



SHERWOOD PARK FISH AND GAME ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER

Presidents Message May 2013

Pat Harris

HAPPY 50TH ANNIVERSARY SPF&GA

That's right, it is the fiftieth year since SPF&GA was formed. The club was founded in late fall of 1962 by a group of conservation minded sportsmen. The original property was provided by the county of Strathcona and had the range four miles south of Sherwood Park. Encroaching development forced the closure of the ranges in 1972. As a result of this, a new location was needed and a quarter section of suitable land was found where the club's present ranges are now located. We have been at the present location since 1974. Thanks to forward looking concerned members of the club, land that buffers the ranges has been acquired to help secure our future range existence. Our land base now covers 720 acres -- all of which is protected forever as wildlife habitat. We owe a world of thanks to those people that organized the original club and were bright enough to

foresee the future and to protect the habitat.

To celebrate these fifty years of wildlife habitat protection, youth education, shooting sports, and fishing activities the SPF&GA will be hosting a BBQ on June 15th. The BBQ party will start at 4p.m. , with supper at 5:30 and we can visit and exchange memories and tall tales until the last of us head to the campsite or home. All food and beverages will be supplied by the club and it will be held at the club house. To have an accurate idea of how many members will be coming and will need to be fed could you please contact Pat Harris and let him know by June 1st. (email: _____ or

telephone _____)

Now for an update of where we've been and what has happened as a club.

Spring is coming, although as of April 18th it is still cold with lots of snow left and few migratory birds returned. And, with spring eventually putting in an appearance comes open water fishing, spring bear

hunts, snow goose hunting in Saskatchewan, and shed antler hunting as well as a myriad of other activities we've all been waiting for for the past 6 months. Get to it and enjoy as it won't last as long as winter!

We have a record high number of members this year with numbers topping 3800 as of right now, and will be growing by a few more. We wanted to cap at 3400 but due to an overwhelming rush on memberships, and only one volunteer membership chair person and one helper, we managed to accidentally extend our cap. We also thank those that had to wait for their cards. Consequently, ranges are very active and will be crowded on weekends and holidays. Patience will be critical for all of us and we will all need to follow all the rules. There will be no tolerance of "guest" shooting as they take the space for paid members and more importantly the "guests" are not covered by our insurance and a huge liability to all of us. Wear your range memberships visibly and ask those without cards exposed if they are range members -- please let us know of any infractions of this rule. Members that have "guests" shooting can have their

memberships revoked and the "guest" can be charged with trespassing. Make sure that all targets are placed on the backboards so that we don't get ricochets that leave the property and cause the closure of the range as has happened at Spruce Grove club. That range is closed pending investigation into a bullet striking a nearby house -- no proof as to where that bullet came from but the natural knee jerk reaction is to blame the local range --- we don't want our ranges closed. The membership will be capped at 3400 next year

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and we will be starting to sell renewals earlier, probably as soon as October, so be on the watch for that eventuality. New member sales will start January 1/ 2014 if there are any spots left.

Awards Night was a hit again to all those who attended. The club would like once again to thank all the sponsors of the various awards

-- it's great that you help out so willingly. Congratulations to all those who managed to win their particular categories from duck, to deer, to moose and fish. This year we had a smaller number of entries than usual by about half -- but many other clubs had the same thing happen to them. Perhaps it was just a poorer year all around.

Regardless, everyone had a great time, super food, and some unbelievable deals on silent auction items. Make sure you plan to attend next year's. If you or your company would like to sponsor a trophy or know someone who would do so please contact me.

We are constantly up keeping our ranges and this past year, and this coming year, are no exceptions. If you haven't yet visited the archery range you might like to do so as it has been vastly improved last year and will be having a covered shooting position on a cement pad put in this year. If you're using carbon arrows bring along a lubricant as the butts were tough to retrieve arrows from. Lubricant really helps.

