



# WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER

The Izaak Walton League of America, Inc.

OCTOBER Newsletter

P.O. Box 118, Damascus, MD 20872

Next Membership meeting WEDNESDAY OCT 28, 1981 - Board of Directors WEDNESDAY NOV 4, 1981.

MARK SUNDAY NOV 15 in Large Letters! OYSTER ROAST 1 to 5 PM at the club. \$10/person covers all you can eat. We'll have oyster stew, fried, raw, steamed, and other delectable styles of oysters any way you like 'em. Come out for a delicious local seafood treat and a pleasant afternoon with your fellow members. For non-oyster diets, a substitute will be available. Call Paul Jackson (253-6726) for details.

RANGE HIGHLIGHTS: \* Congratulations to winners of the Metallic Silhouette Shoot of SEPT 27. First place went to J. R. Ale. Using a TC Contender in .30-30, he shot a 13 out of 20 (a new club record). Ed Vieira took second place, shooting a 9 with his Ruger .44 Mag. Skip Johnston borrowed (again!) J. R.'s S & W .44 Mag and shot a 7 for third place.

\* We need a Metallic Silhouette Chairman to plan next year's events. Contact Smith DeForce (460-8762) or Skip Johnston (831-6680) for further information.

\* The Advanced Handgun Workshop SEPTEMBER 19 was beneficial to all. Tips and topics included reloading, types of handguns and shooting equipment, laws pertaining to handgun transport, and shooting techniques. A range session capped the event.

\* Thanks to Rodger Armstrong, Rifle Chairman, who has kept the rifle range looking so good and who solved the problem of keeping the target standards operational. Our thanks also to Skip Johnston, Pistol/Rifle Range Manager, who obtained and installed the new signs for range rules, hours, and warnings to violators. Let's work together to keep these facilities in top shape. Shooting of bottles, cans, clay birds, etc. is absolutely prohibited. Remove your used targets and police the area when you're through shooting. Revolver shooters try to take it easy on the sand bags. Thanks.

\* Range users-challenge people you don't recognize. Only members in good standing and their escorted guests are permitted to use the ranges. All range users must sign in and out. It only takes a minute.

COMING EVENTS: SIGHT-IN DAYS. SAT and SUN NOV 7 and 8 and SAT and SUN NOV 14 and 15 from 9 AM to 5 PM. Call Smith DeForce (460-8762) to volunteer your help on one of these dates. No fee to members. Guests and the public pay \$3 for the first gun and \$2 for each additional gun. Range officers assist shooters during this public service and safety function. SIGHT-IN DAYS will be held RAIN or SHINE. Come out and increase your chances to fill your tags.

\* TRAP AND SKEET still has room for shooters. Call J. R. Ale (946-6718) about Wednesday nights or Les Kenney (253-3430) about Saturdays and Sundays. Improve your wingshooting.

\* TURKEY SHOOTs are BOOming! Great Prizes. Plenty of fun and shooting. Nominal Cost. Even the helpers can participate while they work from 6 to 10 PM on Saturday nights. Call Les Kenney (253-3430) to volunteer.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP WERE APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ARE RECOMMENDED FOR MEMBERSHIP ACTION:

Matthew J. Sibenik, 5462 Harpers Farm Rd, No. C3, Columbia MD 21044.	Sponsor Les Kenney.
Edward E. Willette, 12500 Viers Mill Rd, Rockville MD 20853.	Sponsor Les Kenney.
Frank J. Quish, 894 College Parkway, Rockville MD 20850.	Sponsor Wanda Dawson.
George Heon, 10202 Fredrick Ave, Kensington MD 20795.	Sponsor Moe Anderson.

The 1982 Chapter Calendar is about to be prepared. If there are events you would like to see the club provide, call Smith DeForce (460-8762) or Rick Sommer (253-6380). We welcome your suggestions.

WELCOME BACK! Bill Flanagan, a long-time member, is back in the area. Bill maintained his membership while he was away and now he's here to participate in person.

