



# West Walker Sportsman's Club

January 2026

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ahead!!**

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January 8<sup>th</sup> 7:30pm  
Board Meeting  
January 27<sup>th</sup> 7pm

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

Ranges &  
Outdoor Archery  
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## West Walker Sportsman's Club 2026 Sportsman's Banquet **GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE** **Valued at over \$4,000 MSRP!**



LG - 75" Class 85A Series  
QNED evo AI MiniLED 4K  
UHD Smart webOS TV (2025)  
**Model: 75QNED85AUA**



Cabela's All-American E-Lock  
32-Gun Safe by Liberty  
**Model: 4350473**



Auto Ordnance 1911-A1 United We  
Stand 45 Auto (ACP) 5" Engraved  
Black Armor Cerakote Stainless  
Steel Pistol - 7+1 Rounds

**Model: 1911TCAC5N**

**Tickets are \$10 each or 3-for-\$25\*.**

\* 3-for-\$25 Tickets MUST be sold to the same person.

Available at the Range Office and Shooting Desk.

Drawing to be held Saturday, March 28, 2026

at the Sportsman's Banquet.

Need not be present to win.

Raffle License #83774

# 14 Tickets are Left!!

**As of January 1, 2026  
ONLY 14 Big Gun Raffle tickets  
are available for purchase**

**That's right.....  
then they are GONE....  
Opportunity LOST!!**

So call ahead (616-453-5081) to make sure there's still a ticket left then hustle your big bad self down here and get into the 2026 Big Gun Raffle. We will change this page to indicate when we are sold out so check back here before you call (don't forget to "refresh" the page).

One ticket enters you into *each* of the 12 monthly raffles and....

Only 300 tickets will be sold.

So that means there is one gun for every 25 tickets!

Where can you find odds that good?

Tickets are \$60.00 and you *do not* need to be a member to purchase a ticket.

Tickets can be purchased at the Range Office (open 7 days a week) and Shooting Desk.  
We accept cash, check, Visa, and MasterCard.

Drawings are the last Tuesday of each month. Winners are notified by phone and listed each month in the newsletter. If you have any questions you can text Char at 616-498-1545.

[Click Here to see the guns.](#)

# West Walker Sportsman's Club

## 2026 Big Gun Raffle

<p>January Taurus TX22 Gen2 22LR 10rd Semi-Auto FDE Splatter 10rd</p> 	<p>February Citadel Pup Scout 12g Semi-Auto 5rd 18.5"</p> 
<p>March Sig Sauer P320 9mm Full Size 17rd</p> 	<p>April Winchester SXP Waterfowl 12g Pump 28" Camo</p> 
<p>May Ruger American Compact 6.5mm Creedmoor 4rd 20"</p> 	<p>June Smith &amp; Wesson Equalizer 9mm 15rd</p> 
<p>July Radical Firearms SOCOM 5.56 NATO 30rd 16" Grey</p> 	<p>August Ruger American Ranch Gen II 450 Bushmaster</p> 
<p>September CVA Cascade 350 Legend Bolt Action Camo 22" 4rd</p> 	<p>October Browning Black Label Medallion Pro 1911 380ACP 8rd</p> 
<p>November (2 guns) Pointer Acrius 12g &amp; 20g Over/Under 28" Turkish Walnut</p> 	<p>December Auto-Ordnance "United We Stand" 1911 45ACP 7rd</p> 

Images are representative, but may not be "actual".

Tickets are \$60.00 no matter what date you buy them, so purchase early to make sure your name is in the drawing each month. Only 300 will be sold. Drawings are the last Tuesday of each month.

**Tickets can be purchased at the Range Office and Shooting Desk beginning Oct 12.**

**West Walker Sportsman's Club supports the local Coopersville community and Life Scout in Scouting America.**

Scout Isaac Emery was working on his Eagle Project in Oct. 2025. His project was to get a team of volunteers and donations to restore the current aging flagpole at Coopersville Veteran Park. Currently, it was a single pole with both US Flag and POW flag with no lighting.