The big bore range roof will be redone and this will cause some disruptions to shooting from there for a short while. Overflow range will not be affected. Handgun berms will be raised to further prevent escapement.

It is our intention to make improvements to the campground --- enlarging certain campsites and graveling the areas that need it.

The shotgun trap shooting starts off this year with a Les Berry memorial shoot on May 11th at 11a.m. The regular Wednesday and Sunday shooting will be starting on the 15th. See you there.

The annual work party will be June 1st, rain or hopefully shine, preferably not snow!!!) Coffee and donuts for the morning, burgers and hotdogs and lots of food for lunch, and a great supper with beverages for all those who attend. Start time is 9a.m. Hopefully we will see you there as it is your club and we are all volunteers. Come out and make your club better for you. Please contact Ken Sobkiw to let us know that you will be attending so we can have lots of grub for you.

I've written way too much, so I will send you to check the newsletter for other activities and if you don't see what interests you there, give the chairperson of your interest a call and he/she will let you know what is planned. Also check the website and Facebook for events.

Until we meet again, as always,
Tight lines and straight shooting!
Pat Harris

**Sherwood Park Fish
& Game
Association**
**Join us now on
Facebook**
<http://www.facebook.com/spfga>

THE NEXT NEWSLETTER WILL BE OUT IN
AUGUST 2013. IF YOU WOULD LIKE AN ARTICLE INCLUDED IN THE AUGUST NEWSLETTER PLEASE
HAVE IT SUBMITTED BY JULY 15, 2013.



Black Powder

Black Powder Shoot



Open invitation to
S.P.F.G.A. members with
muzzle loading guns
(patched round ball open
sights only*)

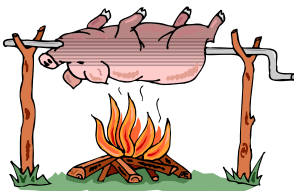
NEW DATE

May 25 & 26, 2013



9:00 am start each day

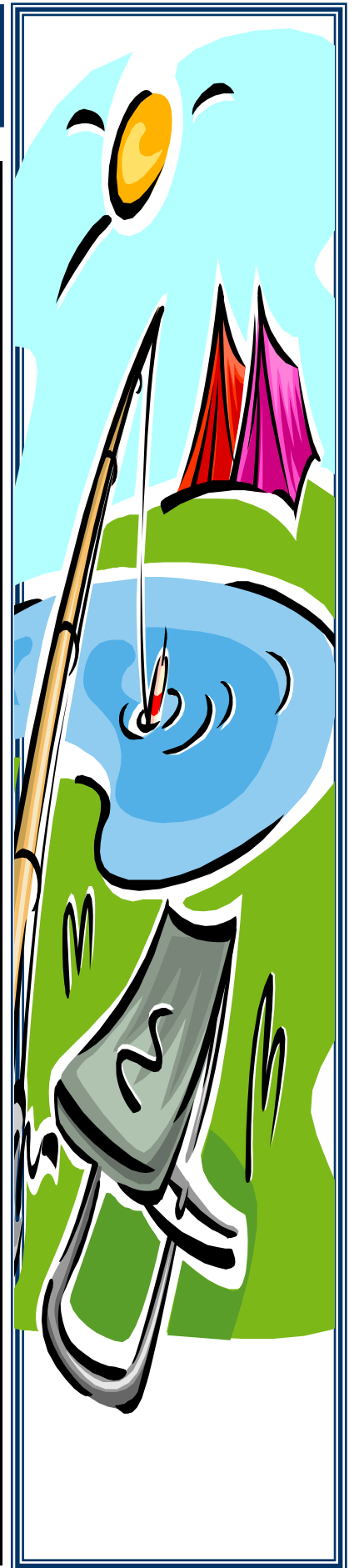
Fee: \$30.00/adult, \$15.00/junior (16 and under)



