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Officers are elected to serve one-year terms and Directors for three years. Officers and Directors are installed at the annual Banquet in February.

## President's Message

### No Message for September

*Bob Scherf has gone fishing...*



**Come to the Meeting and  
Vote on the Bylaws Change**

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## August Meeting Highlights

### Trap

Fall Trap League starts on August 23rd. Looking for good turnout and cooler weather.

### Skeet

Low house is complete

### Sporting Clays

Course to be changed at end of August.

### Machine Maintenance

Everything is up and running.

### Wobble Trap

Wobble Championship scheduled for September 29.

One more shoot to be scheduled

### Sportsmen's Activities

Club Shoot on 9/16. 7 events - all free with lunch.

Hunter Safety Class 9/17, 19, 24, 26. Trout Unlimited event for the Boy Scouts went very well.

AIM Fun Duck Shoot scheduled for 9/30. Use your autoloader.

Gander Mountain Days on 8/18 & 8/19.

Hunting/Fishing Days in Yorkville on 9/22 & 9/23

### Lake

Doing well. Fish are active.

### Rifle Pistol Range

Action shoot on August 18. Next bowling pin shoot on 9/1/07

### Building/Grounds

Work day August 18. Jobs are painting, grass trimming, etc. Purpose of work days is to meet other club members as well as maintain property.

### Membership

See page 3 for more details.

### ATA

Cle is on way back from Sparta. Illini shoot had 85 shooters. 181 event entries, 40 doubles shooters. Next shoot October 7th. Registered targets offered during league. Thinking about registered doubles league in Spring for 5 weeks.

### Archery

Jim Kuchinski is in charge. Nice course

### Old Business

3rd reading of Bylaw change w/discussion. Vote will be on 2nd Monday of September.

Discussion on Pheasant Program

### New Business

Need volunteers for Hunting & Fishing Days. Contact Cheryl Baber.



## Rifle/Pistol Range Update/Policy

### Reminder!!

Members ONLY are allowed to use the Rifle/Pistol Range. Exception: **NEW Policy Change!** Only one guest accompanied by a member on **Saturdays** and Sundays is allowed.

### Bowling Pin Shoots

August 4  
September 1  
October 6  
November 3

### Action Shoots

August 18  
October 20

### Rules/Regulations

Registration will be from 8:30AM to 9:00 AM

Mandatory Safety Meeting at 9AM. If you do not attend the safety meeting you will not be able to shoot.

Contact Jeff Johansen at 630-293-3581.

### Rules!

### Calibers Allowed on Rifle/Pistol Range

The following types and calibers are currently allowed.

Remember, only standard velocity or target loads are allowed.

**NO CENTERFIRE RIFLES**

**NO MAGNUM LOADS OR CALIBERS!**

**THE NEW .17 CALIBERS ARE NOT ALLOWED!**

**NO INLINE STYLE MUZZLE LOADING RIFLES**

### Rifles allowed

Air Rifles                      Shotgun slugs

.22 rimfire - standard velocity or target loads

Caplock and Flintlock type black powder rifles and pistols, firing round ball projectiles.

### Pistol allowed

.22 rimfire- standard velocity or target loads

Caplock or flintlock type black powder pistols

.25 auto                      .32                      Air Rifles

.32-20                      .380 auto                      .38

9mm                      .45 Auto                      .45 Colt

.40 Smith&Wesson                      .44 Smith&Wesson special

.44-40 Winchester                      .45 GAP

**EYE AND EAR PROTECTION ARE MANDATORY!**

**Junior members must be accompanied by a sponsor or an adult member.**

...Jeff Johansen

Rifle/Pistol Chairman

### Public Shooting Hours

Beginning January 1, 2007 thru December 31, 2007

Saint Charles Sportsmen's Club Public Hours

Tuesday 6:00PM - 10:00PM after March 6th, 2007

Thursday 6:00PM - 10:00PM

Saturday 9:00AM - 2:00PM

Sunday 9:00AM - 2:00PM

## Membership Update

2007 renewal stickers (to be placed on your ID badge) have been mailed. If you have not received your sticker or need a new member card please contact membership at

SCSC Membership  
P.O. Box 325  
St. Charles, IL 60174

Please spread the word that the newsletter and important information is now only being sent by email. We do not use your email address for anything else and do not distribute your email to anyone.

