

# The Newsletter

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# West Walker Sportsman Club

January 2009

0-599 LEONARD NW, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

#### Contact Information

Mail Address: P.O. Box 141104 Grand Rapids, MI 49514

Club House Phone Number 616-453-5081

Membership: 616-453-3255

Club House Rentals: 616-261-8001

Club Officers

President: Mark Thue

Vice President: Rich Vandermeer

Secretary: Chuck Tenbrink

> Treasurer: Barry Fox

Trustees: Chris Hackett Rick Heyt Ed Stone

Charter Meeting Schedule Thursday Jan. 8 At 7:30PM

Board Meeting Tuesday Jan.27 at 7:00 PM

## **HAPPY NEW YEAR**

**FROM WWSC** 

START MARKING YOUR 2009 CALENDAR FOR THE FOLLING EVENTS

• BIG GUN RAFFLE STARTS IN JANUARY:



West
Walker
Big Gun
Monthly
Raffle will
be from
Jan. 09Dec. 09,
cost of
the ticket
is still
\$60.

Tickets can be purchased from any Charter member at the clubhouse on open days, from the range monitors, or contact Barry Fox (616-690-0691). The first drawing is in January with monthly drawings to follow each month through December 09.

#### • 2009 WINTER SHOTGUN LEAGUE STARTS SATURDAY JAN. 3,2009

Registered Shooting will begin on Saturday, January 3rd, 2009 and continue for the next 12 weeks, ending on March 25th. You must be a WWSC member to participate in the league. Registration will be on the day the League starts. However, if you would like to register now, sign up at the desk during normal club times.

Your first four registered lines must be in by January 28th, 2009 to establish your class.

# This year's categories will be:

Trap, 12ga.

Skeet, 12 ga., 20ga., 28 ga., and 410 ga.

Five - Man Trap
Five - Man Skeet
Two - Man Trap
Two - Man Skeet
Doubles Trap

Wobble Trap

#### **LEAGUE FEES WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:**

Registration (Includes 1st event) \$30.00
Single events \$15.00
Team events \$8.00
(per team member)

Pre-paid card for all 12 rounds \$54.00 (\$4.50

per round)

Steak Dinners, Wednesday. nights 01/21, 02/18, & 03/18. (Steak, Fries, and Roll)



Archery

Monday Wednesday

Thursday AM & PM



**Shotgun** 

**Wednesday** 

9AM - Noon

6PM - 10PM

<u>Saturday</u>

10AM - 2PM

**Sunday** 

10AM - 2 PM

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Use of the Charter Range is reserved for Charter Members and/or for supervised club activities

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Support & Pray for Our Troops

#### 2009 Winter Evening Indoor Archery League

Contact Vince Schultes if you want to join the archery league. The Winter archery League will be held on Monday nights beginning January 5th, 2009. The league will run for 12 weeks, ending in March, with a banquet in April. The league is limited to 40 shooters so be sure to sign up early.

#### **League Details**

- 1. Targets will be NFAA indoor targets.
- 2. There will be 20 shooting lanes set at 20 yards. (With A and B lanes, 40 shooters can be accommodated).
- 3. League shooting will be held on Monday nights starting at 7:00 pm. The club will be open for practice at 6:00 pm.
- 4. Fees: \$30.00 sign up fee and \$6.00 per person per week. Price includes trophies and banquet and must be paid up by the 3rd week.
- 5. League shooters must be a member of WWSC.
- 6. For more information contact Vince Schultes at 895-5009 or email at: mi3drs@msn.com.
- January 24, 2009 MUCC Big Buck Banquet Series at West Walker Sportsman Club.
  - o Doors open at 6 pm.
  - o A showcase of the best bucks and stories from the 2008 season.
  - o Hosted by a cast member from Michigan Out-Of-Doors TV.
  - o An all-you-eat buffet dinner and cash bar.
  - o Door prizes, raffles and other opportunities for gifts.

Tickets are only \$35 each, space is limited. Tickets are available by calling 517-346-6463 or on the web at <a href="https://www.mucc.org">www.mucc.org</a>. Tickets must be purchased in advance.

