

# The WALT

# April 2022

## **Upcoming Events**

#### April

- 17 USPSA Match 8am
- All Ranges closed till 4pm
- 18 Monday Night Trap 6pm
- **19 General Membership Meeting** 7 pm **Juniors Meeting Canceled**
- 25 Monday Night Trap 6pm

### May

- 2 Monday Night Trap 6pm
- 3 Board Meeting 7pm
- 6 Stream Closed Special Event 4pm
- 7 Kids Fishing Derby 8am-1pm Stream Closed Special Event
- 8 Multi-Gun Match 8am All Ranges closed till 4pm Mother & Kids Fishing Day Stream Closed Special Event
- 9 Monday Night Trap 6pm
- 15 USPSA Match 8am All Ranges closed till 4pm
- 16 Monday Night Trap 6pm
- 17 General Membership Meeting 7 pm Juniors Meeting 7 pm
- 21 50 yard & Trap Closed
- 22 22 PRS Match All Ranges closed Work Detail email president@yorkiwla.org
- 23 Monday Night Trap 6pm
- 28 Trap Range Closed 4pm
- 30 Monday Night Trap 6pm

If you have business with the Board, please email Gary Swope at <u>ghswope@gmail.com</u>



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# From the President's Desk:

Club elections are in May and we will be taking nominations for officers and directors from the floor at the April 19th meeting. Think about if you would like to help guide our club into the future, and let me know at president@yorkiwla.org before April 19th or at that meeting. The elections for club officers

will be at the May 17th meeting.

The March 19th work detail really went well. We accomplished a lot and had a good time doing it with about 20 members in attendance. There will be another work detail on Sunday, May 22nd.

There is some wood lying near the stone piles by the trap building, and some more behind range one. If any member would like it for firewood they are welcome to it. In fact, any wood on club grounds that is lying on the ground and dead is free to members. -Howard Thompson



# JUNIORS

Hi Juniors!

We had our annual Easter egg hunt. Lots of kids came and

found lots of sugary delights. Our April Meeting will be Canceled.

Now that spring is here we will start going out to hike the trails and do some fishing. Make sure you come dressed for the outdoors. I recommend long pants and closed-toe shoes meant for walking. Also, if you are over 16 you will need a fishing license.

Meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of the month, 7pm at the IWLA grounds, Junior Clubhouse. Find out more contact :

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All Information for the May Newsletter due to: Nancy Webb by 5/4/22 Send to: iwlanewsletter@yorkiwla.org











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#### **Pistol Committee**

The pistol committee is rolling now. We've already had a few matches and we're anticipating a lot more fun this year. We hope to see you at some of them.

In May we have a Back Pit Egg Shoot on the 1st (back pits only), and 3 gun on 5/8 (all ranges will be closed til 3:00) a USPSA match on 5/15 (all ranges will be closed til 3:00) and a 22Ir PRS match on 5/22 (all ranges will be closed til 3:00) In June we have a Long Range Egg Shoot on the 5th (rifle range closed until at least noon), and The Mid-Atlantic Multi-Gun Championship from 6/10-6/12 (all ranges will be closed from 6:00 pm on 6/9 until at least 3:00 on 6/12) and a USPSA match on 6/19 (all ranges will be closed til 3:00)

All of our matches are open to members and non-members but all require pre-registration. For the latest information on our events check our blog at www.yorkpistol.blogspot.com regularly. If you have questions about any of the matches at our club, or would like to get involved with the pistol committee please email us at yorksignup@gmail.com





President



#### **MULTI-GUN NEWS**

We will be hosting this month's Multi Gun Match on April 10th. Our next Multi Gun match is on May 8th. Conversely, don't sign up if you don't intend to shoot, and if something comes up and you're not going to make it please let us know as soon as possible. The Thursday before the match at midnight is the cut off for backing out without penalty. People who persist in not showing up after signing up will not be invited back. We want to benefit as many shooters as possible this season.

Our 2022 Multi-Gun Schedule is on our calendar for every second Sunday of the month starting in March. And our Mid Atlantic Multigun match is scheduled for June 10-12. Please save these dates! Of course all dates subject to change.

