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President's Corner

I hope everyone's Easter was a nice one considering all the rain we've had. What I want to touch base on this month is our volunteers. I think it's important that they be recognized for all their hard work and dedication they put into this club on a continuous basis. For those of you who have asked me on occasion who some of these volunteers are and what they do within our club, I would like for them to be acknowledged in this month's bulletin for you members to get a better understanding of just what an asset these people are in keeping this club up and running.

The principal people and events are:

Godfrey

Brad Brands—Grounds; Sherry Cowan—Bingo; Becky Lee—Bingo, Trap and Pull tabs; Brad Beck—Trap; Ken Harris—Bingo; Dave Herzog—Bingo; Karen Pearson—Entertainment; Russ Billings—Lake; and Russ Campbell, Ed Hamburg—House

Pleasant Hill

Craig Kittstein—SNY; Rick Forbes—Trailer and Grounds; Scott Schweitzer, Matt Smith, and Tony Henkhaus—House

I would like to stress that all the work these volunteers are doing for the club is keeping expenses down and our dues at a reasonable cost.

I would also like to personally thank the Sny Committee Members for coming in and volunteering their time every Thursday to help out with Bingo. We could always use more volunteers for the amount of activity going on at the club. Any help would be greatly appreciated, and please feel free to contact me at any time.

Harold Medford
618.978.1083

Welcome New Members!

Let's join together and welcome our new members:
David Moehn, Jud Admire, Laura Shea, David Taylor, Jeff Bowers, Kyle Steiner, Dennis Wallace, Bradley Allen, Gleen Hubbard, Troy Vernati, Barry Dierkes, Duane Hahnenkamp, Adam Darr, Raymond Cobbel, Clinton Denton, Marty Jones, Nick Maberry, Shaun Copeland, Ben Bishop, Stephanie Spurgen, Chris Mcgee, Chris Muscarella, Tom Grider, Harly Hicks, Donald Korte, Darwin Bloemker, Michael Crouthers, Erik Rockhem, Larry Crawford, Tom Hand, Doug Wilschetz, Matt Fitzgerald, Dan Kenney, Nelson Lewis, Jeremy Moyer, Verleon Jones Jr., Michael Jenkins, John McMullen, Mark Goldmen, Corey Hayes, Richard Orban and Lenord Jacoby.

Volunteers Needed!

Volunteers are needed for Bingo on Thursday nights, Trap League on Wednesday nights and other days for grounds maintenance. Please call the Club's office at 466-3042 to volunteer.

Mother's Day Buffet (May 8th)

On Sunday, May 8th, the Club will offer a chicken buffet. This is an easy way to get your mother and/or wife out of the kitchen that day to help honor her on Mother's Day. The serving hours are 11:00 AM until 4:00 PM. The cost is \$9.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children between the ages of 3-12, and under 3 years is free. Drinks such as coffee, iced tea, and/or water are included. The members of the Sny Committee and some spouses will again this year provide the volunteer labor for this fundraiser.

Have a Birthday Dinner On Us!

Members with a birthday in May (see list below) are entitled to receive a free meal from the regular menu. Dinner specials are therefore excluded.

The offer applies to dine-in only please.

May Birthdays

Happy birthday to: 2- Scott Dorris; 3- Jeff Biddle; 4- David Jenkins; 5- Michael Jenkins, 8- Richard Knoke; 7- Judy Schupbach; 8- Terry Long; 9- Michael Mc Garry, Christopher Clyde, Jonathan Greco; 10- Larry Klinke; 11- John Springman, David Hambrick; 12- Ronald Tickner, Don Adele, Doug Messinger, Keith Stampley; 14- Harry Doyle, Dennis Tolbert, Ronald Roderfeld; 15- Christian Veltjes; 16- Michael Ditterline; 17- Brian Schmidt, Pamela Kodros; 18- Royal Ward; 19- Larry Main, Walter Springman; 21- Clifton Brame; 23- James Hess; 24- Greg Barczewski, Matthew Smith; 25- Collie Wedding; 26- Bradley Lynn, Mark Ivie; 27- Harrison Paisley, Richard Monks; 28- Rob Bockstruck; 30- David Totten, Edward Kozicky, Mark Watson; and, 31- John Allison.



NRA Banquet and Auction

Ron and Sherry Cowan would like to thank everyone who came out and supported the NRA Banquet which ultimately helps fund our Youth Shooting Program. We had a successful evening raising just under \$14,000.



AWRSC Youth Shooting Sports Trap

The Jr Trap practice schedule for May and June is:

May 1 at 4:00 PM
May 12 at 7:00 PM
May 15 at 4:00 PM
May 19 at 6:30 PM
May 26 at 6:30 PM
June 9 at 4:00 PM
June 11 State Shoot at Sparta
June 16 at 6:30 PM
June 25 State Sporting Clays Shoot at Sparta

If you have a youth that is interested in joining our program, call Ron Cowan at 372-4272 or Dave Phillips at 498-1147

Mouse Race to Benefit Jr. Trap

A Mouse Race to benefit the Club's Youth Shooting Program will be May 13th.

