

## DEAR FRIENDS,

### Experience the Joy!...

When you become a part of On Target, you'll quickly discover that it's about much more than just hunting, it's about sharing life. As much as I love the outdoors and find great satisfaction in passing on my knowledge of the sport, the lasting joy of this ministry happens when I can make a connection with a young person and receive an opportunity to make an investment in his or her life. Then, over time, a more organic friendship happens... It's what mentoring is all about!

An example of this is a recent text I received from a student, one of those moments when I'm grateful for how I get to spend my days. The message(s) read as follows:

*"I never thanked you for taking me out hunting this morning. Thank you."*

*"I'm just thankful I have you to take me out and being there for me. I just never really told you that but I thought about it while I was hunting this morning and how it was just Thanksgiving."*

*"...I look at getting a deer as just a bonus to a great year in the woods with some great people. Well just thought I should tell you that..."*

There are so many young people who need positive adults to pour into their lives. Mentoring isn't complicated, it's about caring, sometimes it's as simple as a quiet morning just sitting together in the stillness.

The list of kids and teens wanting to be a part of On Target is ever growing, and I believe there are just as many adult mentors, waiting in the wings, whose lives could be changed by becoming a part of On Target Outfitters.

As you look ahead to a new year, consider increasing your own joy, consider what it could mean in your life to mentor someone else- you'll receive so much more than you give. Oh, and did I mention, every time we get together, we have a blast!

Come be a part of the fun,

*Steve Scott*



For more information on how to become a mentor,  
check out our website at [www.OnTargetOutfitters.org](http://www.OnTargetOutfitters.org)



## Winter Event & Program Calendar...

### December

#### Boy Scouts Merit Badge:

December 29

#### Tournament Practice:

December 29, 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

At Old North Church, Canfield

### January

#### Tournament practice:

January 8, 9:00 a.m. - noon

January 9, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

At Old North Church, Canfield OH

#### Archery Tournament:

January 15, see ad (right) for details!

### February

#### After-School Archery Program:

February 22, South Range Middle School

### March

#### After-School Archery Program:

March 1, 8, 15, South Range Middle School

March 31, West Branch Middle School

#### Sportsman's Show (guest, Charlie Alsheimer):

March 3, Canton First Church of the Nazarene

#### Old North Church Sportsman's Banquet:

March 26

#### SCI "Night of the Hunter":

March 26, 5:00 - 10:00 p.m.

At the Embassy, Youngstown, OH

### April (Spring!)

#### Hunter Education Class:

April 2, Old North Church, Canfield OH

#### After-School Archery Program:

April 7, 14, 21, West Branch Middle School

Visit our website for program schedules and registration forms. Questions? - give us a call!



## ARCHERY tournament

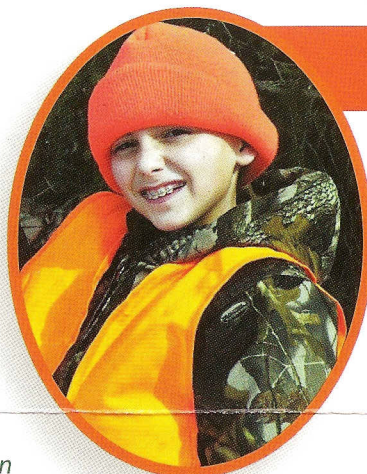
JANUARY 15, 2011

9:00 a.m., at Western Reserve Middle School Gymnasium.  
For students grades 5-9.  
\$15 registration fee



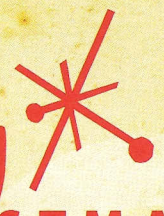
Trophies will be awarded for the first 3 places in each age bracket. GRAND PRIZE IS A MISSION MENACE BOW!!

Optional Practice Opportunities:  
Practices held at Old North Church in Canfield,  
OH - Family Life Center Gym.  
December 29, 5-8 p.m.  
January 8, 9 a.m. - noon  
January 9, 1-4 p.m.



As the year comes to a close, your generosity can make a difference!...

We are passionate about mentoring young people in sport, in life and in faith. As a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, our ministry is made possible by the generosity of people like you. As you prepare to make your year-end contributions, please consider On Target Outfitters. Your donations help us change lives one student at a time.

Merry  CHRISTMAS

Blessings and joy to you and your family during this holiday season!