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# NEWS LETTER

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NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING will be Wednesday, June 22, 1994, at 8:00 p.m. This will **not** be a dinner meeting.

NEXT BOARD MEETING will be Wednesday, July 13, 1994, at 8:00 p.m. You are invited to attend.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR for SUNDAY, JUNE 19** for the ANNUAL BULL ROAST, served from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. The menu will include roast beef, roast pork, hot dogs, and other good stuff. Prices will be \$11.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children 6 through 12, under 6 free. You can use your one free ticket (included in your dues) by presenting your 1994 membership card at the gate. There will be games and other entertainment for children, including hay rides. Come on out, bring your friends and family (this is a good time to have a get-together). The Chairman needs your help, also, in the kitchen, in the pit house, as servers, for cleanup, to handle games, including hay rides. Rifle and Pistol ranges will be closed. Skeet and Trap ranges will be open for shooters with Bull Roast tickets only. The grounds are in excellent condition, thanks to our new Grounds Keeper, Cecil Hennessey.

BILL KELLY thanks Robert Fendler, Craig Massey and Tim Ouellette, who helped him with the Range Cleanup on Sunday, May 29th. The June Cleanup will be Sunday, June 26th, starting at 10:00 a.m.

A "BEGINNERS SKEET COURSE" will include classes Tuesday July 19th and Thursday July 21st, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. each day. This is a two day course for beginners or shooters who are scoring less than 18 birds per round. Class size is limited! Call Chuck Crooks, 831-9666, or John Corbin, 774-0934, to sign up or for more information. Classes will cover gun safety, gun types, basic skeet rules and technics. Instruction is free; cost covers only the regular round price.

## NATIONAL CONVENTION NATIONAL CONVENTION

THE NATIONAL IWLA CONVENTION will be held at the CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL on Rockville Pike in Rockville, Maryland, from July 12 through July 16, 1994. Register and plan to attend. You will find forms in your copy of Outdoor America.

Our Chapter will host the Early Bird Party at 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 12th. Regular Convention business will be transacted during the day on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Highlights include:

1. The parade of stars Wednesday night, featuring our own Maryland Room.
2. The dedication of our new National Conservation Center and National IWLA Headquarters off Muddy Branch Road on Thursday afternoon followed by a pig roast at BBC Chapter House in Poplesville.
3. The final banquet on Friday night.

Other events include:

1. The Convention Luncheon Wednesday.
2. The Membership Breakfast Thursday and the Awards Luncheon on Thursday.

The National IWLA Convention provides a unique opportunity to meet people from across the U. S. who share some of our views on the environment and who offer first hand views and different perspectives on conservation issues. Learn about the IWLA Endowment and its funding of conservation activities. Meet the staff of IWLA, a dedicated and tireless group who work on our behalf to promote the Leagues ideals. See how we shape those ideals through drafting, amending and approving resolutions that become IWLA policy. We direct this policy through our Chapter where ideas for resolutions originate.

Our League's Annual Meeting has not been in Maryland since 1976, and might not return for another 20 years. Please come and join us.

THE EARLY BIRD PARTY kicks off the National Convention. Our Chapter will host this event. We will provide the opportunity for IWLA Members (and family) from all over the United States to meet, become reacquainted and compare notes. "Billy B", a very special enter-

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tainer, will highlight the party. Come to the Crowne Plaza Hotel and help us provide a good beginning for the National Convention. Call Rick Sommer at 253-6380 if you will attend.

#### JULY SKEET, TRAP & % STAND RANGE OFFICERS

2 Sat. John Dyer, Archie Chang  
3 Sun. Ed Bennett, Bill Wright  
  
9 Sat. Tom Ouellette, Tim Ouellette  
10 Sun. Dave Gold, Peter Currall, Bob Cooley  
  
16 Sat. Bill Blackstone, Bob Woodward, Cornel Kettell  
17 Sun. Rick Murphy, Mike Merollini, Marc Grimes, Bill Marnane  
  
23 Sat. Willy Williams, Mac McCollum  
24 Sun. Ron Newman, Bob Sadler  
  
30 Sat. John Corbin, Kevin O'Neill  
31 Sun. Roy Griesler, Jim Malone

Please contact Bill Rahn or Chuck Crooks if you need help.

THE RIFLE AND PISTOL RANGES are scheduled for some activities which will limit their availability for general use. Please note and record the following dates and times:

Aug. 13. Sat. NRA Pistol Course 2-4:00 p.m.  
Aug. 14 Sun. NRA Pistol Course 10-12:00 Noon  
Aug 21 Sun. Chicken BBQ R. & P. ranges closed  
Sept. 10 Sat. Hi-Power Match, 9a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
Sept. 17 Sat. Hunter Safety 9 a.m. - Noon  
Oct. 22 Sat. Hunter Safety 9 a.m. - Noon  
Oct. 22 Sat. Sport Hunting Rifle Match, 12-4:00 p.m.  
Oct. 29 Sat. NRA Personal Protection course, 1-5:00 p.m.  
Nov. 5 Sat. Sighting-in Day 10-4:00 p.m.  
Nov. 6 Sun. Sighting-in Day 10-4:00 p.m.  
Nov. 19 Sat. Hunter Safety 9-12:00 a.m.