Next new member orientation - TBA

There were no new members voted in.

### New Members Voted In

Dan Caruso  
Frank Griffin  
Michael Perillo

### New Probationary Members

Matt Sommers  
Good shooting everyone!

...*Andrea Ema, Director & Membership Chair*  
*Carol Vosecky, Asst. Membership Chair*

## Wobble Trap Update

### High Gun Scores

Date	Name	Score	Runner Up	Score
5/12	Larry Johnson	91	John Mueller	90 RU
6/9	Larry Johnson	94	David Baugher	84 RU
6/26	David Baugher	45/50	Tom Berry	44 RU
7/12	Andrea Ema	45/50	Tom Berry	44 RU

YTD - We had 11 shooters and threw 1,950 targets.

### Note:

Targets will be available to Shooters the day of the State Shoot to those competitors who need to meet the 200 bird minimum.

### 2006 Wimpy's Wobble Winner

Dean Perle won the Full Wobble B High Class Average Prize of \$125 from Wimpy's Wobble Trap Association. He completed 600 targets in order to be eligible for the Full Wobble High Class Average Prize.

Congratulations Dean!

...*Matt Erion*  
*Wobble Chair*



## Website News

### Calendar Updates/Listings

We do the best we can when updating the website but we need your help. If you have an event that needs to be listed or updated on the website calendar please send the info to [webmaster@scsconline.org](mailto:webmaster@scsconline.org). Please don't shoot the webmaster! If we don't know about it we can't list it.

Thanks!

... *Barry Bourdage*  
*Webmaster*



## Three Gun Action Shoot

### Match Results

Here are the results of the August 18th 3 Gun Action Shoot.

1st place	Eugene Doetch
2nd place	Jeff Johansen
3rd place	Mike Chivers
4th place	Chuck Dobra
5th place	Norb Thornton



Our next Bowling pin shoot will be Saturday, September 1st.

Registration will be from 8:30 to 9:00 am. There will be a mandatory safety meeting at 9:00 am.

If you have any questions contact Jeff Johansen at 630-293-3581.

...*Jeff Johansen*  
*Rifle/Pistol Chair*



**ST. CHARLES SPORTSMEN'S CLUB  
ATA REGISTERED SHOOT SCHEDULE**

**2007 SHOOT DATES**

**October 7th Elburn Fall Classic Money Shoot**

***ATA Shoot Volunteer Needs***

The SCSC ATA Program welcomes and can always utilize volunteer efforts by Club members. We welcome both volunteers who can work a few hours as well as those who want to make a longer term commitment to this successful Club activity.

Over the years we have developed a knowledgeable group of members who work every shoot. We are always interested in new additions to this staff, members who wish to learn and carry out the various functions involved in a registered shoot. Please understand that this effort involves several long days of work and once begun requires training and the development of experience that we are unable to do time and again, thus we need volunteers who can be counted on for a continuing series of shoots.

In addition to longer term volunteers and the work opportunities listed below, a person is needed to handle the work at home distribution of prize payout checks for the 6/3, 7/15, and 10/7 shoots. The ability to pick up materials and deliver the completed work for mailing is necessary for this assignment.

For further information on all of these opportunities please contact Cle Rector at 630 784-9655 or [cle.k80@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cle.k80@sbcglobal.net).



Day/Date	Shoot	Shift	Skills/Capabilities	Activities
Sunday, October 7th	Elburn Fall Classic Money Shoot	<b>Shift I</b> 7:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Breathing & Mobile	Field Prep
		<b>Shift II</b> 8:30 AM – 1:00 PM	Breathing & Mobile. Opportunities for those with restricted mobility also available	Field Prep, Clerical & Prize Supervision
		<b>Shift III</b> 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM	Breathing & Mobile. Opportunities for those with restricted mobility also available	Clerical & Prize Supervision
		<b>Prior Pick Up and 8:00 AM Delivery</b>	Car and ability to “manhandle” 20 pound drinking water coolers	Pick up coolers at Club before the shoot, buy ice, fill coolers at home and delivery to the Club Sunday morning





