



The Newsletter

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West Walker Sportsman Club

August 2009

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Ed Stone

Charter Meeting
Schedule
Thursday July 9
At 7:30PM

Board Meeting
Tuesday
July 28 at
7:00 PM

In Sympathy:

West Walker Sportsman's Club is sad to announce the untimely and unexpected passing of two West Walker Sportsman's Club Charter members. Charlie Bund and Russ Hodder both passed away of heart attacks within days of each other this past July.

Russ was the newsletter editor who brought you the club news each month for the past two years. Both he and Charlie will be missed by all of the charter members and friends at West Walker.

Club News:

- Big Gun Raffle winner for June is ticket number 82, Rich Gibb wins a Savage .17HMR Stainless/Synthetic rifle.
- 15 Yd Pistol Range closed from 9:00 am to noon on Saturday August 1st.
- No Trap and Skeet or indoor Archery on August 22nd (Hunter Safety Class).
- Trap and Skeet on **Saturday, August 29**, only from* **Noon - 4PM***. Fields will be in use earlier in the day for Hunter Safety Class.
- **Hunter Safety Class #2 This month:** August: 22, 25, 27, & 29. Pre-Registration Is Required. \$8.00 Registration Fee. Class information, contact: **RON or ROBIN KOBEL 616-453-3645**
- **Saturday, August 8**, we will be having another shotgun fun shoot on the charter range at WWSC. If it rains, then the shoot will be held the Saturday after that (August 15th).
- West Michigan Walleye Club meeting, **Monday August 17, 7:30 PM** at WWSC.
- Saturday, September 19, WWSC is scheduling a Gun Show.
- Saturday, **September 26th**, Women In The Outdoors is coming. Mark your calendars, ladies. More details in the September newsletter.

Attention Rifle and Pistol shooters. We will still be doing range work in August and shooters may want to call to see which ranges are open. It is advisable that before driving to the club to shoot, you call and see if the range you wish to use is open. The club phone number is 453-5081. The range monitors will be happy to let you know the status of the ranges.

Summer Sizzlin Shootout Picnic Saturday August 8

The WWSC Sizzlin' Summer Shootout will be having their potluck picnic Saturday August 8 in the clubhouse. There will be shooting games starting at 2:00pm and we will eat at 5:00pm. Guests are welcome. Shooters should bring a dish to pass. The pop machine will be open, but if you want something (ehhem) "stronger" to drink, its bring your own "beverage". Trophies will be awarded to the shooters who placed in the competition. Be there or be square.



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

Newsletter editor

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**Support & Pray
for
Our Troops**

ANOTHER SHOTGUN FUN SHOOT Saturday August 8th

Saturday, August 8th, we will have another shotgun fun shoot on the charter range. We will use targets from the plate shoot to hold this event. We have steel plates that swing, plates that fall over, and bowling pins to blow out of their stands.

Any gauge is welcome. Any shotgun style is welcome. From single shot to semi, it doesn't matter. The only stipulation is that you are allowed only number 8 or number 9 shot because you will only be 36 feet from the targets. This way there is little chance of the shot coming back and causing injuries. It will be set up like a normal plate shoot, with twelve targets for the main event, so those wishing to compete can do so. Otherwise, just come on out and smack some targets with lead.

Starting time for this event will be 10:00 am. Cost \$5.00. This lets you shoot this stage all day, or until we get tired and throw you out. We might have one or two side events that will also be \$5.00 each. We ask that you get there at 10 AM so we can go through the safety rules and course description. But we'll squeeze you in if you get there later.

Everybody is welcome to shoot this. You do not need to be a member to participate. So bring your buddies and see who can outshoot who.

Please keep in mind that this is weather dependent. If it is raining or threat of rain, the event will be rescheduled to the following Saturday. Chris Hackett
pl8shootr@sbcglobal.net

Cross Bow Raffle Drawing

The club is raffling off an Eastman X-Force 500 LX Cross bow set.

Performance:

- 315 Ft/Sec
 - 105 Ft-Lbs of Energy
 - 165 Lbs Peak Weight
 - 14 Inch Power Stroke
- Set includes the Bow, 4 X 32mm scope, and 4 bolts.
 - Tickets are \$10.00 each or three for \$20.00. The drawing will be held the second Thursday in Sept. You can get your tickets at the Range Monitor shack during normal club hours or from a Charter member at the Clubhouse during Shotgun shooting times (Wednesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays).



WWSC August 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM 15 Yd Pistol range closed from 9am to noon.
2 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	3 NWTF Meeting 7PM	4	5 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	6	7	8 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM Summer Sizzlin Shootout Picnic 2pm-7pm Shotgun Plate shoot 10AM
9 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	10	11	12 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	13 Charter Meeting 7:30PM	14	15 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM
16 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	17 West Michigan Walleye Club Meeting 7:30PM	18	19 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM Keg Shoot (call for location)	20	21	22 Hunter Safety Class No indoor Archery or Trap & Skeet
23 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	24	25 Hunter Safety Class Board Meeting 7PM	26 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM Keg Shoot	27 Hunter Safety Class	28	29 Hunter Safety Class No indoor Archery Trap & Skeet Only available noon to 4pm
30 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	31					

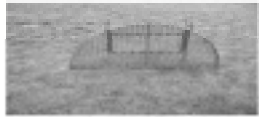
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Stan Kurek
WWSC Member



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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.