

WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER

The Izaak Walton League of America, Inc.

DECEMBER Newsletter

P.O. Box 118, Damascus, MD 20872

Next Membership Meeting WEDNESDAY DEC 16, 1981 - Board of Directors WEDNESDAY JAN 13, 1982.

- WOODCUTTERS DAYS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY DECEMBER 12 and 13, 1981. Meet at 9 AM. Chain Saws and Log Splitters are lined up, but bring your saw if you wish. Bring the family. Plenty of hot food venison bar-b-q and vegetable soup plus beneficial outdoor work will be enjoyed by all.
- CHRISTMAS BASKETS FOR FAMILIES IN OUR AREA: Paul Jackson (253-6726) asks that each member bring in an item of canned goods to the membership meeting on WEDNESDAY DEC 18. Cash donations will help us fill the baskets, too. This worthy activity deserves our continued support. Seasonal refreshments will be served at this meeting.
- CHRISTMAS TREES: A few "house" sized trees are still available at \$15.00. Check with Les Kenney (253-3430) or Charlie Wiles (972-1953) before you select one.
- A RECORD 113 non member sportsmen took advantage of our Annual Sight-in Days in November. There were also many members who came out. Money was raised for the chapter and several participants have joined the club. Thanks to all who helped as Range Officers for this event.
- 1981 has been a very good year for the chapter. Our continued success depends on your active participation. Try to attend three more events in 1982 than you did this year. Bring a friend. Encourage others to join. Let's all work together to make 1982 even better for our Wildlife Achievement Chapter.
- OYSTER ROAST was enjoyed by 103 non squeamish Ikes and friends. Special thanks go to Paul Jackson and Joe Carinci for this great affair.
- ANNUAL WILD GAME DINNER WEDNESDAY JAN 27, 1982. Plan to attend with your family. VENISON, DUCK, SQUIRREL, RABBIT, PHEASANT and other upland and wetland game is on schedule. The possibility of hors d'oevres prepared from Wild Attack Shrimp has been discussed! This is a treat to experience. In addition to an outstanding menu and our regular membership meeting, a special program is being prepared by Joe Hamilton. Call Les Kenney (253-3430) if you have food to donate.
- SPECIAL THANKS TO JOE WISOR, who has generously donated the printing and folding of the November and December bulletins.
- IN THE NEAR FUTURE THE BATHROOM FACILITIES for the Range House will be opened. Thanks are due to Les Kenney and others who have donated time to this project.
- STATE DIVISION MEETING SUNDAY JAN 17, 1982 at Charles County Chapter. Call Charlie Wiles (253-1953) for further information.
- RANGES WILL BE CLOSED DEC 26 and 27 and JAN 2 and 3. Ranges may be used by appointment these two weekends. Call Les Kenney (253-3430) to arrange an appointment.
- RANGES WILL REOPEN JAN 9 and 10, 1982. New prices will be in effect. GREEN (ancient and antique) RANGE CARDS will no longer be honored after DEC 31, 1981: Shoot 'em up or frame 'em! New routines will also be in effect on the ranges. Drop by to shoot and use your club facilities.

SKEET AND TRAP SHOOTING on WEDNESDAY NIGHTS will be restricted to nights of membership meetings only until March.

TURKEY SHOOTS have slowed during hunting season. One more will be held SATURDAY DEC 19, and then none will be held until the Range reopens JAN 9. More members should shoot in these events. Come out and win a prize and enjoy the competition. Even if you are asked to help out, it's not hard and does not detract from the fun of the event.

Dues and MES may be brought to the range or to the clubhouse when you attend a meeting or a shoot. 1982 MES is only \$36. When we initiated a Membership Expense Share it costs each of us \$95. Since then our growth in membership and increased participation in activities have combined to reduce this to its present level. Send your dues and MES for 1982 to Joe Carinci. Call Joe (253-2951) if there are any questions about your membership or financial obligation to your club.

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

Johnny H. Flores, 13112 Valleywood Ct, Whe-ton MD 20906 942-8702 Wayne A. Sulecki, 4210 Ambler Dr, Kensington MD 20895 949-0574 Ronald Lee Kelly, 1011 Hawling Rd, Brookville MD 20833

Philip Soo Kim, 9859 Good Luck Rd, Lanham MD 20706 974-8212 Young Tae Yun, 6111 86th Av, New Carrollton MD 20784 577-7123 Philip Simenly, 12713 Holdridge Rd, Wheaton MD 20906 942-7016 Luther D. McDyer, 19001 Canadian Ct, Gaithersburg MD 20879 963-1034 Sponsor Smith DeForce

Sponsor Bill Spence Sponsor Wanda Dawson Sponsors Les Kenney and Wanda Dawson Sponsor Bob Rodkey Sponsor Bob Rodkey Sponsor Wanda Dawson

A PROGRAM CHAIRMAN IS STILL NEEDED for our Chapter. We want to enliven our membership meetings once a month with various speakers, films, discussions, etc. The program chairman would simply coordinate these events. The Board of Directors identified nearly two dozen potential topics and selected one for January (Joe Hamilton on his travels) and for February (Richard Klein on SOS). Other potential programs include bow hunting equipment techniques and experiences, fresh or salt water fishing, wilderness survival, training of hunting dogs and others. Come forward with your own suggestions to make our meetings even more fun and productive. Even if you only volunteered to coordinate or present one program, it would be appreciated. Call Charlie Wiles (972-1953) today.

JANUARY RANGE ROSTER

SAT 1/9 1 2	Smith DeForce John Ogilvie	460-8762 774-2551	SAT	1/23	1	Brian Baldwin Bill Maneely	869-7016 972-3674
SUN 1/10 1 2	Dick Curtis Bob Rodkey	384-6267 869-2592	SUN	1/24	1 2	Bill Rahn Jim Lombardo	774-6234
SAT 1/16 1 2	Dave Anderson, Sr. Rick Egerter	585 - 1053 -	SAT	1/30	1 2	Clageet Warfield Rick Insley	926 - 2515 531 - 5961
SUN 1/17 1 2	Joe Schoppelrei Rick Sommer	- 253-6380	SUN	1/31	1 2	Bill Spence O. S. McCollum	946-7716 286-3707
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