General Membership Meeting
Tuesday, February 11th, 2014 at 7 PM

Agenda for Meeting:

MinutesCommittee ReportsFinancial ReportFundraiser PlanningLeague UpdatesMember Input

Message from the President:

Happy New Year! There are many things happening here at the club. We have many leagues running and scheduled to begin this spring. We hope to see you enjoying the many shooting sports that we are privileged to offer.

Coming up soon are two of the Club's largest fundraisers. February 23rd will be our annual Winterfest Celebration on the club grounds. Bring your family and join us for a day of fun and relaxation for all ages. Also, on Friday, March 14th we will hold our annual Sportsman's Banquet and Raffle at the Swan Club. Tickets are on sale now.

Volunteers are at the heart of the success of all of these events. We need as much support from our members as possible to make these fundraisers successful.

Safe shooting, Bill Zirbel – President

<u>Site-In Days</u>

This year's Site-In Days were a great success. Many thanks to those who helped out!

Scott Harris Rifle Chairman

<u>Trap</u>

The trap leagues are taking the winter months off, therefore there will be no open shooting until April. Sign-up for the summer league will be posted at Winterfest. Stay warm!

Julie and Mark Baugnet – Trap Chairpersons

Thanks to all who shot the summer 3D league. Our winter leagues have started on Monday and Wednesday nights, and they are going well. We are still looking for sponsors for the 3D targets, so if you or anyone you know is interested, please contact Jim Landwehr at 920-680-0850 or Kevin Sommerfeld at 920-621-1495. We are planning a spring clean up day sometime inMid April. We will let people know the exact date as the weather allows.

Jim Landwehr- Archery Chairperson

Hunters Safety

The club will be conducting their 2014 Spring Hunter Education classes on **April 1st- April 29th** (Tuesdays). If you have someone that needs a course by this fall, please do not hesitate to get them signed up, as these classes fill up very quickly. As you cannot sign up for this class on-line, call John Johnson at 920-869-3293 and he will give you instructions on what to do next. If these dates don't work for you, there are a number of other classes available. Visit <u>widnr.gov</u>, click on WI DNR Home page, click Education and follow the prompts.

The Club's Hunter Education program is in need of another action set to be used for their trainibg. A set contains a slide, lever, bolt and a semi-auto action. If you have one of these fiearms cluttering up your (way too many guns in here anyway) gun safe, and would like to donate it to the program give Dennis Dugre a call at 920-494-9227. Youth models would be awesome.

Events

Winterfest: Sunday, February 23rd will be our 62nd annual Winterfest on the club grounds from 10am until 6pm. Bring your family and friends for a fun day filled with great raffles, games and booyah. This is the club's oldest and largest fundraiser, and a good time is always had by all. Club members should have received raffle tickets in the mail, and there will be additional tickets available at the club.

Sportsmen's Raffle: Included in this newsletter is a ticket request form for the 17th annual Sportsmen's Raffle coming up Friday, March 14th. Your \$100.00 ticket will get you and a guest in for a meal at the Swan Club along with a chance to win \$6,000.00. Tickets are limited so make sure to get your request form in as soon as possible. It will be a great evening with lots of raffles and fun. Don't forget, if you buy your Banquet ticket at or before Winterfest, you are entered in the early-bird drawing.

Membership Guidelines & Renewals

Club memberships come due in May. You should receive renewal information in the mail late March. Life members, you will want to make any updates to your card and return to the club to keep your information current. If you have any questions regarding your current membership, please contact **Becky Schuessler**, **club secretary, telephone 920-217-0923 or email: rjschuessler@gmail.com**

- All renewals are \$60.00.
- . \$20.00 of membership for will be placed in a land acquisition/defence fund

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