

WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER
The Izaak Walton League of America, Inc.
P.O. Box 116, Damascus, Md. 20705

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

Next Membership Meeting, October 23, 1974 - Next Board Meeting, November 13, 1974

COME EARLY TO OUR OCTOBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING and break a few clay birds. With hunting seasons opening, a little practice at the trap and skeet ranges will make your field shooting pay off. Bring your friends too and let them see our great shooting facilities.

THE ANNUAL BANQUET AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS will be held on Saturday, November, 16, 1974, at the clubhouse on Mullinix Mill Road. The evening will begin with a buffet dinner at 7:00 featuring steamship round beef and country ham along with a full table of vegetables & condiments. Instead of the usual speaker before we install the officers, the bluegrass group, The Gross National Product, will provide some listening music. Following the installation of the officers of the Wildlife Achievement and Mullinix Mill Chapters, the Music Makers will provide dance music from 9 to 12 midnight. The tickets will be \$8.50 per person for the evening which includes dinner, live bluegrass music, dance band, set-ups and ice, and good fellowship. The hearing for allowing the consumption of alcoholic beverages at our social functions was held October 10 and it appears our dance will be the first activity to benefit from the new permit. Come and join us at this gala activity. For tickets call Charlie Wiles 972-1953 or 881-1855; Chic Chaconas at 588-7224; Bill Flanagan at 937-7223; Bob Mangum at 588-1300; Karen Bramson at 424-1144; G.M. Van Hoesen at 253-3672; Mervin Kenney at 384-1511; Skip Johnson at 943-5483, Jim Reid, Jr., at 588-2476 and Ray Briggs at the clubhouse.

DAVE ANDERSON ANNOUNCED THAT THE BIG JACKPOT WAS WON by 4 Bingo players: they divided the \$1200. Jackpot equally. The Small Jackpot now becomes the Big Jackpot with \$500. in the pot. The Small Jackpot was again opened at \$100. Dave needs help to conduct the activity on Friday nights. Please call him at 585-1053 or come to the club on Friday nights at 8:00 p.m. Bring the Bingo players along too.

THE CLUB HUNTER SAFETY PROGRAM completed its course with 42 persons passing the requirements. The cooperation of the Clarksburg Lions Club in sponsoring a number of students is appreciated. An extra vote of thanks is due our Chapter instructors who finished up the field work in a heavy downpour. Chapter instructors who participated are Dick Backe, Bill Brooks, Jean Caffiaux, Joe Carinci, Paul Hancock, Bob Inman, "Mac" McCollum, Ed Peterson, Bob Redick, Art Remers, Bill Shearn and Boyd Shomaker. The Montgomery Journal covered the course and devoted a half page of its September 26 issue to this course.

NEWSPAPERS FOR RECYCLING. As your newspapers collect in your home, stack them, tie them, and bring them out to our storage shed for our recycling project. It will help our resource shortage of paper and give a boost to the club treasury.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICANTS WERE APPROVED by the Board of Directors and will be voted on by the membership at the October meeting:

James B. Downs
17609 Tree Lawn Drive
Ashton, Md. 20702
Sponsored by Mervin Kenney

Mike Conley
27100 Ridge Road
Damascus, Md. 20750
Sponsored by G.M. Van Hoesen

William E. Richardson
310 Southwest Drive
Silver Spring, Md. 20901
Sponsored by Doc McKinnon and
Chic Chaconas

Keith Harris
24800 Ridge Road
Damascus, Md. 20750
Sponsored by G.M. Van Hoesen

DO YOU KNOW A MEMBER WHO HAS DROPPED HIS MEMBERSHIP in our Chapter? For the remainder of this year he may rejoin without the usual initiation fee. Talk it up - renew those old memberships. Also, new memberships for the remainder of this year and all of next year, initiation fee included, will cost only \$50.00 total. Now is the time to get those new and renewed memberships.

PIANO IS NEEDED. Do you know of anyone interested in making a donation of a piano? Our chapter needs one. If you know of a donor, we will pick up and deliver it. A letter of donation for tax purposes will be issued to the donor. Call 881-1855 (day) or 972-1953 (evenings).

Charles I. Wiles, Jr., Corresponding
Secretary 972-1953