THERE WILL BE A CHAPTER MEMBER PISTOL/REVOLVER match on Sunday, July 17. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the pistol range. Firing will end at 2:00 p.m. This will be informal competition at bullseye targets in both the conventional one hand target position and the two-handed combat position. There will be a \$5.00 registration fee.

THAT REFRIGERATOR WE MENTIONED LAST MONTH is still **urgently needed**. It should be white, frost-free, hinges on the right. The donation would be tax deductible. Call Paul Jackson if you can be of help, at (301) 869-2633.

ALSO, **URGENTLY NEEDED**, IS SCRAP PLYWOOD for use as target backers. If you are a shooter, you need it. Bring some in, or call Bill Rahn at 774-6234.

NATIONAL CONVENTION DELEGATES: The Wildlife Achievement Chapter is entitled to nine delegates to the Convention. The Chapter will be represented by Dave Anderson, Joe Carinci, Joe Hamilton, Mac. McCollum, John Perry, Ari Sapor, Rick Sommer, Georgia Townsend. Our delegates will vote on issues presented as the convention amends and formulates the conservation policies of the Izaak Walton League of America. ALTERNATE DELEGATES are needed. If you plan to attend the IWLA convention July 12-15 at Crowne Plaza Hotel in Rockville, call Rick Sommer before July 1 to sign up as an Alternate Delegate. The Chapter has funds to help with registration fees for the alternates.

IWLA NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS COMES TO MARYLAND. In the League's 72nd year, the League will dedicate a new building for its national offices and a conference center. If you come to the National Convention, the dedication will highlight the activities of Thursday, July 14. A Pig Roast at Bethesda Chevy Chase (BCC) Chapter will round out the day. For years, the League has borne the expense of renting office space, first in Illinois and then in Virginia. The beautiful, spacious new building will house IWLA and have room to allow us to rent to some other conservation organizations. Come out and see the new IWLA Headquarters.

NOMINATIONS FOR THE NEXT BOARD OF DIRECTORS are due by the July Membership meeting. The Nominating Committee will include Dave Anderson, Bill Carbone, Chuck Crooks, Paul Jackson and Bill Rahn. They will accept your suggestions.

CHAPTER LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEE was set at the May Membership meeting, at 10 times current annual dues, effective immediately

WILDLIFE ACHIEVEMENT CLUB CHAPTER  
CALENDAR FOR 1994

July 1994

- 5 Conservation Meeting 7:45PM
- 6 Board of Directors Meeting
- 9 Seneca Valley Shoot
- 11 National Convention This Week
- 23 Bowhunter Education 1
- 24 Bowhunter Education 2
- 27 Membership Meeting
- 31 Range Orientation & Cleanup

August 1994

- 2 Conservation Meeting 7:45PM
- 10 Board of Directors Meeting
- 21 Chicken BBQ (Ranges, S&T for  
Function Only, R&P Closed  
All Day)
- 24 Membership Meeting / Elections
- 28 Range Orientation & Cleanup

September 1994

- 3 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 7 Board of Directors Meeting
- 9 Hunter Safety 1
- 10 Seneca Valley Shoot
- 10 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- ? State Division Meeting \*\*
- 16 Hunter Safety 2
- 17 Hunter Safety 3 (Ranges  
Closed 9AM - 12PM)
- 17 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 24 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 25 Range Orientation & Cleanup
- 30 Membership Meeting /  
Installation Dinner

October 1994

- 1 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 4 Conservation Meeting 7:45PM
- 8 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 12 Board of Directors Meeting
- 14 Hunter Safety 1
- 15 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 21 Hunter Safety 2
- 22 Hunter Safety 3 (Ranges  
Closed 9AM - 12PM)
- 22 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 26 Membership Meeting
- 29 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 30 Range Orientation & Cleanup

November 1994

- 1 Conservation Meeting 7:45PM
- 2 Board of Directors Meeting
- 5 Sporting Equipment Show
- 5 Sighting In Day
- 5 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 6 Sporting Equipment Show
- 6 Sighting In Day
- 11 Hunter Safety 1
- 12 Wood Cutters Day
- 12 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 13 Wood Cutters Day
- 16 Membership Meeting
- 18 Hunter Safety 2
- 19 Hunter Safety 3 (Ranges  
Closed 9AM - 12PM)
- 19 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 27 Range Orientation & Cleanup

December 1994

- 3 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 6 Conservation Meeting 7:45PM
- 7 Board of Directors Meeting
- 10 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 17 Turkey Shoot 6:30PM
- 18 Range Orientation & Cleanup
- 21 Membership Meeting /  
Christmas Pot Luck Dinner

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