

September 2018

## **Upcoming Events**

#### September

Monday Night Trap 6pm

- 1 Fun Shoot 8:30 am New Member Orientation 1pm
- 4 Board Meeting 7pm
- 8 Set up for Action Match 8am
- 9 3 Gun Action Match 8am All Ranges closed till 3pm
- 15 Work Detail 9am
- 18 Open Meeting 7 pm Juniors Meeting 7 pm
- **22** Fun Shoot 8:30 am
- 23 Junior Fishing Trip
  Set up for Action Match 9am
- 29 York County Falling Steel Match All Ranges closed
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#### **October**

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- 2 Board Meeting 7pm
- 6 New Member Orientation 1pm
- 7 Set up for Action Match 8am
- 13 Point Series Shootout 8am All Ranges closed till 3pm
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- **16 Open Meeting** 7 pm **Juniors Meeting** 7 pm
- 21 Work Detail 1 pm USPSA Style Pistol Match 8am
- 23 Egg Shoot w/22 LR 8am Juniors Halloween Party
- 27 Fun Shoot 8:30 am

Visit our website or blog spot for more info: www.yorkiwla.org/calendar.html



**Rumor control.** Rumors are spreading throughout the club, local community and even at the national office, concerning the demise of the trout program at York IWLA. As I said at the picnic, nothing could be further from the truth. This vital program for the community is alive and well.

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Please do not help the propagation of rumors, they only hurt the club. Feel free to reach out to me for clarification on anything club related, rather than participate in speculation.

Second verse, same as the first: Once again, we were hit by a "perfect storm", and the club flooded on Friday Aug 31. While by all accounts the water rose higher than last time, there was less damage. The was some debris in the usual places, but primarily the ranges bore the brunt of it. We also lost a few porta potties, and the trash dumpster. I want to thank the small but dedicated crew that showed up to help clean up. Things were in good order in just a couple of hours.

#### Membership renewal:

This season is just around the corner, and is a source of frustration for many, many folks. The process is governed by our National office. There is not much we can do to expedite the process, but for renewing early and giving Lisa a hand stuffing envelopes and sorting mail. The process takes several months, and the longer you wait, the longer it takes, so please renew as early as you can and be patient. Waiting until January to renew, will guarantee you will not have a new card until April or May.

Ever wonder where your money goes? Well, of the \$110/year you pay for dues, only \$55 stays with the club, \$50 goes to our national organization and \$5 goes to the state organization.

As always, feel free to each out to me for any reason. I especially want to hear any complaints.

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#### **Junior News**



### **Junior Fishing Trip** September 23rd Call Ted Bell at

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IWLA Juniors are our kids.. Ages 8 to 18, our kids are very active! Fishing trips, 3D archery shoots, making bird houses, help in raising trout & pheasants, community service projects and much more!

Membership is only \$20.00 per year. Meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of the month, 7pm at the IWLA grounds, Clubhouse, lower level.

Visit our Junior Page for more information: http://www.yorkiwla. org/juniors.html or contact TED AND JEN BELL at 717-246-5787, juniors@yorkiwla.org



## Come join us for Monday night trap at 6pm

Monday night trap has had a lot of people step and help! Thank you all so much. Visit our club web page at: http://www.yorkiwla.org/trap.html.



# PIT MEAT SANDWICH SALE

## **Saturday September 8th** Glad Crab 8am-2pm The club will be sponsoring it's annual pit meat sandwich sale on Saturday,

September 8th. It will be held across the street from the Glad Crab, 3086 S. Queen St., Dallastown, PA 17313. We will be starting at 8AM and usually wrap it up around 2PM. We will need help picking up tables and chairs from the club and setting them up that morning, and help selling sandwiches during the day. Please contact Peggy Walker if you are available to help mewalker@zoominternet.net or 717-244-5385. This event has been a good fundraiser for the club in the past but it takes participation from members to make it work. Please come out and help or just come to buy sandwiches and visit with the members. Please spread the word on your social media pages and tell all of your relatives, friends, co-workers, and neighbors. That is the best advertising and it is free. For everyone who has helped in the past we are looking forward to seeing you again this year.



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#### **Pistol Committee**

#### 3 Gun

We had 70 shooters at the August 12th gun match sponsored by Geissele. Buddy Knight won. Our next 3 gun Match is September 9th. If you have questions about 3 Gun at our club, or wish to sign up for this match, email us at yorksignup@gmail.com or see our blog at www.yorkpistol.blogspot.com. Remember all ranges are closed on this day until around 3:00 pm. Please subscribe to www.yorkpistol.blogspot.com to be notified of news and events.

#### **FunShoot**

Our monthly Funshoot was AGAIN canceled to due to flooding photos to your right are of some of the amazing crew that came out to help clean up the back pits, thank you all for your time. Our next Funshoot is scheduled for September 22nd. Hope to see you there!