Fee includes Roast Pig supper
Saturday night
For further information

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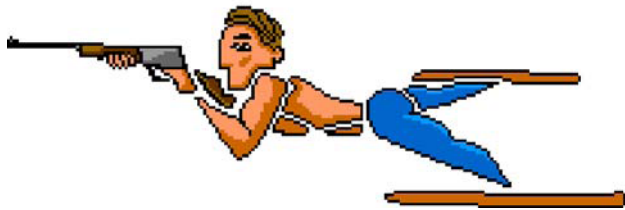
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Youth Shoot

Youth Shoot
June 15th 2013
10:30 -4:00

Sherwood Park Fish and Game Association is hosting it's third "Youth Shoot". The day will be loads of fun with a focus on proper firearms handling and safety. Registration begins at 10:30am on June 15th, 2013. Lunch, ammuniton, firearms, and all safety equipment will be supplied. Any youth involved in the shoot must have a membership with the club. If the youth doesn't have a current membership, they can be purchased the day of the event during registration.



Please contact Daniel Verhoeff, youth coordinator at

Plan for the day:

10:30 registration
11:00 -11:30 Orientation and Firearms Safety talk
11:30 -1:30pm -silhouette competition or fun shoot
(Lunch provided as we shoot)
1:30 -2:30 - big bore orientation and practice
2:30 -4:00 - trap practice

Spring Work Party

JUNE 1, 2013 9:00 am to 4:00 pm



We will be meeting at the club-house at about 8:30 A.M. June 1, 2013. A few of the jobs to be done are: wood hauling, wood splitting (mechanical splitter), wood stacking in various places, painting, clean-up, campsite work, some-thing for everybody to do regardless of skill level or fitness!! We will require a couple of quads and trailers for hauling wood, if you can supply one please contact Ken or Pat. The club provides lunch,supper, and liquid refreshments.

Contact person is Ken Sobkiw

or Pat Harris

Memberships



Richard Rothwell, Membership Chair

Range, Single Regular and Youth memberships can be purchased at the following retailers:

Milarm Co. Ltd.
10769 - 99 Street, Edmonton
Tel: 780 -424 -5281

Sabre Sports & Cycle
52 Brentwood Boulevard, Sherwood Park
Tel: 780 -464 -3100

P & D Enterprises
10552 - 115 Street, Edmonton
Tel: 780 -420 -6419

Sherwood Park Archery Lanes
429 Sioux Road, Sherwood Park
Tel: 780 -464 -0017

Wholesale Sports – North
12610 St. Albert Trail, Edmonton
Tel: 780 -477 -3737

Wholesale Sports – South
2033 - 98 Street, Edmonton
Tel: 780 -461 -2001

Alberta Fish & Game Association
6924 - 104 Street, Edmonton
Tel: 780 -437 -2342

- Family Range Membership includes the Range Member, the spouse/partner and their children under 18 years of age.
- Family Range Membership does not include brothers, sisters, grandparents, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews.
- Family Range Membership does not include students over 18 years of age even though they are living at home.

Range Orientation Sessions

10:00 AM Last Sunday of each month Contact Pat Harris to confirm attendance.



Thank You Jordan Sharpe

Advertisements are not normally carried in our newsletter. This ad is an exception, to acknowledge the support of club member Jordan Sharpe and his company AAA-Signs Inc. Jordan's company has provided SPFGA with professional designed signage at the Shooting Ranges, Campground and at the Entrance. Jordan's generous contributions have saved us thousands of dollars. Thank you very much Jordan your help is very appreciated.

SHERWOOD PARK FISH AND GAME ASSOCIATION

PO BOX 3098, SHERWOOD PARK, AB T8H 2T1

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

2013 Membership Fees

- ☐ Regular \$ 55 Member benefits for one person, Does not include range privileges
- ☐ Family Regular \$ 75 Member benefits include spouse/partner, dependent children under 18 years of age. Does not include range privileges.
- ☐ Youth \$ 20 Open to any young person under 18 years of age. Children Under 18 years of age must be supervised by a Range Member.