Doors open at 6:30 PM and the first race will start at 7:00. There will also be various raffles available.



Wednesday Night Trap League

The hours of the Club's operation are posted on the last page of this Bulletin. The Lounge (only) is now open on Sundays at 3:30 PM.

If you or know of anyone who would like to shoot on a trap team in the Club's Wednesday night Trap League, we have teams needing shooters.

Call the Club's office at 466-3042 or Becky Lee at 217-368-2195. Shooting starts promptly at 6:30 PM.

AWRSC's Anniversary

In 2011, the Club will celebrate 65 years of existence. Don Schmidt has volunteered to chair the committee that will compile a 20-30 page booklet of information and pictures of the Club's history. We will also recommend to the Board how this milestone could be further recognized and celebrated. Anyone interested in participating on this committee can contact Don by calling 618-465-1336, or contacting him by e-mail at donschmidt@sbcglobal.net.

Mark Your Calendars!

- May 6 Lounge Entertainment by Ace High Band from 8:00-11:00 PM
- May 8 Mother's Day Buffet (Serving from 11AM-4:00 PM)
- May 13 Mouse Race Benefit for Junior Trap (doors open at 6:30 PM, first race starts at 7:00 PM)
- May 20 Quartermania (doors open at 5:00 PM auction starts at 6:00 PM)
Volunteers needed to help with this event!
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Clean Up at Pleasant Hill

All Trailer Owners.....there has been a large amount of limbs and brush cut down around trailers and the club house areas. Trailer owners are responsible for cleaning up around their trailers as well as helping clean up around the club house.

If everyone helps out, we can have it cleaned up a lot faster.

SNY Members Keeping You Posted

Next Sny Meeting is May 3rd at 7:30 PM. A Deer, Duck and/or Trailer Meeting will start at 6:30.

Please Note: All first quarter trailer pad fees were due by March 31, 2011. Second quarter fees are due by June 30, 2011. Anyone who has not paid their first quarter fees is subject to a late fee.

Dining Room Seating

When entering the Dining Room, whether from the parking lot entrance or the bar, please wait to be seated by a waitress to ensure you receive the best possible food and beverage service.

Thank you.

Trailer Spots at Pleasant Hill...

Trailer Spots # 25, 39, & 53 are available.

Anyone on the move up list or waiting list should

May 2011

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 1 Closed | 2 Closed | 3 SNY Meetings 7:30 SNY Bar Menu 4-7:30 | 4 Fried Cod w/Mac & Cheese \$9.95 Trap 6:00 p.m. | 5 BINGO 6:30 All You Can Eat BBQ Buffet \$7.99 | 6 Fisherman's Platter \$12.99 | 7 Prime Rib 8 oz—\$13.99 12 oz—\$18.99 |
| 8 Mother's Day Buffet 11 a.m.-4 p.m. | 9 Closed | 10 Board Meeting 6:30 Bar Menu 4-7:30 | 11 Baked Meatloaf \$9.95 Trap 6:00 p.m. | 12 BINGO 6:30 All You Can Eat BBQ Buffet \$7.99 | 13 Shrimp Pesto w/ Linguini \$13.99 | 14 Prime Rib 8 oz—\$13.99 12 oz—\$18.99 |
| 15 Closed | 16 Closed | 17 Regular Meeting 7:30 Bar Menu | 18 Beef Stroganoff \$9.95 Trap 6:00 p.m. | 19 BINGO 6:30 All You Can Eat BBQ Buffet \$7.99 | 20 Crab Stuffed Lobster Tail \$16.99 | 21 Prime Rib 8 oz—\$13.99 12 oz—\$18.99 |
| 22 Closed | 23 Closed | 24 Bar Menu 4-7:30 | 25 Chicken & Dumplings \$9.95 Trap 6:00 p.m. | 26 BINGO 6:30 All You Can Eat BBQ Buffet \$7.99 | 27 Crab Stuffed Tilapia \$13.99 | 28 Prime Rib 8 oz—\$13.99 12 oz—\$18.99 |
| 29 Closed | 30 Closed | 31 Bar Menu 4-7:30 | | | | |

Dining Room Hours:

Sun, Mon: Closed
 Tues: Bar Menu 4:00-7:30 p.m.
 Wed-Thurs: 4:00-8:00 p.m.
 Fri & Sat: 4:00-9:00 p.m.

Bar Hours:

Tues-Thurs: 3:30-12:30 a.m.
 Fri & Sat: 3:30-12:30 a.m.
 Sun: 3:30-

Office Hours:

Tues-Fri: 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.