

NEWSLETTER

January/February 1996



IWLA Wildlife Achievement
Chapter
P.O. Box 118, Damascus, MD 20872
301-253-2384

JANUARY MEMBERSHIP DINNER

Friday January 16
Social at 7:00. Dinner at 8:00.

Some wild game will be available. Our 1996 budget will be presented to the membership for review and voting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Range Orientation and Cleanup for January is 1/28/96 at 10 am. A meeting of the Rifle & Pistol range committee will occur immediately following to discuss range policies and procedures - especially use of metal targets as used in Sportsman Team Challenge.

Tim Ouellette is the December shotgun shell winner. Tim must come to a membership meeting to collect his prize.

Super Bowl Party - Bill Kelly is planning another football bash in the Rathskeller for your "die hards and arm-chair quarterbacks" for Sunday January 28, 1996. It's pot luck so plan to bring a dish to share.

Planning for Sportsman Team Challenge is underway. Contact Bill Kelly to participate in planning for this major Chapter event. Several Ikes have expressed an interest in competing in the next Chevy Sportsman's Team Challenge (STC). If you're interested, you need to start finding partners now. The Chapter will assist in matching potential teammates by maintaining a list of interested shooters. Call Bill Kelly at 301-253-5009. **Sports Afield** Special Winter issue appears to be the first National publication to list the IWLA for the 1996 Chevy Sportsman Team Challenge.

Volunteer needed to handle Chaplain duties. Contact Air Sapir or another member of Board of Directors to learn the duties.

THANK YOU

Range Maintenance on December 17 thanks the following:

Hank Booth	Woody Johnson	Archie McAlister
Ray Logan	Ray Shaver	Alan Dapsauski
Jim Schinner	Bill Kelly	Mike Heffernan
Dave Fichter	Doug Whalen Jr	Chris Everard
Joe Gilpin		

Christmas Tree and Wreath volunteers for three Saturday and Sundays in December 1996. Thanks to the following Ikes:

Dave Hammett	Paul Jackson	Rick Sommer
Donna Needham	Nicholas Hrast	Doris Sommer
Merrill Needham	Mary McGinnis	Joe Carinci
Bill Carbone	Merle Kessler*	Dave Anderson*
Bob Mabie*	(*these Ikes were present every day).	

NEWSLETTER EDITOR NEEDED

Howard Weeks, current NewsLetter Editor is looking for his replacement. After having done this job for the last year and a half, it's time for someone else to take over the reins. Ideally we need someone with strong desktop publishing skills or someone who is a good writer and has a "close" friend with desktop publishing knowledge. Call Howard at 301-924-0400 (evenings) to discuss the duties.

SKEET, TRAP AND FIVE STAND REPORT FOR 1996

Co-chairmen Ed Bennett and Chuck Crooks report that two major events occurred in 1996. First was the introduction of the Chevy Sportsmen Team Challenge (STC). Second was the realization that our shotgun fields and associated machines are in need of renovation and upgrade. We expect the STC to develop into a major fund raiser and that we will be recognized nationally as a host location. With this in mind, the skeet-trap and five stand committee will aggressively pursue a five year plan that will upgrade the fields electrical wiring, replace the 30 year old machines, make repairs to the skeet houses and walkways, improve the fending and landscaping, prepare the fields for regular STC shoots, and develop regular shotgun training courses.

IN MEMORIAM

The Wildlife Achievement Chapter wished to express its sincere condolences to the family of **Marvin Kenney**, a long time member who passed away in late December. Marvin will be remembered for the eager willingness to volunteer and participate in club functions. Marvin is the brother of Lester Kenney, past President and active IKE in all chapter activities.

JANUARY 1996 CALENDER OF EVENTS

Jan 3	Board of Directors Meeting
Jan 6	Turkey Shoots at 6:30 pm
Jan 13	Turkey Shoots at 6:30 pm
Jan 20	Turkey Shoots at 6:30 pm
Jan 26	Membership Meeting (Wild Game Dinner)
Jan 28	Range Orientation and Maintenance at 10:00 am
Jan 28	Superbowl Party in Rathskeller

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1996 Calendar of Events

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- January**
- 3 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 6 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 13 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 20 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 26 Membership Meeting
 - 27 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 28 Range Orientation & Maintenance
Super Bowl Party

- February**
- 3 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 7 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 10 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 17 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 24 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 25 Range Orientation & Maintenance
 - 28 Membership Meeting

- March**
- 2 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 6 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 9 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 16 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 23 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 27 Membership Meeting
 - 30 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 31 Range Orientation & Maintenance

- April**
- 3 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 6 Seneca Valley Rifle Match
 - 21 Chapter .22 Sporter Shoot
 - 24 Membership Meeting