- ☐ NEW
- ☐ RENEWAL

BIRTH YEAR

THE 2013 MEMBERSHIP CAP ON RANGE AND FAMILY RANGE

MEMBERSHIPS HAS BEEN REACHED. 2013 RANGE AND FAMILY

RANGE MEMBERSHIPS ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE FOR THIS YEAR.

REGULAR, FAMILY REGULAR, YOUTH MEMBERSHIPS AND UPGRADES OF RANGE MEMBERSHIPS TO FAMILY RANGE MEMBERSHIPS ARE STILL AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.

SEND APPLICATIONS FOR THE ABOVE BY CANADA POST OR EMAIL (membership@spfga.org) TO THE MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

A replacement fee for lost cards is \$20.00 per individual memberships and up to \$50 for an entire family.

Name

Mailing Address

Town/City Province Postal Code

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Phone(.....) Email

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Amount Enclosed

\$

To be used only for emailing Club information such as notices of Meetings. NO SPAM advertising will result.

PAYMENT METHOD

- ☐ CHEQUE Please make cheques payable to *Sherwood Park Fish & Game Association*
- ☐ VISA Name On Card
- ☐ MASTERCARD Card No.
- ☐ AMEX Expiry Date Signature

Name	Birth Year	Relationship
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Sherwood Park Fish and Game Association Membership

Sherwood Park Fish and Game Association (SPFGA) consists of a variety of age groups, special interest groups, target shooters, hunters, fishermen/women, bird watchers, conservationists, etc. Members can enjoy the facilities and nature, can assist with conservation effort and can share their interests with other members. Members can hike, camp, participate in archery, and use firearms (rifles, handguns, shotguns, black powder guns). Youth under 18 years of age can learn how to fish in the stocked fish pond.

The Club WILL NOT tolerate any behavior that compromises the safety of our members, neighbors or the general public. Members must adhere to general rules regarding firearms and ammunition. Range rules are posted at shooting ranges and on the website (www.spfga.org). Members must observe posted shooting times.

SPFGA is affiliated with the Alberta Fish and Game Association (AFGA). Part of your membership fees are paid to AFGA. These fees provide members with insurance (while using the range and facilities), the Outdoor Edge Magazine, discounts at various businesses, and a combined voice on matters of common interest to government and other groups.

Membership Classifications

Regular Membership- No access to Shooting ranges.

Range Membership - Full access to all facilities including shooting ranges.

Youth Membership is open to all young people under 18 years of age.

Dependent includes a spouse/partner and their sons/daughters under 18 years of age.

Retailers do not sell Family Range or Family Regular memberships.

Note: All youth under 18 years of age must be supervised by an adult.

Family Regular Membership : one regular member, a spouse/partner and their dependent children under 18 years of age with no access to shooting ranges.

Family Range Membership : one range member, a spouse/partner and their dependent children under 18 years of age with access to shooting ranges.

Family Range Memberships and Family Regular Memberships DO NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

Parents, brothers, sisters, grandparents, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and in-law relations.

Children who live at home but are over 18 years of age Family Range or Family Regular classifications.

Other family members e.g. siblings/parents who reside with a member.

All Family Range Members and Family Regular Members must purchase their memberships as follows through the Membership Chair.

Mail a completed application with appropriate payment to the Club. Mailing address is: SPFGA, PO Box 3098, Sherwood Park, AB T8H 3T1

-Call the Membership Chair

-Email the Membership Chair at: _____

-At General Meetings

2013 Membership Fees are as follows:

Range	\$110
Family Range	\$150
Regular	\$55
Family Regular	\$75
Youth	\$20

Archery

Gorden Kerr

The 2012 Archery Program proceeded fairly well. I was going to put the 3D targets away in the shed for the winter but in November I noticed they were still being used so I left them out. Occasional use of the range continued through out the long and cold weather, (longer and colder than I wish to remember), with archer's trails to all targets and keeners using the 3D trail. Clearly the broad-head target got well used last fall. All of this use is good to see.