#### USPSA Style Pistol Match

There will be a USPSA style Pistol match Sunday October 21st in the back pits and range 1. Only the back pits and range 1 will be closed until around 3pm.

## 2018 Falling Steel Championship September 29th and 30th 2018

- The match will consist of 6 stages, 25-35 targets per stage. 150-170 total.
- All knockdown steel will be used.
- Squads will be limited to 12 shooters per squad (72 shooters per time slot). If the time slot you requested is filled, you will be notified and given the option to select another one, if available.
- Shooters may shoot in three divisions; however, you must shoot in three different time slots.
- You may shoot as "Single" meaning you shoot by yourself, or as "Team" meaning you and another shooter will be shooting each stage simultaneously. In theory each teammate only has half the targets, and each team only pays one entry fee. \$30 per time slot.
- You may only enter once per time slot (either as a single or partner).

#### Download application go to:

http://www.yorkiwla.org/pa-falling-steel-championships.html.

#### Rifle

#### All ranges will be closed:

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### **Save Our Streams Committee**

We are considering having a Save Our Streams Seminar, again put on by National. Probably a Saturday in Oct. If we can get enough folks interested, we shall have it. We had to cancel the one last month due to the rains. Please see Bill Stone if interested.

#### **Trout Committee**



Duane Kornbau, an important asset to the club, has stepped down as chair of trout and as a member. I wish to thank Duane for his service to the trout committee and to the club. His legacy will be the incredibly organized and detailed set of records for trout, that he passed on to the board. That alone is a statement of his professionalism, and dedication to the program. Thank you, Duane.

Moving forward: By the time you read this, the raceways will have been prepared, equipment repaired, food and medications procured, and lessons learned by many folks. It will have been a busy month for many folks new to trout. Thank you.

We will be receiving about 14,000 trout on September 27th. We are looking to bring in new folks to help tend to the fishies. For now, they primarily need fed and the water and mortality monitored (we will be holding training classes in the coming weeks). Moving towards spring, there will be preparations for stocking. If you are interested in getting involved in any way, please reach out to me, we want to involve as many of the club members as we can, it is really a cool and fun program. I see new opportunities for the juniors here as well!



— Gary

## **Buildings and Grounds**

On Saturday, September 15th there will be a work detail at 9:00 am, and we'll be trimming bushes and weeds around the grounds. Bring hedge trimmers, string trimmers, loppers and the like if you have them. We will also likely be doing some painting and carpentry. Bring appropriate tools and clothing.

In October we will have another work detail on Sunday, the 21st at 1:00 pm and our last work detail of 2018 will be Saturday, November 17th. These are usually about 3 hours long and are a good opportunity to get to know fellow club members.

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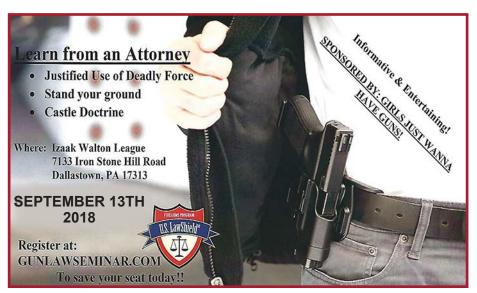
**Orientations** - Orientations, where we tour the grounds and discuss rules and features of the club are mandatory for prospective members, and interesting for existing members. The next three for 2018 will be: Saturday, October 6th , Saturday, November 3rd, and Sunday, December 2nd. All of these are at 1:00 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. We meet in the upper floor of the clubhouse. Prospective new members should be reminded that our dues are by the calendar year now. If you join later in the year they are still \$110 per year and only through the end of 2018. We can hold completed applications until January 1st if you prefer.

**Road Clean-up** - will be held on September 22, 2018 at 8am, meet at the clubhouse, refreshments will be available. Any questions call Phil Baker at 717-266-5987 or Don Robertson 717-873-4171.

**E-Mail Request** - Occasionally, there is a need to disseminate information faster than the newsletter allows, and a phone chain for 1300 members is just unreasonable to manage. Recent flood events are a good example.

Please, if you have an email address, add it to your contact info during the upcoming renewal season. We will not share this email with ANYONE, nor will we bombard your inbox with daily snippets and cartoons. This will only be used for urgent matters and committee requests, as indicated on your application.

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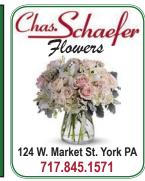
Thank you to all the people who have been sending me photos & info to fill the newsletter, your help in making the newsletter a success is greatly appreciated. If you have any news to go in our newsletter please get information to me Friday morning before the board meeting each month. Feel free to

email me at: iwlanewsletter@yorkiwla.org. Any questions call me at: 717-993-2900. Also if you take photos of events that happen at IWLA, please email them to me. If you have a new email or changed yours please let us know so we can keep it updated.

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