## ***Bylaws Change***

### **Club Audit Necessitates Change**

Based on a recent club audit report, SCSC will need to make changes to the bylaws regarding membership types/levels in order to meet the IRS requirements of our not for profit status. The following motion (see below) to change the bylaws will be presented at the June membership meeting and again at the July membership meeting. The proposed bylaw change will be voted on without further discussion at the August membership meeting. The proposed change must be approved by 2/3 of members present in a secret ballot. All members are invited to attend these meetings to get clarification on these changes. This information is privy to members only and will not be discussed outside of the meetings. Thank you for your support in this matter.

### **Article III Membership**

#### **Section A:**

Any person over 18 years of age who is a citizen of the United States of America, of good moral character, and is interested in our ideals will be eligible for Club membership provided he/she is sponsored by three (3) Club members in good standing.

#### **Section B:**

Any person under 18 years of age who is a citizen of the United States of America, of good moral character, and is interested in our ideals will be eligible for the junior membership provided he/she is sponsored by three (3) Club members in good standing.

#### **Section C:**

It shall be the decision of the Board of Directors to open or close the membership if and when they so desire.

#### **Section D:**

Junior members, with the exception of shooting members, shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Saint Charles Sportsmen's Club with the exception of voting power and holding office. Shooting members, if and when the Club has this membership available and in force, shall have only the use of the trap and skeet fields and shall have no other privileges of the Club.

#### **Section E:**

A prospective member must first submit his/her application to the Secretary of the Club, accompanied by the initiation fee and prorated dues no less than fifty percent (50%) of normal annual dues for the membership classification requested.

The applicant must then appear, with his/her Club member sponsor, at a regular membership meeting. The applicant will be presented to both the membership and Board of Directors so as to begin the probationary period.

All applicants shall be placed on a probation period of six (6) months. All applicants must participate in the Club's work program. All applicants will be voted upon for acceptance or rejection on the sixth (6th) Board of Director's meeting after presentation. Seven (7) no votes will constitute rejection.

#### **Section F:**

The services of select Club members may be recognized by granting of a life membership. Life membership includes paid-up dues with retention of all rights, privileges, and obligations of membership in the Club. The purpose attributed to this recognition is the continuous and dedicated service to the objectives of the Club and the Club's improvement. Life membership is granted at the discretion of the Board of Directors, and ceases with the death of the member. Life memberships shall be limited to a maximum of 12 persons within the total membership of the Club. To be considered for life membership, a candidate must:

1. Have been a club member in good standing for the past 20 years
2. have contributed time, effort, skill and/or personal resources in a significant degree to the benefit of the Club.

#### **Section G:**

Junior membership shall be a non-Club membership as per Article III, Section D of the by-laws, the Junior Members or the junior membership as a group being at all times under the supervision of a Club member.

#### **Section H:**

Junior Members shall be 13 through 17 years of age.

#### **Section I:**

Junior Members shall not exceed 50% of the Club membership.

#### **Section J:**

Junior Members must have completed an Illinois State Hunter Safety course by their first year of membership.

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**Bylaws Change** *continued***Section K:**

A Junior Member, in good standing upon January 1st following their 18th birthday, shall be eligible for Club membership if applied for before the following January 1st under the following schedule:

- One year, but less than two years membership = 67% of current initiation fee.
- Two years, but less than three years membership = 50% of current initiation fee.
- Three years, but less than four years membership = 33/3% of current initiation fee.
- Four years, but less than five years membership = 17 % of current initiation fee.
- Five years membership = no initiation fee.

**Section L:**

If the Club membership is closed, Junior Members on the waiting list will have priority for the next opening into the Club membership list.

**Section M:**

Junior membership will have their own officers and programs with Club members being the chairman and advisers to the officers and of the programs.

**Section N:**

Junior Membership will have an initiation fee and annual dues which may be changed from time to time by the Club membership at a meeting called only for that purpose.

