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NEWS LETTER

THE FEBRUARY MEMBERSHIP MEETING will feature a dinner at 7:00 p.m. on February 24. Cost will be \$6.00 each. The featured Speaker will be Mr. Greg Windtberg, from the Maryland Hawking Club, who might bring along some birds (real birds). Following the dinner there will be a special meeting of the Conservation Committee. ALL MEMBERS AND GUESTS are sincerely urged to attend and to express their ideas and interest in any phase of Conservation, so that we can get an active and on-going program underway. The basic purpose of the Izaak Walton League is to promote an awareness of the meaning and methods of conservation as a way of life. LET'S GET TOGETHER AND DO OUR PART TO MAKE THIS PROGRAM EFFECTIVE!

THE MARCH BOARD MEETING WILL BE March 9, at 8:00 p.m.

THE WILD GAME DINNER and auction was enjoyed by over 160 guests and workers. Net figures for the evening were: dinner, \$928.36; auction, \$1,558.50; bar donations, \$261.00; 50-50, \$161.00; Total net, \$2,928.86. In addition, a substantial donation of unused food was made to the Rockville United Church for use at the Zachaeus Soup Kitchen in Washington and at the Chase Shelter for Homeless Men on Gude Drive in Rockville.

Mr. Bill Spence suffered a broken hip when he fell while getting out of his truck while on a duck hunting trip. After a period in Walter Reed Army Hospital, he has gone to recuperate at the home of his daughter in Manassas, Virginia. Rumor has it that this was really a plot to escape the job of replacing the roof on the Barbeque Shed!

BE ON THE ALERT for a call from Charlie Wiles when the weather gets good to help clear and prepare the grounds for new Christmas tree planting. Don't say "No", say "Yes"; it's good fun and you need the exercise.

THE RANGE ROAD remains closed to vehicular traffic due to wet conditions.

RANGE ORIENTATION FOR NEW MEMBERS seeking range approval will be rescheduled to the last Sunday of each month, starting at 10:00 a.m. beginning with March 27, 1988. The Orientation Class for March 2, 1988 will remain as scheduled.

WHEN SHOOTING SKIRT OR TRAP THE LARGEST SHOT SIZE PERMISSIBLE IS No. 7½. Any larger shot will carry beyond a safe range and will endanger people using other ranges or performing work on the premises.

RECYCLING IS GAINING GROUND as a method of reducing waste. Soon a truckload of glass and aluminum will be going from our Chapter to Baltimore. Save your glass containers and discarded aluminum in whatever form and bring them along to meetings for salvage. Glass and aluminum should be reasonably clean, but the paper labels do not have to be removed.

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MARCH RANGE OFFICER SCHEDULE

3/ 5	Rod Snell	977-2228	Elmer Thias	647-6860
3/ 6	Bill Greath	983-9606	John Cirioni	869-2318
3/12	Joe Farr	461-3464	Bill Marnane	869-7792
3/13	Bill Rahn	774-6234	Robert Sadler	253-3501
3/19	Mike Stottlemeyer	384-1379	Ed White	831-7075
3/20	Mike Powell	540-6643	Harold Sharpe	829-2914
3/26	Orville White	831-7075	Mark Hollis	330-5194
3/27	Mac McCollum	854-3707	Jim Gierula	774-3515

If you have a conflict with your scheduled date, contact John Struewing as soon as possible at 566-7591 (before 4:30 p.m., in D. C.) or 540-8236 (after 6:30 p.m., in Germantown). It will be your responsibility to find someone to stand-in for you on your range duty day if you cannot make it. Your Range Chairman will not usually be available to fill in for you.

CHAIRMEN are needed for the upcoming Bull Roast and the Chicken Barbeque, in June and August respectively. Don't be bashful; this is your chance to shine. You will get plenty of help, and lots of advice, mostly good. There is a lot of knowledge gained from past experience, and it will be made available to the lucky (courageous?) ones. Your Chapter needs you!

02-08-88

NEW MEMBERS

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Devenney	Lester	2920 Bel Pre Rd.	Silver Spring MD 20906
	SPONSOR	Witt, Joe	871-7509
Koelsch	Raymond E.	3825 Queen Mary Dr.	Olney MD 20832
	SPONSOR	Johnston, Fred	774-2467

02-10-88

NEW MEMBERS

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Fries	Stanley L.	4304 Flower Valley Dr.	Rockville MD 20853
	SPONSOR	Johnston, Fred	929-9301
McGovern, Jr.	William M.	2510B Applecross Terrace	Rockville MD 20872 Damascus MD 20872
	SPONSOR	Hollis, Mark	253-1708
Stough	Roy Calvin	19914 Ceder Bluff Dr.	Germantown MD 20874
	SPONSOR	Lilly, Bob	428-9566
Thomas	Ed	19315 Club House Rd 301	Gaithersburg MD 20879
	SPONSOR	Schneider, Bill	926-4559
Yuris	Paul J.	5409 Luckpenny Pl.	Columbia MD 21045
	SPONSOR	Walter, John	992-0447