Please feel free to reach me with any questions at: 717-668-2325 — Chris Webb

#### **USPSA NEWS**

93 shooters attended our first USPSA match in 2022.

We couldn't have done it without our volunteer setup crew: Don Miller, Dave Ragland, Rick Zapf, Dave Williams, Al Bernard, Jennifer Lemmon, Bob Fanjoy, Jeff Patton, Tom Levenhagen, Fritz Levenhagen, Rod Nicolette

In addition, we were able to donate \$500 to PractiScore. Finally, we added 27 new certified Range Officers for this

season after hosting an RO class in February.

Our next match is Sunday April 17th. Registration is via Practiscore and opens Sunday April 10th at 7PM. Match setup takes place Friday April 15th at 10AM. Newcomers are welcome. Contact Russell or Jim with any questions.

#### **MONDAY NIGHT TRAP**

Trap is open once again to the Public. Monday nights 6-9pm weather permitting. \$4.50 for adults \$3.50 for juniors. As always help is appreciated.

Youth Field Day is June 4th. We are looking for volunteers to helps the kids on the trap field. For many, this will be the first time shooting a shotgun. Please contact me by email or on trap night if you are available to volunteer. See you on the trap range – Jon and crew

### **BUILDING & GROUNDS**

We have a work detail planned for Sunday, May 22nd at 9:00 am. Please email me at president@yorkiwla. org and let me know if you plan to attend. I'm not sure what we'll be doing yet, but be ready for painting, and yard work. It's always good to have work gloves and boots. Bring any tools you think are handy. I'll email everyone who signs up with more details on our projects ahead of time. work detail.



**Recording Secretary Bill Stone** 

# **FROUT COMMITTEE**

Member Dustin and his son Dylan were thrilled to catch a 19" Brown Trout from the creek on the club grounds

Overall, the trout are doing well with continuing low mortality rates for all trout. April should bring warmer temperatures than March, which will increase the trout appetite. And again Jerry and I want to say thanks to our "Feeder" Volunteers and stockers for their continued support of getting the fish ready for the stocking happening now until the first week of June.

The Kids Fishing Derby is four weeks away. This will be the first Derby in some time, so we're looking forward to continuing the tradition. Mark your calendars for this event happening Saturday May

7, 2022. All ages are welcome to participate with trout activities, so If interested in helping, please contact Bob Nelson at the email address below. There are still 2020 Trout T-Shirts available, for \$6 each, at the clubhouse. You can purchase them by contacting Bob Nelson at, treasurer@vorkiwla.org or at our IWLA Open Meetings.

## **OTHER NEWS**

**BY-LAW CHANGE**- The board has approved an amendment to the current by-laws that is to be voted upon by written ballot by the members present at the May17th membership meeting. We would like to remove Article 1, Section 1 B in its entirety. That Section currently reads "an applicant shall have two sponsors who are members of this chapter in good standing for at least two (2) years. a. A member in good standing is one whose dues are paid." The sponsor signatures on the application add no value, and are a confusing relic that have no consequence to either the sponsors or the new member.

## **COMING SOON TO IWLA YORK CHAPTER 67**

The Board has decided to address the ever increasing mis-use of the grounds by non members, by rerouting the incoming driveways a bit and adding an access gate with supervisory security cameras. Installation is set for sometime in April/May, and all



feedback.

Gary Swope, Board Chair.

PLANTING TREES - The club will be planting small trees on the club grounds on the weekend of April 23, for Earth Day and the club reforest program. If you would like to help, please come out and enjoy the fun.

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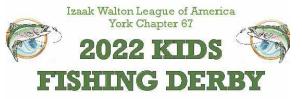








members will be issued access cards the size of a credit card in lieu of membership cards beginning in the June or July timeframe. Details on the access card roll out will be sent via email in the coming months. This is an exciting new step for York IWLA. We are very excited about it, and look forward to membership



### FREE for children 12 and Under All Children must be accompanied by an Adult

Saturday, May 7th Registration at 8:00 am Derby from 9:00am - 1:00pm

At IWLA Grounds 7131 Ironstone Hill Road, Dallastown, PA

Bring your own Bait and Tackle Trophies Awarded \*\*\* Drawings & Door Prizes Food Stand

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