

September, 2019 GIWLA News

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We're having a Fish Fry/Shrimp Boil on Saturday, Sept. 14th (1pm – 6pm.). Rick Perry is in charge so you know the food is going to be exceptional. Tickets are \$12 if purchased prior to the event and \$15 at the door. Bring a friend - the public is welcome. Rick could use some help with this dinner so give him a call if you'd like to volunteer (219-680-9796).

The last 3-D Archery Shoot of the year will be Sunday, September 8th. First shooter out at 8am, last shooter out at 1pm. The shoot is open to the public so tell your friends. Registration is \$10 for non-members, \$8.00 for members. Breakfast and lunch will be available also. You can **contact our Archery Chairs, Joe Bissonette (219-779-0396) or Dave Reel (219-678-0088)** for more information or if you'd like to help.

We'll be having a Rummage Sale on Saturday, September 21st Rain or Shine! In the event of rain, vendors can set-up inside. The gate will be open at 6am for set-up and the sale will be 8am – 2pm. We'll have coffee and donuts for the vendors. The cost for a space is \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members. Contact Ed Rosinski (219-781-9053) if you are interested in renting a booth.

Our September competition shoot is on the 28th. First match will be El Presidenti which is a timed event from the 7th yard line, any handgun (iron sites only), 2 strings of 6 rounds. The second match will be rifles (iron sites only), 10 rounds, sitting from the 50 yard bench. Practice will be at 10am, first match starts 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.

Sunday, September 29th is Take a Kid Fishing Day/Archery Clinic, 10am-3pm. This event is free and open to the public. There will be gifts, raffles and awards as well as lunch for everyone. Bring your own pole or borrow one of ours - we'll provide the bait. Our Archery Committee will be there to teach the kids archery. We will need lots of volunteers to help make this day special for the kids. Contact our **Lakes Chairs, Alice Butterfield (708-466-3357) or Jackie Larson (219-487-0001)** if you can help with fishing. If you would like to help with archery, contact our **Archery Chairs, Joe Bissonette (219-779-0396) or Dave Reel (219-678-0088)**. Not sure? Just show up – someone will put you to work.

Larry Biegel, our Recycle Chair, would like to remind everyone that the white barrels are for garbage and the blue barrels are ONLY for cans. Please try not to confuse them.

A message from Bobby Wright on Carmelite Kids Day:

"On Sunday, August 4th, the Carmelite kids visited the chapter grounds for their annual picnic and fishing day. There were 56 children plus the house workers and 4 sisters. The bus picked them up at 9:30am and they arrived by 10. A filling lunch was served at noon. There were many donations from our chapter members. Water and juice was served under the pavilion. Past practice is each child gets a nickel for each fish caught. We aren't exactly sure how many fish were caught, but we gave out 120 nickels.

I would like to thank all those who donated and volunteered to make it a great day. The members that took care of the fishing did a great job too. We did not hear of anyone falling in the lake or getting hooked. There were enough donations that all bills were paid and the chapter had no actual cost. Also donated, in the name of the Izaak Walton, were 90 dozen eggs.

Again, thanks to everyone who helped make this a special day for the kids."

We'd like to welcome our new members:

Luis Del Real, Highland
Larry Parker, Chicago, IL

Walter Grady, Crete, IL
Robert Rodriguez, Dyer

Calendar

Every Tuesday – Trap 2-7pm Open to the public

Every 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.

Sept. 3rd - Board of Director's Meeting (7:30 at the clubhouse)

Sept. 4th & 18th - General meeting (7:30 at the clubhouse)

Sept. 4th - Fund Raising Committee (after the general meeting)

Sept. 8th - 3D Archery Shoot - first shooter out at 8am, last at 1pm *Range closed until event is over*

Sept. 14th – Fish Fry / Shrimp Boil *Range closed during event*

Sept. 16th - Lakes Planning Committee meeting (6pm at the clubhouse)

Sept. 21st – Rummage Sale *Range closed during event*

Sept. 25th & 28th - New member review

Sept. 28th - Competition Shoot - 10am *Range closed until 2pm*

Sept. 28th – Officer's Dinner

Sept. 29th – Take a Kid Fishing/Archery Day *Range closed during event*

Sept. 29th – National Hunting and Fishing Day

Oct. 1st - Board of Director's Meeting (7:30 at the clubhouse)

Oct 2nd & 16th - General meeting (7:30 at the clubhouse)

Oct. 19th - Competition Shoot - 10am *Range closed until 2pm*

Oct. 23rd & 26th - New member Review

Don't forget our Turkey Shoots start at the end of October.

They are open to the public so tell your friends.

Remember that our range is closed during the Turkey Shoots.

Oct. 26th / 27th – Stills only

Nov. 2nd / 3rd – Stills and Trap

Nov. 9th / 10th – Stills and Trap

Bingo every Friday - Doors open at 4pm, Early birds start at 5:30. Regular Bingo at 6:30. Set-ups start at \$20.00.

Bingo License: #134277

Raffle License: #149378

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