

February 2011

# AZPDC



# Upcoming Events

## NEXT AZPDC REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, February 15, 2011  
7:00 pm

Marie Callender's  
2420 W. Northern Avenue • Phoenix, AZ 85021  
I-17 & Northern (NE Corner)

Board Meeting to follow.  
Members are invited to stay.

Purchasing a meal is not required  
(18% Gratuity *REQUIRED* if you do purchase a meal)

## Annual Banquet Saturday, April 9, 2011

## AZPDC Training & Field Trial February 26-27, 2011

Renew your membership by March 8th and save!!  
Individual - \$25 / Family - \$40

# Contacts

### CLUB OFFICERS

President	Ed Rucker	602-980-3327	erucker@cox.net
Vice President	Jim Schroeder	602-540-2178	vonschroederbirddogs@hotmail.com
Secretary	Debbie Schroeder	602-540-2180	vonschroederbirddogs@hotmail.com
Treasurer	Gina Gerdes	602-758-2625	gina.gerdes@azpdc.org

### BOARD MEMBERS

Jim Cassara	480-473-0992	jcassara@cox.net
Tommy Chapa	602-578-7272	chapa6@aol.com
Brent Jacobs	602-690-5926	brentjacobs@cox.net
Brian Smith	480-797-3655	hcbattila@aol.com
Tom Wheeling	602-377-3618	Tom@WheelingMedical.com

### ANNUAL ADVERTISING RATES

Business Card	\$ 90.00
1/4 Page	\$170.00
1/2 Page	\$320.00
Full Page center	\$360.00
Full Page front leaf	\$700.00
1/2 Page back leaf	\$350.00

Call 480-201-2261 for details



### AZPDC WEBSITE

All events, dates, maps, and premiums are listed in the Events Section of the AZPDC website.

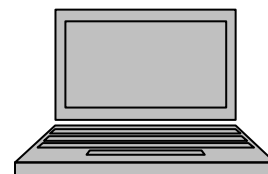
Don't wait for the newsletter; get your application in early.

Visit us at [www.azpdc.org](http://www.azpdc.org)



### ONLINE FORUM

Find photos, discussions, tips and more at [www.azpdc.org](http://www.azpdc.org)



If your e-mail has changed,  
notify Alicia Young at  
[azpdc\\_newsletter@yahoo.com](mailto:azpdc_newsletter@yahoo.com)  
*Don't miss a single issue of the  
AZPDC Newsletter!!*

# From the President

Ed Rucker

Hello my friends. Time is sure flying, isn't it? I need to get out more to get some more pictures for these write ups. Running out of photos, good thing the season is starting...

## **Trial Season**

Trial Season is set. Please go to the AZPDC forum at [www.azpdc.org/bb](http://www.azpdc.org/bb) and click "field events". From there you will find the dates, locations and trial chairs. As you know, we can always use help in a number of ways. The most useful way to lend a hand is to volunteer to haul the trailer up or back after a trial. The first event will be in Queen Creek and will be chaired by Tommy Chapa and Brian Smith. The first day of the weekend will be training for dogs, handlers and some judge training (learn how to judge our trials). It is not often we have events this close so be sure to let Brian or Tommy know early that you will be there. That will help us have the adequate amount of birds and supplies to put on a great event.



## **AKC Judging Seminar**

Todd Fielitz has always been there for our club and many of you will never know the extent of what he does for us. This AKC judging seminar is one of many things he has lined up for us. This seminar will be held April 2nd at Marie Callendars at I-17 and Northern Avenue. The presenter will be Bonnie Hidalgo of AKC and the cost to attend is \$25 per person. Food and beverages are not included in this price. If you ever wanted to become a judge or would like insight into the judging, here is your chance to learn. Please pass the word. We would like to have a full house on this to cover the expense of the event.

## **Banquet 2011**

It looks as though our Banquet will be held on April 9th. We will need your help to make this a hit again. We need to start selling raffle tickets for those guns!!! Get some tickets and get to selling. If you can dig up fundraising opportunities, now would be the time to start looking into it.

