



KLEINE MÜNSTERLÄNDER GROUP NORTH AMERICA

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW!

Please Read To The End

Questions? Call Donna Dustin cell# (218) 849-2148

DIRECTIONS

Google maps will lead you to Pine Ridge Grouse Camp. Prior experience reveals other GPS's probably will not get you there.

The simplest way is to turn south onto gravel road #129 off of Hwy 200. At the "T" turn right. As you continue the road will make a rounded turn to the left. After this rounded turn begin watching on your left for the Pine Ridge Grouse Camp mail box. Turn left at the mail box onto PRG driveway. Follow the driveway to PRG.

MEET & GREET SOCIAL

**Thursday Oct 26, afternoon, No official start time. Lodge and
Campfire Area**

Hamburger & Brauts and all the fixing

**Bring your own alcoholic beverage of choice, glasses and ice will be
provided.**

Register & receive your information packet & name tag with your personal bid number on the back for silent & live auction bidding

After the burgers and brauts **LISTEN UP to receive the next day's hunting instruction, habitat to look for, and general locations to hunt for ruffed grouse and woodcock. Duck hunting opportunities do exist so if you are interested in this please let us know ahead of time so we can better plan and prepare.**

Bring a GPS. Remember you are hunting in the woods

Please bring your fund raising donation items for the auction to this Social Event

Vegetarian Meal: Anyone requesting a vegetarian and/or diabetic meal please contact Donna Dustin or Jerry Havel as soon as possible!!

BE SURE TO TIP THE KITCHEN STAFF

SAFETY

NO ALCOHOL BEFORE OR WHILE HUNTING

At least one exterior piece of Hunter Blaze Orange clothing above the waist is REQUIRED, preferably a hat, at minimum, since that is the highest location on your body and the easiest to see from any direction. **Tick protection is also highly recommended for you and your dogs!**

WATER

Bring lots for both you and your dogs!!

FOOD: All included in the package.

A hearty breakfast will be provided every morning.
Sack lunch will be provided for over the noon hour while you are out hunting.

Dinner will consist of hors d'oeuvres, main courses will consist of ribeye, chicken and wild rice, prime rib and all the fixings, dessert and all regular drinks (non-alcoholic)

SHELLS

You are not required to shoot steel in the areas you will be hunting grouse and woodcock. 7.5 or 8 shot are most commonly used for grouse and woodcock. You are required to shoot steel for waterfowl hunting if you decide to do that.

LICENSE:

Website for hunting license purchase:

<http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/licenses/hunting/index.html>

There are two options for adult non-resident small game licenses - an annual license (code 221) \$102, or a 72-hour license (code 145) \$75. If you are going to hunt woodcock you do not need to purchase a state or federal duck stamp, but you do need to add the HIP certification (code 227) \$0 to your license. If you plan to hunt waterfowl, a state and federal duck stamp will need to be purchased, \$7.50 & \$27.50 respectively. Unless you only purchase the 72-hour non-resident small game license, then only the federal duck stamp is required to hunt waterfowl.

If you prefer, you can buy your license in person at a convenience store, bait shop or sporting goods store. The Remer Junction or Longville One Stop both sell hunting licenses.

So in Jim Julson's case here is what he is going to do. He already has a Federal duck stamp so he can hunt waterfowl in SD. He will buy a 72 hour non-resident small game license (\$75), the HIP certificate (\$0) and he is good to hunt woodcock, grouse and waterfowl during those 72 hours. If he wanted to hunt only woodcock and grouse all he would purchase is the 72 hour non-resident small game license (and obtain the HIP certification).

Below is a link to the hunting and trapping regulations booklet. The small game hunting seasons and bag limits are described on page 43.

<http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/regulations/hunting/index.html>

COOLER: Be sure to bring a cooler to keep and food, drink or snack items cool when you are hunting and to take dressed birds home. Bird cleaning is provided by Pine Ridge Grouse Camp. Do not forget to tip the bird cleaner.

PLEASE BRING ITEMS FOR THE FUND RAISER

All fund raising items will be on display during the entire conference. Saturday evening, after the meal, there will be a live auction and silent auction bidding will end just before the live auction. Please bring items you would like to donate for the auction. They can be items, services or activities. We have tried to keep conference costs down so a large part of the money from this auction will used to offset conference expenses. PLEASE BRING YOUR AUCTION ITEMS TO THE THURSDAY (Nov 3rd) MEET & GREET SOCIAL!

EMERGENCY

VETERINARY

North Country Veterinary Clinic
1125 E. Hwy 169
Grand Rapids, MN 55744
Phone: 218-326-9668

HUMAN ER

Grand Itasca Clinic and Hospital
1601 Golf Course Rd.
Grand Rapids, MN
Ph: 218-326-3401

Grand Rapids is 50 miles from Pine Ridge Grouse Camp. This is the closest town with pharmacy open weekends and late evening during the week.

BIRD CLEANING

Bird cleaning, packaging and freezing is provided by Pine Ridge Grouse Camp. **Do not forget to tip the bird cleaner.**

Speaking of cleaning up, be sure to clean up after your dog's when not in a hunting environment---Especially around Pine Ridge Grouse Camp

Personal Hunting Guides

Personal Hunting Guides are available at an additional cost of \$200/day plus tips (minimum \$50/person). Minimum of 2 hunters/guide. You must reserve a guide ahead of time. Contact Jerry Havel ahead of time for details and reserve a personal guide. You can use your dogs and they will take you to their favorite spots. They do not carry a gun unless you ask them to.

Jerry Havel

218-301-6083 (Office)

218-566-4812 (Lodge)

jerry@pineridgegrousecamp.com

Private Dog Training Lessons

Jerry does provide private dog training lessons at a cost of \$30/hour. If you are interested in this contact Jerry directly for details.

Duck Hunting

If you are interested in duck hunting keep in mind the cold temps that could occur at the end of October. Warm and dry clothing is a must! Bailey has volunteered to help organize this. She has decoys. Last year she hit the northern mallard swing in late October and lucked out on the river just a stone's throw from Pine Ridge. Steel shot is required for waterfowl in MN, she recommends 2 or 3 shot that late in the season for ducks. Rubber knee boots with wool socks would be a minimum. Chest waders would be the best. You may want to consider a neoprene vest for your KIM.

Local Towns

Remer is about 20 miles away and has a convenience store.

Longville is about 15 miles away and has a grocery store.

Grand Rapids is about 50 miles away and has all the conveniences of a mid-sized town.