Thank You GooseFesters!



The 21st Annual GooseFest was another outstanding success. Thanks to the hospitality of the landowners, the generosity of those who donated artwork and prizes, the efficiency of all GooseFest Committees, and commitment of dozens of volunteers, and of course, to all who participated and had so much fun!

Thanks everyone for another successful event!

The GooseFest Committees and the Kenmare Association of Commerce

CONGRATULATIONS to the Prize Winners:



GRAND PRIZE WINNER: 2009 Chevrolet Silverado LS 1500 Z7I 4x4 Ext. Cab Pickup Travis Hedberg, Minot

shown with ticket seller, Jamie Livingston (left)

1st Prize - 2009 Middlebury 6'x12' Enclosed Cargo Trailer - Mrs. Allan Engh, Sherwood 2nd Prize - John Deere Propane Grill, 52,000 BTU - Wayne A. Johnson, Minot 3rd Prize - \$500 Package from North Winds Truck Accessories - Dee Dee Jensen, Mohall

\$500 - Jon Westlake, Kenmare \$500 - Tami Gravesen, Kenmare

\$100 - Leroy Kadoun, Forman \$100- Kyle Jessen, Williston

\$100 - Chris Carlson, Waupaca, WI

\$100 - Penny Estvold, Parshall \$100 - Marilyn Witteman, Mohall

\$100 - Bruce Brehmer, Rochester, MN \$100 - Bruce Marchand, Benedict \$100 - Brent L Veil, Mandan

\$100 - Laura Sandberg, Maple Grove, MN \$100 - Monica Mariner, West Fargo

\$100 - Ron Burgard, Rugby

\$100 - Orlin Hanson, Sherwood \$100 - Wally Jensen, Kenmare

\$100 - Allen Redding, Donnybrook \$100 - Arnie Jordan, Kenmare

<u>Goose Shoot Winners:</u>

1st Place Team (photo at right) - won 10 ga. Browning shotguns. Leon Essler, Dennis Essler, Steve Essler, Jeff Essler. (62 snows, 8 honkers). 2nd Place - won Hunting Blinds. Scot Ness, Ryan Peterson, Kyle Hass, Brady Bohl. (25 snows, 1 honker, 3 ducks).

3rd Place - won GPS. Bjorn Tarvestad, Austin Iverson, Dusty Anderson, Rich Leasmann. (20 snows, 2 honkers, 1 duck).

4th Place- won Decoys. Grant Gottschall, Judd Jasmer, Kyle Peterson, Jason Melin. (13 snows, 8 honkers, 8 ducks)

5th Place- won Robo Ducks. Jamie Melgaard, Blaine Huff, Jerod Mahlum, Doug Miller. (18 snows, 1 honker)

Second Chance- \$100 to team - Lance Trihub, Lonnie Hornberger, Andy Elberg, Tyler Mollerud. **Checker Prizes-** \$50- Casey Meduna; \$50- Tristan Sandstrom



Bought team placing 1st - won \$3419 - Felix Essler; Bought team placing 2nd - won \$2137 - Kyle Mahlum; Bought team placing 3rd - won \$1710 - Bjorn Tarvestad; Bought team placing 4th - won \$855 - Barb Gottschall; Bought team placing 5th - won \$427 - Blaine Huff.

Two Person Fun Shoot Winners:

1st Place - Leon Essler and Jeff Essler. 2nd Place - Blaine Huff and Jeff Dahlin. 3rd Place - Clint and Tim. Winning teams got prizes donated by Cabela's. Winners of the drawing for shotguns (donated by Laury Hennix and Monte Brekhus) were Eric Sieg, Kenmare and L.J. Dusek, Anamoose.

Texas Hold'em Winners: (out of 41 players)

1st Place and 2nd Place split the pot with each winning \$1220 - Brett Hefter, Minot and Brad Halvorson, Kenmare; 3rd Place - \$697 - Stanley Kopp, Kenmare; 4th Place - \$349 - Randy Whillock, Kenmare.

BB Gun Shoot Winners of BB guns donated by Marjorie Nordling (1 gun) and GooseFest (2): Colton Bartuska, Matthew Meza, Sierra Overton

Bird Hunting Contest drawing: (Random Drawing from entries):

Snow Goose: Jeff Essler, won snow goose decoys. Green Head: Brett Froseth, won binoculars. Honker: Mike Bartuska, won honker decoys.

Chili Cook-Off Winners:

1st Place - Hot T Chili Peppers: Nick Thelen, Larry Thelen, Keith Thelen, Scott Thelen, Duane Thelen, Calvin Thelen.

2nd Place - The Investors Witches Brew: Barb Henderson, Donna Henderson, Kathy Ingerson, Shelley Pullen. 3rd Place - Melin Grain Farmers: Linda Melin, Pam Melby, Stacy Lautenschlager.

Best of Show - The Amigos: Carl Zeltinger, Bill Stanley, Jr., DuWayne Gilseth, Gene Hass.