## **Cabela's Spring Outdoor Days**

Spring Outdoor Day's at Cabela's is coming up in a few months. Please let me know if you would be interested. I was thinking we can cook hotdogs for donations and sell raffle tickets. Of course we will have dogs and look for new members.

## Arizona Shooting Dog Championships (Kingman, AZ; January 24-28, 2011)

I want to thank Tommy Chapa, Paul Grogger, Steve Johnson, CJ Hamilton and John and Chrissy Crano for all of their help in making this an event that will forever be in our memories. I was glad we had you step up; remember it takes all of us to make it work. Below are the big winners:

### Arizona Open Shooting Dog Championship

**Winner:** Hale's Cool Hand Luke  
Bruce Hale, Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 1589257  
Eng Pointer Male  
Sire: Spectrel's Born Broke  
Dam: Latin Spirit

**Ru Ch:** Waygoing Hoot  
Mike Stephens, Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 15564883  
Eng Pointer Male  
Sire: Canadian Brute  
Dam: Windsong's Silver Charm

### Bill West Derby Classic

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** K-Nine Tucaluta Chance  
Ed Mayhew, Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 1616435  
Brittany Male  
Sire: Maxwell's Blew By You  
Dam: K Nine's Peek-a-boo

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place:** Sand Creek Holly  
Dr. C A Hjerpe, Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 1620804  
Eng Pointer Female  
Sire: Wells Fargo First Dude  
Dam: Wells Fargo Mollie

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** Cash'n In  
Jim Schultz, Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 1621604  
Eng Pointer Male  
Sire: No Limit Rebuy  
Dam: No Limit Belle

### Region 12 Am SD CH

**Winner:** Hale's Cool Hand Luke  
Bruce Hale, Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 1589257  
Eng Pointer Male  
Sire: Spectrel's Born Broke  
Dam: Latin Spirit

**RU Ch:** No Limit Rebuy  
Jim Schultz Owner/Handler  
Reg #: 1610473  
Eng Pointer Male  
Sire: Rock Acre Duramax  
Dam: Rock Acre Dreamgirl

### **Participation in our club**

I wanted to take moment to talk to you about what has made our club such a huge success and to reiterate that we all should do a little bit more. This club was built and designed for pointing dog lovers to train, trial and even prepare those who wanted to go beyond to title dogs or compete. Now, since I have been around, I have truly tried to offer a diverse amount of activities with a heavy family influence. The culture of being family friendly is first on my list because we all have families and families are what our core foundation stands.

Our club hosts training days, non-sanctioned field trials, hunt tests, seminars, American Field events, community outreach events, banquets and youth events. Now most of us have a passion for a particular area and spend most of their time and energy doing that; which is understandable. However, if all of us just focused on our focus point, we couldn't do all of these things that serve our entire club. So as a reminder, it really takes all us doing more than our one focal point to help our club serve ALL of our members. So when we do events, please lend a hand, even if it is not what you joined the club for. I promise you will be rewarded new friendships, personal gratification and just knowing you did your part.

As always, I miss you all and hope to see you at this month's meeting. We have many new members, please introduce yourself and help them feel welcome. To our new members, I welcome you and ask that you please call or email me if you ever have any questions on how we operate and how we can serve you.

# **Help Wanted**

We need someone willing to take on the Forest Service and AZGFD permitting ASAP. This task is not too demanding. We just need someone to reliable handle the permitting reporting. Please let me know ASAP if you are able to handle this important club function. Ed Rucker - 602-980-3327.



# AZPDC FIELD TRIAL APPLICATION

Date: February 26-27, 2011

Location: **Queen Creek**

EVENT –	<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY, February 26 – Training	<input type="checkbox"/> SUNDAY, February 27 – Field Trial
DOG'S NAME:	_____	AGE: _____ SEX: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F
BREED:	_____	HANDLER: _____
GUNNER: (if applicable)	_____	HANDLER(S) PHONE #: _____
CLASS:	<input type="checkbox"/> JR. HUNTER <input type="checkbox"/> SR. HUNTER <input type="checkbox"/> GUNDOG	
<b>ENTRY FEE: Saturday, Training - \$20 / Sunday Field Trial - \$30 per dog per event</b>		

