

Monroe County Rod & Gun Club
April - May - June
2010 Bullet

Presidents Corner

Becoming President under the saddest and most unfortunate circumstances makes a person reflect on the value of friendship. If you had the pleasure of knowing Mark Palmer, you know what I'm talking about. He is truly missed.

For those who don't know me, my name is John Kandler and I have been a club member here for 26 years since moving from Nebraska. The people at the Monroe County Rod & Gun Club are some of the finest people I have ever met. The many active members already know that. If you're not yet an active member, come find out what I'm talking about. You'll enjoy yourself.

The Wild Game Dinner and the NRA Banquet were very successful. I would like to personally thank each and everyone who worked so hard to make it such a success. I would also like to thank the Ladies Auxiliary for all their hard work. For those who don't know, they are responsible in replacing the windows of the Club House and storm doors, along with many contributions to the betterment of this Club.

We have many functions coming up in the next few months, along with Rendezvous Weekend in June. Check out the website at mcr gc.org for all the details.

I welcome your suggestions and comments.

Sincerely,
John Kandler

Ladies Auxiliary

We have had many successful events already this year, without your support these events would have not been a success. We have installed all new windows at the club and would like to thank all the members whose hard work made this possible. We will be having more dinners in the coming months so mark your calendars. Don't forget that our meetings are held on the second Wednesday of every month. All members' spouses are invited to join the Auxiliary for \$10.00 application fee and yearly dues of \$10.00. If anyone has any ideas or suggestions please feel free to call me.

Lori Stevens
Auxiliary President

Rib Off

The club will be holding its first annual rib off on April 11th. We will supply you with a couple racks of ribs to cook. You may prepare your ribs at home or you may bring your cooker to the club and prepare them. Your ribs will have to be done and ready to eat at 12:00. The judging will be done by anyone who wishes to be a judge at a fee of \$7.00. You may also buy a dinner for \$8.00. There will be sides to go along with the dinner. For more info contact Mark Palmer II at the club or at 734-915-5079. Come on out and enjoy some good ribs.

Wing Night is Back - April 9th

Wild wing night is starting back up and will be held on the 2nd Friday of every month. Starting April 9th Wings will be sold @ .50 each and must be purchased in lots of 5.

Gun – a- Day Raffle

The club is having another Gun a Day raffle for the month of July. Tickets are available at the club for \$25.00 each. If you can help sell tickets contact Rick Angerer at 734-755-7100. You can also call Rick with any questions about the raffle.

Archery Shoots

30-3D Archery Shoot – April 25 and May 9th

The club will be having 30-3D archery shoots April 25 and May 9. All ladies will shoot for free on Mothers Day May 9th.

Chicken Dinner – April 18th and May 23rd

We will be having a chicken dinner on Sunday, April 18th and May 23rd from 12:00 – 5:00pm. The cost is \$8.00 and the menu will include chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, corn, coleslaw, rolls and desserts. Take outs will be available for \$9.00

NRA Personal Protection Class

The club will be holding a NRA Personal Protection in the Home class on April 26, 27 and 28, 2010. This course is required if you plan to apply for a Concealed Pistol License (CPL) sometimes referred to as a CCW permit. The class is a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 6 to 10 p.m. with registration from 5 to 6 p.m. on Monday, April 26th. The cost for club members is \$70.00 and \$100 for non members. To sign up for the class go to www.mergc.org and click on the feedback tab and fill in the info. You can also email mickblair@yahoo.com to sign up or to get more information go to the club website under the education tab to view the flier for the class.

Cajun Dinner - June 13th

The club will be a dinner on Sunday, June 13th – 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Seafood Jambalaya, Cajun Shrimp Pasta (shrimp cooked in a white cream sauce with Cajun seasoning served over Linguine Noodles), Gumbo, Tossed Salad, Rolls, Dessert for \$8.50 per person

Walleye Derby - June 5th

The derby will be held on Saturday June 5th. The official rules and regulations are available at the club or on the website at mergc.org. For more information contact Ron Crabtree at rcrab1@charter.net

Hunter Safety Class Pre-Registration May 2nd

The club will be having a pre-registration for hunter safety class on Sunday May 2nd from 12:00 - 5:00 pm. **You must Pre-Register!** The class will be held on Saturday May 15th from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm here at the club. For more information contact the club or Mike Beck 734-915-0032.

.22 League

The sign up sheet will be posted at the club April 1st. If you have any questions call Randy or Kristen Duffy at 724-241-2322

Rifle Range Shoots

Vintage Military Rifle Shoot

Saturday May 22nd at 10:00am. Iron sights at 50 and 100 yards Mausers, Springfields, Garands, etc. The cost is \$5.00.

