

# WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER, INC. IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA

P. O. BOX 188 SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

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### MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The October membership meeting will be held at the clubhouse on Wednesday night, October 27, 1965, at 8:00 PM. Jim Ablard who was sent by the club to the University of Maryland Conservation Workshop will report on this course. Let's have a real show of attendance at this meeting. The only way your President and Board of Directors know what you want is for you to come to the meeting and let them know.

## WHATS NEW?

On Sunday, October 10, 1965, the "New Grounds Committee", headed by Sonny Brinke met at the new grounds to study the possibilities here. They have secured a Topo of the land, and were able to establish the location for the new clubhouse. The Trap and Skeet ranges (3) were planned and will be adjacent to the clubhouse in a beautiful location. 21 Acres of woodland was set aside for the archery ranges, and Bob Lilly was on hand to help with the plans. The location for the high powered rifle and pistol ranges was selected, and Paul Riffle is in charge of their development. As planned, the new clubhouse and grounds will make a beautiful and functional club which I am sure we will all be proud of.

There is an enormous amount of work to be done on the new grounds, trees need to be cut, brush needs to be removed, nature trails have to be established, and many other jobs too numerous to mention. Many of these jobs are such that the members can "pitch-in" and do them with our labor, saving a considerable amount of money which can be used for details that cannot be performed by the members. We all want to see our new grounds developed, but we can't expect Sonny and his committee to do all of the work. Let's have some volunteers to help them. Sonny will be starting weekend work crews in the near future, and volunteers can work on the area of the club that interests them the most. Call Sonny at JU 5-2691 to offer your help.

Thanks to Paul Riffle, Clint Bowman, Mike Apperti Jr. and many other members, our rifle sighting-in day which was held on Sunday, October 3, 1965, was a real success. 48 men were present to sight in their rifles and of this number, 26 were non-members. Several of these non-members were recruited, and I am sure we will be seeing some new faces around the clubhouse in the very near future.

During the week of October 3, 1965, Roger Bookhultz attended the United States International Trap Team Shoot-Offs at Lachland Air Force Base, Texas. This is quite an achievement to be chosen for the try-outs, and our club should be proud to have members of this calibre. Congratulations Roger.

Ray Jackson shot a "100 Straight" on September 19th, 1965, at an American Trap Association registered shoot held at Conococheague (I can't even pronounce it, much less spell it), Md. Congratulations Ray, keep up the good work.

Hearty congratulations are due Sonny Brinke and Lou Gottleib. Sonny broke "25 straight" in trap and Lou broke "25 straight" in Skeet this month at the club.

## COMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW

October 24, 1965 - Sunday - The Sligo Ladies Chapter will hold an open house at the clubhouse on Briggs-Chaney Road.

October 30, 1965 - Saturday - 8:00 AM til 12:00 Noon - Conservation Field Day will be held at the clubhouse grounds on Briggs-Chaney Road. We expect over 1200 Boy Scouts to attend this event and Bob Mangum has scheduled some real interesting events for the boys. Bob still welcomes help.

November 13, 1965 - Saturday - 8:30 PM til ? - The Sligo Ladies Chapter will hold another Turf Night. Movie of actual races at big tracks. Your admission buys \$100.00 in play money that you use to bet your favorite to win, place or show. Spend your winnings at the auction of the big prizes after the races. Admission \$1.00. Everyone had a "ball" at the races held in April, so let's have a real turn-out for this occasion and show our appreciation to the girls for all of their help.

November 13 and 14, 1965 - Saturday & Sunday - 10:00 AM til dark - We are having a closed - National Skeet Shooting Association Skeet Shoot at the Clubhouse on Briggs-Chaney Road. This will be a 100 bird event under NSSA rules. Brassards will be awarded to the winning shooters. This will be open to club members only. \$6.00 covers all entrance fees and targets. This should be a real interesting event. Call Bill Shearn for further information at 924-4839.

November 20, 1965 - Saturday - 9:00 PM til ? - Bob LaCovey has planned a tremendous dance for this date. Let's all get our reservations in now as I am sure everyone will enjoy the three piece combo that Bob has booked for the dance. Sounds like a lot of fun. Call Bob at JU 8-1148 for further details.

Starting Friday October 16, 1965 we will have <u>Turkey Shoots</u> every Friday and Saturday night from 8:00 PM til 10:00 PM. Ray Fisk promises some excellent turkeys and a whole lot of fun and fellowship. Everyone welcome. Bring a friend and treat him to a round.

## A WARM WELCOME TO THESE NEW MEMBERS

George J. Kilbourne, 4704 Sellman Road, Beltsville, Md.

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Our thanks to the sponsors of these five new members. Don't forget, any member who sponsors ten new members for the year receives a year's free membership.

Lloyd Gibson reports we now have 330 paid up members and 70 who forgot. Charlie Wiles advises we now have 6 Life Members in our club. Let's have more of these. \$100.00 which is Tax Deductible, pays your National dues for life. You can pay this amount in 8 quarterly installments of \$12.50. See Charlie Wiles for further information.

## TRAP AND SKEET

The Trap range is still open until 9:00 PM on Wednesday evenings and for some real fine fellowship and a whole lot of fun, come on out and shoot a round and meet some of our excellent instructors who are always on hand to give advice to those who ask. We hope to have lights in operation on the Skeet range in the very near future, so will have this range open in the evenings also. Any members who are interested in joining the National Skeet Shooting Association for \$5.00 per year which includes the monthly magazine, contact Bill Shearn at 924-4839.

Prices for Trap & Skeet remain the same, but we have added New Plastic Shells at a slight increase. Following is list. With your ammo, \$1.00 a round, Club reloads, \$2.25 a round, New Paper shells, \$3.00 a round, New Plastic shells, \$3.25 a round.

### NEW REGULATIONS FOR THE RIFLE AND PISTOL RANGES

.22 Calibre Rimfire rifle (No wildcats or Hornets) and .38 Calibre pistols are the maximum allowed on the range. Each shooter must register at the clubhouse where targets on stanchions are available. Each member must have a current membership card in order to use the range.

## MISCELLANEOUS

Charlie Wiles and Will Wyckoff have plenty of IWL back patches and brassards. Back patches are \$1.50 and brassards \$.75. They look real nice on a sweater or a shooting jacket.

Saint Peters Holy Name Society has rented the clubhouse and grounds for Saturday, October 23, 1965 for their annual Oyster Roast.

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Jim Glazier Corresponding Secretary