THE ARGC NEWS

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SEPTEMBER 2011

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MONTHLY MEETING NEWS

The next ARGC membership meeting will be Thursday, October 6th, at 7 PM. As always there will be food and beverages available. The next ARGC Board meeting will be Thursday, September 29th, at 7:00PM.

First Readings:

- Dan Chapman
- John Swanson
- Michael B. Schubert

If someone knows of a reason that any of the above parties would not make an upstanding member of ARGC, please bring the matter to the attention of any Officer or Trustee of the club.

Second Reading:

- Thomas F. Mazur Congratulations to the above new ARGC member that was voted in at the September 2011 meeting.

PROGRESSIVE RAFFLE

The progressive raffle number drawn for the September jackpot of \$306.50 was #1302, David Rancourt. David was not registered nor in attendance. The jackpot will continue to grow.

NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

The nomination of Officers will be conducted at the October 6, 2011 Membership Meeting. All Officers and two trustees will be up for nomination. The elections will be conducted at the November 3rd. membership meeting at 8:00PM. õYou must have your current membership card with you to vote!!ö

2011 WORK TIME

According to the Club By-Laws, 2011 work time begins November 1, 2010 and must be performed and submitted by October 31, 2011.

WORK PARTIES

Work parties are scheduled for the purpose of general maintenance, clean-up of the grounds, and buildings:

Saturday	September 3	9:00AM
Saturday	September 10	9:00AM
Saturday	September 17	9:00AM
Saturday	September 24	9:00AM

You can just show up on the designated date and time or contact Dan Wyatt at 440-344-0018 for more information and/or to sign up. We are asking workers to bring gloves, rakes, shovels, wheelbarrows, chainsaws, and anything you believe may be of assistance.

ATTENTION

SKEET/TRAP SHOOTERS & MEMBERS

1386 Targets are being delivered to ARGC on Friday September 30, 2011 at 3:30 PM. Please plan on helping! This may be one of the last opportunities to get your work time in prior to the October 31 deadline. Please call Jerry Jeffers for additional info or you can just show up. Thank You!

9-11 MEMORIAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST

A 9-11 memorial pancake breakfast will be held on Saturday 9/11/20011 from 8AM to 12PM at the ARGC clubhouse. All proceeds will benefit the õWounded Warrior Project.ö Ticket donation is \$10 and is tax Deductible. We need your help and donations to make this work! Please contact John or Tina Kucera for ticket information, donation of time, or service.

HUNTER TRIALS

The 2011/12 Hunter (Dog) Trials schedule has been Established. The trials will consist of Flushing and Pointing as in previous seasons The season schedule is as follows:

September 11, 2011 October 2, 2011 November 6, 2011 January 8, 2012 March 4, 2012 April 8, 2012

September 25, 2011 October 16, 2011 December 4, 2011 February 5, 2012 March 18, 2012 April 22, 2012

For registration and/or more information call Joe Slocum.

FRIDAY SKEET SHOOT

We are looking for a member to run the Friday AM Skeet Shoot on a regular basis. This is an excellent opportunity to get your work time in. Please contact Terry Berkey if you are interested.

HELP NEEDED!

Jerry Jeffers needs someone with a Log Splitter to volunteer to split the wood that is stacked up near the Madden House. If you have a Log Splitter or know someone that does and are willing to help; please call Jerry.

ASHTABULA COUNTY DUCKS UNLIMITED September 10, 2011 Ashtabula County Fairgrounds 5 Gun Raffle Drawing

Ist ticketRuger SR92nd ticketFranci 12 ga. Semi-auto Shotgun3rd ticket.380 Taurus Pistol4th ticketCharles Daly 12 ga. Pump5th ticketInline Muzzleloader

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Call Jim for tickets.

WHITETAILS UNLIMITED - BUCK FEVER NIGHT

This fundraising event will be held at the Ashtabula County Fairgrounds Expo Building on Friday, November 25, 2011 and will include a dinner, auction, and prizes. Games/Raffles & Social Hour begins at 4:30PM and a Buffet dinner at 6:30 PM. Proceeds from this event will benefit youth programs in cooperation with the Ashtabula County Conservation League. Please contact Paul Callender for tickets and/or additional info.

HUNTER'S EDUCATION CLASSES

The next Hunterøs Safety Class scheduled for:

Wednesday	September 7	- 6:00PM
Saturday	September 10	- 9:00AM
Wednesday	September 28	- 6:00PM
Saturday	October 1	- 9:00AM

New this year, registration for this certification course is done by either calling 1-800-WILDLIFE or go online at www.dnr.state.oh.us. The course is free and will be held at the ARGC clubhouse.

TRADER DAY-WRAP UP

The ARGC Rifle Team held a Trader Day on Saturday August 13th at the ARGC clubhouse and grounds. We had a good turnout; the event table rentals and 50/50 raffles raised \$418 after expenses. The proceeds will be donated to the Land Fund. A big thank you goes out to the following for their help with this event:

> Bill Haley Gib Ingwer Kyle Raleigh Jr. John Kucera Jim Beitel Dave Chappel

Dick Berg Dawn Johnston Mike Schubert Joe Slocum Russ Nelson Mary Lou Novak

50/50 raffle winners were:

Jim Beitel Jerry Reynolds

Ted Cox

Debbie Kemp

Thanks to anyone that we may have missed and to all who supported this event.