Rimfire Match

Saturday June 19th. Any rimfire, scope required. 20 shots at 50 yards. Practice 9:00 - 11:00 am, Registration 11:00 am, match at Noon. Cost is \$5.00

Rimfire Challenge

Saturday June 26th at 10:00 am. Any rimfire allowed 20 shots at 100 yards, scope or iron sights allowed. Cost \$5.00

For more information on these events see Rick Latray

Range Closures

April 15th - Rifle Range closed at 5:00pm - Steak Roast

May 15th - All ranges Closed till 5:00pm - Hunters Safety

May 20th - Rifle Range closed at 5:00pm - Steak Roast

May 22nd - Rifle Range closed 10:00am - 1:00pm - Vintage Rifle Shoot

June 17th - Rifle Range closed at 5:00pm - Steak Roast

June 18th - Rifle Range closed at 5:00pm - Frog Leg Dinner

June 19th - Rifle Range closed all day except for Rimfire match

June 20th - Rifle Range Closed all day - Travel Trap

June 26th - Rifle Range closed 10:00am - 1:00pm - Rimfire Challenge

Golf Outing

The club will be hosting a golf outing at Raisin River Golf Course on Saturday, Aug 21st at 1:00 pm on the East Course. It will be a 4 person best ball tournament. After the tournament we will go back to the gun club for chicken and ribs. Please sign the sheet with all players' names per team. Price will be \$65.00 per person or \$260.00 per team. All money must be paid by Aug 1st. Any questions call Rick Angerer at 734-755-7100. If you would like to mail a check to me please list names of all players and send to Rick Angerer - 9073 Grafton Rd – Carleton, MI 48117.

Sunday Workers:

April

4 - Easter Sunday

11 - Fred Sype, Butch Beauman, Benny Dykes, Mike

18 - Gary Zorn, Randy Duffy, Don Grodi, Mike Beck

25 - Tina Cuolahan, Don Hawk, Pat Hawk

May

2 - Al LaRonde's Crew

9 - Chuck Stevens Crew

16 - Matt Warner, Zachery Guthrie

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30 - Need Help

June

6 - Al LaRonde's Crew

13 - Need Help

20 - Tim Cuolahan, Chris Cuolahan

27 - Need Help

Sportsman's Rendezvous Weekend June 17th – 20th

This should be a great weekend of fun for the whole family so come on out and enjoy it!

Thursday, June 17th

Steak Roast 6:00 -8:00 pm

Open Shooting - 10:00 – 10:00 pm

Friday, June 18th

Frog Leg Dinner 6:00- 8:00 pm

Softball Tournament 6:00 pm

Open Shooting 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Saturday, June 19th

Breakfast Sandwiches 8:00 - 10:00 am

Softball Tournament starts at 8:00 am

Shotgun Challenge 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Lunch served at ballpark 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Rim Fire Shoot –Match starts at 12:00 pm

Hobo Dinner 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Sunday, June 20th

Breakfast 8:00 - 10:00 am

Softball Tournament Playoffs 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

6th Annual Pete Wooley Memorial Horseshoe Tournament (Registration starts at 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Tournament begins at 1:00 pm,

Monroe County Travel League 10:00am - 4:00 pm

Bar-B-Que Chicken 10:00am – 3:00pm

Flea Market 10:00am – 4:00 pm

Club Auction starts at 4:30 pm

Calendar of Events

April

- 2 - Fish Fry - 5:30 - 7:30 pm
- 7 - Board Meeting - 7:30 pm
- 9 - Wing Night
- 11 - Rib Off
- 11 - Travel Trap @ Brest Bay
- 14 - General Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm
- 15 - Steak Roast - 6:00 - 8:00 pm
- 17 - Indoor Archery League Banquet
- 18 - Chicken Dinner Noon - 5:00pm
- 24 - 4H Youth Shoot and Banquet
- 25 - 30-3D Archery Shoot
- 30 - Street Rods

May

- 1 - Winter Trap & Skeet League Banquet
- 2 - Hunter Safety Pre-Registration 12:00 -5:00 pm
- 5 - Board meeting - 7:30 pm
- 7 - Fish Fry - 5:30 - 7:30 pm
- 9 - 30-3D Archery Shoot
- 12- General Membership Meeting - 7:30 pm
- 14 - Wing Night
- 15 - Hunter Safety Class 8:00am - 5:00pm (All ranges closed)
- 16 - Travel Trap @Wayne County
- 20 - Steak Roast - 6:00 - 8:00 pm
- 22 - Vintage Military Shoot
- 23 - Chicken Dinner Noon - 5:00pm
- 28 - Street Rods
- 31- Hall Usage

June

- 2 - Board meeting - 7:30 pm
- 4 - Fish Fry - 5:30 - 7:30 pm
- 5 - Walleye Derby
- 9 - General Membership Meeting 7:30 pm
- 11- Wing Night
- 12 - Hall Usage
- 13 - Traveling Trap @ Ottawa Lake
- 17 - Steak Roast - 6:00 - 9:00 pm
- 18 - Frog Leg Dinner 6:00 - 8:00 pm
- 19 - Breakfast Lunch and Dinner served
- 20 - Travel Trap @ Monroe Rod & Gun
- 20 - Breakfast Lunch and Dinner served
- 25 - .22 League Banquet
- 25 - Street Rods
- 28 - Hall Usage