

# WEST WALKER SPORTSMAN

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## **Banquet Time!**

Yes, our second annual WWSC Sportsman's Banquet is just around the corner. **March 20<sup>th</sup>** is the day and if you haven't gotten your ticket yet, you'd better hurry. This year's event will be bigger and better than last year's with over **25 guns**, as well as hunting, fishing and camping gear to be given away. You could even win a **Tommy Gun** rental at **Silver Bullet**! Everybody attending gets a great door prize as well as a fine meal catered by **Damon's.** We'll also have several **Blitz and Silent Raffles,** as well as some fun games of chance brought to you by charter member Kip Felker.

We know we wouldn't have such a great banquet to offer our members and friends if it were not for the generosity of our donors, so let's take a moment to recognize them.

Scent-Loc

**Silver Bullet** 

**Gander Mountain** 

**Shawmut Inn** 

#### **Great Lakes Detail**

Damon's

**Dave Freas** 

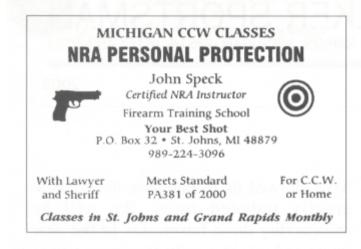
Kip Felker

**Noreen Delgado** 

Some of the great prizes to be won include:

A 25-gun fireproof safe Five Ruger 10-22 rifles Five .50 cal. muzzleloader rifles Winchester model 70 300 Win. Mag. Savage 17HMR rifle with scope .45 cal semi auto pistol Tikka T3 Hunter 30'06 Charles Daly 20 ga. O/U Charles Daly 12 ga. semi auto Two Charles Daly 12 ga. Camo Hunters Verona 12 ga. semi auto Weatherby rifle in .270 Weatherby rifle in .243 Weatherby rifle in .223 Taurus .44 mag. Revolver ..... And much, much more!

As if the great prizes and great fun weren't enough, dinner will be Damon's fantastic BBQ ribs, chicken, and pulled pork, along with red skin potatoes, cole slaw, rolls and butter. Ticket sales are limited to 250, and at last count just 30 tickets remained. To get yours, send your request along with a check for \$50 per ticket to the address above. Hope to see you there!



#### Refuse to be a Victim

WWSC presents: Refuse to be a victim. This is a three-hour class covering many areas of crime prevention such as personal safety in the home, auto, schools, college dorm, etc. It can be tailored to the interest of the participants to include topics related to senior citizens, travel, credit card, or the Internet. The program was introduced in 1993 for women, taught by women. Since then, due to the interest of men and the realization that if the whole family is trained your home is safer, it is taught by and for both men and women. We all know there is no 100% cure for crime, but this class is designed to make you conscious of your surroundings and able to identify danger zones or situations. This is not a firearm or physical defense class. All ages are welcome from children to seniors. Parents, please use discretion. Very young children may not be able to sit as long or comprehend all information. To reserve your spot call early. The cost for the class is \$20 per person, or take advantage of our special WWSC member rate of \$20 per family! The class will be held Thursday, April 29, 6:00 to 9:00 PM

Deposit required. Certified NRA Instructor: Marcy DePender (616) 460-1985 ConfidentlySafe@aol.com

### **Membership Count**

1418 Associate

- 43 Charter
- 17 Honorary
- 6 Charter Applicants

Our membership is growing and your club is getting stronger. A series of improvements is scheduled for the club grounds and ranges as funds allow. Stay tuned for more details.

#### **Sport Show Tickets**

Last call to buy your tickets for theGrand Rapids Sport, Fishing, & RV show being held March 18 - 21. We can offer advance sale tickets at a 25% savings. Tickets at the door are regularly \$8.00, but you can get yours for just \$6.00 and be entered into a raffle which includes:

1st Prize: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> day fishing for 4 with Best Chance Charters Second Prize: \$200 cash Third Prize: \$100 cash

Raffle prizes are <u>only</u> available on the advance sale tickets

WWSC will receive \$1.00 for each tick sold. Get yours at the club shooting desk now.

#### **Big Gun Raffle**

Since we missed the raffle news in last month's newsletter, we have a little catching up to do. The January winner of a Beretta Al 391 with walnut stock and hard side case was Guy Suchecki with ticket number 65. Congratulations Guy. Ticket number 182 was drawn in February, but was unsold. That's great news for those of us with tickets in the yearlong raffle because the February prize, a Tikka Whitetail hunter in 7mm mag., will be given away in August. That makes 3 guns so far to be given away at the last drawing! Every prize <u>will</u> be awarded. Good luck to all.

### **Final Notes**

July hunter safety starts 7/24, and the August class starts 8/21. Call Ron Kobel at 453-3645.

No indoor archery Saturday, March 20

Spring is just around the corner!

Ma	arch				20	04	
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed		Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2		3	4	5	<b>6</b> Archery, Trap & Skeet
7 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2	8	9	Archery, Trap & Skeet 9 to 12 AM 6 to 10 PM	10	11 Charter Meeting 7:30	12	10 to 2 13 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2
14 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2	15	16 7 Yd Range Closes 4:30	Archery, Trap & Skeet 9 to 12 AM 6 to 10 PM	17	18	19	20 Trap & Skeet 10 to 2 Sport Banquet <u>No Archery</u> Spring Begins!
21 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2	22	23	Archery, Trap & Skeet 9 to 12 AM 6 to 10 PM	24	25	26	27 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2
28 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2	29	30 Board Meeting 7:00	Archery, Trap & Skeet 9 to 12 AM 6 to 10 PM	31	ADD All Fools Day	2	<b>3</b> Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2
4 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2 Daylight Saving time begins	5	6 Passover	Archery, Trap & Skeet 9 to 12 AM 6 to 10 PM	7	8 Charter Meeting 7:30	9	10 Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2 Winter League Banquet
11 Easter	12	13 7 Yd Range Closes 4:30	Archery, Trap & Skeet 9 to 12 AM 6 to 10 PM	14	15	16	17 IHMSA Silhouette Archery, Trap & Skeet 10 to 2



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