**Section O: (NEW SECTION)**

The Board of Directors with Membership approval shall have the power to expand the types/levels of memberships to the St. Charles Sportsmen's Club. Members shall be provided notice of these proposed changes in the month before the approval vote is called. This shall include dues, fees (shooting and initiation) and work hours and benefits associated with proposed memberships.

*...submitted by Ron Duy*

**Important ATA Information****ATA REGISTERED LEAGUE TARGETS**

Shooters participating in the Fall League, both members and non-members, will have the opportunity to have their league SINGLES targets registered with the Amateur Trapshooting Association (ATA). Registered league targets will count toward 2008 TY target minimum requirements as well as total career target attainment, but are not figured in the shooter's normal ATA Singles Average.

250 targets is the required minimum for registered league events. Since the St. Charles Trap League is 200 singles targets those shooters who participate in registered targets will need to shoot an additional 50 targets that will not be part of their league scoring.

Sign up for the Registered League targets will be Week 1 and Week 2 (August 23 and 30). The cost of registering Fall League targets is \$40 over and above the standard league entry and weekly costs. Those wishing to register their league targets must be members of the ATA and ISTA. Membership applications will be available at the league registration table during Weeks 1 & 2.

Registering Fall League Singles targets is a great way to get a headstart on meeting 2008's minimum target count. If you're going to shoot the League, you might as well have the targets count with the ATA.

For questions or further information contact Cle Rector at 630 784-9655 or [cle.k80@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cle.k80@sbcglobal.net).

*...Cle Rector  
ATA Chair*



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## St. Charles Sportsmen's Club 2007 – 2008 Pheasant Program

Following are the proposed fee structures for the SCSC Pheasant Program this year. The Pheasant Program has sustained a loss in the range of \$5,000 - \$6,000 per year for the past two years. After looking at the numbers and comparing our fee structure to two other hunting clubs in our area, we believe the following to be a fair fee structure for our members.

**Participation Fee:** The Member Participation Fee will be \$150.00. The increase over last year is warranted to cover the cost of the property lease, maintenance and amenities to the property.

**Bird Tags:** Bird tags may be purchased in five-packs, ten-packs and twenty-five packs. Each participant must purchase a minimum of five bird tags. Following is the fee structure for bird tag purchases:

	Prior to January 1, 2007	After December 31, 2007
Five Pack	\$15.00 each	\$17.00
Ten Pack	\$15.00 each	\$17.00
Twenty-Five Pack	\$14.00 each	\$16.00

The increased cost for tags purchased in 2008 is due to the higher bird prices in the latter season.

**Guest Passes:** Guest Passes may be purchased by program participants for \$55.00. This Guest Pass includes a \$25.00 guest fee and \$30.00 bird fee, which includes two bird tags. Each Guest is permitted to release two birds. Should the Guest harvest more than two birds, the Member is responsible for having the required tags to cover the harvest in his/her possession.

**Corporate Hunt Package:** We are introducing a Corporate Hunt Package this year for those Members who wish to invite business guests to hunt at our facility. This Corporate Hunt Package cost is \$1,400 and provides for four half days of hunting and 64 bird tags. The Member may bring three business guests per hunt, and each hunter may release four birds. As an additional benefit, the holder of a Corporate Hunt Package may reserve the field of his/her choice for four hunts. Should the Member and his guests' harvest exceed the bird tags purchased in the package, the Member is responsible for having the required tags to cover the harvest.

We believe these to be fair prices to charge. Although we are not a full service club, in most hunt clubs, you are required to pay for each bird you release, regardless of whether you are able to harvest the bird. **At SCSC, you only pay for those birds you do harvest.** The following table will illustrate our new prices compared to two area hunt facilities, the Upland Hunt Club and the Seneca Hunt Club:

	SCSC	Upland	Seneca
Participation Fee	\$150.00	\$600.00	\$400.00
Initiation Fee		\$500.00	
Cost Per Bird	\$15.00 - \$17.00	\$17.00 - \$18.00	\$16.50
Guest Fee	\$55.00 (incl. 2 birds)	\$110 (incl. 5 birds)	\$25.00 (no birds incl.)

