



The Newsletter

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West Walker Sportsman's Club

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Charter Meeting Schedule

Charter Meeting
Sept. 8th 7:30pm

Board Meeting
Tuesday
Sept. 27th 7:00pm

West Walker Sportsman's Club 2nd Annual



Saturday September 17th 2011 at 6pm

Award winning Wildlife Chef Ken Topp will be doing the cooking. The Menu will include Pheasant, Venison, Water Buffalo, Elk, Fish, and More. Refreshments will be available at a very low cost. There will also be some raffles held for some great prizes.

Cost is only \$30 per person and are available at the Shooting Desk and Range Monitor Hut.

West Walker Junior Archers Excel at the Meijer Michigan State Games



Pictured, left to right:

Evan Falk, 12 years old, placed 1st, earning a gold medal in the Bowman Male Compound Freestyle division; Anne Falk, 8 years old, placed 1st, earning a gold medal in the Yoeman Female Compound Freestyle division; and Glen Falk, 10 years old, placed 3rd, earning a bronze medal in the Bowman Male Recurve Freestyle division.

Evan, Glen and Anne spent the month prior to the Meijer Michigan State Games at the WWSC outdoor archery range preparing for the Michigan Cup. Evan and Glen both shot at 30m, 25m and 20m distances on 122cm and 80cm FITA targets.

Anne shot at 20m and 15m again with both the 122cm and 80cm FITA targets. Evan, Glen and Anne shoot with the Flaming Arrow Youth Elite Team in Grand Rapids. Many thanks to WWSC for having an outdoor pillow target practice range!

Shotgun Raffle

Browning MAXUS AUTO SHOTGUN
Model: STALKER DT
Gauge: 12
Chamber: 3"
Barrel: 28" INV+

It will be at the club if you want to try it out.

Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00 Available at the shooting desk.

Winner will be drawn at the Wild Game Dinner.

Pin shooting

WWSC is excited to offer shooters a new venue for practicing their marksmanship and speed loading skills. Now through the fall (or until it gets too dark) bowling pin shooting will be available on the 7yd range Tuesdays **5:30-8pm**. Cost to shoot is only 50 cents for a table of 5 pins. Shoot as many times as ammo/time allow. 50 cents per table.

Guns: All rimfire and centerfire handguns are welcome as well as pistol caliber carbines (9mm, 40s&w, 45acp, etc). Timing will be available for those with a competitive streak. Hope to see you Tuesday to blast some pins.



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

The Winner of the August 2011 Gun Raffle is
 Terry O'Rourke ticket number 128.

The next ATA/MTA Big 50 Steak Night Shoot will be September 7th.

ATA 100 Shoot is September 24th

The Next NSSA/MSA 4x50 Shoot will be September 17th

Steak Night

Steak Nights have been a great success and will now be held on the first Wednesday of every month at 6pm. Just \$6 for a delicious steak, roll, baked potato and veggie

Keg Shoot

WWSC 1534 CSC 1519

WWSC has won for the 8th time in 15 years. CSC has won 6 with last year ending in a tie. Thanks to everyone that provided food. A special thanks to Char Willyard and Mark Thue for all of their help.

Shotgun Plate Shoot Sept 10th 2011

The next shotgun plate shoot will be on Saturday Sept 10th starting at 10:00 am. As usual, we will be having two events for this. The main event which consists of twelve targets, and the El Presidente, which has a total of six targets. Only #8 and #9 shot is allowed due to the short distance to the targets, and for safety. Two boxes should suffice if you only shoot the main event, but three boxes will do if you shoot both events. At only five dollars per event it would be silly not to shoot both. You will go through each event three times and we will document your times for each run through. This is not a competition where you shoot against other people. You will only compete against yourself. Because of this, any shotgun style or gauge is welcome. You need not be a club member to participate. So bring a buddy or two and have a ball shooting steel plates. As usual, this event is weather dependent. If it's raining or threat of rain, the shoot will be canceled. We normally wrap it up around 2:00 so plan accordingly. We hope to see you there. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at pl8shootr@sbcglobal.net.

Chris Hackett

Susan G Komen "Shoot Pink" in July

We would like to thank everyone who participated in and donated to the Shoot Pink benefit

for Susan G Komen. With your help we were able to raise and donate \$1,265.00. For the entire month of July we sold a box of "pink" shotshells along with a line of skeet or trap for \$15.00. Because of our sponsors who so generously donated for this event, the entire \$15.00 for each box was able to go directly to the Susan G Komen organization for the fight against breast cancer.

An estimated 1 in 8 women will develop invasive breast cancer. Besides skin cancer, breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer among American Women. Susan G Komen is the most widely known, largest and best-funded breast cancer organization in the US, dedicated to research, education, advocacy, health services and social support programs.

A special thank you goes to our sponsors who donated the startup funds that made the shoot possible:

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National Wild Turkey Federation - Grand Valley Chapter www.nwtf.org/

Stan Kurek of SK Full Draw 3-D Archery

September 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1 Sep	2	3
						Trap & Skeet: 10am-2pm
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Trap & Skeet: 10am-2pm	NWTF meeting 7:00 pm		Archery Trap & Skeet: 9am-12am <u>ATA "Big 50"</u> <u>Steak Night</u> <u>Shoot: 6:00pm</u>	7:30 pm Charter Meeting	Indoor Archery League: 6:30pm	Trap & Skeet: 10am-2pm Shotgun Plate Shoot 10am
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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Stan Kurek
WWSC Member

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2011 Gun Raffle

Aug. 30	2011	Remington model 770	270win.
Sept. 27	2011	1st Place	Ruger 10/22 22LR
Sept. 27	2011	2nd Place	Marlin Model 60 22LR
Oct. 26	2011	Springfield XDM	40 S&W
Nov. 29	2011	Weatherby PA08	Upland Pump 12ga.
Dec. 27	2011	Colt M4 Carbine	22LR