EVENT –	<input type="checkbox"/> SATURDAY, February 26 – Training	<input type="checkbox"/> SUNDAY, February 27 – Field Trial
DOG'S NAME:	_____	AGE: _____ SEX: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F
BREED:	_____	HANDLER: _____
GUNNER: (if applicable)	_____	HANDLER(S) PHONE #: _____
CLASS:	<input type="checkbox"/> JR. HUNTER <input type="checkbox"/> SR. HUNTER <input type="checkbox"/> GUNDOG	
<b>ENTRY FEE: Saturday, Training - \$20 / Sunday Field Trial - \$30 per dog per event</b>		

Please send trial entries to trial chairperson:

**Brian Smith**  
 21108 S. 196<sup>th</sup> Street  
 Queen Creek, AZ 85142  
 Phone: 480-797-3655

**Entries must be received by February 23, 2011**

***All governing laws and regulations must be adhered to while participating in club events.***

**Hunter Class** – 6 months & up. Training devices may be used. Must establish point; retrieves and backs are a plus.

**Gundog Class** – Stylish on point, steady to wing and shot (with no movement for maximum scores), honors point, must retrieve within 3 feet or to hand for higher score. No training devices allowed.

### **AZPDC IS A WORKING CLUB**

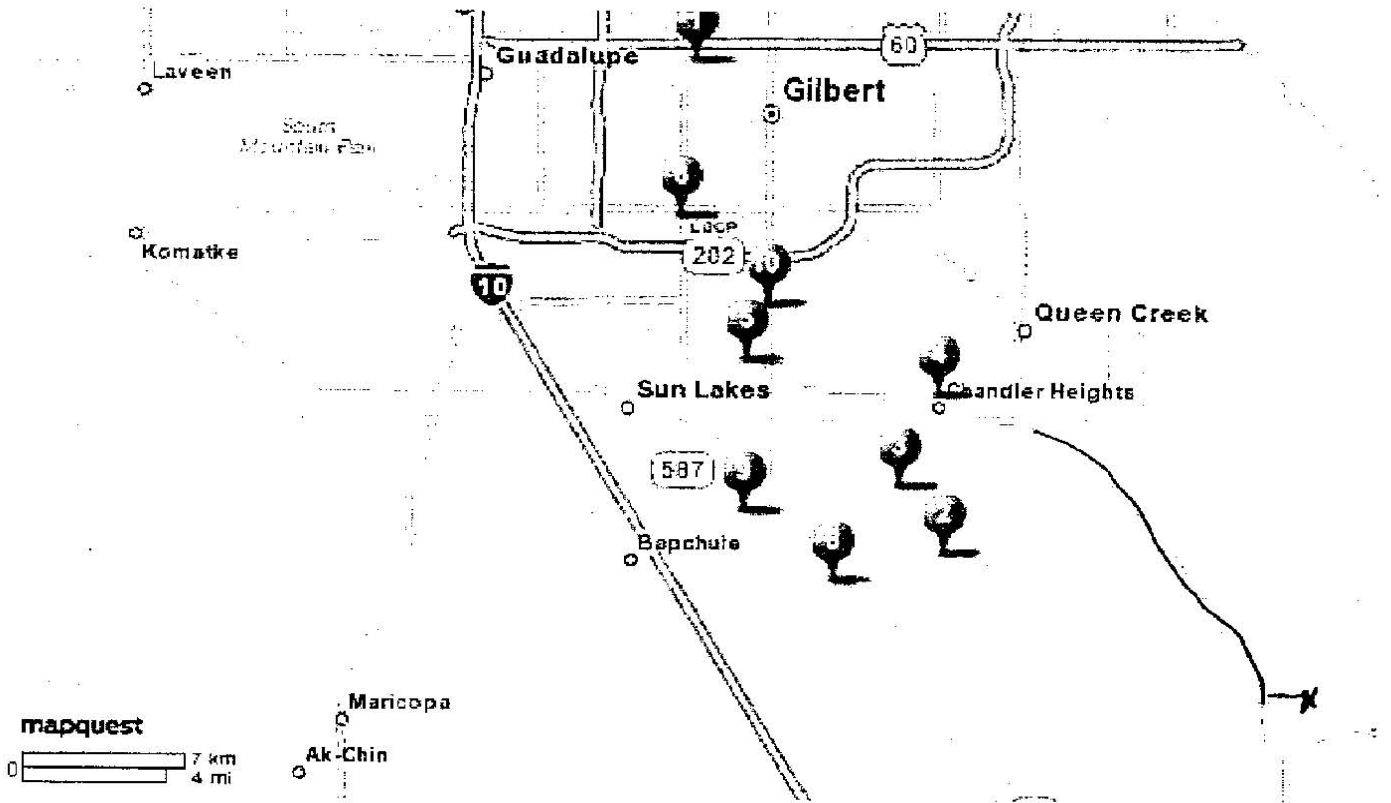
Each entrant is expected to arrive by 6:30 am and attend the handler safety meeting (*anyone not in attendance will not be allowed to participate in the trial and forfeits entry fees.*) First brace starts at 7:00 am.

