

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

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

Next Membership Meeting, November 27, 1974 - Next Board Meeting, December 4, 1974

CLUB GEARS FOR ACTION. With large mortgage payments coming due each month, our membership at the October meeting requested the Board of Directors to take immediate action to restructure the dues rate and explore new activities that will interest the membership. As a result of the Board of Directors meeting on November 13, 1974, the following actions were taken:

- (1) Recommend to the general membership for vote at the November 27 meeting, dues of \$50.00 per year and a continuation of the \$25.00 initiation fees for new members. An installment plan up to 90 days will be available to pay dues. It was also recommended that Life Members be asked to make a \$25.00 donation to help with the tight finances.
- (2) Move quickly to put the downstairs area into shape as a Membership Game Room. The room will be paneled in December. We are in need of donations such as a pool table, ping pong table and poker table.
- (3) Develop more quickly the small bore range, the indoor archery range, and the upstairs kitchen.

A WORK SESSION to panel the Membership Game Room is scheduled for December 8, 1974. Come out and give us a hand in getting this room shaped up for good fellowship and membership enjoyment. For the early birds, work will begin at 8:00 a.m.

PUBLIC AUCTION. Chairman Paul Jackson announced the second auction is set for December 14, 1974, beginning at 10:00 a.m. and continuing until sold out. Refreshments will be available. The last auction was very successful. Bring your donated items to the club or call Paul at 774-4086 for pickup.

THE INDOOR ARCHERY RANGE will be ready for use in December according to Chairman Skip Johnson. Call Skip for details at 948-5483.

TENNIS COURTS, CHIP AND PUTT GOLF - are you interested? These facilities were considered at the Board Meeting. If you are interested in tennis or a chip and putt course, call Chic at 588-7224 and let him know. If interest abounds, we will prepare the grounds.

THE ANNUAL DANCE WAS CANCELLED due to the continued delay by the Montgomery County Board of Appeals on the liquor permit for which we applied on October 10. When the permit is issued, we will then schedule club dances.

CHAIRMAN GEORGE BRANSOM announced that the skeet and trap ranges will be closed on November 30th and December 1st. Most of the shooters and all of the range officers will be in the mountains in hopes of bringing back the big buck and some meat for the stew pot. Ranges will be open as usual following the deer season.

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION WAS APPROVED at the Board of Directors meeting and is recommended to the membership for approval.

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Sponsored by George Tolson.

PLEASE NOTE the revised dates of meetings for December:

Board Meeting - December 4, 1974

Membership Meeting - December 18, 1974

Charles I. Wiles, Jr.

Corresponding Secretary

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