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30 Gun Raffle

Tickets are now available for the 30 gun raffle. Cost of the ticket is \$20.00. For every 10 tickets you sell, your name will be entered into a drawing for \$300.00. If you want to purchase tickets, send a check payable to JSA for the number of tickets you want. If you want tickets to sell, leave a message or drop us an email to let us know how many tickets you would like to have and we will mail them to you. All unsold tickets should be returned to the club by August 18. Money should be returned when the tickets are sold.

Craftsmen Tool Raffle

We are trying something new this year to raise funds. During the month of June, we will be holding a Craftsman Tool Raffle. The cost of the tickets is \$5.00. For every 20 tickets sold, you will be entered into a drawing for \$200.00.

Please keep in mind that except for dues and the carnival, the only income we generate is from various raffles we hold throughout the year. This money is necessary to keep our club running and your dues very inexpensive. If every club member would purchase or sell one ticket, all of our raffles would be highly successful.

Hunters' Safety Course

This event will be held on April 6 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and April 9 from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Lunch

will be provided on April 9. Contact Bob Hilker at 717-225-3081 to register or for more information.

Strawberry Festival

Mark you calendars for an enjoyable evening of good food and great conversation. The event will be held on June 16 after our regular club meeting.

Jefferson Carnival - July 18 through July 23

Please mark your calendar. This is the largest fundraiser for our organization. We need volunteers to make this event successful. Please consider donating a few hours to set up, work during the carnival, or tear down afterwards. We also need volunteers to act as night watchmen through out the week. Contact Ken Klein 717-235-7686 or Bill Reimold 717-235-4078 for more information.

Archery

Upcoming 3-D shoots will be held on April 3, May 1, June 5, July 10 and September 18. Registration runs from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$8.00 for everyone over 16 years old; under 16 shoot free. On August 6 and 7, we will hold our annual Hunt of a Lifetime shoot. All money raised from this event will benefit the HOAL foundation to provide hunting and fishing adventures for youth with a terminal illness.

Help is always needed and appreciated in the kitchen. Please

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consider donating an hour or two. Thanks.

Please set aside April 16 (April 23 - rain date) to work on the archery lanes and develop new ones. The work involves cutting back brush and general maintenance to keep the shooting lanes open. Bring your rakes, shovels, prunners and gas trimmers and a good pair of work gloves. Call the club and leave your name and phone number so we will know how many plan to attend. Breakfast will be served at 7:30 a.m. for all volunteers.

Trap League

Every Thursday beginning on April 7 and continuing to September 15, we will be shooting trap, weather permitting. Practice rounds cost is \$2.50 for members and \$3.00 for non-members. League shooting is \$6.00. Shoots start at 5:30 p.m.

Outdoor .22 Silhouette League

This event will begin on Wednesday, April 6 and run for 10 weeks. Weather permitting, the shoot will be held on Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and from 2:00 p.m. to dusk. Cost is \$4.00 per week. Classes will be scope and open class for both pistol and rifle. A 50/50 drawing will be held each week.

Trout Stocking

We will be stocking trout the 3rd week of April. Contact the clubhouse if you can help.

Club Meeting Time Change

When daylight savings starts, our meetings will begin at 8:00 p.m.

Our club is run by volunteers. We need the help of all members to keep our club running. By selling tickets, helping during club events, or giving your time during a work detail can have a great impact on everyone. Thanks.

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