# Annual Club Championship

## September 16, 2007

Beginning September 1, 2007 members and their families may pre-shoot one **FREE** round of Trap Singles, Doubles, and Skeet in preparation for the Annual Club Championship on September 16th. Let the counter identify your score sheet **BEFORE** you shoot each event. For those of you who have not shot in this before you are invited to shoot the seven events or as many of them as you want. The events are Trap 16 yard singles, Doubles, Skeet, Sporting Clays, .22 caliber rifle, .22 caliber handgun and 20 yard archery. Lunch and soft drinks are **FREE** to all members who attend the event on September 16.

Age Classes:

18-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-79, 80+

Other Classes:

Junior members of SCSC

Female, Member + spouse

Member + son/daughter\*

Member + spouse + son/daughter\*

\*Under age 19 does not have to be a

SCSC Junior member.

Registration: 9:30 - 11:00AM

Shooting: 9:35 - 2:35PM

Mark your calendars and come on out to enjoy a day of shooting and eating courtesy of your club. As members you are entitled to this membership perk.

... *Bill Hardt*  
Vice President

# SCSC Picture Corner



**Frank Kubica**  
**Sporting Clays Chair and Machine**  
**Maintenance Co-Chair**



**SCSC Webmasters**  
**Bob Butterworth & Barry Bourdage**  
**www.scsconline.org**

## NOTICE!

IT HAS COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE CLUB ATTORNEY THAT CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY HAS OCCURRED ON THE SPORTING CLAYS RANGE. IT APPEARS THAT AN INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS HAVE ON MORE THAN ONE OCCASION CUT THE CORDS THAT RUN TO OUR TRAP MACHINES.

IF ANYONE HAS INFORMATION WHICH WOULD LEAD TO THE ARREST AND PROSECUTION OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS CRIME OF CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, YOU MAY REPORT THIS TO ME AT THE ADDRESS APPEARING BELOW.

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### 2007 Important Dates

SCSC Board/Member Meeting	9/10/2007
Club Shoot	9/16/2007
Hunting & Fishing Days	9/22/2007
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Wobble Trap State Championship	9/29/2007
AIM Fun Duck Shoot	9/30/2007
Elburn Fall Classic Money Shoot (ATA)	10/7/2007
SCSC Board/Member Meeting	10/8/2007
SCSC Board/Member Meeting	11/12/2007

See calendar in Clubhouse or check website for events not listed here. Go to [www.scsconline.org](http://www.scsconline.org)



## Fun Duck Shoot

**Sunday - September 30, 2007**

Open to men and women.

Registration: 9:00AM - 9:30AM

All shooting begins at 9:30 AM

Includes 75 fun, simulated Waterfowl hunting targets complete with props utilizing SCSC Sporting Clays course and trap fields.

**Some sets of targets require three shots!**

(Shooters need an autoloader or pump shotgun!)

### Raffle prizes at NOON!

Some of the raffle items include: signed, framed Minnesota DU print; handmade quilt wall hanging and specialty gift baskets!

### Registration Fee:

\$30.00/Shooter (includes lunch; non-shooters pay just \$5 for lunch!)

More details at

[www.girlswithguns.net](http://www.girlswithguns.net)





## Work Hour Opportunities

### Deadline To Get Work Hours

\*REMINDER\*-All work hours for regular members must be completed by Oct.31, 2007. (Pheasant program participants must have work hours completed by Sept.12th)

### Volunteer opportunities

**Pheasant Property** will need volunteers to help do the ground preparation before installing new pen. Please call Dean at (630) 643-4465 for more info and upcoming work dates or e-mail [scscpheasantprogram@gmail.com](mailto:scscpheasantprogram@gmail.com) and Dean will get back to you.

