



TARGET BOARD

Promoting Conservation, Sportsmanship, Safety & Education

MAY

EVENTS & Grant Requirements

Through free, public events we help educate the public on firearms, safety, fishing, conservation, etc.. These events qualify us for grant money to help put on these free events. Grant money comes with strings, one of those strings is tracking work hours. If you work at the fishing derby, family day, trap class or hunter's education there is a form we need you to complete. The form includes time you spent preparing for the event, the hours you taught (worked) at the event, travel time and the date you did these things. Because we expect every member to help with at least one of these events you will all receive one of these form along with a filled sample form. You may make copies or request additional forms if needed. A copy will be available for download on the website. This is only a tiny part of our grant requirement but it is huge when it shows how many hours we put in and what we contribute to the community. This year's fishing derby is not part of the grant because of the ODNR change from calendar year to fiscal year accounting and we missed the change. We do not need forms for this year's derby. Our current grant is for July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. The trap class is our last event for the current grant and the report will be due a.s.a.p. following the June 19th class... because we've been conditionally approved for the next grant!!! Conditional on timely submission of our last report. So save the ODNR work

FISHING DERBY

The annual derby is upon us! As members we can all bring our kids and grandkids to the club most any time we want. Once a year we invite the public to gather up kids 12 and under to do some fishing, free of charge. We often get repeat fisher-boys and girls. But we truly look forward to the first timers, the ones who may not otherwise get the chance to try fishing, but given that chance get bit by the bug and want more. This is one of the events we get grant money for and it has helped us provide every kid attending with a brand new fishing rod and reel. No competition, every kids wins, and will hopefully want to do more fishing. We provide everything they need to fish and a free lunch. This is where YOU come in, it's a club event, YOU are the club. We need help with every aspect of the event; fishing, worming, unhooking, measuring fish, cooking hot dogs, setting up tables, serving food, registration, etc., etc.. Even if all you can do is sit in a chair... there's something for you to do! We start setting up at 8am, registration is 9-9:15am. We still don't have enough commitments to do any instruction (how to tie hooks, casting, etc.) so we'll have to skip that part) and have fishing from 9:45 to 11:15, lunch at 11:30. As of now we might have enough help for the fishing part, but we desperately need help in the kitchen!!!



form you receive, choose the event you'll be working at and mark it on your calendar. Our July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 grant events are;

- Progressive Trap Education ~ 1st Sunday monthly July through June
- Hunter's Ed 2 Day Class ~ Aug 26 & 27, 2016
- Family Day ~ Sept. 16, 2016
- Hunter's Ed Home Study Completion ~ Oct. 28, 2016
- Fishing Derby ~ June 3, 2017



Trap, Trap, and More Trap

TRAP SHOOTS

Organized trap shoots are now on the calendar the 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at 6pm, club house opens at 5pm.

\$4 club members, \$5 for non-members.

The club's shotguns will be available for member use and non-members may rent one for \$10.00.

PROGRESSIVE TRAP CLASSES

Classes have been going extremely well, great feedback and return students are improving! We have some truly awesome instructors, even our Wildlife Officer Chad Grote has been helping. Through June the classes run twice a month, beginners on the first Sunday of the month and Stage 2 class on the third Sunday.

Starting in July classes will run once a month on the first Sunday only, alternating the beginners and Stage 2 class. Classes are free and run from noon to approximately 4pm. Everything needed for the class is provided. Beginners class is a prerequisite for the Stage 2 class. Preregistration is required, call the office!

MEMBER TRAP SHOOTING

Thanks to member Rod Combs, Heritage Construction Co. Ltd., the trap house doors have been fixed. After being "Trap Approved" club members will be able to use the trap machines.

To be trap approved:

1. Attend trap machine orientation AND:
2. Participate in either a Thursday night shoot OR a beginners trap class.

Your life is irreplaceable, guns and trap machines are dangerous. SAFETY is our FIRST priority.