Isaac needed to raise \$1,000 to cover the costs of materials (flagpoles, flags and lighting). He was looking for donation for this project.

Isaac's presentation at the WWSM Charter meeting was given with details of the costs and afterwards the club voted to give Isaac his goal of \$1,000. The Friends of West Walker organization gave additional cash along with additional cash from individual charter members.

Picture shows the project completion on Nov. 10 the day before Veterans Day. WWSM Vice President – Rich VanderMeer and Isaac Emery standing between the new flagpoles and flags.





## Friday Night Fun TRAP Shoot January 23, 2026



### 50 Bird Blind Draw Partner Calcutta

(50/50 Shooters/Buyer split)

**West Walker Sportsman's Club**  
O-599 Leonard St. NW  
Grand Rapids, MI 49534

**NEW LED Lights installed!**

**Food will be available for purchase.**

**This is a fun event for all ages and skill levels. ALL are welcome. Spread the word and bring your friends for a fun night at WWSC.**

#### **Details:**

Club opens at 5pm. Dinner will be available.

Pick your partner 20 bird protection start 5:30pm. \$6/ shooter entry. Wobble and regular fields used.

**50 Bird Program.** \$20 entry. 1 round wobble trap from drawn yardage 16-21 yards. 1 round regular trap from drawn yardage 22-27 yards.

**Program sign-up deadline 7pm.** Partners drawn and auction at 7:30pm. Places paid determined before auction. Yardage drawn after the auction.

Squad 1 immediately to trap 2 for regular trap following auction. Finish round 1, squad 1 to trap 1 for wobble. Squad 2 to trap 1 upon squad 1's completion of regular. And so, on until all squads complete both rounds.

Shoot-off's will be 1 bird per partner per post from the 27 yard wobble trap for total of 10 birds.

**Note:** Club rules applied. Eye/ear pro required. Shot size 7.5 or smaller. Green targets may be used to combat evening lighting complications.



# ***WINTER LEAGUE***

***Starts – December 13, 2025***

***Ends ----- March 22, 2026***

***12 Weeks - 12 Lines (300 Targets)***

***League Entry - \$ 36.00 1<sup>st</sup> event plus reg. Line fees  
\$ 21.00 for each additional event***

***Events include: 5 Man SKEET & TRAP  
2 Man Skeet 20 ga.***

***Must have 4 lines posted by Jan. 25, 2026 and stay  
current through each week to avoid 3 bird penalty !!***

***Banquet - April 11 - 6:00 p.m.***

***Sign-up begins December 13***

**Must be a member to shoot the League**



**WEST WALKER**

# **NEW YEARS DAY**

**\*\* FUN SHOOT \*\***

***Thursday, January 1, 2026***

**10:00 am - 2:00 pm**

## **Trap and Skeet Shooting Games**

**1<sup>st</sup> & Last to break Intermittent – Black or GREEN targets**  
will determine the round winners.

**PRIZES - Breakfast sausage logs**

**Each round is 10 targets ( 5 man squads) - \$ 4**

**LONG BIRD GAME - 3 shots for \$2 – shoot as many times  
as you like.. Winner(s) take 70% of pot  
Ties divide.**

**\*\*\*\*\* NO LEAGUE SHOOTING - SPECIAL EVENT ONLY \*\*\*\*\***

***Come and join the fun !***



# WWSC BLACKLIGHT EVENT

THIS WINTER WWSC the blacklight shoot is back by popular demand.

This is not a league.

HOT FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM OUR GRILLE

This is a special event shoot; it will be \$8 a line. Non-members welcome

Shooting will start at 6pm-9:59pm signup starts at 5:30pm

Dec 6th, 20th Jan 3rd, 17th 31st, Feb 14th, and final Feb 28th.

Eye and ear protection is required! Only #7.5, #8, and #9 shot can be used \$8/line (25 birds per line) up to 30 rounds of ammo.