The Arizona Pointing Dog Club is a working club. Each trial participant is expected to volunteer to make the train run smoothly.

### **ASSISTANCE IS NEEDED IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS –**

- BRING CLUB TRAILER TO AND/OR FROM STORATE / TRIAL GROUNDS
- FEED/WATER BIRDS
- BAG & PLANT BIRDS
- TAKE DOWN AND PACK CLUB TRAILER
- CANOPY SETUP
- PHOTOGRAPHY

# February 26-27, 2011



Hunt Highway & Ellsworth. Take Hunt Highway South approximately 11 miles, just past the railroad tracks and Oasis Lane. Turn left and follow the AZPCD Event Signs to the event.

# AZPDC Nominations

“MOST IMPROVED DOG” \_\_\_\_\_

“MOST IMPROVED HANDLER” \_\_\_\_\_

“SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR” \_\_\_\_\_

“SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR” \_\_\_\_\_

“JUNIOR HANDLER OF THE YEAR” \_\_\_\_\_

Awards to be presented at the April Banquet. You are free to nominate any member, including yourself and/or your dog! **Deadline is February 28, 2011**, so get your nominations in early.

Return form to:

AZPDC

ATTN: AZPDC Nominating Committee

PO BOX 39285

PHOENIX, AZ 85069

**Members!** It's that time of the year to nominate and elect new Officers and Board Members.

We have plenty of opportunities for you to help the club with your energy and talents.

Don't be afraid! The "old" Officers and Board Members will be glad to give you some guidance.

This is your opportunity to help the Club out and provide direction for the upcoming activities.

Nominations are being taken for all positions. Elections will be held at the April Banquet.

**Deadline is February 28, 2011**, but get your nominations in early.

Return form to:

AZPDC

ATTN: AZPDC Nominating Committee

PO BOX 39285

PHOENIX, AZ 85069

## NOMINATION FORM FOR 2011 to 2012 CLUB OFFICERS

President \_\_\_\_\_

Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_

Vice President \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

## BOARD MEMBERS

A \_\_\_\_\_

B \_\_\_\_\_

C \_\_\_\_\_

D \_\_\_\_\_

E \_\_\_\_\_

# ARIZONA POINTING DOG CLUB

## 2011 Membership Application

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

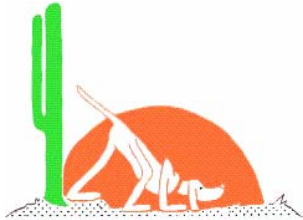
CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

BREED OF DOG(S): \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP: *(Check One)*     Individual – \$25 (\$30 after March 8th)     New Member  
 Family – \$40 (\$45 after March 8th)     Renewal



In an effort to reduce costs and impact on our environment, the Monthly Newsletter will be distributed electronically.

The newsletter is always available online at [www.azpdc.org](http://www.azpdc.org)

Return application, with payment, to:  
 Arizona Pointing Dog Club  
 P.O. Box 39285  
 Phoenix, AZ 85069

### Arizona Pointing Dog Club Mission Statement

The Arizona Pointing Dog Club is the organization for the hunter who wants to do more than just hunt with his or her dog during hunting season. The Club promotes the training and use of pointing dogs in the sport of upland bird hunting in order to enjoy the sport to its highest potential.

