

Director's Message



This will be my seventh year to have the privilege of serving on The Board of Directors of The Louisiana Trooper Foundation, representing Troop G. Troop G is comprised of the parishes of Caddo, Bossier, Webster, Claiborne, DeSoto, Red River and Bienville. I have served on many boards, but I can truly say that this has been one of my most rewarding.

Margaret Shehee
 The Louisiana State Trooper Association, Troop G, has enjoyed enormous success in their fund raising efforts over the last four years. This is due largely to the great amount of time and effort put into hosting the annual "Shoot for the Blue" sporting clays event. If it were not for the hard work of the Advisory Committee, Troopers themselves and most importantly the spouses and families of Troopers that volunteer for this event, it would not be possible. I would like to thank each of them personally for their contributions of time and hard work.

Due to the support of our Founder's Club Sponsor, Willis-Knighton Health Systems, we have been able to meet many of our goals supporting various needs and causes in our area. This also would not have been possible without our Colonel's Club Sponsors. These include Yokem Toyota, Rose-Neath Funeral Homes, Fairview Trucking, Roy O. Martin, Testament Construction, and Ryan E. Gatti, Attorney At Law.

Completing the list of our Corporate Sponsors are our Captain's Club. This would include Republic Services, Gibsland Bank & Trust, Bossier Healthcare Foundation, The Woods Group, Select Energy, and Clariant Oil & Mining Service.

I would also like to thank all of the companies and individuals that have donated door prizes and auction items. Through the efforts of every one mentioned above, the "Shoot for the Blue" has become the premier sporting clays fundraiser in Louisiana. The Foundation has been able to continue their support of the community through events like Kids Camps and a cookout for the Northwest Louisiana Veterans Home in Bossier City. We have also been able to provide "Active Shooter Vests" for over one-hundred Troopers in the Troop area.

If you are not already part of this event I would encourage you to become active in your support of Troop G and the "Shoot for the Blue" event. I think that you, as I have, will find this to be a very rewarding experience. Through your participation and contributions we will help sustain the State Police as Louisiana's premier law enforcement agency.

Margaret Shehee
 Trooper Foundation
 Board of Directors

A Special Invitation.....

Please join us **Saturday, October 6, 2018**, for our annual **"Shoot for the Blue,"** sporting clays tournament at Los Paloma Sporting Range and Event Center in Benton, Louisiana. With your support, this yearly event is guaranteed to provide those participating with not only a fun and challenging shooting experience, but unique insight regarding the mission of the Louisiana State Police.

Proceeds from the tournament will benefit the Louisiana Trooper Foundation, Inc. (501-C-3) and the Louisiana State Troopers Association (501-C-5). These organizations serve as charitable facilitators of community service initiatives embraced by your Louisiana State Troopers throughout our state. Your donation may be tax deductible. Please check with your tax advisor.

Check-in of pre-registered teams will begin at the Los Paloma Event Center at 7 o'clock the morning of the event. Please complete the registration form and return via email or fax to Lt. Jimmy VanGossen. You may also register at <http://www.shootfortheblue.com>

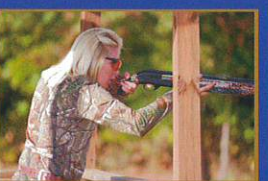
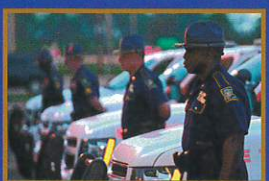
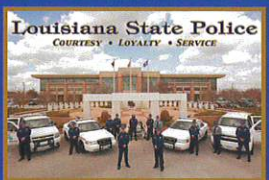
Silver Star Steakhouse will provide one of their delicious meals to all the day of the event, in recognition of their commitment. Colonel's and Captain's Club Sponsors will also receive a special invitation to a **"Shoot for the Blue After Action Report"** luncheon hosted by Louisiana State Police Command Staff.

Whether manifested in a children's camp in north Louisiana, security, equipment or disaster relief across our state, your financial support is critical to ensuring the success of these charitable missions. Thank you for joining us as we **"Shoot for the Blue!"**

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