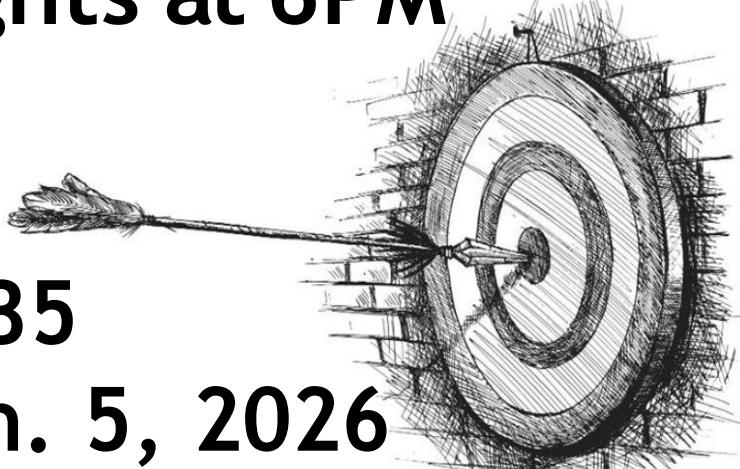
# INDOOR ARCHERY LEAGUE

## NFAA TARGET FACE

**Monday Nights at 6PM**

**10 Weeks**

**Adults: \$70**



**Under 18: \$35**

**Be there Jan. 5, 2026**

**Contact Dan Bradley for more information**

[6162386695](tel:6162386695)

West Walker Sportsman's Club - 599 Leonard St NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49534

# **EXPLORE OLYMPIC-STYLE Archery**

- >NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED**
- >ALL EQUIPMENT IS SUPPLIED**
- >USA ARCHERY CERTIFIED TRAINERS**
- >USA ARCHERY SANCTIONED TRAINING**

**Open to ages 8 through 18**

**There will be Four 1-1/2 hour sessions on Four consecutive  
Saturdays: 1/24, 1/31, 2/7, and 2/14.**

Beginner level meets 1:00pm to 2:30pm

Intermediate level meets 3:00pm to 4:30pm

**COST: \$60.00  
Payable through Venmo  
@Bill-Obenchain**

email to register: [wobenchain@gmail.com](mailto:wobenchain@gmail.com)

Please indicate which class level, and include childs  
name, age, and parent/guardian name

**Class will be held on our heated indoor range**

**West Walker Sportsman's Club  
O-500 Leonard NW  
Grand Rapids, MI 49534**

West Walker Sportsman Club 2026

Winter Pistol League

\$25 League Entry Fee

Starts January 21<sup>st</sup> 2026 goes for 5 weeks with 6 weeks to finish.

Indoor Pistol Range open for League shooting Wednesday Nights 5-7 pm and Saturdays 12-2pm

Catagories: 22 LR caliber 13 meters barrel length 7.5 max. free hand all sights accepted

Catagories: 22 LR caliber 13 meters barrel length 7.5 max. rested all sights accepted

Catagories: No 22 LR, 7 meters 7.5" max. Open sights free hand

Catagories: No 22 LR, 7 meters 7.5" max. enhanced sights free hand

5 targets per week, 10 shots per target totaling 50 rounds per night

6 shooters per line, first come first shoot, Listed time is start time, Range Monitor must be present for all indoor league shooting.

Any Questions text Rocky at (616) 292-2720 or email me at [rjohnston180@yahoo.com](mailto:rjohnston180@yahoo.com)

Registration starts January 12<sup>th</sup> 2026. Must be paid with CC at range monitor desk. Fill out form for pistol league also at range monitor desk. The range monitor will turn in your registration sheet with proof of payment printed out by the CC machine in the range office.

