is 800. Congratulations to first place winner Mr. Elliott from Virginia, second place winner Mr. Harrison from Arizona, first runner-up Mr. VanTilburg from Kentucky, and second runner-up Mr. Cluchey from South Carolina!

July question: The daily limit of walleye taken from Lake Oahe increased this year. What is the new limit? Hint: The previous limit was four.

a) six b) eight c) ten d) twelve

Please submit your answer by July 15, 2013 to be included in the prize drawing for a free Dakota Prairie Lodge & Resort hunting hat. Responses will be accepted via mail, phone, or email. Good luck!