

TRAP LEAGUES

Our *Spring League* will start on March 19th and runs through April 23.

Summer League will then start on April 30th.

DNR UPDATE

From Dale J. Hochhausen,
Wisconsin Conservation Warden
To report violations or ask questions
call me at 262-878-5612

Hunting/fishing licenses expire March 31.

Spring Hearings are scheduled for April 14 at 7PM. This is your chance to vote and recommend changes in natural resource laws. Racine - Union Grove High School - Auditorium, 3433 S. Colony Ave., Union Grove; Kenosha - Bristol Grade School - Gym, 20121 83rd St., Bristol; Walworth - Delavan/Darien High School, 150 Cummings St., Delevan

Boat registrations are good for 3 years and expire on March 31. Check to see if your registration expires March 31, 2008. Boat registrations can be renewed on the DNR website.

The Class A Bear drawing was a few weeks ago and successful applicant should have received a notice in the mail. Applicants can also check their points and drawing results on the DNR website. There were 86,113 Class A Bear license applications this year. Of the 86,113 applicants, 35,895 requested a license and 50,218 wanted a preference point only.

The minimum number of preference points required to draw a bear license were:

- Zone A - Everyone with 8 points or more got a license in Zone A.
- Zone B - Everyone with 11 points or more got a license in Zone B.
- Zone C - Everyone with 5 points or more got a license in Zone C.
- Zone D (formally subzone A1)- Everyone with 8 points or more got a license in Zone D.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

March 19 Spring League Starts
March 23 CLUB CLOSED for Easter
April 7 Board Meeting
April 8 Club Meeting @ 7:00pm

The Club is open on Wednesdays at 3:30am and on Sunday from 10:00am - 4:00pm, except for Holidays.

CLUB NEWS

New Members

Tim, Cathy and their son Alex Schurman attended the March meeting. Alex had participated in the Duck house building and Hunter safety course at the club. His parents were impressed and decided to join. Alex is also joining the trap team.

Bylaws

Dave Calamia has reviewed the bylaws and has several recommendations to revise them. Most of them are concerning memberships. Dave will have printed copies at the April meeting. Changes will be discussed and voted on at the May meeting.

Wood Duck Houses

The houses built by the kids are available. See Tom if you are interested in putting one on your property.

BHS Trap Team

We have 10 new kids signed up and are up to 45 total. We can still handle more if interested. The YMCA "Corporate Cup Shoot" is scheduled for Tuesday July 29th. The fee is \$25 for 2 rounds of skeet or trap. We expect 100 to 120 kids and will need help! May 3rd is the Kids invitational. We also need help for this. Please see Tom.

Hunter Safety Class

The Hunter Safety class was a great success. 26 kids attended and they all passed. Two more classes are planned for the future, details to come.

Outdoor Wisconsin

Club member Denis Karnosky will be featured in two segments airing on March 27th and April 3rd. The show is about Grouse hunting.

Club Cooks

Cathy Schurman will be our April cook.

Kids Fisheree

Folders for collecting donations will be available at the April meeting. We are looking for members willing to go out and visit the businesses and ask for donations. This is actually a fun thing to do and is well received by Burlington businesses.

Fundraiser

The Club board has decided to sell the ATA sponsored tickets. They sell for \$5 and the club keeps \$3. The grand prize is a new pickup truck, with 4 other prizes available. The drawing is August 8th in Sparta. This was voted on and passed at the March meeting.

Club Detour

Brever road is closed at the bypass construction site. This means to get to the club you must turn off of Hwy 142 to Wheatland road to Hoosier Creek road to Brever road (right turn) follow Brever to the club entrance (just before the road is closed).

Club will be closed March 23rd for Easter.