

THE ARGC NEWS

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NOVEMBER 2009

Club Dues

Initiation fee	\$50.00 tax inc.
Working member dues	60.00 tax inc.
Social member dues	150.00 tax inc.

ASHTABULA ROD AND GUN CLUB

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Officers

President	Dan Wyatt	344-0018
V. President	Jeff Furman	
Treasurer	Bill Wisnor	
Secretary	Gayle Avallone	

Trustees

Kevin Chandler	3yr.
Denny Pasqualone	3yr.
Paul Callender	2 yr.
Jerry Jeffers	2 yr.
David DeGeorge	1 yr.
Skip Craine	1 yr.
Chuck Mitchell	1 yr.

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MONTHLY MEETING NEWS

The next ARGC membership meeting will be Thursday, December 3rd, at 8 pm. As always there will be food and beverages available.
The next ARGC Board meeting will be Thursday, November 19th, at 7:30pm.

First Readings:

- Robert Fracci

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

Second Readings:

- Dawn Johnston
- Kevin Richner
- Larry Trennel

Congratulations to the above new ARGC members that were voted in at the November 2009 meeting.

PROGRESSIVE RAFFLE

The progressive raffle number drawn for the November jackpot of \$271.00 was #1322, Mark Kovach. Mark was not registered nor in attendance.

MEETING DATES

The following meeting dates have been rescheduled due to the holidays:

Nov. 26 Board Meeting to:	Nov. 19
Dec. 31 Board Meeting to:	Dec. 17

The Jan. 28 Board Meeting will be a closed meeting
If you have immediate business for the Board, please arrive by 7:30PM to present prior to the closed session. These changes will also be listed in your newsletter calendar.

2010 WORK TIME

According to the Club By-Laws, 2010 work time begins November 1, 2009 and must be performed and submitted by **October 31, 2010.**

ELECTION OF OFFICERS & TRUSTEES

The following individuals have been elected to the listed positions for calendar 2010:

President	Dan Wyatt
V. President	Paul Callender
Treasurer	Bill Wisnor
Secretary	John Kucera
Trustee - 3 Year	Skip Craine
Trustee - 3 Year	Joe Slocum

Congratulations to our new Officers & Trustees for calendar year 2010.

POND WARNING

The pond has been dug out on the NE end and is now 14 feet deep. We will be installing a guard or split rail safety barrier and posting a warning.

CHRISTMAS DONATION

Donations will be accepted at the December meeting for our Service Men and Women that are stationed in Iraq and Afghanistan during the Christmas Season. Your contributions will be greatly appreciated. For additional information, please contact Robert Kuhta.

YOUTH PHEASANT HUNT

The 4th annual youth pheasant hunt was held on Saturday October 10, 2009. 11 youths attended and each got a bird. Jeff advised that everyone had a great time. Bill Haley's chili was a big hit! Thanks to Bill and all who helped with this youth event!

GUN RAFFLE

The Dog Training committee is raffling a Remington 1100 Trap Grade shotgun. It includes a 30" Ventrib barrel and 2 chokes. The drawing will be held when all tickets are sold. The winner does not need to be present to win. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. Please contact Joe Slocum for tickets and or more information.

PHEASANT HUNT RAFFLE

The Dog Training committee is raffling three 2 - Man hunts for 4 pheasants, 5 chucker, or 6 quail. You can bring your dog or the club will furnish. The drawing will be held when 200 tickets are sold at \$20.00 each. Contact Joe Slocum or Jeff Furman for tickets or additional information.

SPECIAL THANKS

A Special Thanks goes out to the following:

- Geneva VFW Post #6846 for their generous \$1000 donation to the ARGC land fund.

INDOOR ARCHERY

The Indoor Archery committee is conducting a 50/50 raffle drawing. Tickets are \$5.00 each and will benefit ARGC Archery activities. The drawing will be held on December 31, 2009. Please contact Dennis Pasqualone for tickets and/or information.

