

# Looking for Answers?

We can help you find them. If you long for the pleasure of being afield with your dog, relaxed and in control, this Seminar will show you how.

## What's Wrong?

Something is missing in all the books, articles and videos—**hands-on instruction** and a **system** that leads you step by step to a finished dog.

## What You'll Learn

Before the weekend's over, you will learn how to train your dog quickly and confidently. Rick Smith's Silent Command System of training works...*for everyone*. Developed over three generations and perfected by 30 years of hard work, Rick's System is profound in its results yet easy to learn. Veterinarians and leading bird dog professionals recommend it because they've seen the results. People and animals are transformed. Both learn to truly understand one another by building a common language and working together without stress or frustration.

## A Family Tradition

Rick Smith was "whelped" into the bird dog business. The 1927 picture on the front

of this brochure, taken at Vinita, OK, includes clients of Rick's grandfather, Dutch Epperson. Rick's father is the world renowned dog expert and Field Trial Hall of Famer Delmar Smith. Rick's wife and fellow Seminar presenter, Deborah, has a long history of field trial participation. Ron Smith also numbers among the family's proficient practitioners. Bird dogs are a Smith family tradition, and the Smiths conduct their business in a way that has kept customers coming back for nearly 100 years.

## Competitive Record

Rick won 3 National Championships, 7 US Open Championships, 6 International Open Championships, and over 100 Open All Age firsts, just to name a few. He is a breeder of distinction, shipping pups around the world. He's spent a life-time breeding, training and handling national championship bird dogs and now he brings the benefit of his family background and experience to you.

## Currently

Rick is architect and manager of the most successful wild quail commercial hunting operation in the United States, The Mariposa Ranch, owned by the Sullivan family of San Antonio, Texas, and operated by Dan Sullivan. The job requires nearly 100 bird dogs per season. Each dog must perform to exacting standards for four months. It costs \$1500 per day to hunt on the Mariposa. The fact that clients keep coming back after 14 years is a testament to Rick's ability to produce quality consistently.

## The Seminars

Delmar Smith invented the Bird Dog Training Seminar and Rick continues what his father began, with an updated format, new methods and equipment, incorporating his competitive and commercial experience.



## Exciting and Fun

It's exciting to watch Rick work. A few moments in his hands and even the most resistant pets fall into line. Rick uses a soft,

quiet touch and teaches you how to do the same, to silently maintain complete control. Most people have to see it to believe it.

The Seminars are fast-paced and full of information but a lot of fun, too.

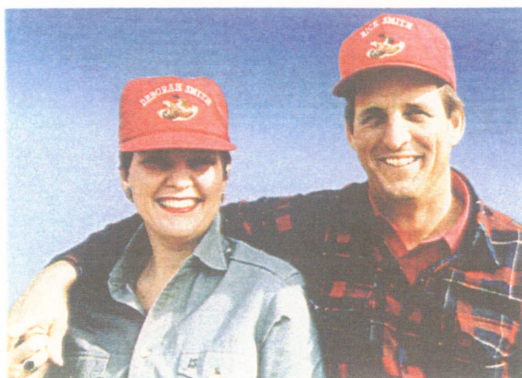
Rick's down-home cowboy simplicity sprinkled with country wisdom makes him an easy teacher to understand. He's also a businessman who makes

every minute count, so come prepared to work.

## Who Should Attend

Whether you're an old hand at dog training or a rookie, this Seminar will give you information, skill and confidence.

The Seminar applies to all breeds of hunting dogs: pointing, retrieving, or flushing. Any age dog is welcome and will benefit. But, YOU are the one who will be trained.



# 100% Guaranteed

**If You're Not Happy, You Don't Pay!**

If, at any time during the seminar or after, you are not completely satisfied, simply ask for a refund and it will be given, no questions asked.