A Special thanks goes out to Cindy & Gib Ingwer and the Rifle Team for organizing and hosting this fund raising event.

LAND FUND CASH RAFFLE

Cathy Welsh and Dawn Johnston have volunteered to co-chair a committee to hold a Fall Cash Raffle that benefits the ARGC Land Fund. 1000 tickets at \$5.00 each are being sold for a cash prize of \$1000. The drawing will be held at the November, 2011 membership meeting. Cathy and Dawn need members to help with this project. Contact Cathy to get your tickets or help with this project.

THE BIRD PRESERVE

The Bird Preserve is now open. Hunts are available to members and the public; both AM and PM. Call John Hadzinski to schedule your hunt or obtain additional info. The Classic Hunt has been rescheduled to October 9, 2011.

SPECIAL THANKS

A Special Thanks goes out to the following:

- Gerald Hesser for donating his 50/50 raffle winnings to the land fund.
- Timothy Baum for his \$400 donation to the land fund

ASHTABULA COUNTY GUN SHOW

A Gun Show will be held at the Kathryn Rose Party Center, 3116 North Bend Road, Ashtabula Ohio. This show is open to the public:

> Saturday, November 26 9AM - 4PM Sunday, November 27

9AM - 3PM

Modern & Antique Firearms & accessories. Sporting & Military Collectibles. Breakfast will be available.

PERSONAL INFO CHANGE

Please contact the ARGC Secretary whenever you have a change of personal information. (Address, email, phone, cellí í) You can obtain a Change Form from Secretary John Kucera, in person, by mail c/o ARGC, or from our website: http://www.argconline.org/files/ Personal_Information_Change.pdf

BLACK POWDER SHOOT

The September (Only) Black Powder Shoot is rescheduled to the fourth Sunday of September. (9/25/2011).

SKEET & INDOOR ARCHERY

Skeet will continue to hold shoots on Wednesday nights at 6:00PM during September. Indoor Archery will shoot on Tuesdays beginning September 6th at 6:00PM.

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ARGC CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER	
Sunday	11 -Memorial Breakfast - 8:00AM	Sunday	2 -Hunter's (Dog) Trials - 8:30AM
	-Hunter's (Dog) Trials - 8:30AM	-	-Skeet - 10:00AM
	-Skeet - 10:00AM		-Action Pistol - 10:00AM
	-CMP - 10:00AM	Monday	3 -Skeet - 6:00PM
	-Bowling Pin - 10:00AM	Tuesday	4 -Trap - 6:00PM
Monday	12 -Skeet - 6:00PM		-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
Tuesday	13 -Trap - 6:00PM	Wednesday	5 -Trap - 10:00AM
	-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM	Thursday	6 -Membership Meeting - 7:00PM
Wednesday	14 -Trap - 10:00AM	Friday	7 -Skeet - 10:00AM
	-Skeet - 6:00PM	Saturday	8 -Hunter's Ed. Class - 9:00AM
Friday	16 -Skeet - 10:00AM		-Trap - 10:00AM
Saturday	17 -Work Party - 9:00AM	Sunday	9 -Skeet - 10:00AM
	-Trap - 10:00AM		-CMP - 10:00AM
Sunday	18 -Skeet - 10:00AM		-Bowling Pin - 10:00AM
Monday	19 -Skeet - 6:00PM	Monday	10-Skeet - 6:00PM
Tuesday	20 -Trap - 6:00PM	Tuesday	11 -Trap - 6:00PM
	-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM		-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
Wednesday	21 -Trap - 10:00AM	Wednesday	12 -Trap - 10:00AM
	-Skeet - 6:00PM	Friday	14 -Skeet - 10:00AM
Friday	23 -Skeet - 10:00AM	Saturday	15 -Trap - 10:00AM
Saturday	24 -Work Party - 9:00AM	Sunday	16 -Hunter's (Dog) Trials - 8:30AM
	-Trap - 10:00AM		-Black Powder - 9:30AM
Sunday	25 -Hunter's (Dog) Trials - 8:30AM		-Skeet - 10:00AM
	-Black Powder - 9:30AM	Monday	17 -Skeet - 6:00PM
	-Skeet - 10:00AM	Tuesday	18 -Trap - 6:00PM
Monday	26 -Skeet - 6:00PM		-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
Tuesday	27 -Trap - 6:00PM	Wednesday	19 -Trap - 10:00AM
	-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM	Friday	21 -Skeet - 10:00AM
Wednesday	28 -Trap - 10:00AM	Saturday	22 -Trap - 10:00AM
	- Skeet 6:00PM	Sunday	23 -Skeet - 10:00AM
	-Hunter's Ed. Class - 6:00PM	Monday	24 -Skeet - 6:00PM
Thursday	29 -Board Meeting - 7:00PM	Tuesday	25 -Trap - 6:00PM
Friday	30 -Skeet-10:00AM		-Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
	-Target Delivery - 3:30PM	Wednesday	26 -Trap - 10:00AM
	"Need Help"	-	-Hunter's Ed. Class - 6:00PM
		Thursday	27 -Board Meeting - 7:00PM
OCTOBER		Friday	28 -Skeet-10:00AM
Saturday	1 -Hunter's Ed. Class - 9:00AM	Saturday	29 -Trap - 10:00AM
	-Trap - 10:00AM	Sunday	30 -Skeet - 10:00AM
		Monday	31 -Skeet - 6:00PM