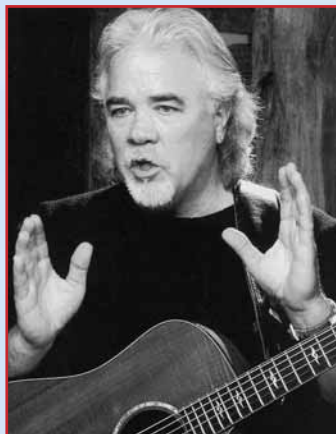


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26th Biennium Awards Banquet Keynote Guest: Gary Morris

ENJOY AN EVENING WITH GARY MORRIS



Singer, songwriter, actor, producer, bowhunter, outfitter ... only begin to describe Gary Morris, whom really needs no introduction to most folks. For those few who don't immediately recognize him, one only needs to mention his signature song. Country music singer and songwriter, Gary was a CMA Male Vocalist of the Year and had such hits as "Baby Bye Bye," "100% Chance of Rain" and others. On the Broadway stage, he starred in "Les Miserables" and "La Boheme." On the small screen you saw him in the soap opera "Another World" (remember the theme song), "The Colby's," "Designing Women" and, more recently, his hunting shows.

He's performed for 5 U.S. Presidents and the Queen of England, but Saturday night he'll share some songs, some music and some memories with us during the 26th Biennium Awards Banquet. AND, it will include a performance of his "Wind Beneath My Wings!"

FRIDAY NIGHT RECOGNITION BANQUET



Friday night is our "people" night. A ceremony will recognize the recipients of the P&Y Conservation Award, the Stewardship Award and the Lee Gladfelter Memorial Award, as well as the Photo & Art Competition winners and the 26th Biennium Panel Judges. Special entertainment will be provided by Colorado recording artist Chuck Pyle. The program is then followed by a "social hour."

"As Colorado as the Rockies," singer/songwriter Chuck Pyle will be the Entertainer at the Friday Night Recognition Banquet.

FRIDAY LUNCHEON



Michele Eichler, CEO of Muzzy Products Corp., will give a presentation about the history of Muzzy and her father's connections with the Club.

SATURDAY LUNCHEON

Longtime Senior Member John Rook will entertain us with tales of his unique lifetime pursuit of bowhunting challenges.



SEMINARS



"High Country Equipment and Safety"
by Nathan Andersohn
Thursday, 2:30pm

A presentation and demonstration of the latest and greatest backpacking gear available. Whether you are heading to the high country for the first time, or you've done it for years, you will enjoy and benefit from this seminar. Nathan will also discuss several survival tips and precautions that should be taken to make sure that the hunter returns from the mountains alive and well.

A Senior Member of the Club, Nathan Andersohn is a veteran longbow hunter who has pursued big game in the Rocky Mountains for over 35 years. He has survived and enjoyed countless trips to Alaska and the Canadian wilderness and is well-versed in the equipment necessary and beneficial to enjoy high country hunting and to avoid the many dangers of the mountains.



"25 Years of Elk Calling"
by Wayne Carlton
Thursday, 4:00pm

Elk make lots of different sounds. What do they all mean? Wayne will share his vast experience with you, sharing his secrets to calling success. Understanding elk talk is what will give you the edge you need on your next elk hunt.

Wayne is a 35 year veteran of mastering the art of calling elk. He was the first to market the diaphragm elk call and has designed many others. He's been a Board member of the RMEF and the NWTf and continues to work with both to further the efforts of conservation. He's hosted the "Elk Country Journal" TV show and is an accomplished singer/songwriter.



"Hunting the West on a Budget"
by Garth and Jason Carter
Friday, 3:00pm



From the guys who know the "ropes," the ins and outs of hunt-

ing all the western states, is a lesson in how to knowledgeably get it done. How to set yourself up for 20 years of high quality big game hunting on a budget. Though mostly do-it-yourself hunts, Garth and Jason will also factor in options of landowner tags, draw tags and over-the-counter options.

Garth Carter graduated with a wildlife management degree in 1975 and spent 20 years with the Utah Division of Wildlife before starting his present operations. Since then he has forged a successful business as a hunting consultant, with a magazine (Hunting Fool), a license application service, a booking agency and a landowner tag acquisition division.

Jason Carter has a business degree from Utah State University and partners with his father in the family business. He is the managing editor of Hunting Fool Magazine.



"Do It Yourself Antelope Hunting"
by Ron Sherer
Friday, 4:30pm

Do-it-yourself antelope hunting: A to X.

Born and raised in Idaho "many years ago," Ron Sherer first carried a bow into the woods in 1956 while hunting with his father. The "archery bug" bit him and he's been bowhunting ever since. Ron has hunted in a number of states, Canada and Mexico. He's held outfitter and guides licenses in Idaho and presently holds a class A guide license in Alaska.



