

October, 2023 GIWLA News

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Our first Annual Steak Fry will be Saturday, October 7th at 2pm-6pm. Approx. 1 pound T Bone or Porterhouse steak cooked to order on a charcoal grill, with baked potato bar, salad, garlic bread and homemade dessert, lemonade or coffee. Raffles and 50/50 will be available. Get your advance ticket for \$18.00. At the door \$20.00. We will be selling a limited number of tickets so don't wait if you plan to come. It is open to the public so help us sell tickets if you can. Call Jackie at 219-487-0001 for tickets to sell as well as any questions.

The October Competition shoot will be Saturday, October 14th. This is the shoot that was originally scheduled for the 21st. The first match will be handguns, **10 shots/offhand from the 7 yd line**, and the second will be **handguns, 10 shots/offhand from the 25 yd line**. The range opens for practice at 10am, and the first match is at 11. Range will re-open to members no later than 2pm. Contact our Rifle Chairs, **Paul McKinley (219-902-9518)** or **Dave Shea (raccoon1@flash.net)** if you'd like to volunteer at a match or help with improving the range.

We're having a Pierogi sale, organized by Larry Biegel (219-204-0920). He will be taking orders on October 15 through Nov. 15th and pick-up will be November 18th from 8am to 2pm at the clubhouse. There are a variety of flavors of pierogi available. You can pick up a flyer at a member's meeting or at Friday night Bingo. We'll also post it on our Facebook group page and have an option to order on-line. Call Larry for more information.

The next meeting of our Lakes and Grounds Committee will be Monday, Oct 16th at 7pm at the clubhouse. If you are curious about how our lakes are managed and would like to be part of this process, feel free to attend – they are always looking for new members and fresh ideas.

A message from our President, Kim Russell (219-629-3189 or cubbielvr6923@gmail.com):

Membership renewals will be going out soon and we're asking you to reply as soon as you can. You can send in a check, come to a meeting, or see John at his new member reviews. If none of those options work, you can pay any officer or Board member or mail it in. If paying in cash be sure to get a receipt signed from that individual. Remember that if your membership is not paid by January 13th, 2024 your gate pass will be turned off and you will have to contact John or myself to get it reinstated. We will be including a 2024 Full year calendar with renewals. We're hoping everyone will make a better effort to attend meetings and events given that they can plan ahead a little now. If there are any changes to the calendar we will let you know ASAP via meetings, emails and Facebook. Last but certainly not least, our annual Turkey Shoots start October 28th so be sure to let everyone know. If you don't want to shoot, you can always buy a splatter board at a meeting or the shoots.

We'd like to welcome our new members:

Jonathan Aviles

George Hofer

Terance Saxsma

Jeff Zemaitis

Billy Burt

Mickey Kostelnik

Frank Miller

Elliot Moore

Chelso Newbolds

Rachel Peyton

Johnny Raymond

The Annual Turkey shoots begin the weekend of Oct. 28th / 29th and continue on Nov. 4th / 5th. Note that we are only having the shoots for two weekends so be sure and tell your friends and come out and support your club. This is a big fund raiser and we need lots of help to put targets up, sell boards and otherwise just help with whatever needs to be done. Just show up before 10am and we'll put you to work.



Turkey Shoots

They are open to the public so tell your friends.

Our range is closed during the Turkey Shoots.

Saturdays 10am – 5pm / Sundays 10am – 4pm

Stills Only

October 28th & 29th

November 4th & 5th

Calendar

Tuesday Trap 2-6pm Open to the Public

Thursday Trap 2-10pm Open to the Public

The range is open, all year round, on Sundays and holidays, from noon until sundown. Other days it opens at 10am and closes at sundown.

October

Oct. 3rd – BOD meeting

Oct. 4th & 18th – Member's meeting

Oct 7th – ATA Kids Trap Shoot

Oct. 7th – Steak Fry

Oct. 14th – Competition Shoot (moved from the 21st)

Oct. 16th – Lakes & Grounds meeting (7pm at the clubhouse)

Oct. 25th & 28th – New Member's Review

Oct. 28th / 29th – Turkey Shoots, Open to the public

October 31st – Last day for Tuesday Trap

October 31st – (November) BOD meeting

November

Nov. 1st & 15th Member's meeting

Nov. 4th / 5th – Turkey Shoots, Open to the public

Nov. 16th – Last day for 2023 Trap

Nov. 18th – Competition Shoot

Nov. 18th – Pierogi Sale pick-up (8am-2pm) at the clubhouse

Nov. 18th & 21st – New Member's Review

Nov. 19th – Thanksgiving Potluck Dinner

Nov. 20th – Lakes & Grounds meeting ((7pm at the clubhouse)

December

Dec. 2nd – Division Meeting

Dec. 3rd – Kids' Christmas Party

Dec. 5th – BOD meeting

Dec. 6th & 20th – Member's meeting

Dec. 9th – Member's Christmas Party, all members welcome

Dec. 16th – Last Competition Shoot of the year

Dec. 27th – New Member's Review

Bingo every Friday – Doors open at 4pm, Early birds start at 5:30.

Regular Bingo at 6:30. Set-ups start at \$20.00.

Annual Activity License #001465 Expires 4/30/2024

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