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### Range Hours

**Hours vary month to month\***

**January 1 – 15**

**M-S: 9:00am – 5:00pm**

**Sundays: 10am – 5:00pm**

**January 16-29**

**M-S: 9:00 – 5:30pm**

**Sundays 10am – 5:30pm**

**Link for range rules**

A small group of us enjoy getting together for archery practice at our indoor archery range, located at the clubhouse. Afterwards, we then go out to lunch to visit and catch up.

The next archery practice will be **January 23<sup>rd</sup> at noon**.

We welcome beginners, women interested in trying it out, as well as experienced archers.

We can also provide you with Bow & Arrows to try it out (right or left-handed). This is a fun & casual get together. We enjoy helping beginners on up. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Darla Westveer at [DSWestveer25@gmail.com](mailto:DSWestveer25@gmail.com).



**WOMEN'S  
ARCHERY  
GROUP**

### **2025 Big Gun Raffle Winners**

<b>Jan</b>	<b>Henry Classic lever .22 S/L/LR 18.5 Blued walnut</b>	<b>#29</b>	<b>Colton Posthumus</b>
<b>Feb</b>	<b>Taurus R56 Ultra lite 38 speical F5 – 6 round w/ laser</b>	<b>#66</b>	<b>Dan Tlabac</b>
<b>Mar</b>	<b>Kel-tec PMR 30-22 WMR 30 round</b>	<b>#169</b>	<b>Gary Blakeslee</b>
<b>Apr</b>	<b>" Winchester SXP upland field pump-action 12ga 3' 26'</b>	<b>#111</b>	<b>Dale Engstrom</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>Sig P320 compact 9mm 3.9" DAO 15 round</b>	<b>#5</b>	<b>Jeff Koopman</b>
<b>Jun</b>	<b>Springfeild hellcat 9mm 3" micro compact 13 round</b>	<b>#143.</b>	<b>William Dykehouse</b>
<b>Jul</b>	<b>Ruger American Ranch FDE 450 Bushmaster</b>	<b>#223</b>	<b>Brian Englehardt</b>
<b>Aug</b>	<b>Winchester XPR 243 win 22" black matte synthetic</b>	<b>#246</b>	<b>Chuck Tenbrink</b>
<b>Sep</b>	<b>Browning ABS Hunter 300WM 26" Matte Blued/Walnut</b>	<b>#159</b>	<b>Dave Brown</b>
<b>Oct</b>	<b>Howa M1500 308 Win 22" Stainless Walnut</b>	<b>#138</b>	<b>Brittany Weeks</b>
<b>Nov</b>	<b>Beretta A300 Ultima 12g 3" 28"VR CT3 Black Synth W/KO</b>	<b>#3</b>	<b>Terry Westedt</b>
<b>Dec</b>	<b>Weatherby Orion I O/U 12g 3" 26" Blued/Turkish Walnut</b>	<b>#34</b>	<b>Mike Marks</b>

# January 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b> Indoor pistol range 9-1pm	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm Burgers and fries 11-2
<b>4</b> Archery/Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>5</b> Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p Burgers and fries 6-9:30pm Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>8</b> Charter mtg 7:30pm Indoor pistol range 9-1pm	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm Burgers and fries 11-2  DEER POLE EVENT 6PM PISTOL RANGES CLOSED ALL DAY
<b>11</b> Archery/Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>12</b> Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p Burgers and fries 6-9:30pm Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>15</b> Indoor pistol range 9-1pm	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm  Burgers and fries 11-2
<b>18</b> Archery/Trap, skeet 10-2pm Midrealm archery 12pm	<b>19</b> Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p Burgers and fries 6-9:30pm	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Ladies Archery 12pm	<b>24</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm EA 1-5pm Burgers and fries 11-2
<b>25</b> Archery/Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm	<b>26</b> Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>27</b> Board Meeting 7pm  Walleye club 7pm	<b>28</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 9a-12p & 6p-10p Burgers and fries 6-9:30pm Indoor pistol range 6-9pm	<b>29</b> Indoor pistol range 9-1pm	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Archery-Trap-Skeet 10am-2pm EA1-5pm Burgers and fries 11-2