



The Newsletter

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West Walker Sportsman Club

September 2009

0-599 LEONARD NW, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

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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 Sep 10
At 7:30PM

Board Meeting
Tuesday
Sep 29 at
7:00 PM

The West Walker Fall 150

Come on out and have some shotgun shooting fun. Bring lots of shells! There will be trophies and food afterwards.

<p>Saturday, September 19th from 11:00 pm to 5:00 pm.</p> <p>Cost is \$40 for all 5 events.</p> <p>Trophies will be awarded for each event plus High Overall.</p> <p>Proceeds will go for shotgun shooting improvements .</p> <p>Reservations recommended.</p>	TARGETS
	25 - Skeet
	25 - Trap
	25 - Five Stand
	25 - Wobble Trap
	50 - Trap Doubles
Total Targets - 150	

Food will be provided free of charge if you are a participant. For all others there will be a \$5.00 charge.. (BYOB if desired)

Sign up at the Shooting Desk or contact Rick by email at rkzandstra@yahoo.com with any questions.

ANOTHER SHOTGUN FUN SHOOT Saturday Sept 12th

Saturday, September 12th, we will have another shotgun plate shoot on the charter range. We have steel plates that swing, plates that fall over, and bowling pins to blow out of their stands.

Any gauge and type of action is welcome. Since the targets are only 36 feet from the shooter, and for safety reasons, only No. 8 or 9 shot is allowed.. The main event will have twelve targets, which will consist of a combination of steel plates and bowling pins. The side event will consist of six clay pigeons. So come on out and smack some targets with lead.

Starting time will be 10:00 am. Cost is \$5.00 for the main event and \$5.00 for the side event. This lets you shoot both stages all day. Get there at 10 AM so we can go through the safety rules and course description. **You do not need to be a club member to participate.** So bring your buddies out and see who has the best run.

Please keep in mind that this is weather dependent. If it is raining, or there is a threat of rain, the event will be cancelled and rescheduled at a later date. Any questions Contact Chris Hackett

pl8shootr@sbcglobal.net

WWSC GUNSHOW

Saturday, September 19, WWSC is scheduling a Gun Show. Admission at the door will be \$4.00. Show a current WWSC membership card for \$1.00 off. Hours will be 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Vendor set-up will start at 7:00 am. Breakfast & Lunch will be available at the club.

Anyone wanting a table please contact Rick at 677-3558 or E-Mail at heytrw.altelco.net



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**

Other News:

- Big Gun Raffle winner for July is ticket number 296, James Rosin wins a Weatherby Vanguard DLX .300 Win Mag. rifle.
- No Trap and Skeet or Indoor Archery on **Sept. 19th** (West Walker Fall 150).
- No Trap and Skeet or Indoor Archery on **Sept. 26th** (WITO Event).
- **Attention Rifle and Pistol shooters.** We will still be doing range work in September 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.

Women in the Outdoors Event!

Calling All Women Outdoor Enthusiasts! September 26, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

This event is a great opportunity to try new outdoor activities, increase your confidence, broaden your abilities, and meet new people. Ever wanted to learn a new outdoor skill but were not quite sure how to go about it? Your paid registration fee of \$45 includes four exciting outdoor classes with hands-on experience, lunch and snacks, excellent instruction and program materials, use of all equipment and club facilities, and a one-year Women in the Outdoors membership in the National Wild Turkey Federation. No experience or equipment is required! Classes are geared toward and attended by women. Registration is required by Sept. 20th. For more information go to the WWSC Website (www.wwsc.org) Or Contact: Jackie Bourgard (616) 261-8001 jbougard@comcast.net

UPCOMING RIFLE RANGE SAFETY CHANGES

Changes almost seem to be happening daily on the 50-200 yard rifle range. One of the next changes to be implemented over the next couple of weeks will be a range safety flag system. This will be a **RED FLAG** hung on the firing line. When anyone goes down range for any reason they will have to remove the flag from the firing line and place it in the holder at the first wall down range. Anyone else going down range must make themselves known to the person who put the flag out. When you see the Red Flag on the wall, the range is **COLD** and **NO SHOOTING** is allowed!! The person who put the flag out will be the only one who can take it down and return it to the firing line. So Please be sure everyone is back from being down range. Make sure you check with the range monitor for more information.

A new Group for Women - CAMO & LACE

Want to join an exciting new group in West Michigan? Camo and Lace is a group of women who love the outdoors! From hunting and fishing to photography and cooking, we enjoy trying new activities and sharing our own adventures with other women.

Our primary purpose is to get women active in the outdoors. For many people, this means hunting and fishing. For others, it is camping, kayaking, and hiking. We hold many events throughout the year to introduce women to the outdoors and a broad range of activities.

For more information, please contact:

Jackie Bourgard at (616) 261-8001 or e-mail jbougard@comcast.net

Cross Bow Raffle Drawing

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

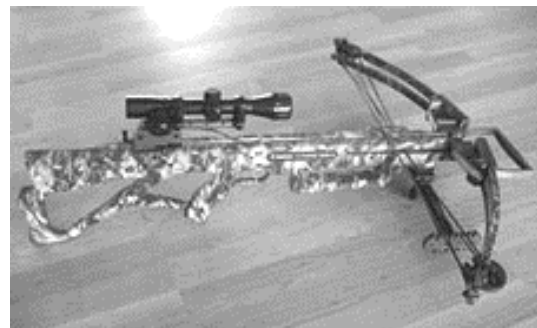
315 Ft/Sec 105 Ft-Lbs of Energy 165 Lbs Peak Weight 14 Inch Power Stroke

Set includes the Bow, Case, 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 September 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	3 West Michigan Duck Hunters meeting 7 to 9 pm	4	5 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM
6 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	7 NWTF Meeting 7PM	8	9 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	10 Charter Meeting 7:30PM	11	12 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM Shotgun Plate shoot 10AM
13 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	14	15	16 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	17	18	19 WWSC Fall 150 starts 11:00 AM WWSC Gun Show 9AM-4PM No regular trap and skeet or archery
20 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	21 West Michigan Walleye Club Meeting 7:30PM	22	23 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM	24	25	26 Women In The Out Doors 8AM-5PM No trap and skeet or archery
27 Trap & Skeet 10AM-2PM	28	29 Board Meeting 7PM	30 Archery Trap & Skeet 9AM-Noon 6PM-10PM			

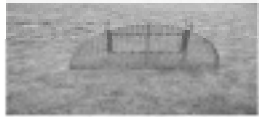
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**SK FULL DRAW
3-D ARCHERY RANGE**

10751- 12th Ave., Grand Rapids, MI. 49534
Tallmadge Township
(616) 791-7970

Open 7 Days
Dawn to Dusk

Stan Kurek
WWSC Member



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

Tom Thue
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GUN SAFES

Walk - In Vault Doors

Summit Safe - American Security - Granite Security

HOOGERHYDE SAFE

(616) 458-6365

1033 Leonard St. NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49504

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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.