Current monthly trap machine orientation schedule:

- ~ Starting Jun. 16 on 1st & 3rd Thursday 5pm
- ~ Starting Jul. 3 on 1st Sunday 4:30

Trap approved members will pay \$5 per member, per day for use of the North trap house. Fee to be paid at memberships office where you will get the key, key must returned by end of day. You must bring your own birds, ammo and equipment. Day passes will be valid for trap shooting.

BOWLING PINS FOR SALE \$1.50 EACH (Used pins from matches)

EGG SHOOT

Just for the fun of it, lets shoot some eggs! August 28th at noon, open to the public. Details have yet to be determined but you can call Denny with questions or pass on your sugges-

Club RSO Instruction

For members interested in becoming a club Range Safety Officer ~June 5th at approximately 5pm, following the Progressive Trap Class. This is not an NRA, or any other organization, certification. Club members with an RSO stamped badge take the lead when on the range and serve as an example to others. We will also attempt to make a video for use at future safety-orientations for new members. RSO's who wish to may also serve as a contact for scheduling and presenting safety-orientations (S/O's). Busy lives and work schedules make it difficult for some to attend the regular scheduled S/O's. At present we only have two people willing to arrange their schedule and accommodate new members for an S/O.



Reminders, AGAIN!

Every club member :

- ~ is a club owner
- ~ is responsible for the club
- ~ is required to know and enforce the club rules

Every club member who uses the range :

- ~ has attended the safety orientation, a review of range rules
- ~ is responsible for following and enforcing those rules

Every club event :

- ~ will follow and enforce club rules and range rules
- ~ is a demonstration of rules and procedures

Every renewal application :

- ~ must be signed
- ~ must be accompanied by the correct amount of dues owed
- ~ will be reviewed at the monthly meeting

Every Day Pass :

- ~ must be signed for by a member in good standing
- ~ must be purchased PRIOR to taking a guest to the club
- ~ requires the club member remain with their guest while at the club
- ~ may be purchased in advance for a specific day



Forgotten procedures or range commands? Unsure of protocol because you don't shoot often?

Refresh your memory!

Attend another Safety Orientation.

2nd Sunday at 2:30

3rd Sunday at 9am.

Bring your kids or a guest to share it with.

Safety first!

WORK & PLAY

Earn work credit while you play. If you shoot at an event and help set up, run targets, put equipment away and clean up, it counts as work hours. Ask for the sign-in sheet while at the event, those running the event should turn the sheet in with fees collected.

DONATIONS

While donations (of ammo or other items for events) are greatly appreciated, they do not count towards your work hours. Keeping costs down require actual work, there are plenty of ways to 'work'. Donations are donations!

Hunter Education

AUGUST 27 & 28
Saturday 10am - 4pm
Sunday 12pm - 4pm

Two day class.

- Must attend both days.
- All supplies provided.
- 50 student limit.
- Preregistration required.
- Free lunch.

OCTOBER 22
Noon to 4pm

Home Study Completion Session
 Download material from ODNR

- website, study at home.
- Bring materials with completed chapter reviews to class.
- 50 student limit.
- Preregistration required.
- Free lunch.

TO REGISTER

- Call or email the office, .
- Call the instructor, Wayne Strunk.
- Possible 3rd class early next year !