We have a general meeting once a month featuring films or guest speakers with information, tips and ideas regarding upland hunting, dog training and related hunting concerns in Arizona.

The Club sponsors one event per month in addition to regular meetings. Some of the more popular events are training sessions, training seminars by professional trainers, AZPDC Gundog and Hunter Class Field Trials, NSTRA (National Shoot to Retrieve) Field Trails, AKC (American Kennel Club) Hunt Tests, trap & skeet shoots, dinner evenings and even weekend hunts for Mearns and Scaled quail during hunting season.

Interested in participating on a committee? Mark the committee where you would like to serve. If you have other skills you will be willing to share with the club, please specify.

- |   |   |                                       |
|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising    | <input type="checkbox"/> Library          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Skills |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Awards Banquet | <input type="checkbox"/> New Member       | _____                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Election       | <input type="checkbox"/> Safety           | _____                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Outreach       | <input type="checkbox"/> Training         | _____                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Field Events   | <input type="checkbox"/> Land Acquisition | _____                                 |

# Classifieds

Place your classified ads in our monthly newsletter. As a paid member you are allowed two free classified ads per year.

You can also advertise your business in our marketplace section.

Pricing: \$90/yr. business card; \$170/yr. for 1/4 page ad; \$320/yr. for a 1/2 page ad.

Contact Gina Gerdes @ [gina.gerdes@azpdc.org](mailto:gina.gerdes@azpdc.org) for details and how to place your ads.

## "Extreme German Shorthair Pointers"

We are excited to tell you that we are breeding one of our best GSP females, Chief's Desert Pepper MH "Pepper" with FC Teton's Sly Revenge Von Kasdorff. Pepper has been AZPDC High Point Dog of the Year and 2X TOC Gundog Champion and is an AKC Master Hunter. She is beautiful and her nose and hunt drive are all you could ask for. Beau is a stud, he is an All-Age dog with a great disposition. He is an AKC Field Champion and 3 points away from AFC. Both Sire and Dam are dual registered AKC and FDSB and OFA Certified. Breeding occurred January 7, 2011.

Females: \$650 Males: \$600 (Deposits of \$100 are being accepted)

Three pups are spoken for so far, don't miss this one. Call Ed Rucker at 602.980.3327

## Desert Pheasant Recreation

Specials for AZPDC members, \$15.00 per pheasant.  
Memberships available.

- Dog Training • Snake Breaking • Pups & Dogs For Sale •
- Bob Henson, Owner • 520-709-1019 • Coolidge, Arizona •

## Arizona Wings Taxidermy

6 month turn around on your bird mount guaranteed.

AZPDC, Firemen, Police and Military 10% discount

See our Gallery at [www.arizonawingstaxidermy.com](http://www.arizonawingstaxidermy.com)

Call Grady at 480-263-2947

## For Sale – HUNTING VIZSLA PUPS

DAME: SH, Rally Novice, 2/3 Legs CD

SIRE: MH

Hips DNA Eyes AKC • 10 Week Shots

Contact Mary Carson at 602-279-6608

or [grizbob@cox.net](mailto:grizbob@cox.net)

## STUD DOGS

German Shorthaired Pointers

Winners NSS 06

Hips, Eyes, Heart, DNA

Contact Mary Carson at 602-279-6608

or [grizbob@cox.net](mailto:grizbob@cox.net)

**Hunting Season is here!** See me for new and used e-collars and many hunting dog accessories i.e.: Orange safety collars, ID tags, whistles, boots, Tough Pad, pinch collars, check chords, electrolyte replacements, and many more items.

*Call Joe for availability and save@ 602-550-8608.*

## English Setters –

We have been breeding setters in Arizona since 1983. They have won in NSTRA, AKC, in walking and horseback stakes in American Field. A pup from Suncanyon Setters won last year's National Amateur Prairie Chicken Shooting Dog Championship with 58 dogs, this year he won the Runner Up title. Back to back wins on wild birds in a major championship.