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 28 9AM - 4PM

Sunday, November 29 9AM - 3PM

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

BLACK-POWDER

Mark your calendar, the November 20, 2009 Blackpowder Shoot will be a Turkey Shoot. Contact Dave Sulecki for additional info.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please notify the ARGC Secretary of your change of address when you move and/or decide to receive your mail at a different location. This will insure that you continue to receive all club correspondence in a timely manner.

REVERSE RAFFLE

Mark your calendars, the ARGC Reverse Raffle will be held on April 10, 2010 at the Kathryn Rose Party Center.

HUNTER'S SAFETY INSTRUCTORS

A Hunter's Safety Instructor's Course was held October 31 and November 1 at the ODNR District 3 headquarters in Akron. Congratulations goes out to Ronald Bowser, Terry Berkey, and Chuck Mitchell on becoming certified as Hunter Safety Instructors.

HUNTER'S SAFETY CLASS

We had 27 students enrolled for the October class. All passed with an average score of 96 with the lowest score being 84. The next Hunter's Safety Class is scheduled for Wednesday November 11 at 6:00PM and Saturday November 14 at 9:00AM. Please contact Paul Callender or Skip Crain to sign up and/or obtain additional information.

WHITETAILS UNLIMITED BANQUET

Ashtabula County Buck Fever Night will be held Friday November 27, 2009 at the Ashtabula County Fairgrounds Expo Building, Jefferson, Ohio.

Social Hour - 4:30PM

Dinner - 6:30PM

Gun Raffles! Auction! Door Prizes!

Tickets are \$25.00 each. Ticket order deadline is November 25, 2009.

Proceeds of the event will go toward Youth and Habitat programs in Ashtabula County. For tickets and/or information contact Paul Callender.

NEW ODNR OFFICER

Newly appointed Ashtabula County State Wildlife Officer Jason Hadsell stopped in to get acquainted during our November meeting. Jason, who has served as the Cuyahoga County wildlife officer since 2005 is replacing former Ashtabula County Officer Wade Dunlap who transferred to Tuscarawas County. Jason invited members to call him with any questions or concerns and advised that the contact number is the same as with Wade Dunlap.

TRAP

- Congratulations goes out to the ARGC Trap Shooters for winning the Ashtabula County League Shoot.
- The Trap House has just been repaired. Please do not shoot at it!

ARGC CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

Friday 13 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 Saturday 14 -**Hunter's Safety - 9:00AM**
 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 15 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 -Black Powder - 9:30AM
 -Action Pistol - 10:00AM
 Tuesday 17 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 18 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM
 Thursday 19 -**Board Meeting - 7:30PM**
 Friday 20 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 Saturday 21 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 22 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 -**Hunter Trials - 8:30AM**
 Tuesday 24 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 25 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM
 Friday 27 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 27 -**Whitetails Unlimited Banquet**
 Saturday 28 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 29 -Skeet - 10:00AM

DECEMBER

Tuesday 1 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 2 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM
 Thursday 3 -**Membership Meeting - 8:00PM**
 Friday 4 -Skeet - 10:00AM

DECEMBER

Saturday 5 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 6 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 -Action Pistol - 10:00AM
 Tuesday 8 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 9 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM
 Friday 11 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 Saturday 12 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 13 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 -**Hunter Trials - 8:30AM**
 -CMP - 10:00AM
 -Bowling Pin - 10:00AM
 Tuesday 15 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 16 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM
 Thursday 17 -**Board Meeting - 7:30PM**
 Friday 18 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 Saturday 19 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 20 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 -Black Powder - 9:30AM
 Tuesday 22 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 23 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM
 Friday 25 -**Merry Christmas**
 Saturday 26 -Trap - 10:00AM
 Sunday 27 -Skeet - 10:00AM
 Tuesday 29 -Trap - 6:00PM
 -Indoor Archery - 6:00PM
 Wednesday 30 -Trap - 10:00AM
 -Skeet - 6:00PM