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## Editor's Notes:

The Banquet is over so now it is time to turn our attention to the 2016 High Country Shoot. I am already seeing interest from people who are planning to attend for the first time. I really enjoyed the banquet this year. It was nice seeing and talking to folks from around the country who would not normally be there. There have been some changes to the CTAS Board of Directors so take a look at the left side of page 3 to see the changes. The next time you see one of these people, thank them for volunteering their time to insure that CTAS remains one of, if not the best, state traditional organization in the US. Jim Shanks



## ARCHER OF THE YEAR



Steve Shuey receiving the 2015 Archer of the Year award from last year's recipient Chris Reilly  
Photo: Betty Koenig



Barry Smith receiving a Special Recognition Award from Compton Board member Dennis Harper for his work in organizing the big game display at the joint Compton//CTAS Banquet. Photo: Betty Koenig

## Chairman's Column

The joint banquet with Compton Traditional Bowhunters was a great success. Many thanks to Dirk Dieterich, Barry Smith and all of the folks that helped make this happen. Thanks to Mike & Betty Koenig and Phil Belchar for running the raffle. Also, thanks also to Compton Traditional Bowhunters for joining with us for a great event. It was truly very impressive to see the quality of the big game animals that our members brought to the banquet. Traditional bowhunting is alive and well in Colorado.

Congratulations to Steve Shuey who received the CTAS Archer of the Year award. Steve has been instrumental in making sure that CTAS can continue to be as successful as we have been.

Now it is time to turn our attention to the annual High Country Shoot. This year looks to be another good one. Tim Johnson has volunteered to be the shoot chairman this year so many thanks to him. I am sure that he will get a lot of help and support from the membership.

It was very satisfying for me to see our own Marv Clyncke get recognized by Compton Traditional Bowhunters for his many years of contribution to support and promote traditional bowhunting throughout the US. Compton unveiled a painting of Marv stalking a mule deer at the banquet. This painting is the third in a series that Compton has commissioned, the first two being Fred Bear and Glenn St. Charles. I have been proud to call Marv my dear friend and mentor for many years.

I hope to see all of you at the shoot.

Dean



Marv and Judy Clyncke and family at unveiling of Compton print "Moment of Surprise"  
Photo: Craig Schoneberg

## The Old Timer's Corner.....by Ted Grover

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The only word I can come up with to describe the CTAS/ Compton Banquet is "WOW". If you missed it you missed probably the best display of Colorado traditional harvested animals ever to be put together in one location. Not only did I see a lot of bowhunters I hadn't seen in years, it made me even prouder to be a Colorado traditional bowhunter.

A big thank you goes out to Barry Smith and his crew that assembled and took down the display panels. Thank You Guys!. I have seen several displays at the CBA and Pope & Young banquet but they are limited to competition or from the current season. "Very Impressive" would be my next choice of words.

A huge thank you goes out to all the members who brought an animal for display. I'm sure some of the bowhunters who came from afar were also impressed and are making plans for a hunting trip to Colorado.

Changing subjects, its time here in Colorado to be thinking about our plans for this fall's hunting season. It doesn't seem possible to be thinking about bugling bulls and gold aspen leaves. I can remember buying a deer or elk license and hunt in any game management unit you wanted. Well there have been changes and Colorado went from less than 3 million people to over 6 million. Are the hikers and mountain bikers, ATVs, aspen watchers bird watchers and



Whatever other activities that go on, it all has an impact on our bowhunting seasons. (970)

Recently, I attended a CPW meeting and their concern was funding in the future. My suggestion was to start charging mountain bikers and hikers. In today's society the business policy is you pay to play. We as sportsman have paid our way since the beginning of the 20th century. I think the other outdoor sports should pay an excise tax on their equipment like we do on firearms, ammunition, bows, arrows and related accessories. These people are in the woods during deer and elk seasons and I think they should pay at least the price of an elk tag. Today they pay nothing! If you attend a CPW meeting, voice your concerns. Remember—Pay to Play.

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# Banquet Photos Photos by Craig Schoneberg



Mel Johnson (Ill) & Larry Hudson (Mo)



Tom Clum shooting clinic



Keynote speaker Dick Robertson



Frank Adams receives award for largest mule deer



MC Dean Derby

## More Banquet Photos—Vendor Room



## More Banquet Photos—Banquet Room & Big Game Display

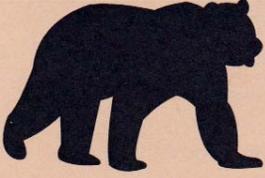


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Mike Stewart was hunting  
with his son Jarret

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