2013 will see the continuance of range development. A shed, not unlike the one on the handgun range, will be started as soon as the frost is out of the ground. This will have a concrete pad with a roof (one slope from east to west) with a ceiling about 10 feet high on the east side. This should be high enough for long-bow shooters, who are up to 6 feet tall to comfortably use it. The shooting line will be the east edge of the pad with targets then at 10 meters, 20M, 30M, 40 and 50M. I have heard pros and cons about putting a 60M target there but we decided to not do so for now.

The shed will also have benches at the back to provide a place to work on equipment and will as well have some bow racks on which to place bows while down range replacing targets, etc. A curtain just like those on the gun ranges will be there so it is down when the range is closed and up when it is open for shooting. We will also have 2 shooting benches for cross-bow users to sight in their equipment.

We are now working on signage outlining the Archery Range rules. Clearly even the lightest bow is no toy and can discharge an arrow with enough energy to cause serious injury or even death. All juniors (under age 18 years) will be required to be supervised by a parent or designated adult. If you think of gun range rules don't expect much different on the Archery Range.

Remember no use of broad-heads anywhere on the Archery Range, except on the one broad-head hanging target with sand backing.

You may have heard that our range memberships have quite some time ago reached our maximum and thus are no longer available for 2013. Fortunately only a Regular Membership or Regular Family Membership or Youth Membership is required for the Archery Range. This difference largely reflects the cost of range maintenance.

Shooting is continuing to be available on the Archery 3D Trail. Shooting on the Main Range will be allowed **except when people constructing the shed are active. People constructing the facilities will close the range at their discretion.** We hope to have all construction completed by early July.

Handgun

Gary Chambers

Hello SPFGA handgunners. The beginning of the shooting season is upon us, and 2013 is promising to bring significant changes for the club. One of the biggest affects not just the handgunners: the widely publicized membership cap has resulted in all available memberships being sold by mid-March. In previous years the ranges weren't busy until late July, but this year everyone who is going to be a member has his/her membership in hand already and it shows. I do have a tip for those looking to avoid the crowds on the firing line, and that is to avoid Sunday mornings. Saturdays seem to me to noticeably less busy than Sundays, and even on Sundays the ranges are often deserted by 3pm. But if you show up Sunday at 11am be prepared to have to wait for a spot on the line.

Of course, once a month that Sunday prime time slot is reserved for handgun events. The schedule is available on the website (www.SPFGA.org) and will be in the newsletter under Calendar of Events on the last page. We are starting with an old-fashioned bullseye shoot on May 12 at 10am. This event is all about accuracy, so bring your most tack-driving pistol out and strut your stuff. If you are not currently a pistol owner but are curious about it, by all means come out, too. I always bring multiple guns and can set you up with the gear you need to shoot.

On a less positive note, it has been observed that the swinging steel target on the handgun range has been perforated by bullets. I know full well that no handgun cartridge could have done the damage we see on those plates. This is clearly vandalism, and shooting rifles on a range that has been certified only for handgun calibers represents, to me anyway, careless use of a firearm. If I can come up with any kind of evidence of who has been shooting rifles on the handgun range, they will not only lose their membership card, I will be looking into what charges can be pressed against them. I really resent people abusing the range that the volunteers have worked so hard to create.

With that out of the way, we know that the great majority of the shooters on the line are respectful and co-operative people, and we hope you enjoy the upcoming shooting weather at the range. See you on the line.

Habitat/Woodlot Project

The habitat project has moved slowly along over the course of the fall and winter. It takes almost 100 years to grow a mature aspen on our land so speed is not much of a factor to consider. Forest habitat manipulation is also unending if the plan is to maintain a forest with diversification.

