

19th Annual HUNTING EXPO August 26-28, 2011



SPEAKER SERIES

Camping Atrium, Flagship Store

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27

11 a.m. Be The Best Hunter You Can Be Hal Blood and Chris Dalti, Big Woods Bucks

For over 25 years, Hal has been guiding hunters to some of the biggest bucks in Maine, gaining valuable experience that he'll share during this presentation. He'll reveal some of the most important skills all hunters should master to be the best hunter they can be. Come learn from one of the top big buck masters in the sport.

Noon Brown Bag Discussion

Maine Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife Commissioner Chandler, Woodcock and Maine Warden Service Colonel, Joel Wilkinson This is a great opportunity to hear about a variety of matters important to Maine's sportsmen and have the chance to ask those questions you have always wanted to ask in person. Commissioner Woodcock and Colonel Wilkinson will discuss initiatives that the Department and Warden Service are involved in, and a question and answer session will follow. Bring your lunch!

1 p.m. Question & Answer with Jon and Gina Brunson

Join hunting celebrities Jon and Gina Brunson for an informal question and answer presentation. This is your rare chance to visit with two of hunting's biggest luminaries as they share great tips, tales and techniques—and you can get the answers to your questions about anything and everything to do with hunting and hunting television production.

2 p.m. North Country Moose Hunting Mark Edwards, Mossy Oak Pro Staff

This presentation will cover a wide variety of topics that will help make you a more successful moose hunter. Learn about scouting, calling tactics for different seasons, weather conditions and moose movement, sizing trophy bulls, how to get a huge moose out of the woods, and more.

3 p.m. Fall Turkey Hunting Tactics Joe Judd, Quaker Boy Pro Staff

Joe will demonstrate calling tactics and techniques that work best for fall turkeys. His strategies are sure to help you bag your fall gobbler!

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

11 a.m. Solving the Riddle of the Rut Bob Humphrey

A hunter's best chance for taking a good buck will be during the rut. Deer hunting veteran and wildlife biologist Bob Humphrey will explain the rut and offer some insight on when, where, how and why to hunt during this dynamic period. Bob will be available after his presentation to visit with customers and sign autographs and copies of his new book *Pro Tactics: Whitetail Hunting*.

Noon Grouse Hunting With or Without a Dog: The Pros & Cons

Don Kleiner, Executive Director, Maine Professional Guides Association Many hunters love the thrill and challenge of hunting grouse one-on-one, without a dog. Others swear that the only proper way to hunt grouse is *with* a dog. Each has its own distinct advantages and disadvantages. Join Don Kleiner, Registered Master Maine Guide for over 25 years, as he delves into this question and provides some tips and techniques for hunting the king of game birds.

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2 p.m. Sea Duck Hunting Along the New England Coast Paul Reynolds, Mossy Oak Pro Staff

Sea duck hunting in New England is about as good as it gets—lots of birds, action-packed gunning and wild scenery. But why is it that some hunters seem to get a lot more action than others? Join the experts from Mossy Oak as they discuss set up, location, effective decoy spreads, gunning techniques, load selection, duck identification and much more.

SPECIAL SHOWING

Mossy Oak Hunting Films 5 p.m. SATURDAY, 4 p.m. SUNDAY Join the folks from Mossy Oak for a special showing of some of their most incredible hunting videos—edited together just for this event. Don't miss this very unique evening of great hunting films by some of the best producers in the business. *Note: Some material may not be suitable for all audiences.*

FRIDAY-SUNDAY

DOCKDOGS®

See remarkable feats of athletic skill with three days of competitionit's the premier sport for active dogs. Check out the signature events—Big Air[™], Extreme Vertical[™] and a new event called Speed Retrieve[™], where dogs run, jump, swim and retrieve while they race against the clock. Come watch these dogs make a serious splash!

FRIDAY

5 p.m. Onsite registration and practice

Moose Parking Lot

SATURDAY & SUNDAY

6-7 p.m.

Competition

9 a.m. Onsite registration and practice 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Competition



SATURDAY & SUNDAY

FREE Clay Shooting, Archery and Fly Casting







FREE Outdoor Discovery School Sporting Challenge—Just for Kids Make a long-distance sporting-clay shot, hit a bull's-eye at the archery range, cast a fly at a small target. Successfully complete all of them for great prizes. It's not easy, but it's fun.

With L.L.Bean Outdoor Discovery School Instructors 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Fogg Farm^{*}

*Under 17 must be accompanied by an adult. Shuttle transportation provided.

Dennis will discuss how to properly field dress your buck, best methods for

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Your Trophy Buck—From the Woods to the Table

SATURDAY continued

3 p.m.

4 p.m.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26

behind the Bike, Boat & Ski Store

- to 4 p.m. Test your skill in our unique range located inside our store. Sign up the same day. First-come, first-served. Ages 8+. Hunting & Fishing Store
- 11 a.m. **Fish Tank Talk**

Learn about fish, river ecology, and some remarkable facts about our giant tank. Discovery Lobby, Flagship Store

Catch and Release Demonstration 1 p.m.

Watch an L.L.Bean expert catch a live trout and safely release it back into our indoor pond. Trout Pond, Flagship Store

7:30 p.m. CONCERT: Southside Johnny

and the Asbury Jukes Playing for over 30 years, Johnny and the Jukes have entertained audiences with over 30 albums, thousands of live performances around the globe, and dozens of classic songs. Discovery Park



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10 a.m. **Buy a Collectible Buck Knife!**

Meet CJ Buck, fourth generation and President of world-famous knifemaker to 4 p.m. Buck® Knives. He'll be here to personally sign your Buck Knife purchased during the event. This is a rare opportunity to acquire an instant collectible. Hunting & Fishing Store

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ALL HUNTING APPAREL & HUNTING FOOTWEAR*

Look for additional store specials during the event!

*Offer applies to select regular price in-stock merchandise August 26–28, 2011, at the L.L.Bean Hunting & Fishing Store in Freeport, ME only, while supplies last. Firearms excluded. Not available at other L.L.Bean Retail or Outlet Stores, by telephone, mail order or web. Not valid with other discounts.

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SPECIAL GUESTS

Maine Bowhunters Association

Maine Professional Guides Association North American Versatile Hunting Dog Association

Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine Sportsman's Alliance of Maine

The Ruffed Grouse Society Ducks Unlimited



Visit with L.L. Bean's great-grandson and L.L.Bean Guide to the Outdoors host, Bill Gorman Swap hunting stories and watch some of his exciting hunts from the show. Be sure to catch the latest episodes of Guide to the Outdoors on Outdoor Channel.

Product vendors will be on-hand all weekend to answer your questions about specific products and how best to use them.

Our experienced Pro Shop staff are hunters and shooters who are here to help with all your hunting and firearms needs. Top-notch gun technicians are available seven days a week to offer expert advice to hunters and shooters of all abilities.



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