



The West Seattle Sportsman

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Happy New Year

January Club Meeting

This month the club meeting will be on January 4th at 7:30 PM. We will be meeting at the range to discuss the upcoming trips for this year and start planning the Big Game Dinner.

Please join us, the more ideas we get the more fun we can have. We would love to hear your feedback on what you liked and would like to do again, or perhaps you have an idea for an event that you would like to see done. No idea is too big or small.

Big Game Dinner

Our Big Game Dinner is once again fast approaching. It is planned for Saturday February 11th, 2012. It will be held at the West Seattle American legion Hall*, appetizers and social hour will begin at 6 PM with dinner served at 7 PM. Tickets will be \$18.00 in advance and \$20.00 at the door. Children 12 and under are free.

TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

With the coming of the New Year comes this reminder. It's time once again to renew your Club Membership.

Remember dues are now \$40.00 (increase was voted in last year to cover added insurance coverage and cost) and with that you get this great

This year with our game donations down so far we are going to go with a Pig Roast theme and have dishes such as Kahlua pork or Pulled pork. We have some Halibut and Salmon and will fill in with whatever game donations we receive. If you have some game, fish or shellfish taking up space in your freezer we would still love to have them.

In order for this event to go on we need your help. As I we said above we would still love to get any meat or fish donations you would like to make. So if you or your wife are looking in the freezer and complaining about it being full, please call or e-mail a WSSC officer or trustee, you can also let us know at the next club meeting.



Now once we have all of the food to feed everybody we will need some folks to help out in the kitchen. Again just give us a call or shoot us an e-mail.

We will be having a raffle again this year. There are some great prizes lined up such as a Marlin 22 rifle, Igloo cooler and a oil less turkey fryer but donations are always accepted. If you have

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newsletter once a month, fun club outings, special events and reduced range fees at our range. We even manage to get an occasional guest speaker every now and then. So please use the form on page 3 and mail your dues in now or bring them with you to the next club meeting. Your dues help us pay for club supplies, insurance and those fun

special events and meals we have throughout the year, such as the Clam Bake, Salmon Bake, and Kids Fishing Derby just to name a few. Where else can you get a year full of fun for just \$40.00. Use the handy Membership Renewel Form and Big Game dinner Advance Order form include with this newsletter. †

WSSC Totems

The juniors have been busy with the Smallbore and Air Rifle qualifiers for the National Junior Olympics (NJOs). Each state can send their top male and top female shooters for each discipline to NJOs which is hosted at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs in late March / early April. The kids will have the opportunity of staying in the Dorms if he/she is an automatic qualifier.

Smallbore Results:

Last year Marisca won state in Women's Air Rifle and represented the State of Washington at NJOs. This year Marisca won Women's Smallbore Rifle with a 566/600 and will get an automatic bid for the Smallbore Championship.

Emma was the Gold Medal winner last year in the JORC, this year Emma finished 3rd and won the bronze medal for the state Smallbore match with a 554/600. In the Smallbore match, with the Men's scores included, Marisca finished 3rd overall. Emma won the Expert class. Corinne was not far behind these girls as she shot a 546/600, a personal best match score. She finished 1st in A Class. Owen shot a 522/600 which was near a personal best. He finished 6th in A Class.

We had a number of shooters elevated to B class after they

swept D class in the State Indoor Championship. The new class didn't seem to make much of a difference as the team swept 1st-4th in B class. Lauren won the class with a personal best 531/600. Lily was not far behind in 2nd place in B class shooting a 524/600. Casey took 3rd with a 501/600 and Nick rounded out the top 4 with a 484/600. Zach and Sumner also had good outings in Smallbore. Zach shot a 384/600 and Sumner a 370/600.

Air Rifle Results:

In the Air Rifle match, Emma's 374/400 gave her a 4th place finish overall in the Women's match. Marisca finished in 5th place overall. Corinne finished 1st in B Class with a 367/400. In D Class, the girls who swept Smallbore were busy again. Lily took top honors in D class with a 363/400. Lauren was close behind in 2nd place in D class with a 361/400. Casey finished with a 333/400 to take 3rd place in D class. Sumner shot a 290/400 to finish 2nd in E class.

The boys shoot a longer match in Air Rifle, shooting a 60 shot match instead of a 40 shot match. Owen shot a 546/600, a personal best, to finish 2nd in C class. Nick shot a 429/600 which is among his best scores in Air Rifle. Jack Ellis eked out a win in E Class shooting a 482/600. For

Jack to win, they had to break a tie score by counting Inner Tens. Because the match was scored with an electronic system, they can score shots in tenths of a point. A 10.9 is a perfectly centered shot, where a 10.0 clips the 10 ring. A 10.3 or higher is considered an Inner Ten. Jack won the tie break with 6 Inner tens to his opponent's 5 Inner Tens.

Team Air Rifle Results:

In the Air Rifle match we submitted three teams. Each team consisted of 3 shooters. The Thunderbirds team of Emma, Corinne and Lily took 2nd overall in the team match. The Chiefs (our 2nd team) of Lauren, Owen and Casey took 8th place and the Ravens (our 3rd team) of Nick, Jack and Sumner took 14th place.

We are very proud of the effort the kids have been putting into their practices. Their results show how hard they have all been working.