We currently have several pups five months to one year of age that have been well started on pigeons, bob white quail and some have been on wild birds. They have been hauled to training grounds and a field trial or two. They have also been shot around with a blank gun, they are ready for you to expose them in wild birds this season and finish the way you want them.

Pups starting at \$500 both male and female pups are available.

Suncanyon Setters

[www.settersunlimited.com/suncanyon](http://www.settersunlimited.com/suncanyon) • Paul Grogger 480-235-3803

## GSP Stud Service Available –

Gage – Pedigree includes Clown and Slick

Bullet – Field Champion, 3 points away from AFC

Contact Bob Bogardus Jr., 602-332-2805

## Pigeons & Pigeon Cages –

Contact: Tom Schintler

Phone: 623-206-2460

E-mail: [tepainting@yahoo.com](mailto:tepainting@yahoo.com)



# Marketplace



**SUN CITY RV.com**

**SALES  
SERVICE  
PARTS  
ACCESSORIES  
PAINT & BODY  
CONSIGNMENTS**

**623-979-8585**  
**91st Avenue & Grand, Peoria**

*The Arizona Drahthaar*

- Exceptional Temperaments
- High Field and Water Drive
- German Registered and Tested
- NAVHDA Tested
- Extensively hunted on wild birds

- Satisfaction Guaranteed!!

Queen Creek, Arizona  
480-250-9005



**ArizonaDD.com**

AUTO  
HOME  
BUSINESS  
LIFE  
ANNUITIES

**IDEAL**  
INSURANCE AGENCY

DAN MITCHELL, CIC  
623.933.8263

14239 W. Bell Road  
Suite 209  
Surprise, AZ 85374  
Fax: 623.933.8422  
Email: dan@idealins.com  
www.idealins.com




**Electronic Dog Training Equipment**

Independent Tri-Tronics  
Dealer



Doug Burton  
Product Consultant

Phone: 480.654.0593  
Fax: 480.654.0593  
Cell: 602.339.0357  
echolake\_inc@msn.com

PO Box 1865  
Higley, AZ 85236-9998

## CONTACTS FOR BIRDS

### Pigeons –

Ray Klienfield	602-246-4706
	602-206-8863
Steve Warner (Phoenix)	623-583-7619
Hubert Crooks (Phoenix)	623-863-4186
Tom Schintler	623-206-2460



### Bobwhite –

Ron Horn	623-582-1100
Joe Sanders (Phoenix)	623-973-8643



### Chukar –

Ted Hamilton	928-713-6941
or email at pudelpointerguy@msn.com	



**DC Creek Kennels**

<b>Professional Gundog Training</b>	<b>Guided Hunts</b>	<b>High Desert Hunt Club Guided Hunts</b>
• Pups	• Dove	• Chukar
• Started Dogs	• Quail	• Pheasant
• Finished Dogs	• Duck	
• Boarding		

*Tony Marquez* (623) 544-1928  
(623) 512-8496

Buckeye/Arizona

**ARIZONA GUN DOGS**

**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING  
SPORTDOG BRAND FIELD REP**



**JOE FELISH JR**  
602-550-8608 [www.azgundogs.com](http://www.azgundogs.com)

# Recipe of the Month

## Elk or Venison Jerky

### Ingredients –

- 5 pounds elk or venison, use fairly good quality meat
- 1 cup soy sauce
- 1/2 cup lime juice
- 1/2 cup vinegar
- 1/4 cup crushed red chili flakes
- 2 tablespoons garlic powder

### Directions –

Slice meat against the grain approximately 3/16 to 1/4-inch thick. It works best if you slice the meat when it is partially frozen.

In a bowl mix together soy sauce, lime juice, vinegar, red chili flakes, and garlic powder. Add the meat to the cure and marinate for at least 24 hours, refrigerated.

Rack the meat in a hot smoker and smoke at a low temperature, approximately 100 degrees F, for 1 to 2 days until almost crispy. Don't over dry or the jerky will be too crunchy. Store, well wrapped, in non-frost free freezer for up to 1 year.

**Have any recipes to share?**

**E-mail them to [azpdc\\_newsletter@yahoo.com](mailto:azpdc_newsletter@yahoo.com)**