In years recently past we had more than 5000 white spruce seedlings planted in the $\frac{1}{4}$ section east of the gun ranges. We also had a few hundred planted around the camp ground and the Club House. In 2012 one of our active members, Dan Chow, organized the Lions Club to purchase seedlings and a number of the Club's children to plant 200 spruce seedlings along the Archery 3D Target



Trail. That kind of commitment certainly is encouraging. There may be someone who wants to plant trees this year which would be fine, but the Habitat/Woodlot team does not plan to do so. Instead we will be reviewing the overall properties around the range to determine how many and where more spruce may be needed.

The co-operative arrangement with the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology (NAIT) has been working well. We get the benefit of their student and instructor labour and they get the benefit of having a place for practical training in tree felling, log bucking and in various forest inventory practices. Instructor Heath Schneider has arranged for a good number of hazardous trees being removed around the camp ground, along the roads and along the Black Powder Trail. Thirty eight trees were removed in 2012 alone. These are all bucked up into firewood lengths and then our volunteer members haul them to the Club House for splitting and piling. The volunteers do a lot of work but the most hazardous work of felling and bucking is done by qualified people.

NAIT has also established a number of permanent forest inventory sites in the $\frac{1}{4}$ section east of the gun ranges. With those established in early 2013 there are now 10 in the property. These inventory plots will allow monitoring of the number of tree stems per hectare as the forest changes over time. This will also give us some idea of how we are impacting the forest in habitat manipulation and renewal. More felling is being done in April, in small plots of less than an acre each. It is planned that some

will remove all present stems while others will only involve about 50% of the stems, which will also give us options for future manipulations and assure that our activities are not having a negative impact on forest bio-diversity.

More hazardous trees will be removed but more consultation is needed to plot when best to do so.



SPFGA GROUP ACTIVITIES

SPFGA Group Activities

New to SPFGA? Join Pat Harris the last Sunday of the month January through October at 10am for an orientation to our ranges. Free. Contact Pat at _____.

Fun Shoot

Bring the family out to try your hand at the club trophy for best overall. Also, awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place adult and youth for each event.

Saturday August 11th 9am to 5pm.

Events include:

Big Bore Rifle : 300m freestanding rifle, 200m prone, sitting or kneeling with rest, and 100m prone, sitting or kneeling without rest.

Handgun: .22 handgun event (50 rounds). Loaner handguns may available.

Shotgun: Round of trap (25 shots).

\$5/event. Prizes. Family friendly. BBQ. Bring your own ammo.

Meet at the Shotgun Range at 9am for registration.

Contact Pete Beauvais at 780923-3831 or Richard Rothwell at _____ to register.

Trap Shooting

Join Tony Maydonik and his crew for trap shooting at the shotgun range from mid-May to mid-October. We challenge you to score a 25.

Sunday afternoon noon to 3pm. The rabbit or teal machine may be used for an extra challenge after trap.

Wednesday evening 6pm to 8pm as long as there is light.

May 11th 11am Les Berry Fun Shoot

\$5/round covers clays and scoring. Bring your own shotgun and ammo.

Contact Tony Maydonik at _____



Handgun Events

Come out to shoot handguns with Gary Chambers at the handgun range second Sunday of the month May through September (except June – first Sunday).

May 12th 10am to noon Bullseye Style Competition

June 9th 10am to noon Rimfire Fun Event

July 14th 10am to noon Action Pistol

August 11th 10am to noon Silhouette

September 8th 10am to noon Rimfire Fun Event

October 6th 10am to noon Action Pistol

Free. Bring ammo. Loaner handguns may be available for some events.

Contact Gary Chambers at _____ -or _____ to register.

Spring Work Party

June 1st 9:00am to 4:00pm.

Lunch and supper included.

Contact: Ken Sobkiw at 780-481-0439 or Pat Harris at 780-662-4738.



For more information on club events please visit our website calendar at _____. Also, Bill Missen will send out a phone call and email from time to time announcing these special events.

GOURMET GAME

Beef Stroganoff.

