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NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING will be Wednesday, May 25, 1994. A Country Fried Chicken dinner, with fixin's, will be served at 7:15 P.M. A time for relaxation will exist from 6:30 to 7:15 p.m., and a business meeting will follow the dinner. This will be the last dinner meeting for this season.

NEXT BOARD MEETING will be Wednesday, June 8, at 8:00 p.m.

THE ANNUAL BULL ROAST WILL BE HELD ON Sunday, June 19th, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Cost will be \$11.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children 6 through 12, under 6 free. To qualify for a free ticket (paid for in your dues) you must have your 1994 Membership Card in hand to show at the gate, otherwise you must pay. Anyone who hasn't received his/her membership card please call Joe Gick at 774-9399. There will be plenty of excellent food, games, contests for children, and more. Bring your family and guests for a good time in the open air...Skeet and Trap ranges will be open for ticket holders only. Rifle and Pistol ranges will be closed all day.

STATE CONVENTION: The Maryland Division of IWLA will hold its Annual Convention June 10, 11 and 12 in Hagerstown, Maryland, at the Howard Johnson Hotel (Motel). The main business of the meeting will be transacted on Saturday the 11th. Please call Rick Sommer at 253-6380 if you want to attend.

EARLY BIRD PARTY: An organizing meeting for the National Convention Early Bird Party will be held Tuesday night, June 7th, at 7:40 p.m. at the Chapter House. Our Chapter is the host for this affair which kicks off the Annual Convention. Come out to help plan it. The "Party" will be held Tuesday evening, July 12th, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Rockville. Please call Rick Sommer at 253-6380 for information.

NATIONAL CONVENTION: Our Chapter is entitled to nine delegates and 9 alternates for voting purposes at the National Convention. We have seven delegates so far. Delegates need to be available to attend the entire convention from Tuesday July 12th's Early Bird Party, through Wednesday, Thursday and Friday convention days, finishing up with the Banquet on Friday night. Call Rick Sommer to volunteer.

JUNE RANGE OFFICERS: SKEET, TRAP & 5 STAND SPORTING CLAYS BEGINNING May 11, the ranges will

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| 4 (Sat) | Archie Cheng, John Dyer |
| 5 (Sun) | Peter Currall, Dave Gold, Bob Sadler |
| 11 (Sat) | Bob Woodward, Bill Rahn, Cornell Kittell |
| 12 (Sun) | Bill Wright, Willy Williams, Ed Bennett |
| 18 (Sat) | Bob Cooley, John Corbin, Paul Hancock |
| 19 (Sun) | Bill Marnane, Marc Grimes, Ron Newman |
| 25 (Sat) | Tim Ouellette, Tom Ouellette |
| 26 (Sun) | Jim Malone, Roy Greisler, Rick Murphy, Mike Merollini |

be open on Wednesday evenings, from 5:00 until 8:00 p.m. :We need a few good men" to assist Chuck Crooks as Range Officers on Wednesdays. **HELP!**

THE ATTENDANCE at Range Officers meetings in April was rather poor. If you need help in any part of our operations, please contact Chuck Crooks or Bill Rahn.

PLASTIC CARD POUCHES have been donated by Rick Thornley, which are ideal for displaying our "Range Approved" cards at the Rifle and Pistol ranges. You can pick one up at the sign-in box or inside on the table by the suggestion box.

A THANK YOU IS EXTENDED to the following members who assisted with the March and April range clean-up sessions: Bill Kelly, Phil Dean, John Walter, Alan Pressman, Tom Younkins, Dan Curtin, Mac McCollum, John Perry, Ed Talbott, Bart Hogan, Gene Hilty, Jeff Widerman, Tom Roberts, Mike Lamberson, Archie LeMone, Howard Burrell, Ron, Burreil, Paul Patel, Rick Thornley, and Marty Mayer,

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NEW MEMBERS

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| Abernathy Sr | Thomas W | 16005 Wallingford Rd | Silver Spring MD 20906 |
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| | SPONSOR(Mauricio Arrieta | | 208-0548 |
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| | SPONSOR(Phil Dean | | 654-4627 |
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| Stancik | John F | 18625 Rolling Acres Wy | Olney MD 20832 |
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RANGE CLEAN-UP for May will be May 29th, at 10:00 a.m. The Range Orientation session will be held in the lower level of the Clubhouse beginning at 10:00 a.m. on the same day.

DONATIONS OF PLYWOOD, 2' x 2' or 2' x 4' are needed for target backers. Bring it to the Range House or to the Recycling Shed.

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS REPLICAS: Replicas of the IWLA National Headquarters and Conference Center are now available. They come with or without wooden stands. Part of the price is donated to the building fund. Price with the stand is \$65.00, without stand \$50.00. These are handsome souvenirs and they are of value as this building will be dedicated this year on July 14 during the National Convention. Call Rick Sommer at 253-6380.

THE CHRISTMAS TREE COMMITTEE, under the leadership and with the expertise of Senior Planters Dave Anderson, Merle Keesler and Bill Rahn, planted 1100 seedlings on April 30th. Assisting were new Member Noli Cabrera and sons Regie and Romano, new Member Jim Schinner and sons Jim, Jr. and John. New members Nick Giuliano, William (Trip) Day, John Aldridge, Dave Wright and Al Pressman all turned in a great days work in the field. Al Pressman and Nick Giuliano continued in the afternoon after lunch, which was prepared by President Mac McCollum. The Rain Dance worked and we had rain late in the day. A great effort by all. Bob Mabie, General Activities Chairman, says many thanks to you all for this major conservation effort of our Chapter.

WE STILL NEED, **BADLY**, a refrigerator, white, hinges on the right side, opens from the left,

frost free. Call 590-0797. Donation would be tax deductible.

A VERY INTERESTING and educational illustrated lecture on fly fishing and flies was provided by Jeff Marker, of Seneca Valley Trout Unlimited, at the April Membership meeting. Bill Kelly, Program Chairman, will attempt to secure speakers for future meetings on subjects of interest to our Members. If you have a suggestion, please call Bill at 253-5009.

BOB MABIE REPORTS that our Adopt-A-Road section of Mullinix Mill Road was cleaned just before the rain started on May 7th, by three-time-roader Al Pressman and newer roaders Rick Buckingham and Dave Wright. (Bob helped, too). Watch for a September date for the next cleanin

RECYCLING: We've recycled 331 lbs. of aluminum cans since the first of the year and turned in \$88.00 clear profit to the Club as a result. But PLEASE, no more used oil...we don't do that anymore...Aluminum only - the oil can be turned in to the gas stations (call Bob Mabie for a listing). All of Montgomery County is now on the "Bluebox" program. Phone books will be recycled in October at the transfer station and at several locations throughout the County. We at the Wildlife Achievement Chapter only do aluminum and copper and pieces of plywood from which we can cut out 2' x 4' or 2' x 2' pieces. Bob's telephone - 774-4122.

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Joe Hamilton, News Letter Editor.