- The West Walker Sportsman Banquet will be March 14, information on the banquet will be mailed out in January.
- High school, & Jr. high Archery League is Tuesdays from 6 8 at WWSC indoors archery range. New shooters are always welcome.

#### 2009 LMAA SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Times	Club	Type	Contact	Phone
01/-3	Sat	1:00 or 5:00	Grand Valley	FITA	Jay Zink	616-895-5496
01/10	Sat	1:00 or 5:00	Chippewa	FITA	Dan Stendel	616-878-3067
01/11	Sun	1:00	Chippewa	FITA	Dan Stendel	616-878-3067
01/17	Sat	5:00	Muskegon	FITA	Dave Pummel	231-578-0413
01/18	Sun	1:00	Muskegon	FITA	Dave Pummel	231-578-0413
01/24	Sat	5:00	Fremont	FITA	Thad Bulthouse	231-282-0069
01/25	Sun	1:00	Fremont	FITA	Thad Bulthouse	231-282-0069

**Hunter Safety Class Information:** New classes will be starting up again in 2009. Class #1: July, 18, 21, 23, & 25. Class #2: August, 22, 25, 27, & 29. Registrations accepted starting in May 2009. Pre-Registration Is Required. \$5.00 Registration Fee. Class information, CONTACT: RON or ROBIN KOBEL 453-3645

**NOTICE: Please Read:** The Charter range is closed until further notice, and the Associate rifle range and 7-yard pistol ranges are open, additional improvements and construction are going on at the other ranges. Call (616-453-5081) the shooting house, or check with the Range Monitor to see which ranges are open. Our apologies for any inconvenience to our members. Thanks

			WWSC January 2009			
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				New Year Day Club House Closed	2	Winter Shotgun League Starts 10AM-2PM
4 Winter Shotgun League 10AM – 2PM	5 Winter Archery League Starts Evening  NWTF Meeting 7PM	6 High School & Jr. High Archery Evening	7 Archery Winter Shotgun League 9AM – Noon 6PM – 10PM	8 West Michigan Duck Hunters 7PM WWSC Charter Meeting 7:30PM	9	10 Winter Shotgun League 10AM – 2PM
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25 Winter Shotgun League 10AM – 2PM	26 Winter Archery League Evening	27 High School & Jr. High Archery Evening  WWSC Board Meeting 7PM	Archery  Winter Shotgun League 9AM – Noon 6PM – 10PM	29	30	31 Winter Shotgun League 10AM – 2PM

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### **Range Monitors Needed**

West Walker Sportsman Club is looking for Range Monitors to check memberships on the rifle & pistol ranges in four to six hour shifts. If you are retired or have free time during the daylight hours and share an interest in promoting a safe shooting environment, please contact **Don Mize at 616-261-5873.** These are voluntary positions. Monitors will receive free annual memberships.

## **GUN SAFES**

Walk – In Vault Doors
Frontier – American Security – Fort Knox

HOOGERHYDE SAFE & LOCK (616) 458-6365

1033 Leonard St. NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49504 Fax (616) 458-2554

DATE:		PRIZE		
Jan. 27	09	Winchester Super X II Sporting 12ga Semi Auto		
Feb. 24	09	Mossberg 535 3.5" Mag. Turkey / Duck Combo		
Mar. 31	09	Thompson Center Omega 50cal. Muzzle Loader		
Apr. 28	09	Beretta Neos .22cal. Target Pistol		
May 26	09	Ruger KM77 Stainless/Walnut .270Win.		
June 30	09	Savage .17HMR Stainless/Synthetic		
July 28	09	Weatherby Vanguard DLX .300WinMag.		
Aug. 25	09	Savage MKII .22LR		
Sept. 29	09	Marlin XL7 30-06 Synthetic		
Oct. 27	09	Thompson Center Omega .50cal Muzzle Loader		
Nov. 24	09	Taurus PT99AS HiCap .9mm Stainless		
Dec. 29	09	Charles Daily Sporting 12ga O/U		

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