



# The Newsletter

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## **West Walker Sportsman's Club**

**August 2018**

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Charter Meeting  
Aug 9- 7:30pm

Board Meeting  
Aug 28 - 7:00pm

Indoor Archery  
Skeet & Trap  
Wed 9a-12, 6p-10  
Sat 10a-2p  
Sun 10a-2p

**Ranges &  
Outdoor Archery  
Please call ahead  
before coming out  
to make sure there is a Range  
Monitor  
(616) 453 - 5081**

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**Support and Pray  
For Our Troops**



### A tribute for Leon Steele

Leon Steele, age 72 of Tallmadge Township, passed away July 20, 2018. He will be missed by all at West Walker. He served as president for one year and loved to shoot his shotgun.

The Funeral to remember and celebrate Leon's life was held on Thursday, July 26 at 11 AM at Standale Reformed Church. On Sunday, July 29 we held a Shotgun Salute for the passing of Leon Steele on the Trap fields. There were about 40 to 50 shooters that participated. What a great way to salute a fellow member.



J. Y. 2018

# July Dog Days of Summer

We had 13 shooters this month aiming for summer items like ice cream cones, sun glasses, dog bones, fish and of course rubber ducks.

the winners were: 1st: Marilyn Hawkins, 2nd Jeff Hawkins, 3rd William Krieger,

Everyone got to take home their very own beach ball. We used these for a target games, and there was plenty of fun playing with them while the food was cooking.

I need to thank Jeff for grilling the Hot Dogs, Rhonda for providing the dog bone shaped cookie cutter, Nadine and Marilyn for help with getting the food out. and pretty much the whole crew for help with clean up. It is such a pleasure to have such a helpful bunch attend and pitch in with the Fun Shoots.

Michael Kohl and Frances Handy provided the Range Safety Officer duties. without them, we could not hold these events. Their services are very much appreciated.



Submitted by: Gloria Von der Heide



## .22 CALIBER MINI RIMFIRE CHALLENGE

**\$10**

SATURDAY AUGUST 25, 2018 3:00 PM

A TIMED EVENT, ALL STEEL TARGETS, 100 ROUNDS

BRING YOUR PISTOL AND YOUR RIFLE

.22 CAL & OPEN SITES ONLY PLEASE

(SOME MEMBERS ARE WILLING TO LET YOU USE THEIRS IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE OR THE OTHER.)

Dinner, Awards , Games, and Prizes  
at the club house following the shoot.

**No need to pre pay, but food and prizes will be purchased, so take your reservation seriously. Sign up at club house or range office or call range office 453-5081 or**

Gloria Vonderheide 454-7454 g\_vonderheide@yahoo.com

### Dinner Menu

Pizza

Salad

Dessert

**Sign up dead line: Sunday August 19, 2018**

# News from the Shotgun Desk

## July 15 Protection Shoot Results

Event #1 10 Shooters Winner --- Dave Bigelow/Dan Handy Score 20  
Event #2 8 Shooters Winner -- Dave Tagg/Gord Wierzsema Score 20  
Event #3 8 Shooters Winner- Dave Bigelow/Gord Wierzsema Score 20

Annie Oakley Shoot 5 Shooters Winner ---- Dave Bigelow

July 21/22 20ga. Trap Shoot 2 Man Blind Draw 100 Birds  
Winning Team -- Ken May/Denny Fuller 88/59 Total 147

## Coming Events

August 4-5 410 bore Trap 100 Targets

August 12 Annie Oakley Trap 12:00 pm

September 15-16, 5-stand Hat Shoot 100 Targets

COME ON OUT AND ENJOY THESE EVENTS, SUPPORT YOUR CLUB



## STEAK NIGHT

Wednesday

August 8, 2018

6:00 PM

**Public Welcome**

**Dinner includes:**

**Steak, Baked Potato,  
Salad, Green Beans**

**Associate Members : \$10.00**

**Non members :\$12.00**

(Charter prices apply to member, spouse & dependents only.)

## TOMMYGUNS TRAINING

Tom O'Brien  
Chief Range Safety Officer, Instructor

Classes available in west Michigan for:  
CPL  
Range Safety Officer  
Introduction to the handgun  
Family firearm safety

616-920-1701  
tommygunsmi@gmail.com  
http://TommygunsTraining.com

## Advanced CPL

August 19<sup>th</sup> at 8:30

\$200 \*Must have CPL\*

## Basic CPL

August 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am

\$90 for members

**Did You Know that WWSC is a non-profit organization that is run by Charter Members who volunteer their time?**

**We are always looking for good people who are interested in becoming Charter Members to help us keep this club open.**

**If you are interested, please speak with any Charter Member for more information**

## August Range Hours

August 1 – 15

August 16 – 31

Mon – Sat: 9:00am – 7:30pm

9am-7:30pm

Sundays: 10:00am – 7:30pm

10am-7:30pm

[Link for range rules](#)

## 2018 Big Gun Raffle Winners

Jan	Ruger Predator 6.5 Cal	#250	Bill Tingley
Feb	Ruger SR22 .22LR	#59	Rich Ponstein
Mar	Henry Golden Boy .22LR	#272	David Dorr
Apr	Ruger LCR .38 Special +P	#117	Michael Lehman
May	Remington V3 12g Semi-Auto	#64	Mike Jeffery
Jun	Glock 43 9mm Special Edition	#23	Jeff Bodary
Jul	Browning AB3 7mm pkg w/Nikon Scope	#159	Denny Fuller
Aug	Ruger Mark IV Target SS 22LR		
Sep	Tikka T3 Stainless 22-250 Cal		
Oct	Ruger SR1911 SS 9mm		
Nov	Springfield Armory Saint AR15 23 Cal		
Dec	FNH FNX 45 Tactical 45ACP		

West Walker Sportsman Club is looking for range monitors to check memberships on the rifle & pistol ranges in 4-6 hour shifts.

No experience necessary, we will train you.

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 [imdimize@yahoo.com](mailto:imdimize@yahoo.com).**

Monitors will receive free annual membership renewal for working 100 hours. These are voluntary positions.

Range monitors that work 2 full shifts a month will be able to use the indoor pistol range NO GUESTS

# August 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p  Indoor Range Open Shoot 4:30pm – 8pm	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>  .410 Shoot  Trap & Skeet 10am-2pm
<b>5</b>  .410 Shoot  Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>  4H Sports 7pm	<b>8</b> <b>STEAK NIGHT 6PM</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p  Indoor Range Open Shoot 4:30pm – 8pm	<b>9</b>  Charter Meeting 7pm	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>  Trap & Skeet 10am-2pm
<b>12</b>  Annie Oakley  Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p  Indoor Range Open Shoot 4:30pm – 8pm	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>  Trap & Skeet 10am-2pm
<b>19</b> Advance CPL 8:30  Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p  Indoor Range Open Shoot 4:30pm – 8pm	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>  Fun Shoot 3pm  Trap & Skeet 10am-2pm
<b>26</b> Basic CPL 8:30  Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>  Board Meeting 7pm	<b>29</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p  Indoor Range Open Shoot 4:30pm – 8pm	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	