



*Barnsley*  
RESORT

Skip Smith  
Director, SpringBank Sporting Club at Barnsley Resort



With more than 35 years of experience, Skip Smith is the Director of SpringBank Sporting Club at Barnsley Resort. In this position, he is responsible for the sporting clays course, 1,800-acre hunting plantation, Caesar Guerini Wings & Clays School, private and group shooting lessons, and outdoor resort activities such as fishing and horseback riding.

Mr. Smith has been part of the sporting experience at Barnsley Resort since 2006, when he led the Orvis program at Barnsley Resort. When the resort took over sporting operations, Mr. Smith continued on to lead and build the program. Prior to relocating to Georgia, he was the lead instructor for Orvis' wing shooting school in Millbrook, New York.

Previously, he spent more than 30 years with Remington Arms Company in Ilion, New York. He worked in various positions with the company, including eight years in research and development working on firearms design. He became the chief instructor for the traveling Remington Shooting School, which ran for eight years at various gun clubs throughout the country.

Mr. Smith has been teaching shotgun shooting since 1995. He is certified via the National Sporting Clays Association as a Level III instructor, one of approximately 70 in the United States. He is also a co-holder on two patents for firearms design. He has a degree in mechanical engineering.

In his spare time, he enjoys riding motorcycles and competing in sporting clays tournaments.

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