NEW MEMBERS who have joined in the past 6 months or so call Joe Carinci (253-2951). Some of you still have credentials coming and others of you have yet to be sworn in as members. Come out to the next meeting and start to enjoy the benefits of membership.

DUES NOTICES for 1982 are in the mail from National. Please remit your dues to Joe Carinci. Include your 1982 MES share too...MORE IKES=LESS MES. 1982 MES is only \$36.00! Anyone who still owes 1981 dues or MES, give Joe a call at 253-2951. Let's work this out.

TO THE FAMILY OF RAY WOLFE: Condolences to Member Wolfe's family on his death. Ray was a loyal member of the Wildlife Achievement Chapter for over thirty years. We will miss him and we appreciate his dedication to the Chapter and the ideals of the Izaak Walton League.

COMING EVENTS: \*...HUNTERS, now that you've proven yourselves at the Club's Hunter Challenge Shooting Match, start collecting game for the ANNUAL WILD GAME DINNER coming up in JANUARY. All you Boones, Crocketts, Popes and Youngs hit the trail and bring home the bacon!

\*...PAUL BUNYAN would be proud of our lumberjacks, but we can't rest on our laurels!

1981 WOODCUTTERS DAYS are Saturday and Sunday DECEMBER 12 and 13. Come out for a vigorous day 's activity, hot lunch and a good time to benefit the club. Wood is still available for \$100/cord, delivered and dumped. (Price does increase with distance of delivery.) Call Skip Johnston (831-6680) or Charles Wiles (972-1953) for details or to place an order.

\*...NOVEMBER Membership Meeting, Wednesday the 18th, will be a dinner meeting. Watch this space for the menu. Call Les Kenney (253-3430) with your suggestions.

WINNERS WINNERS WINNERS WINNERS WINNERS  
Our two Hunter Safety Courses successfully served over 100 hunters! Thanks to Mac McCollum for a job well done.

On October 4 and 5, Jerry Tacinelli and Paul Jackson, representing our chapter, captured the Open Class Club Championship in trials sponsored by the Maryland section of the American Sports Dog Association. They've donated their prize, after expenses, to the Chapter Conservation Fund. Good Job.

LOSERS: Anyone with any information about the U. S. flag and the Maryland flag that were removed from the clubhouse foyer recently, please call Charlie Wiles 972-1953 or Les Kenney 253-3430. The U. S. flag, which had flown over the Capitol, was a donation to the chapter from J. Glenn Beall.

#### NOVEMBER RANGE ROSTER

SUN 11/1	1 Brian Baldwin	443-8295	SAT 11/21	1 Dave Anderson, Jr.	253-5196
	2 John Ogilvie	774-2551		2 Danny Ifert	831-9886
SAT 11/7	1 Dave Anderson, Sr.	585-1053	SUN 11/22	1 Bill Spence	946-7716
	2 Rick Sommer	253-6380		2 Addison Caracciola	681-6923
SUN 11/8	1 Bill Rahn	-	SAT 11/28	1 Dick Curtis	284-6267
	2 Rick Insley	531-5961		2 Claggett Warfield	926-2515
SAT 11/14	1 Rick Egerter	-	SUN 11/29	1 O. S. McCollum	286-3707
	2 Ed Totah	762-1710		2 Joe Schoppelrei	681-6537
SUN 11/15	1 Bob Rodkey	869-2592			
	2 Bill Maneely	972-3674			

We need some extra range officers for 7, 8, 14, and 15 November. Call Les Kenney (253-3430).

We also need some more volunteer range officers on a regular basis. If you're range qualified and enjoy helping others participate in the shooting sports, volunteer an afternoon to help spread this responsibility around. Call Les to volunteer or find out more about the duties.

MORE HELP WANTED: We need a Grounds Committee chairman. We can't let this important post go unfilled for long. Thanks are due Wanda Dawson for her efforts to help keep the club house and grounds looking so good this summer. However, a strong Grounds Committee is needed to ensure continued maintenance and beautification. Call Charlie Wiles (972-1953) for further information.

Newsletter submitted by Richard G. Sommer, Corresponding Secretary, 253-6380.