

OUTDOOR NOTES

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Brothers rate 1-2 as callers

Ray and Marty Eye, brothers until it comes time to compete in major turkey calling contests, took first and second in the Levi-Garrett All-American Turkey Calling Contest last weekend at Fairfield Resort, Fairfield Glades, Tenn.

Ray Eye, president of Ozark Mountain Calls Co. in Hillsboro, Mo., collected \$4,000 for his win, while Marty won \$2,000 for second.

The All-American, sponsored by the American Turkey Hunters Association and Professional Turkey Callers Association in cooperation with the Levi-Garrett Tobacco Co., attracts the top callers in the nation. Ten callers from east, southeast and midwest regions qualified.

Walter Parrott

Fall turkey hunters will want to mark their calendars for Saturday, Sept. 12, when the Fenton Lions Club will sponsor a calling contest and fall hunting techniques seminar at the Quality Inn-Stratford House on Interstate 44 across from the Chrysler plant.

The calling contest will be held from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., with the techniques seminar from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

The entry fee for the calling contest is \$1, with trophies for the first four places. And a Browning 12 gauge shotgun will be awarded to the first place winner. The judges are to be Doug Grann, Ray Eye, Steve Stoltz, Wayne Gendron and W. Parrott.

The seminar topics and speakers will include:

- Turkey Hunting Safety, Doug Grann.
- Bowhunting, Ray Eye.
- Shotgun hunting, Wayne Gendron.

Admission is \$3 per session, \$5 for all day; children 12 and under will be admitted for \$2 per session, \$3 for all day.

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Gunsmithing, Mountainmen Crafts and Skills, Turkey Hunting Clinic — courses such as these are high on the list of requests that we get from Jefferson County residents.

All of these offerings are at Jefferson College. Gunsmithing can also be found at the Festus and Fox locations. Above: Hundreds of people attend the Turkey Hunting Clinic with Ray Eye, held each spring.