**Sept. 1st: Bowling Pin Shoot-** Setting up targets and keeping time and scores. You need to be able to operate .22 caliber rifle and pistol. Work hours will be from 8:00am to noon and noon to 4:00pm contact Jeff at (630) 293-3581

**Sept. 16th: Club shoot-** job is to registering shooters; work hours from 9:00am to noon. Contact Bill Hardt at [whardt@ameritech.net](mailto:whardt@ameritech.net)

**Sept. 19, 20, 21st: Silver Spring Hunting and Fishing Days** set up of tents, chairs and tables. contact Andrea at [scscmembership@gmail.com](mailto:scscmembership@gmail.com) (630) 363-6180

**Sept. 22, 23th: Silver Springs Hunting and Fishing Days** St. Charles table. The purpose of this job is to attract new members to the club. Volunteers need to be outgoing and engage people in conversation. Shifts are 9:00am to 12:00pm. And 1:00pm to 5:00pm. Contact Cheryl at [scscvolunteers@gmail.com](mailto:scscvolunteers@gmail.com)

**Sept. 22, 23th: Silver Springs Hunting and Fishing Days,** Silent auction table. Contact Andrea at [scscmembership@gmail.com](mailto:scscmembership@gmail.com) (630) 363-6180

**Sept. 22, 23th: Silver Springs Hunting and Fishing Days,** working the range helping to hand out ear and eye protection and people control. Contact Andrea at [scscmembership@gmail.com](mailto:scscmembership@gmail.com) or (630) 363-6180

**Sept. 29th: SCSC work day** 8:00am to noon, Contact Dan Vosecky (630) 978-8872

**Oct. 7th: ATA Elburn Fall Classic Money Shoot -** See page 4 for details

**Oct.27th : SCSC work day,** 8:00am to noon Contact Dan Vosecky (630) 978-8872

**More Volunteer Opportunities** We have a new light fixture to install in the ladies bathroom. Could someone volunteer to lead this job? Contact Dan Vosecky (630) 978-8872

**Earn Club Work Hours** Need someone with patio/driveway paver experience to coordinate/ramrod a walkway project at the club. Club will pay for all materials and rental equipment and will help recruit workers. Anyone interested in helping and/or learning how to do it (yes, it counts as work hours) please contact Bill Hardt at (630) 420-8799 or [whardt000@ameritech.net](mailto:whardt000@ameritech.net).

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## Special Notice to Members

### Illegal Calibers Found

There have been illegal caliber shells found at the Rifle/Pistol range. This is an ongoing problem which has forced the Board to take action. Any illegal caliber shell that is found at the range in the future shall force the closure of the Rifle/Pistol Range for 30 days. Know the rules! Only handgun calibers on the posted list (NO MAGNUM LOADS). Caplock and Flintlock type black powder rifles and pistols, firing round ball projectiles and rimfire .22 rifles are allowed. (NO Inline style back powder guns are allowed because of their higher velocity.) Members, if you see someone using illegal loads please tell them to stop and/or report the violation to the Board. It takes only one stray bullet that leaves the confines of the club and only one or two people who don't believe in following the rules to take away the privileges of the rest of the responsible members. Please don't let that happen. Be aware of what your neighbor is doing on the range.

...Bob Scherf  
President

### Letter To Members & Non Members

This Letter is to inform you that any MEMBER or NON-MEMBER found trying to move or fix any of the Trap Machines, will be brought up before the Board. We now have a Maintenance Committee who will take care of any problems. Thank you in advance for your support in this matter!

...Frank Kulica  
Director / Machine Maintenance

### Shooting Time Limit

Shooting MUST STOP on all ranges by 10:00PM sharp. Anyone caught violating this regulation will be brought before the board. We need to maintain a good neighbor policy with the surrounding development of new housing and neighbors. Right now we voluntarily stop shooting at 10PM as a courtesy. If we start getting too many complaints, the town of Elburn may be forced to mandate that shooting must stop at 10PM which could be the beginning of many more restrictions down the road. We certainly don't want that!

Be a good neighbor!

...Bob Scherf  
President

### Two Shell Rule

Club Rules states that a maximum of only TWO Shotgun shells are allowed to be used in a shotgun on club property while shooting Sporting Clays, Skeet, or Doubles Trap. Violators will be brought before the Board.

The ONLY exception is during special sanctioned club events.

...Bob Scherf  
President

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## Newsletter Update

**Deadline** for articles for the October issue are due before September 18th. Please send photos of interest to news@scsconline.org.

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...Rosemary Jendras  
Newsletter Editor



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