



# WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER, INC.

## IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA

P. O. BOX 188

SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

MARCH 1966

### MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

The March membership meeting will be held at the clubhouse on Wednesday, March 23, 1966 at 8:30 PM. Note the new time. After the regular meeting we will have a film entitled, "Fishing Kentucky Lake". This is a well renowned film which I am sure all of the fishermen will heartily enjoy.

Apologies are in order for the film shown at the February meeting. This film the "Flying Fisherman" had been spliced for the boat show, and rather than having three separate films we somehow ended up with three of the same film. Even we make a mistake sometimes. Sorry!

At the February meeting we had 65 members and guests on hand and all had a wonderful time, as well as taking an active part in the growth of the club. Our organization is devoted to its members, but the only way the officers know what the members want is for the members to attend these meetings and express their feelings on the issues at hand. Our President Paul Hancock has gone to great lengths to limit the business meeting to one hour which allows ample time afterwards for speakers, movies, and good old fashioned fellowship among the members. Lloyd Bowers, our welcoming committee chairman, makes it a policy to welcome each new member and introduce him around so if you haven't attended any meetings as yet, please come on out and meet the rest of the members. Everyone in this organization has the same interests and fellowship is our greatest asset.

### WHATS NEW:

On March 13th, 1966, Mike Apperti Sr made history by working up a new kind of Trap & Skeet Turkey Shoot. This was announced by post card earlier and proved to be an overwhelming success. We hope to have more of these shoots in the near future.

Starting Wednesday, March 23, 1966, both the Trap & Skeet ranges will be open in the evenings on Wednesdays from 7:00 PM til 10:00 PM for those shooters who want to shoot but can't make it to the club on Sundays. Lights are in operation on both ranges and White Flyer birds are being used at nights. Prices for a round of either are still the same: \$1.00 with your shells, \$2.25 with club reloads and \$3.00 with new shells.

Our present club property on Briggs Chaney Road is being considered for sale and members who know anyone who might be interested in purchasing the property are urged to contact Bill Shearn at 924-4839.

As of this month, Clint Bowman is our outstanding recruiter with five new members this year. Let's each try and bring a new member into the club, he'll love you for it, and besides we can be the largest club in the Maryland division. Congratulations Clint. Keep up the good work and we'll try and help you.

We now have 8 Life Members in our chapter. Anyone interested in a Life Membership please contact Charlie Wiles at 933-2076 for further information. Only costs \$12.50 every three months for two years. A total of \$100.00 which is TAX DEDUCTIBLE.

Don't forget your 1966 dues. Let's have 100% paid-up membership by April 1. Rush your check to Lloyd Gibson, 3320 McComas Avenue, Kensington, Md.

### CONSERVATION NEWS:

Located adjacent to Gary, Indiana, and only 35 miles from Chicago on the south shore of Lake Michigan, lies 8,894 acres of land which is proposed as the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore. One-fourth of this land is owned by the State of Indiana, known as Indiana Dunes State Park. It is estimated that today 6½ million people live within a 50 mile radius of

this area, and that 9½ million people live within 100 miles. It is predicted that 1.2 million people would visit the proposed Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore annually.

Over the past 40 years, adverse uses have been eating away at the dunes and beaches until today only portions remain suitable for public recreational use. The dunes in this area range in height from 20 feet to 200 feet, a feat which has taken nature thousands of years to create and which today is threatened with extinction within a matter of years. If any of these remnants are to be saved for future generations, the time is now. Won't you write a few notes of support for this bill at this time. The House Bill is HR 51, by Indiana Congressman, J. Edward Roush, House Office Building, Washington, D.C.

Send your communications to:

The Hon. Wayne Aspinall, Chairman  
Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs  
House Office Building  
Washington, D.C.

The Hon. Ralph Rivers, Chairman  
Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation  
House Office Building  
Washington, D.C.

And to: Your Congressman.

#### COMING EVENTS:

April 27, 1966 - Wednesday evening - 6:30 PM - Sausage and Pancake Dinner Meeting - Dinner will be served at the clubhouse from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM prior to the regular April membership meeting. Everyone welcome. \$1.50 per person will be collected at the door. Why not bring a guest to this meeting. They say the best way to a man's heart is through his stomach.

May 1, 1966 - Sunday - Noon til dark - Open House at Club Grounds - Turkey shoots - Demonstrations by local Scouts - Trap - Skeet - Archery demonstrations - Food and refreshments - Bring the whole family and a friend - Mark your calendar now.

#### A WARM WELCOME TO THESE PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS AND THANKS TO THEIR SPONSORS:

Harry Inman, 4911 Blackfort Road, College Park, Md.

Proposed by: Lou Kronstadt

Adrian T. Willis, 10002 Georgia Ave, Apt. 4, Silver Spring, Md.

Transfer -

Arthur L. Jones, 2 Crest Road, Laurel, Md.

Proposed by: Ray Fisk

Herbert J. Spain, 15002 Lear Lane, Silver Spring

Proposed by: Ray Fisk - (Reinstatement-Welcome back to the fold)

Robert W. Raub, 9132 Eton Road, Silver Spring, Md.

Proposed by: Robert Pohlman

William Raub, 9132 Eton Road, Silver Spring, Md.

Proposed by: Robert Pohlman

Charles T. Miller, 4911 Erie Street, College Park, Md.

Proposed by: Clint Bowman

Lester H. Billings, 6Z2 Plateau Place, Greenbelt, Md.

Proposed by: Clint Bowman

William C. Harmeyon, 1505 Brooklyn Bridge Road, Laurel, Md.

Proposed by: Clint Bowman

Thomas L. Apperti, 7304 16th Place, Hyattsville, Md.

Proposed by: Mike Apperti Sr.

Richard F. Farr, 4504 Bestor Drive, Rockville, Md.

Proposed by: Anthony Panchik

Ronald M. Fornatoro, 1211 Ashton Rd., Ashton, Md.

Proposed by: Bill Shearn

Gilbert F. Austin, 400 Bonifant Rd., Silver Spring, Md.

Proposed by: Ray Fisk

Jim Glazier  
Corresponding Secretary