

Quarterly Newsletter- April 1, 2026 - June 30, 2026

Notes from our President

Well everyone,

Fall is fast approaching, and hunting season is just around the corner! I know many of you are already busy preparing your lanes, planting food plots, and getting both your duck and deer blinds ready for another season in the outdoors.

The last quarter brought both great successes and a heartbreaking loss for Hero Hunts.

Our annual skeet shoot was a tremendous success, and we were blessed to share many great events and experiences together. We are incredibly grateful to everyone who helped make those events possible and who continues to support Hero Hunts and our mission.

Unfortunately, this quarter also brought a loss that has left a hole in our organization and in our hearts. We lost a man who simply cannot be replaced—our treasurer, friend, and fellow Hero Hunts supporter, Mr. Warren Whaley. Warren meant so much to so many of us, and his presence will be deeply missed. We will always remember the memories, friendship, and contributions he gave to Hero Hunts.

As we look ahead, we are excited about another great hunting season and the opportunities it will bring. We hope to have several events throughout the season that will get you back outdoors, give us a chance to build camaraderie, and most importantly, create memories that will last a lifetime.

Stay tuned for upcoming events and announcements.

Thank you all for your continued support of Hero Hunts. We look forward to seeing everyone in the field soon.

Have a safe, successful, and blessed hunting season!

Hope to see you all soon!

As always, Stay safe and God Bless,
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Events Held During Quarter

April 11th, 2026 - Hero Hunts 7th Annual Skeet Shoot
Host: Hero Hunts

The fog tried to slow us down, but we didn't let it and it turned out to be a great day for a skeet shoot. We had 17 teams participate this year and they did some really good shooting. We had Troops & Tusk donate and cook catfish and fries and Kyle Thibodeaux cooked jambalaya. Everyone had a great time and no one went away hungry.



April 17th, 2026

This was a sad day for the Hero Hunts family, we lost our Treasurer, Mr Warren Whaley. He was a great asset to Hero Hunts, he was always working to get an event set up for our veterans, was the chairman for our annual Skeet Shoots, and headed up our award winning cooking team. Mr Warren, you will be truly missed and have left some huge shoes to fill. Rest in peace my friend.



April 22nd, 2026 - Nursing Home Veterans Fishing Trip
Host: Hero Hunts

Hero Hunts Members: Glenn Bass, Chris Broussard, Paul Conner, Kevin Constantine, Murphy Guilbeaux, Norris Frederick and Richard Guilbeaux

The Hero Hunts members met up with the nursing home veterans at Bridgepoint Farms and had a great day soaking some lines, not many fish were caught but the veterans had a great day. They really enjoyed the meal of crawfish, hamburgers and hot dogs.



May 16 & 17, 2026

Hosts: FASA (Fastpitch America Softball Association)

Hero Hunts Members: Glenn Bass, Jeff Simon

What a great day to watch some softball. At the opening ceremony our vice-president Glenn Bass got to tell the crowd about Hero Hunts and also got to dedicate the tournament in honor of Warren Whaley who contributed greatly to Hero Hunts success. Jeff Simon got to throw out the ceremonial first pitch. Then the girls went to battle and played their hearts out. We can not appreciate this group enough for supporting our efforts. They also presented each veteran in attendance with a medallion thanking them for their service and a T-Shirt.



Upcoming Events in 3rd Quarter (Jul - Sep 2026)

July 13th - Monthly Meeting held in Kaplan, LA

August 10th - Monthly Meeting held in Kaplan, LA

September 14th - Monthly Hero Hunts Meeting held in Kaplan, LA

*** Anyone knowing of a Company or individual that is willing to host an event....ie: Hunting trip, fishing trip please send an email to herohunts.secretary@gmail.com for board approval. No event is too small, even getting one or two veterans into the outdoors helps us accomplish our mission of getting veterans to reconnect with the outdoors. ****

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