WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER The Izaak Walton League of America, Inc. P.O. Box 118, Damascus, MD 20750

February Newsletter

Next Membership Meeting, February 22, 1978 - Next Board Meeting, March 8, 1978

A BIG THANKS TO THOSE PREPARING THE ANNUAL GAME DINNER and ALSO TO THOSE 130 HARDY GOURMETS WHO BRAVED THE EVENING IN COLD RAIN AND SNOW at our January meeting. The food was elegant with roast pheasant, deep fried venison, ash that smoked goose was out of this world thanks to Mrs. Anne Higgins and so many other excellent dishes with seconds and thirds - and congratulations to the hunters for selecting only the prime game to bring home to the dinner. It was a beautiful evening beside the warming fireplace. For those missing the dinner, keep an eagle eye open for the next years bonanza in eating.

ANOTHER BONANZA IS COMING ON APRIL 2 - OUR ANNUAL CYSTER ROAST. We will have oysters raw, steamed, fried and stewed with potato salad, cole slaw and plenty of "Bud" or other, to make the afternoon a delight. We are preparing for 200 cyster lovers, therefore, you should make reservations early to guarantee tickets. Tickets will be \$10.00 per person, however, if your check is received by Chic by March 29, (4 days prior to the Roast) the cost is just \$8.00 per person. Call Chic for reservations at 588-7224 or mail your check to Chic, at 8925 Colesville Road, Silver Spring, Md. 20910 and save \$2.00 per person. Our cysters will be from Chincoteague, Bay, the very best in the area. Remember \$8.00 per person if your check is received by March 29th, for all you can eat. See you there.

ALSO AT THE OYSTER ROAST, our chapter will give away a Sony Portable Color T.V.; a weekend for two at Williamsburg, Va.; a Sony AM-FM Radio, and several dinners. Enclosed are two books of voices (tickets) in the disposition of the prizes. Each member is asked to sell or buy the two books and mail your check and stubs to Chic Chaconas at 8925 Colesville Road, Silver Spring, Md. 20910. Our club cannot survive by membership dues alone; we need additional fund raisers to meet the \$2,000 of expenditures per month (mortgage payment is 1563 per month). Do your part - sell or purchase the tickets and if you can sell more call Chic at 582-7224 for additional books. Those already having books will not have additional in this mailing.

TURKEY SHCCTS ARE IN FULL SWING every Saturday night at our Skeet and Trap House. Les Kenney begins the shooting around 6:00 p.m. and pays off with turkeys, hams, bacon and a good time. Bring a crowd with you. Les could also use a few more helpers. Call Les at 384-8455.

AND ON SUNDAY, MARCH 19th LES IS HOLDING AN EASTER HAM and TURKEY SHOCT during the afternoon. The fun begins at 12 noon and continues until we run out of powder and prizes. Bring the entire family - we have a lot of winners among the ladies and kids too.

HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN YOUR DUES CHECK? Our chapter needs you and your support. Mail those dues today to Joe Carinci at our above club address. HAVE YOU SPONSORED A NEW MEMBER? Bring a friend to our February meeting and sponsor him or her for our March enrollment. The larger our membership, the fewer fundraisers necessary to meet our obligations.

PEOPLE POWER AWARDS FOR MEMBERSHIP RECRUITING were given to George Bransom, Joe Carinci, Chic Chaconas, Skip Johnston, Les Kenney, Phil Mostrom and George Schneider at our January meeting. Be on the list next year; sponsor 5 or more new members for 1978.

NEW BOND CHAIRMAN JOE SCHOPPELREI will get your bonds to you promptly. Mail checks to the league at our above address or call Joe at 601-6537.

COUNTRY ESTATE, FIREPLACE, HALL TO SERVE OVER 200, LARGE KITCHEN, AVAILABLE ON A RENTAL BASIS - We are renting our main hall for weddings, dances, meetings, dinners etc. If you know of anyone interested, have them call Ted or Lillian Tritle, our new House Rental Committee at 253-4150. The downstairs Rathskellar is always available to members regardless of rentals.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIC WERE APPROVED by the Board of Directors and are recommended for membership action at our January meeting:

Name	Address	Phone	Sponsor
George C. Cois,	16413 Alden Avenue, Gaithersburg, Md. 20760	977-1348 R.	Small
	Rt. 1, Box WPC, Monrovia, Md. 21770	831-9342 M	
	t, 2402 Plyers Mill Rd., Wheaton, Md. 20902	897-3410 Mc	strom &
		I	Kenney
Warren C. Wood.	15016 Whitegate Rd. Colesville, Md. 20904	384-4582 M.	Parker

COMING ATTRACTIONS:

- *Beef Roast on June 4th
- *Black Powder Shoot in May or June Date later
- *Archery Shooting in INLA Barn April Thursday nights
- *ANNUAL CHICKEN BAR-B-AUE August 13th
- *Octoberfest October Sth

TRAP AND SKEET ROSTER FOR MARCH:

Saturday, March 4	Phil Mostrom	770-5856
	Pete Zagarella	649-2171
Sunday, March 5	Phil Rodwell	774-7131
	Bill Loveless	340-2816
Saturday, March 11	Paul Jackson	762-1875
	John Till	977-8831
Sunday, March 12	Joe Schoppelrei	681-6537
	Mike Esposita	926-4561
Saturday, March 18	Claggett Warfield	926-2515
	Art Pergen	229-8628
Sunday, March 19	Wes Meier	277-5370
	Tom Jackson	253-9313
	John Cassis	253-5369
Saturday, March 25	Frank Gale	
	John Vaden	253-3256
Sunday, March 26	Slim Rowland	
	Jake Conn	

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

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