

2018
*Bird Dog
Museum
Christmas
Newsletter*



Christmas greetings to all. Another year has come and gone here in Grand Junction, Tennessee at the National Bird Dog Museum. It has brought many adventures here at the museum, I have met many new friends, but have suffered the sadness of the loss of some friends as well.

However hectic your schedule is right now I hope that you will sit back and enjoy this newsletter and reflect on this past year with me. I wish for all of you to enjoy the season and truly feel the spirit of Christmas. Have some fun and make some joyous memories.

I truly appreciate all of the support given to the museum this past year, which has allowed us to make many improvements. I am grateful for each of you who have generously donated time or money to make all this possible.

Finally, I just want say: Have a holly, jolly Christmas, it's the best time of the year!

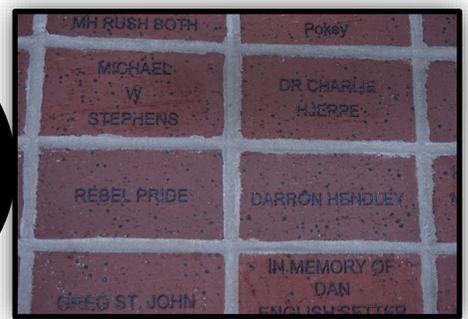
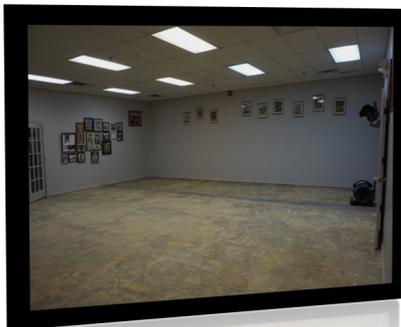
Tonya Brotherton
Executive Director

Christmas is in the Air!

Wishing you all the joy, hope and wonder of the season.



We have achieved much here at the National Bird Dog Museum this year. The projects we were able to complete and improvements to the facility we were able to make were possible only because of the loyal support and generous donations of our friends and supporters. None of this would have been possible without each of you and we hope that you will continue your support in the upcoming year. Throughout 2018 we have been able to lay new carpet in the Hall of Fame and the William F. Brown Memorial Library, replace the old carpet in the Banquet Hall with a new tile floor, add new lighting to the Hall of Fame, and lay 129 more bricks in our "Paving Memory Lane" walkway. All of this was a lot of work, but the improvements to the museum are well worth it and we are excited to share these enhancements with those who have not visited us since the completion of these projects.



The National Bird Dog Museum family has suffered many losses this year. We have lost two of our board members, Jim Crouse and Don Driggers. We also lost a former board member, Charlie Hays, who was still very supportive of both the museum and the field trial sport. All three will be missed greatly.

Other losses to the museum family and the field trial sport include:

Swede Anderson

Warner Smith

Deborah Andrews

Greg St. John

Jean Armhurst

Roscoe Staton

Ray Batke

Mike Stephens

Dennis Brath

Joseph Taylor

Thomas Carroll

Marilyn Taylor

William Connor

Sigbot "Bodo" Winterhelt

Dr. Jerry Champion

Dick Wyatt

Buzz Daugherty

Rick Dodge

Freddie Epp

Mike Flannery

Bill Gibbons

Dr. Stan Haag

Bob Lamb

Dave Marshall

Mike McClanahan

C.M. "Boot" Mitchell

Nick Reams

Bob Reckert

Leonard Rentel

Judy Robin

Pietro Savarese



THE WAYS TO SUPPORT THE MUSEUM

----- (\$20.00) Youth Supporter under 18

----- (\$50.00) Annual Membership

You receive a small appreciation gift and discount in gift shop.

----- (\$500.00) Life Membership

You receive an appreciation gift, tax letter and discount in gift shop.

----- (\$1200.00) Life Patron/Patron Memorial

You receive a Plaque to be hung in the museum

----- (\$1000.00) President's Council

You receive a certificate, gift, name on special plaque, and discounts

----- (\$1400.00) Walk of Champion Dog Markers

You receive a granite stone to be place along the walkway in front

----- (\$250.00) Memorial Wall Plaque

You receive a bronze plaque to be placed on the memorial wall

----- (\$100.00) Paving Memory Lane Brick in Entryway

You will receive a Brick with name of your choice to be placed on the walkway entering the museum.

You may also choose to support the museum in your will.

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*From the Staff and Board of Directors
Of the National Bird Dog Museum*

