

# Nebraska One Box

## Pheasant Hunt

Broken Bow, Nebraska

#### VIP

#### 2025 NEW TEAM BIO

Andy Taylor William Mulligan Butch Lehmkuhler Duane McCan Jake Sommervold Broken Bow, Nebraska Valentine, Nebraska North Platte, Nebraska Kearney, Nebraska Longmont, Colorado

#### **Team Hosts**

Andy & Sadye Taylor Matt Thomas & Jami Anderson Brian & Tara Miller Jess & Amy Taylor Travin Flynn

### **CAPTAIN:**

**Andy Taylor** (Broken Bow, NE): Andy is the Past Chairman of the Nebraska One Box Pheasant Hunt Board and co-owner of Taylor Heating and Cooling. Andy and his wife, Sadye, Chaired the 64th year of the One Box Pheasant Hunt. They had a successful year and paved the way for many generations of chairs to come. Andy spends a lot of time volunteering, some of his most recent contributions to the community include Past Chairman of the One Box Board, many years of volunteering for One Box Activities, Volunteer Fireman, and Vice Chair of the Custer County Free Pit BBQ, just to name a few. Outside of work and volunteering Andy enjoys hunting and fishing and spending time with his wife ,Sadye, and their two girls being at the lake boating and camping.

#### **TEAM MEMBERS:**

**William Mulligan** (Valentine, NE): William is a Real Estate Appraiser out of Valentine, NE. William obtained two BS degrees, one in Business Administration, and one in Economics. He is a certified General Real Estate Appraiser and is licensed in Nebraska and South Dakota currently where he specializes in farm and ranch and recreational properties utilizing his 30 years of experience to provide a great service. Outside of work William enjoys hunting primarily upland birds and is a certified instructor for 4H shooting sports and has spent multiple years as a leader on several different 4H projects. William served as a director on the Middle Niobrara Natural Resource District and is a member of the Niobrara Council. Best of all, William is married and has 4 children and 8 grandchildren.

**Butch Lehmkuhler** (North Platte, NE): Butch is a Retired Teacher of 31 years where he specialized in woodworking, computer aided drafting, and construction and architecture. Butch enjoys hunting throughout all seasons as well as fishing, golfing, woodworking, and doing community plays. He is President of NE Industrial Technical Education Association, on the Board of Directors for the Community Playhouse, on an Advisory Board for FFA, and he is a Cantor for church. Butch spent 35 years as a Rodea Clown, through which he was awarded Clow of the Year for Entertainment 5 different times, 2 times "Man in the Can" award winner for excellence and professionalism, and was selected and worked for NFR bullfights multiple times. Butch enjoys spending time with his wife, Melanie, their daughter, their son and his wife, and his two granddaughters.

**Duane McCan** (Kearney, NE): Duane is a Retired Executive where he dedicated 65 years of his life to advancing manufacturing and engineering companies. Some of Duane's roles were Plant Manager of Chief Industries for 9 years, worked at Behlen Manufacturing for 11 years, and worked for Big Valley Sales for 17 years. Outside of his work life, Duane enjoys hunting elk, deer, moose, caribou, pheasant, quail, coyotes through various methods such as archery and black powder. Duane also enjoys metal and wood working when he is not hunting.

**Jake Sommervold** (Longmont, CO): Jake is a Retired Air Traffic Controller who was appointed by Ronald Reagan and an Army Veteran. Jake really enjoys bow hunting for deer and elk, upland bird hunting, long rang shooting, prairie dog hunting, and golf. Most of all, Jake enjoys spending time with his family! He and his wife used to hunt upland game when they were younger with their dogs, so Jake is excited to come and meet people who enjoy the same thing.