SEE BACK PAGE FOR ALL CONTACT NUMBERS



Monthly Shoots - Through September

MILITARY MATCHES

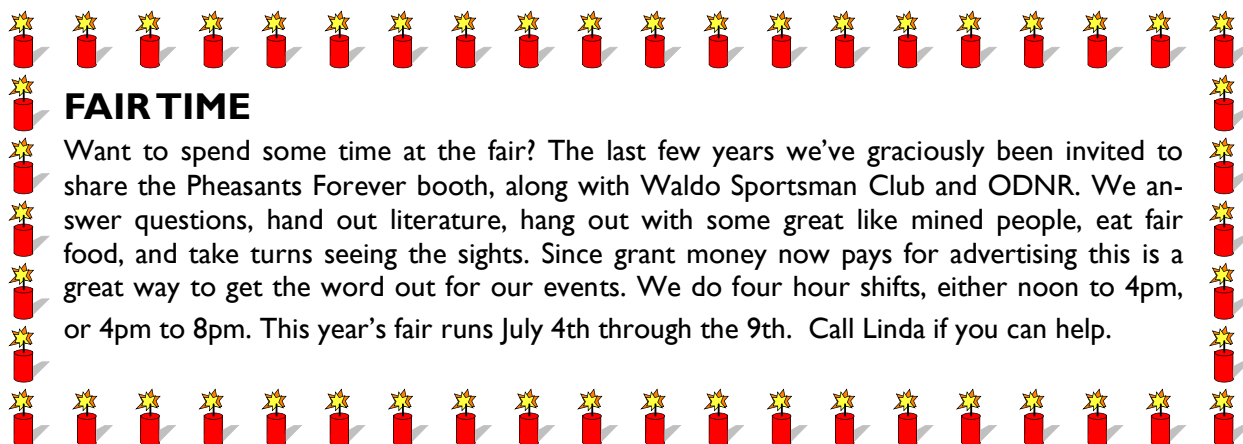
3rd Sun. ~Open 9am ~Shoot 10am.
 \$10 Adults ~17yrs & under free ~50% Payout.
 Any standard issue military service rifle.
 3 position shooting at 200yds, 10 shots each.
 Rimfire Sporter matches follow, pending interest.

3 GUN MATCHES

2nd Sat. ~Open 1pm ~Practice 2pm ~Shoot 3pm.
 \$20 fee. Man on Man Double Elimination, 6 rifle targets, 6 shotgun targets, 6 pistol targets.
 Practice last Tues. ~Open 4pm ~Shoot 5pm ~\$5 fee.

PISTOL LEAGUE MATCHES

1st Mon. @ Richwood, 3rd Mon. @ Meeker.
 Open 5pm ~Shoot 6pm ~\$10 fee.
 Practice Mondays when no match and Friday prior to Richwood match.
 Open 5pm ~Shoot 6pm ~\$5 range fee.
 Shooting bowling pins steel plates. Possibility of a 3rd team this year! *Holidays will push match to the next week.*



FAIR TIME

Want to spend some time at the fair? The last few years we've graciously been invited to share the Pheasants Forever booth, along with Waldo Sportsman Club and ODNR. We answer questions, hand out literature, hang out with some great like minded people, eat fair food, and take turns seeing the sights. Since grant money now pays for advertising this is a great way to get the word out for our events. We do four hour shifts, either noon to 4pm, or 4pm to 8pm. This year's fair runs July 4th through the 9th. Call Linda if you can help.

KITCHEN HELP NEEDED..... While reading the newsletter you might see 'free hot dogs' or 'free lunch', or maybe 'food available'. There's a place or two we'd like to add those words, like the trap shoot. One person can't do it all the time, and that one person sometimes needs help. If there's anyone who can help, even for an hour to help get things set up, that one person would greatly appreciate it! ~Signed the "One Person"

Member Contact Information

Club members are required to keep their contact information up to date. It's typically an easy thing to do since annual renewal forms are mailed out prefilled, with information we currently have on file. Any needed corrections can be made right on the form. This however doesn't always solve the problem with email addresses. Sometimes, even with correct spelling, emails get returned. The best way to correct the problem is to actually send us an email. Then we can add it to our address book and you'll be notified of range closures, schedule changes, etc..

If you're on this list, your emails are bouncing back. Help us fix the problem, send us an email!

