



The Newsletter

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West Walker Sportsman Club

April 2009

0-599 LEONARD NW, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Contact Information

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Membership:
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Club House Rentals:
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Club Officers

President:
Mark Thue

Vice President:
Rich Vandermeer

Secretary:
Chuck Tenbrink

Treasurer:
Barry Fox

Trustees:
Chris Hackett
Jon Zandstra
Ed Stone

Charter Meeting
Schedule
Thursday April 9
At 7:30PM

Board Meeting
Tuesday
April 28 at
7:00 PM

March 12, 2009 WWSC election results

President:	Mark Thue
Vice President:	Rich Vandermeer
Secretary:	Chuck Tenbrink
Treasurer:	Barry Fox

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	Jon Zandstra
	Ed Stone



2009 Sportsman Club Banquet

What a night! March 14th was the night of the 2009 West Walker Sportsman Club Banquet. Over 180 people attended and many won some fantastic prizes, including guns, fishing equipment and hunting equipment; did I mention guns, hiking and back packing equipment. We also awarded the 50" HDTV to an extremely happy individual.

The Banquet committee would like to thank all the attendees, as well as all the wonderful people who worked the games and raffles, sold tickets, and ran the bar. Without you, this event would not have been as great as it was. The committee would like to also extend it's appreciation to Dan Davis of Cater 2 U for once again providing a great meal. Our thanks also go out to Wing Beat Goose calls for the custom made goose calls they donated, to Jack Sanborn for his excellent work on the custom Loomis and St Croix fishing rods he created, and to Tom Thue for donating the innovative collapsing campground grill which fits all the new State and County Park fire pits. Ad for the portable campground grills is on page 2 and the ad for the custom goose calls can be found on the back page of the newsletter.

As a reminder, the money raised at this event will go to our continuing range improvement program, allowing us to get the improvements on the 15 & 25 yard pistol ranges completed in mid-April.

Thanks again to all who attended, bought tickets and worked the event. Without your support we could not have done it.

See you next year, March 27th, 2010.

Mark Thue, Ed Stone, Rich Vandermeer. & Barry Fox



Archery

Monday Wednesday

Thursday AM & PM



Shotgun

Wednesday

9AM - Noon

6PM - 10PM

Saturday

10AM - 2PM

Sunday

10AM - 2 PM

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**

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

April 18 Saturday: WWSC will be for CLOSED CLEAN UP DAY.

May 2 Saturday: 7 yards range CLOSED CCW CLASS.

May 2 Saturday: THE SPRING 150.

- 25 Skeet
- 50 Skeet Doubles
- 25 Five Stand Sporting
- 25 Wobble Trap
- 25 Regular Trap

Shooting begins around 11:00 AM and ends when we are complete.

Good Food provided for the shooters will be free; non shooters: \$5.00

Total 150 bird shoot fee: \$40 and Trophies for all events and including High Over All

May 6 Wednesday: THE WWSC SIZZLIN' SUMMER SHOOTOUT

When does it start?	Wednesday, May 6
How many lines will I have to shoot?	10
How long do I have to shoot?	12 weeks
Can I shoot all or some of my lines ahead of time?	YES

Shooting Events.	12 g Skeet / Trap
How much will it cost?	\$15.00
Will there be trophies?	YES
Will there be team events?	No

Will there be a banquet at the end?	We will have a potluck
picnic Saturday August 8, 2009. Bring your favorite dish to pass!	Sure! The more the
Can I bring my spouse or a friend?	
merrier.	

Anything else?	We will have a few
shooting games at the banquet for the people who participated in the	WWSC Sizzlin' Summer Shootout, so don't forget your gun. It will be fun.



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Tallmadge Township

(616) 791-7970

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Dawn to Dusk

WWSC Member



Collapsing
Campground Grill
Fits all the State and
County Park fire pits

Tom Thue
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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 616-453-3645**

NOTICE: Please Read: The Charter range is closed until further notice; 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 April 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	2 West Michigan Duck Hunters Meeting 7PM	3	4 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM Winter League Banquet
5 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	6 NWTF Meeting 7PM	7	8 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	9 WWSC Charter Meeting 7:30PM	10	11 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM
12 Easter	13	14	15 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	16	17	18 Club Closed For Clean Up Day
19 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	20	21	22 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	23	24	25 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM
26 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	27	28 WWSC Board Meeting 7PM	29 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	30	May 1	2 7 yards Range Closed CCW Class

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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

West Walker Big Gun Monthly Raffle will be from Jan. 09-Dec. 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.

The Big Gun Raffle ticket would be a

Great gift.