

Crooked Creek Conservation Club

SPORTSMANSHIP ON THE JOB – AFIELD – 24 HOURS A DAY

March 27, 2022

Membership Cards for 2022 are included in this mailing. Take them out and put them in your wallet *now*. Find the 2022 sticker(s) and put them on your badges after taking off the old sticker(s).

Gate Combinations will be changed on Sunday, April 3rd and there will be a notice on the gate arm when the new combination takes effect. Please, spin the numbers on the dial after you open and close the gate! If you leave the combination dialed in, you might as well put up a sign with the combination on it.

Work Party: the next Work Party will be on Sunday, May 1st. Please arrive before 9:00 AM to sign in, drink some coffee and get your assignments. Please make sure that you bring your membership card with you. Tear off the Work (right) half and put it in the bowl when you sign in.

Painesville Police Department

Range Use Dates (all Wednesdays)

March 30th, April 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th (9AM-5PM).

May 11th, 18th (7:30 AM to 5PM).
Tentative Dates: October 5th & 19th.

They will be using several of the Pistol Pits and maybe the west 50 yard range.

Do not interfere with their training. A Painesville Police vehicle and signs/tape will mark the area being used for training.

Club Closures: Women in the Outdoors will be held on Saturday, May 21, 2022. The entire club is closed from 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM for this event. *Only* Permanent Campers are exempted.

Women in the Outdoors—Help Needed

Set-up Friday, May 20, 2022

- ♦ painting 10 hunter parking spots / 2 handicap spots & roping off parking lot
- ♦ outdoor restrooms need swept/refilled

EVENT Saturday, May 21, 2022

- ♦ parking assistance prior to event (0700)
- ♦ canopy set ups early (0700)
- ♦ help with lunch set-up/clean-up (1100)

Call/text Julie Schwarzman 440-571-1107 to volunteer.

Youth Weekend July 29-31???

We are in need of volunteers to lead/run this event. Call Adam Hollobaugh at (440) 313-7406 or adamhollobaugh@gmail.com for more information on how the event was run last year.

To volunteer, call Brett Sloan at 440-357-8041 (if no answer, *please* leave a message) or send an email to crookedcreekevent@gmail.com.

If no one steps up, this event will end after a 40+ year run.

Only 200 had work hours last year. We need more volunteers!!!

2022 Event Schedule

Women in the Outdoors: Saturday, May 21, 2022. The entire club is closed from 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM for this event. *Only* Permanent Campers are exempted to go directly to/from their campers. Contact Julie Schwarzman at jbouffar64@yahoo.com if you would like to help (Work Hour rules apply).

Club Dinners: Wing Fest—June 11, Jamboree/Steak Roast - July 9, Pig Roast - August 13 and Clam Bake - September 10.

CMP Matches: We are looking for a new volunteer to run Civilian Marksmanship Program matches. Contact Don Helwick, 440-354-9984 or dhelwick4@att.net, for information about what is involved in running CMP matches.

USPSA (Practical Pistol) matches (ALL Pistol Bays closed starting Friday at 4:00 PM until Sunday afternoon): 4/16-17, 5/15, 6/18-19, 7/16-17, Battle for the North Coast 8/19-21, 9/17-18 & 10/15-16.

2022 USPSA—Ohio North Section Championship—Battle for the North Coast—August 19-21.

Range closures: Pistol Bays August 15-21 (Monday through Sunday) and the 50 yard bays & 100 Yard Range August 18-21 (Thursday through Sunday).

Steel Challenge matches (four Pistol Bays and the west 50 Yard range are closed from 8:00 AM until early afternoon): 4/24, 5/22, 6/26, 7/24, 8/28, 9/25 & 10/23 (4th Sunday).

Contact Bud Connolly 440-259-3512 or www.practicalpistol.net for more info on the USPSA or Steel Challenge matches.

3-Gun Matches: if you would like to see 3-Gun matches again, then please contact Justin Satava at satava@gmail.com. We need a core group of 4~6 to make this work.

Field Trials: 9/11, 10/9, 11/13 (Jack Davis Memorial) & 12/11/2022. All 2022 fall dates are tentative.

Bird Dog Challenge & Chukar Classic dates: TBD

SIGHT-IN & TURKEY SHOOT with SLUGS: Sunday, November 13, 2022 Sight-in 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon, non-members welcome. Turkey Shoot with Slugs starts at Noon – bring your own gun or borrow one of ours. Stop and have a fun day. Ken Smith 440-286-3028.

Work Party dates: Sunday, May 1st, Sunday October 2nd and Saturday, December 10th. Mark your calendars!

Clays: Shotgun shell prices have gone up to \$8 for members and \$10 for non-members per box for 12 or 20 gauge and must be used at Crooked Creek. Pop/snacks are \$1. Trap, Skeet & 5-Stand is \$3 for members & \$4 for non-members. Youth price to shoot is \$2! Bring your sons and daughters out.

Contact David Nofziger 440-392-4757 for more information or to volunteer to run the Trap & Skeet desk or the 5-Stand. There are lots of openings for 2022! It would really help Dave if we had volunteers every 2nd Sunday.

Range Safety Course: The range safety course, required for all members who wish to use the rifle and pistol ranges, are conducted on the 2nd Sunday of every month at 12:00 Noon. Members need attend only once. Upon completion of this course, a green badge will be issued and then you may use the ranges.

TRUSTEES ARE: Dave Buck, Pat Bujnocki, Dave Conger Jr., Bud Connolly, Tim Daily, *Chris DeFabio*, Glenn Gregrich, Don Helwick, *Bill Mainland*, Dave Nofziger, Rick Pozo, Joe Safranko, Rob Savinell, Bret Schwarzman, Julie Schwarzman, Brett Sloan, Ken Smith and Al Timpeiro. (*new Trustees*)

CLUB OFFICERS ARE:

President	Brett Sloan	Treasurer	Don Helwick
Vice-President	Dave Buck	Secretary	Bud Connolly

Visit our Club web pages at <http://www.crooked-creek.org> or www.crookedcreek.club