- Ault, Steven
- Bender, Todd
- Ellis, Ned
- Gracely, Will
- Johnson, John
- Lilly, Zach
- Lewis, Ron
- Powell, Grant
- Scott, William
- Todd, Katie
- Todd, Troy
- Tron, Tim
- Wentzel, William

2016 CALENDAR - SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. WEB CALENDAR WILL BE UPDATED SHOULD THERE BE ANY CHANGES AND EMAIL NOTICES WILL BE SENT. OUTDOOR EVENTS ARE WEATHER DEPENDENT.

X = RANGE CLOSED DURING TIME LISTED . ENDING TIMES APPROXIMATE X = TRAP RANGE NOT AVAILABLE DURING TIME LISTED

OUTDOOR RIFLE / PISTOL RANGE SUBJECT TO UNANNOUNCED CLOSURE FOR CULVERT REPAIR.

MAY	30	Memorial Day - No meeting		
	31	3 Gun Practice	5pm-7pm	X
JUN	1	CLUB MEETING	7PM	
	2	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	3	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X
	4	FISHING DERBY	8am-12pm	X
	5	Beginner Trap Class	12-4pm	
	5	RSO Instruction	5pm-6pm	X
	6	Pistol League @ Richwood	6pm-8pm	
	11	Derby Rain Date		
	11	3 Gun Match	3pm-6pm	X
	12	Safety Orientation	2:30-2:45	X
	13	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X
	16	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15pm	
	16	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	19	Safety Orientation	9am-9:15am	X
	19	Military Match	10am-4pm	X
	19	Stage 2 Trap Class	12pm-4pm	
	20	Pistol League @ Home	6pm-8pm	X
	27	CLUB MEETING	7pm	
	28	3 Gun Practice	5pm-7pm	X
JUL	1	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X
	3	Beginner Trap Class	12pm-4pm	
	3	Trap Machine Orientation	4:30-4:45pm	
	7	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15pm	
	7	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	9	3 Gun Match	3pm-6pm	X
	10	Safety Orientation	2:30-2:45	X
	11	Pistol League @ Richwood	6pm-8pm	
	17	Safety Orientation	9am-9:15am	X
	17	Military Match	10am-4pm	X
	18	Pistol League @ Home	6pm-8pm	X
	21	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15	
	21	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	23	APPLESEED	8am-5pm	X
	24	APPLESEED	8am-5pm	X
	25	CLUB MEETING	7pm	
	26	3 Gun Practice	5pm-7pm	X
	29	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X

AUG	1	Pistol League @ Richwood	6pm-8pm	
	4	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15	
	4	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	7	Stage 2 Trap Class	12pm-4pm	
	8	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X
	13	3 Gun Match	3pm-6pm	X
	14	Safety Orientation	2:30-2:45	X
	15	Pistol League @ Home	6pm-8pm	X
	18	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15	
	18	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	21	Safety Orientation	9am-9:15am	X
	21	Military Match	10am-4pm	X
	22	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X
	27	Hunter's Ed	10am-4pm	X
	28	Hunter's Ed	12pm-4pm	X
	29	CLUB MEETING	7pm	
	30	3 Gun Practice	5pm-7pm	X
SEP	1	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15	
	1	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	3	CLEAN-UP DAY	8am-3pm	X
	4	Beginner Trap Class	12pm-4pm	
	4	Trap Machine Orientation	4:30-4:45pm	
	9	Pistol League Practice	6pm-8pm	X
	10	Clean-up Day Rain Date		
	10	3 Gun Match	3pm-6pm	X
	11	Safety Orientation	2:30-2:45	X
	12	Pistol League @ Richwood	6pm-8pm	
	15	Trap Machine Orientation	5pm-5:15pm	
	15	Trap Shoot	6pm	
	17	FAMILY OUTDOOR SPORTING DAY		X
	18	Safety Orientation	9am-9:15am	X
	18	Military Match	10am-4pm	X
	19	Pistol League @ Home	6pm-8pm	X
	26	CLUB MEETING	7pm	
	27	3 Gun Practice	5pm-7pm	X

PRESIDENT Marshall Baker 740-383-4418 (Rifle Team)

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