"Broadhead Penetration"
by Dr. Ed Ashby
Saturday, 10:00am

"Knowledge is the most important item a bowhunter carries to the woods. The arrow he chooses to use is the most important piece of hunting equipment. Neither effort nor expense should be spared in development of either, for these ultimately determine the hunter's success." - Dr. Ed Ashby

Dr. Ashby holds a Bachelor's degree in mathematics and science. His research in broadhead testing can be traced back to a marvelous experience of seeing a Howard Hill exhibition shoot. Ed has since been bowhunting for some 50 years, and still is mesmerized by the flight of a hunting arrow.

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"Field Care of Hides/Capes/Meat"
by Barry Smith
Saturday, 4:30pm

Proper care of hides, capes, antlers/horns and meat is essential to a successful completion of a hunt. Easy rules of thumb and helpful tips will be discussed. Barry will also highlight field dressing options for many different scenarios. He'll even share a few cooking tips so the whole family can enjoy the end of a hunt.

Born and raised in South Dakota, Barry Smith cut his teeth in taxidermy in Denver starting in 1975. In 1979 he started Alpine Taxidermy as a fulltime business. Barry has been a bowhunter "since birth", and is a Senior Member and Official Measurer for the Club.



"Spotting and Stalking Alpine Mules"
by Marvin Clyncke and Scott Hargrove
Saturday, 4:30pm

Pure, fun, bowhunting challenge - hunting mule deer in the high country! Scott and Marv will discuss where to find mules and methods for effectively hunting them.



Scott Hargrove grew up bowhunting in southern California. Sixteen years ago, he moved to Colorado and has been passionately chasing high country mules all over the western states ever since. He's had great success tagging large bucks. Scott is a Senior Member and official measurer.

Marv Clyncke has been bowhunting for 55 years. He's a former Director and 1st VP of the Club and remains a Senior Member and official measurer. He is a founding member and past president of Colorado Bowhunters Assn, Bighorn Sheep Society and Compton Traditional Bowhunters. Hunting mule deer above timberline is his favorite and he's been doing it for 49 years, considering spotting and stalking them as the ultimate bowhunting challenge.

WORKSHOPS:

We'll have 2 special, limited-attendance workshops during the convention. You'll need to sign up for them at the registration table before hand.



"Map and Compass Skills"
by Dave Doran
Friday, 3:00pm

How to get around in the outdoors and get back home. Nearly every hunter carries a compass, but many don't know how to use it sufficiently. Using a variety of compass styles, we'll cover terminology, declination, bearings, parts of a compass and how to orient the compass with a map.

We'll then move on to have you apply some basic compass skills using different map types, while learning what scales and datum are and how to navigate in the outdoors using these tools. Dave will also mention how a GPS can interface with a map and compass, as

well as map programs for the computer. Sample maps and compasses will be provided.

Dave Doran, from Bend, Oregon, is a former teacher and recently retired from the Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife. Dave has taught a wide variety of outdoor skills and hunter education workshops to people of all ages. He has bowhunted in Canada and many western states, returning home (or at least back to camp) safely each time...because of his map and compass skills.



"Elk Bugling"
by Wayne Carlton
Friday, 4:30pm

Hands-on, interactive session on learning how to call elk, or refining your existing abilities, from a master. First, you will learn how to make the necessary and various sounds (grunts, chuckles, pants, screams, etc.) and then learn when and why to use them.

AGENDA HIGHLIGHTS

Wednesday, April 22nd

8:00 AM NBEF Tree Stand Safety Instructor Workshop

Thursday, April 23rd

7:00 AM Bighorn Sheep Viewing Tour #1
 7:45 AM NASP Basic Archery Instructor Training
 9:00 AM Trust Fund Golf Tournament
 10:00 AM Convention Registration begins
 10:00 AM P&Y 26th Biennium North American Big Game Exhibit opens
 10:00 AM Outfitter Area opens
 2:00 PM Bighorn Sheep Viewing Tour #2
 2:30 PM Seminar: "High Country Equipment and Safety"
 Speaker: Nathan Andersohn
 4:00 PM Seminar: "25 Years of Elk Calling"
 Speaker: Wayne Carlton
 7:00 PM Opening Ceremonies
 7:30 PM Welcoming Reception Sponsored by Colorado Traditional Archers Society

Friday, April 24th

8:30 AM Joint Membership Meeting
 12:00 N LUNCHEON
 Program: Muzzy: Replaceable Broadhead Revolution
 Presenter: Michele Eichler
 1:30 PM National Archery in the Schools Demonstration
 Presenter: Roy Grimes and a Denver-area public school

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 7:00 PM FRIDAY NIGHT BANQUET

Saturday, April 25th

8:00 AM Tour
 8:30 AM Associate Membership Meeting
 8:30 AM Regular/Senior Membership Meeting
 10:00 AM Seminar: "Broadhead Penetration"
 Speaker: Dr. Ed Ashby
 12:00 N LUNCHEON
 Program: "Bowhunting Challenges"
 Presenter: John Rook
 2:00 PM Auction
 4:30 PM Seminar: "Spotting and Stalking Alpine Mulies"
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