- April**
- 28 Range Orientation & Maintenance

- May**
- 1 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 4 Seneca Valley Rifle Match
 - 11 DNR Hunter Safety - Ranges Closed
 - 18 Chapter Fix/Up Clean/Up Day
NRA Class - Personal Protection
 - 19 NRA Class - Personal Protection
Range Orientation & Maintenance

- June**
- 5 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 8 Seneca Valley Rifle Match
 - 9 Chapter Military Rifle Shoot
 - 22 NRA Class - Basic Pistol

- June**
- 23 NRA Class - Basic Pistol
 - 26 Membership Meeting
 - 30 Range Orientation & Maintenance

- July**
- 3 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 6 Seneca Valley Rifle Match
 - 13 NRA Class - Basic Rifle
 - 14 NRA Class - Basic Rifle
 - 17 IWLA National Convention
 - 18 IWLA National Convention
 - 19 IWLA National Convention
 - 24 Membership Meeting
Nominations
 - 28 Range Orientation & Maintenance

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- August**
- 7 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 10 NRA Class - Basic Pistol
 - 11 NRA Class - Basic Pistol
 - 25 Range Orientation & Maintenance
 - 28 Elections Membership Meeting

- September**
- 4 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 6 Hunter Safety Class I
 - 7 Seneca Valley Rifle Match Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 13 Hunter Safety Class II
 - 14 Hunter Safety Class III Ranges Closed Until 1 PM Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 15 Chapter Black Powder Shoot
 - 21 NRA Class - Personal Protection Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM

- 22 NRA Class - Personal Protection Range Orientation & Maintenance
- 27 Installation Dinner Membership Meeting **Sportman's Team Challenge**
- 28 **Sportman's Team Challenge** Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
- 29 **Sportman's Team Challenge**

- October**
- 2 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 5 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 12 DNR Hunter Safety Instructors Appreciation Day Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM

- October**
- 18 Hunter Safety Class I
 - 19 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 23 Membership Meeting
 - 25 Hunter Safety Class II
 - 26 Hunter Safety Class III Ranges Closed Until 1 PM Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM

- 27 Range Orientation & Maintenance
- November**
- 2 Chapter Sight-In Days Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 3 Chapter Sight-In Days
 - 6 Board of Directors Meeting
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- 24 Range Orientation & Maintenance
- 26 Hunter Safety Class II
- 30 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM

- December**
- 4 Board of Directors Meeting
 - 7 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 14 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 18 Christmas Pot Luck Dinner Membership Meeting
 - 21 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM
 - 22 Range Orientation & Maintenance
 - 28 Turkey Shoot 6:30 PM

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RANGE OFFICERS Skeet, Trap and 5 Stand)

phone 301-253-4779

January 1995

Sat 6 Wayne Sterling, Bob Sadler, Bob Woodward
 Sun 7 Ed Bennett, John Corbin, Bill Wright
 Sat 13 John Dyer, Tim Ouellette, Tom Ouellette
 Sun 14 Bob Cooley, Donna & Merrill Needham
 Sat 20 Rich Buckingham, Nancy & Weldon Humphries
 Sun 21 Peter Currall, Dave Gold, Marc Grimes
 Sat 27 Berle Cherney, Fred Cherney, Bill Rahn
 Sun 28 Lee Slavin, Bill Marnane, Mike Merollini

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Sat 3 Wayne Sterling, Bob Sadler, Bob Woodward
 Sun 4 Ed Bennett, John Corbin, Bill Wright
 Sat 10 John Dyer, Tim and Tom Ouellette
 Sun 11 Bob Cooley, Donna Needham, Merrill Needham
 Sat 17 Rich Buckingham, Nancy and Weldon Humphries
 Sun 18 Peter Currall, Dave Gold, Marc Grimes
 Sat 24 Berle and Fred Cherney, Bill Rahn, David Fighter
 Sun 25 Lee Slaving, Bill Marnane, Mike Merollini

Range officers - *It is your responsibility to find a replacement when you can't work your scheduled assignment.
 Please replace yourself for your assignment.*

Perspective New Members (to be voted on at January Membership Meeting):

Dan Blatt	25109 Tralee Court	Damascus, MD	20872	301-253-4566	Sponsor: Joe Gick
George Blatt	2425 Lillian Dr	Silver Spring, MD	20902	301-933-7377	Sponsor: Joe Gick
Doran S. Platt III	12196 Overlook Dr	Monrovia, MD	21770	301-831-6022	Sponsor: Bob Mabie
Robert A. Ryon	4209 Lynn Burke Rd	Monrovia, MD	21770	301-865-1279	Sponsor: Phil Dean
David E. Simonton	1404 Florence Rd	Mt Airy, MD	21771	301-831-7959	Sponsor: Bob Mabie

ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

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