The team is in action again on Jan 7th in the aptly named Icicle Match.

Conventional Pistol League

Our winter 22 Conventional Pistol league will begin on January 5th and run through March 1st. Contact Rob Cozens to sign up and get a shooting time. You may reach him by email at rccozens@msn.com or by phone at (206)852-9305.

Up coming Small bore & Air Matches

| Dates | Place | Match Name | Point of Contact |
|-----------|-----------|---|------------------|
| Jan 7th | Puyallup | Icicle 3-P | Shellenberger |
| Jan 7th | Seattle | Open Intl Free&Std. Pistol Sect | Burr/Cozens |
| Jan 7-8 | Vancouver | Junior 3-P & Air Sectionals | Ueltschi |
| Jan 21 | Seattle | NRA Indoor Open Conventional Pistol Sect. & WA State Indoor Conventional Championship | Burr/Cozens |
| Jan 21-22 | Olympia | State Open Air Championship | Crossman |
| Feb 4 | Puyallup | Groundhog (Junior 3-P) | Shellenberger |
| Feb 11 | Seattle | Open Air Rifle Sectional | Burr |

Range Hours and Activity

Monday - Small Bore - 6:00 PM,
Tuesday - Rifle League, - 6:00 PM
Wednesday - Juniors - Call Fred Burr at 206-935-4883 for information.
Cost: Adult members \$2.00, non-members \$4.00, Juniors \$1.00.

The West Seattle Sportsmen's Club

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Rolf's Cooking Corner

Italian Venison Sausage #1

10 lb Meet (one part pork to three-parts venison)

2 oz. Salt

2 oz. Monosodium glutamate (some folks are highly allergic to this, so be careful. Ask before you serve.)

2 oz. Paprika

1 oz. Cayenne pepper

½ oz. Black pepper

½ oz. Sage

½ oz. Fennel seed, crushed

½ oz. Oregano

(½ oz = 1 Tbsp = 3 tsp)



Mix these spices into every ten pounds of ground venison/pork mixture (one part pork to three-parts venison).

Wrap and freeze. May be stuffed into casings. One pound will serve four.

Events Calendar

Jan 4th- Club Meeting
 Jan 18th- Board Meeting
 Feb 11th- Big Game Dinner
 Feb 22nd -Board Meeting

If you have any ideas for programs to have at the club meetings or any good outing ideas let one of the Officers or Trustees know. You may contact us at: info@wssportsmen.org

New

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION WEST SEATTLE SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

Renewal

Date _____

I, _____ of _____, Washington, being interested in the propagation and conservation of game birds, game animals, and fish in the State of Washington, do hereby apply for membership in the WEST SEATTLE SPORTSMEN'S CLUB and tender herewith the sum of \$ _____ in payment of one year's dues.

"I solemnly swear that I will abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the West Seattle Sportsmen's Club and help in its up-building and I will not willfully disobey the Game Laws wherever I fish or hunt. I will always be a true sportsman both in the field and to my brother members at all times.

Signed _____

Street Address _____

City _____, Zip _____

Phone _____, Email _____

Recommended by _____

(New Only)

If you would like to receive the Club newsletter by email check here.



Stuff For Sale

For Sale - 1415 .22 rifle includes scope and iron sights, many accessories included. Contact Fred Burr 206-935-4883

For Sale - Shotgun Hulls in both 12 GA & 20 GA. They are once fired and most are Federal; some are Seller & Bellot, Remington, Focchi and Winchester. They are sorted in bag in bags of 100 ea for \$5.00 OBO. All Hulls are NO. 7, 7½, 8, and 9 shot. For more information call 253-740-3001 or email ride4fun3@comcast.net

For Sale - Adjustable front shooting rest \$40.00, Leather shooting rest bag \$15.00 call Fred Burr 206-935-4883.

For Sale - 35 Remington Ammo - 30 plus rounds rescued from garage sale, age unknown, \$5.00. Call Kim 253-850-7380.



For Sale - 12 ga C&H shot gun shell reloader includes dies and powder measure call Fred Burr 206-935-4883. **For Sale** - Club Logo items available; hats \$15.00, shirts and other items available too.

We have a few special 75th Anniversary Logo hats available also. Contact Tony at the club meetings, by email at tony@wssportsmen.org or by phone at 425-226-5643.

If you have something you would like to list in this section please send an email to "info@wssportsmen.org" listing the item or items you would like to sell, the price, and your contact information. Put "Stuff For Sale" in the Subject line of your email. Keep in mind that this comes out only once a month. In order to be listed in the coming month's newsletter you will need to have your ad emailed to us no later than the 20th of the prior month.....†

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items you would like to contribute for prizes or that would be great in a basket please let us know at the

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club meeting or you can e-mail Greg Boyd or Tony Olszewski at info@wssportsmen.org . We need these items at least a week in advance of the dinner.

We hope to hear back from many of you with ways you can help and would like to encourage you all to come to the January meeting. We will be pre-selling Raffle tickets at the meeting for those that cannot attend the Game Dinner, pre-sale tickets need not be present to win. We will also have game dinner tickets available for pre-sale at the meeting. It's a good idea to pre-order your dinner tickets a head of time as we are going to limit the number of tickets available this year to better budget our expenses.

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