

2007 Chesapeake Challenge Shootin' Stool

Competition Winners

FLOATERS

Best in Show

Ramsey Schrader
Milford, DE
Longtail

Second in Show

Wes Bratcher
Crisfield, MD
Wigeon

Third in Show

Mark Costilow
Amherst, OH
Canada Goose

PUDDLE DUCKS

Best in Category

1st – Wes Bratcher
Crisfield, MD
Wigeon Drake

2nd – Wes Bratcher
Crisfield, MD
Pintail Drake

3rd – Jason Russell
Gadsen, AL
Shoveler Drake

Black Duck

1st – Walter Gaskill
2nd – Jack Gardner Jr.
3rd – Josh Brewer
H.M. – Josh Brewer
H.M. – Jerry Talton
H.M. – Josh Brewer
H.M. – George Root

Green-winged teal

1st – Steve Hammond
2nd – George Root
3rd – Wes Bratcher
H.M. – David Scott
H.M. – Bob Hand

Wigeon

1st – Wes Bratcher
2nd – Steve Hammond
3rd – Steve Hammond
H.M. – George Root
H.M. – James Romig

Blue –winged Teal

1st – Bob Hand
2nd – Jack Gardner
3rd – George Root
H.M. – James Lewis
H.M. – Wes Bratcher

Mallard

1st – Steve Hammond
2nd – Mark Costilow
3rd – George Root
H.M. – Bennie Heath
H.M. – George Root

Wood Duck

1st – James Lewis
2nd – Bob Hand
3rd – Bennie Heath
H.M. – Bennie Heath
H.M. – George Root

Cinnamon Teal

1st – Bill Harrison
2nd – Joey Jacobs

Pintail

1st – Wes Bratcher
2nd – James Romig
3rd – George Root
H.M. – George Williams
H.M. – Steve Hammond

Gadwall

1st – Mark Costilow
2nd – Mark Costilow
3rd – George Williams

Shoveler

1st – Jason Russell
2nd – Ross Smoker
3rd – Ross Smoker

DIVING DUCKS

Best in Category

1st – Ramsey Schrader
Milford, DE
Old Squaw

2nd – Alex Harrison
Shawboro, NC
Canvasback

3rd – Mark Finisecy
Faulkner, MD
Ruddy Duck

Bufflehead

1st – Dave Costilow
2nd – Drew Zajac
3rd – Bruce Eppard
H. M. – Wes Bratcher

Hooded Merganser

1st – Ross Smoker
2nd – John Day
3rd – Ross Smoker

Ruddy Duck

1st – Mark Finisecy
2nd – James Romig
3rd – Chloe Adkins
H. M. – Richard Belote
H.M. – Jerry Talton

Canvasback

1st – Alex Harrison
2nd – Steve Hammond
3rd – Steve Butler
H.M. – Ramsey Schrader
George Root
Alvin Dynowski

Longtail

1st – Ramsey Schrader
2nd – Heck Rice
3rd – Jack Gardner Jr.

Scaup

1st – Steve Hammond
2nd – Steve Hammond
3rd – Luke Cotislow
H. M. – Kent Hood
H.M. – Dave Costilow
H.M. – Steve Hammond
H.M. - George Root

Merganser

1st – H. Butch Lefbvre

Red-breasted Merganser

1st – Bob Hand
2nd – Bob Enders
3rd – Dave Klacik
H.M.- James Romig

Scoter

1st – John Banks
2nd – Richard Chmiel
3rd – Mike Spivey
H.M. – Alex Harrison
H.M. – Mike Davis

Eiders

1st – George Williams
2nd – Heck Rice

Redhead

1st – George Root
2nd – George Root
3rd – William Bagnell
H.M. – Mark Costilow
H.M. – Bernie Rackley

Goldeneye

1st – Heck Rice
2nd – W. Fred Reitmeyer Jr.
3rd – Guy Bandy

Ring-necked duck

1st – William Belote
2nd – Daniel Nicholson
3rd – Thomas Werner

L3 GEESE & CONFIDENCE

Best in Category

1st – Mark Costilow
Amherst, OH
Canada Goose

2nd – Bruce Strickland
Middlefield, CT
Canada Goose

3rd – Bruce Strickland
Middlefield, CT
Mute Swan

Brant

1st – David Scott
2nd – Bob Hand
3rd – George Williams
H. M. –
Alvin Dynowski
Eric Johnson
Heck Rice
Nichole Lee

Gull

1st – George Root
2nd – Allen Eastlack

Grebe

1st – Tommy Rogers
2nd – James Romig

Geese

1st – Mark Costilow
2nd – Bruce Strickland
3rd – Mark Costilow
H. M. – James Richmond
Dave Anderson
William Bruce

Coot

1st – Jason Russell
2nd – Heck Rice
3rd – Jacob Kolar

Others

1st – Mark Costilow
2nd – George Williams
3rd – Chris Jackson

Swan

1st – Bruce Strickland
2nd – Robert Streets
3rd – Heck Rice
H. M. – Jerry Talton

Cormorant

1st – Ross Smoker
2nd – Shannon Dimmig

YOUTH

1st – Luke Costilow
Amherst, OH
Scaup Drake

2nd – Bryan Aguilar
Williamsburg, VA
Canada Goose

3rd – Drew Zajac
Newport, NC
Bufflehead Drake

H.M.-Alex Harrison
Luke Costilow
Hunter Leonard
Charlie Briggs

WOODPECKERS

1st – Bruce Strickland
Middlefield, CT

2nd – Bill Harrison
Crisfield, MD

3rd – Ross Smoker
Selinsgrove, PA

CONTEMPORARY ANTIQUE – CANVASBACK

1st – Ira Skees
Onley, VA

2nd – Mark Finisecy
Faulkner, MD

3rd – Bruce Eppard
Crofton, MD

H.M.-Jack Gardner, Jr.
Peter Palumbo

SHOREBIRDS

Best in Category

1st – Bill Harrison
Crisfield, MD
Curlew

2nd – Mark Finisecy
Faulkner, MD
Yellowleg

3rd – George Root
Mount Joy, PA
Yellowleg

Curlew, Godwit, Willit, Avocet, Stilt

1st - Bill Harrison
2nd – Nancee Luciani
3rd – Richard Belote

Peep

1st – Wayne Wheeler
2nd – Richard Belote
3rd – Wes Bratcher

Plover

1st – Ray Whetzel
2nd – Marty Linton
3rd – Al Scrivo
H.M. – Jon Raw
H.M. – Jeff Keiffer
H.M. – David Robbins

Turnstones, Dowitcher, Knots

1st – Ray Whetzel
2nd – Ray Whetzel
3rd – Lonnie & Cynthia Love

Yellowleg

1st – Mark Finisecy
2nd – George Root
3rd – Burkey Boggs

All Others

1st – Bill Harrison
2nd – Eugene Merritt
3rd – Allen Eastlack
H.M. – Ross Smoker
H.M. – Jason Russell
H.M. – Richard Belote

Duck Head Carving Competition

1st – James Romig
Middleburg, PA

2nd – Wes Bratcher
Crisfield, MD

3rd – Bill Harrison
Crisfield, MD