

Crooked Creek Conservation Club Newsletter

SPORTSMANSHIP ON THE JOB – AFIELD – 24 HOURS A DAY

September 1, 2010

MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND CALL TODAY FOR Sept. 11, 2010

Clam Bake

The Clambake Dinner with all the extras will be \$21.00, extra Dozen Clams \$7.00.

Kids meals are available at \$3.00. Serving will be from 5:00-6:30p.m. Guests are welcome at the same cost.

Reservations must be made in advance, no later than September 8th by 10:00 p.m.

Tickets will be paid for and picked up at the dinner.

The rimfire fun shoot has been canceled. The TRAP & SKEET fields will be open until 4:00 p.m. as will the RIFLE & PISTOL ranges. We hope to see you all there.

To reserve Dinners or get more information,

Brett and Patty Sloan 440-357-8041.

If an answering machine picks up, leave a message and someone will return your call.

CLAY TARGET SHOOTING SPORTS: Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand ranges are available to members and non-members at nominal shooting fees.

- Trap, Skeet & 5-Stand is open Sundays 10:00 am to 4:00 PM. Enjoy a round or more at one of our first class clay target facilities.
 - Clay target ranges will be open from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM Saturdays) of the Steak Roast, Pig roast and the Clam bake. Check the newsletter calendar of events for dates. Come out early and shoot a few rounds of clay targets then enjoy a great meal and visit with your friends.
 - 5-Stand –currently open Sundays only. NOTE: **We will be open from 10:00 AM until 2:00 PM on Sundays only and only if there are volunteers to open and run the 5-stand.**
 - All ranges will be closed on **December 11 due to work party.** Please check the web site for additional information pertaining to the Clay target sports.
- Sign- up sheets for 2010 are in the clubhouse on the main desk, we still have many open dates for Trap and Skeet and for the five stand. For updated shooting news throughout the year please check our website.

Help Wanted!!!! Volunteers are still needed to run the desk and the shooting facilities on Sundays at Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand. Please consider volunteering some time to help out, reminder many hands make for light work. If you would like to volunteer please sign your name on any open dates on the sheets) located on the front desk in the clubhouse. You may also contact any of the following individuals and they will get you signed up. Bill Vandever @440-974-0857, Jim Majoris @440-354-6358, Chip Snow @440-275-1278 or Jerry Palfy @440-275-5177.

SPECIAL THANKS FROM THE CLUB PRESIDENT: I would like to extend my thanks to all those members who have contributed once again to another great success of our Youth Weekend. I have received many compliments, from members and non-members, on how nice the club grounds looked and how well everything was run. All this work has been done by members, volunteering their personal time, it is very satisfying to have such dedicated members and I greatly appreciate your efforts.

Campgrounds: A new road was built on the west end of the camping area. It is requested that all access to campers be done from the roads and not by traveling over the grassy areas.

FIREWOOD: Firewood that has been cut, split and stacked by clubhouses is **off limits for any use other than heating clubhouses.** This wood is not to be moved or used by campers. Any misuse of wood, that others have prepared for clubhouses, will be considered theft of club property and result in loss of membership. This has been an on-going problem and will not be tolerated in the future.

Ranges: The new shooting pavilion has been completed at the second short range bay. Thanks to the members who volunteered their time and skill to complete this project. Due to an increase in shooting activities a new parking lot has been completed in front of the 5-stand range. For those using the ranges a reminder that whatever you bring with you to shoot at must be removed when you leave. Do not expect someone else to clean up after you.

Reloading supplies can be ordered twice a year. Order forms will be available in the main clubhouse in April and September. This service is for club members only. The only contact for the ordering of reloading components is Alex Thomas @ 440-285-2523.

Practical Pistol Shoots: USPSA Pistol match dates are **9/26 & 10/24** . See our web page at <http://www.practicalpistol.net/> for more information. The rifle ranges will be open on these dates for green badge member use.

Falling Steel: matches are scheduled for **9/11, 11/6** .

CMP & Rimfire Shoots: 9/18 & 10/16. We need volunteers to help organize and run rifle events at Crooked Creek. Set-up, registration, and range officers needed. Match volunteers can shoot free and earn work credit. We also need volunteers to help construct the pavilion over the other pistol bay. Contact Don Helwick at dhelwick4@att.net or 440-354-9984. or 440-354-9984.

Archery: Scheduled 3D Archery Shoots **9/11&12** . Please contact David Buck 440-257-5384. David could sure use some help setting up targets the day before these shoots.

Work Detail Dates: Fall 10/17 and Winter 12/11/2010. MARK YOUR CALENDARS.

Clam Bake: Clam Bake will be held on **Saturday, September 11, 2010.** More details in next newsletter.

Field Trials: Saturday morning dog training year round. This years Trial dates are **9/12, 10/10, 10/31, 11/21, 12/12** . To sign up, please call Cindy Rogge at 440-858-2855.

Rifle Range Safety Course: The range safety course, required for all members who wish to use the rifle and pistol ranges, is conducted on the **Second Sunday of every month at 12:00 p.m.** Members need only attend once. A green badge will be issued and then you are welcome to use the ranges.

Visit our Club web page at <http://www.crooked-creek.org>