Beef Stroganoff is an easy recipe to make and Moose, Elk or Deer roasts can be used, although I prefer a sirloin tip Moose roast. The preferred cut would be the sirloin tip but inside round as well as outside round roasts can be used. The recipe should be served with homemade broad noodles, but commercial broad noodles work just as well.

Ingredients

2 pound roast.

1 pound fresh mushrooms-cut into large slices.

One stalk celery-diced

1/2 to 3/4 pound butter.

3/4 cup flour

1 1/2 cups chicken broth

1 can cream of celery soup

1-2 cups sour cream

3 to 4 cloves of garlic.

1 teaspoon powdered mustard (lemon juice/prepared mustard-needs explanation below).

Olive Oil

Fresh broad noodles

325° oven-preheated

Cut the roast into 1/2 inch thick cutlets. Rub each side of the cutlet with the garlic until the garlic breaks down and crumbles into the meat. On a cutting board, dredge the cutlets in the flour on both sides. Taking a large heavy plate, pound the flour into the meat using the edge of the plate. This will tenderize the meat and also penetrate the flour and garlic into the meat. Do not use a meat mallet as the flour will build up on the head, resulting in poor penetration of the flour and garlic into the meat. Once all of the cutlets are tenderized in this manner, cut the meat into 1/4 inch long strips.



Using a deep, heavy frying pan, melt 3 to 4 tablespoons of butter with a sprinkle of Olive Oil so as to prevent the butter from burning. Once the butter starts to bubble, add your strips of meat leaving space between the meat strips so as to allow them to brown. Continue browning the meat in batches until it is all cooked. At the end you should have a frying pan with a thick layer of browned flour that will be used to make the sauce. Now add additional butter to the frying pan, add the celery and cook till glazed then add the fresh mushrooms cooking for about 4 to 5 min. Once the mushrooms are slightly cooked, add 1/2 cup of chicken broth, scraping up the bottom of the frying pan, add another half cup and continue to stir. Then add the final half cup of chicken broth, the cream of celery soup and blend until smooth. Stir in the dry mustard, add the browned meat, mixing well.

Cover with lid or tinfoil, place in preheated oven for one hour. After one hour, remove the lid to check the consistency of the sauce. Taste the meat as it should be very tender. The sauce should not be too liquid, but more of a thick, creamy nature. If you need to thicken the sauce or the meat needs to be more tender, continue baking in the oven without a cover for another 1/2 to 45 min. or as required

You can now bring your water to a boil for your noodles. When you have reached the consistency and tenderness you desire, remove from the oven, allow to cool slightly, then add the sour cream, mixing well. (Taste test) Return the cover and keep warm. Start your noodles.

Explanation: (taste test). If the sauce tastes somewhat bland, and the flavor needs to be sharpened and become more tart, there are three ways to proceed. First, adjust with salt, then taste, if a sharper flavor is still desired add 1/2 teaspoon of prepared mustard, then retest. If the flavor is almost there add a small amount, 1/2 teaspoon of lemon juice at a time, then retest.

Serve with a layer of pasta topped with a generous amount of beef stroganoff. A nice white wine goes well with this meal.

Dennis Ewanyk is an avid hunter and fisherman and an even more avid cook.

2013 Calendar of Events

**MAY**

May 02 12:00pm to 5:00pm EPS Sniper Program Overflow Range
 May 07 9:00pm to 5:00pm ERT Overflow Range
 May 9-10 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 May 11 11:00am Les Berry Shoot
 May 11 4:00pm Executive BBQ
 May 11 9:00am to 4:00pm Edmonton House Brigade Black Powder Trail Clean Up
 May 12 10:00am to 12:00am Handgun Event - Bullseye Style Competition. Handgun Range. Contact Gary Chambers
 May 14 7:00pm Executive Meeting Chamber of Commerce (100 Orde Avenue)
 May 17 EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 May 21-22 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range.
 May 15, 22 & 29 6:00pm to 8:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Wednesdays mid-May to late September.
 May 19 & 26 12:00pm to 3:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Sundays mid-May to late September.
 May 25 & 26 Weekend Edmonton House Brigade Black Powder Shoot Overflow Range, Shotgun Range, Black Powder Trail, Clubhouse
 May 26 10:00am Range Orientation (1 hour) Meet at Big Bore Range. Contact Pat Harris 780-662-4738 patnicola@yahoo.ca
 May 28 9:00am to 5:00pm EPS Sniper Program Overflow Range
 May 29 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 May 30 7:30pm General Meeting Old Log Cabin (50 Spruce Avenue)

JUNE SUMMER SHOOTING HOURS 9:00AM TO 8:00PM

June 1 9:00am to 4:00pm Spring Work Party All Ranges. Lunch and Supper included
 June 04 9:00am to 5:00pm Edmonton ERT Overflow Range
 June 05 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 June 06 12:00pm to 5:00pm EPS Sniper Training
 June 07 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 June 09 10:00am to 12:00am Handgun Event - Rimfire Fun Event Handgun Range. Contact Gary Chambers

June 11-12 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 June 15 10:30am to 4:00pm Youth Fun Shoot Range/Clubhouse booked
 June 15 SPFGA 50th Anniversary BBQ. RSVP by June 1, to

June 17-21 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 Jun 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 12:00pm to 3:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Sundays mid-May to late September
 Jun 5, 12, 19 & 26 6:00pm to 8:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Wednesdays mid-May to late September
 Jun 30 10:00am Range Orientation (1 hour) Meet at Big Bore Range.

JULY

July 2 9:00am to 5:00pm Edmonton ERT Overflow Range
 July 4 12:00pm to 5:00pm EPS Sniper Program Overflow Range
 July 5 9:00am to 3:30pm EPS Carbine Program Overflow Range
 Jul 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 6:00pm to 8:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Wednesdays mid-May to late September
 Jul 7, 14, 21 & 28 12:00pm to 3:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Sundays mid-May to late September
 Jul 14 10:00am to 12:00am Handgun Event - Action Pistol Handgun Range. Contact Gary Chambers
 Jul 28 10:00am Range Orientation (1 hour) Meet at Big Bore Range. Contact Pat Harris

AUGUST

Aug 1 12:00 to 5:00pm EPS Sniper Program Overflow Range
 Aug 4, 11, 18 & 25 12:00pm to 3:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Sundays mid-May to late September
 Aug 7, 14, 21 & 28 6:00pm to 8:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Wednesdays mid-May to late September
 Weekend Edmonton House Brigade Black Powder mid-Summer Trail Clean-Up Shotgun Range, Overflow Range, Handgun Range, Black Powder Trail, Clubhouse [Exclusive Use] Black Powder
 Aug 11 10:00am to 12:00am Handgun Event - Silhouette Overflow Range. Contact Gary Chambers
 9:00am to 4:00pm Fun Shoot - \$5 per event Big Bore, Pistol and Shotgun, Big Bore Range, Handgun Range, Shotgun Range, Clubhouse. Contact Pete Beauvais 780-923-3831
 Aug 25 10:00am Range Orientation (1 hour) Meet at Big Bore Range. Contact Pat Harris

SEPTEMBER

Sep 1, 8 & 15 12:00pm to 3:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Sundays mid-May to late September.
 Sep 4, 11 & 18 6:00pm to 8:00pm Trap Shooting - \$5 per round Shotgun Range. Wednesdays mid-May to late September.
 Sep 05 7:00pm Hunter's Night At ACT Recreation and Leisure Centre Ballroom, Rundle Park. Attending will be game biologists and Fish and Wildlife officers to bring us up to date on the province's game regulations, and to provide information on additional hunting opportunities. In addition there will be displays of hunting gear including rifles, shotguns and archery tackle. Admission is free. There will be door prizes, a 50/50 draw, and coffee and doughnuts will be served.
 Sep 08 10:00am to 12:00am Handgun Event - Rimfire Fun Handgun Range. Contact Gary Chambers