The West Seattle Sportsman

June 2013

Kids Fishing Event this Saturday - see page 2

No June Club Meeting

The June Club meeting will be replaced by our June Clam Bake, which will be held on the second Wednesday of June to give a little more planning time after the Kids Fishing Event.

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Clam Bake, June 12th

Come join us for our annual Clam Bake on Wednesday, June 12th at 6pm. It will be held at Meek-Wa-Mooks park (4503 Beach Dr SW).

The cost is \$6 per person and bring a side dish, salad or desert. Exact change would be appreciated.



You definitely don't want to miss all this great food. We'll be cooking up our normal pot of clams, shrimp, sausage, corn and potatoes. We'll also be deep frying squid, razor clams and french fries.

The park only has a couple picnic tables so it wouldn't hurt to bring folding chairs for yourself and possibly a folding table if you have one.

If it looks like rain we'll bring some canopies so don't let that scare you away.

If you have any questions, please contact Greg at 206-818-4469 or email greg@wssportsmen.org



Club Storage Unit

We would really like to thank Patrick Reilly at Urban Storage @ Tully's for donating the use of a Storage Unit to store our fishing pond and other equipment in.

> They're conveniently located next to the old

Rainier Brewery Building and I highly recommend checking them out for your storage needs.

Washington State Conservation Camp Scholarships

Each year our Club sponsors two teens (ages 12 -16) to attend the Washington State Youth Conservation Camp on Orcas Island. This camp comes highly recommended by those that have attended it in the past.

The camp teaches a lot of Clam Bake fun activities as well as page 1 conservation and the list page 1 varies each year. Some of Conservation Camp the past activities included Kids Fishing Event things like hiking, archery, page 2 fly casting, etc.

This year the girls camp is July 14-20 and the boys Range Hours/Matches camp is July 21-27.

For consideration, please McKenna Dahl contact Greg Boyd @ 206-818-4469.

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Kids Fishing Event 6/1

Our Kids Fishing Event is this Saturday, 8am to 11am, at Seacrest (1660 Harbor Ave SW).



Be sure to pass the word around to everyone you know with kids. It's open to kids up to 14 years old.

This is usually a very popular event and is a lot of fun to volunteer at. You're often seeing the kids catch their first fish and both them and their parents are very excited.

Club members will be there from 9am Friday morning all the way through the event so feel free to stop by to help or just to say hi.

For those volunteering at the event it would be good to bring a pair of needle nose pliers to dehook fish and a fish club if you have one.

Contact Greg @ 206-818-4469 or see the calendar on our website for more info.

Upcoming Camping Trips - June, Riffe Lake; July, Baker Lake

This is a reminder that the June Riffe Lake camping trip is coming up later this month.

We are planning on going to Riffe Lake June 21-23 and staying at Taidnapam Campground. I will be staying in site 221 so if you'd like to go please reserve your site close to us by calling (888) 226-7688 or online at...

http://www.mytpu.org/tacomap ower/parks-rec/taidnapampark.htm.

Also, we will be going to Baker Lake July 18-21 to try to catch some sockeye. I currently only have a couple sites still available in our group site.

You can find more information in last months newsletter or contact Greg Boyd 206-818-4469.

American Legion National Air Rifle Results

The Totems recently competed in the American Legion National Air Rifle Postal match which

was locally sponsored by the Vashon American Legion Post #159. The American Legion match has two elements, a team competition and an individual competition.

In the individual competition a match was worth 600 points. Lauren Phillips shot a 584 to place in the top 30 of the competition and qualified for the second round of competition. Lauren then shot a 586 to finish 5th in the second round which qualified her for the final round of competition which will be hosted at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs this summer.

In the team competition, a match is worth 2400 points. The team of Lauren Phillips, Casey Iwamoto, Owen Yeasting and Emma Carey shot a 2302 to finish 2nd in the first round of competition. Only the top ten teams were invited to the second round. In the second round, the team of Lauren, Emma, Corinne Blair and Alec Patajo shot a 2322 to capture the team national bronze medal.

Upcoming Small bore & Air Matches

Dates

Place

Match Name

Point of Contact

Range Hours and Activity Monday - Small Bore - 6:30 PM,

Tuesday - Rifle League, - 6:00 PM Wednesday - Juniors - Contact Joe Matter joe@vashonjrc.com for Junior information and shooting times. Cost: Adult members \$2.00, non- mem-

bers \$4.00, Juniors \$2.00.

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Totems End of Season **Party and Results**



The Totems held their annual end of season party at the club.

This is an annual tradition where we celebrate the season and have a lot of fun. We also invited Totem Alumni to help celebrate with us.

The celebration kicked off with the Annual Air Pistol Match. Former Totem Kelli Moseley won the match with a score of 45 out of 50 points. The competition also included a team match where the top 5 juniors competed against the top 5 adults. The Juniors fell to the Adults.

After the potluck dinner, the new team awards were announced. Most Inspirational was awarded to senior Emma Carey. Most

Improved Shooter was awarded to Sumner Ames. The Most Valuable Shooter was a tie shared by senior Lauren Phillips and sophomore Corinne Blair. The Stan Mar Leadership award was won by Casey Iwamoto.

The team broke out the awards won during the season for our annual team picture. The weather did not cooperate, so we shot the picture on the range.

In the NRA 3 Position Air Rifle Sec-

compete in Air Rifle.

tional we held this year, McKenna won the Gold Medal turning in a score of 593, which included a perfect 200 score in offhand.

ty, McKenna shoots from a wheel-

chair and uses a spring stand to

She recently returned from Poland where she competed in the SH2 class. She finished 13th overall in the offhand portion of the competition and 15th in the prone portion of the competition.

McKenna's goal is to compete in the 2016 Paralympic Games in Rio.

McKenna Dahl



McKenna Dahl joined the West Seattle Totems earlier this year. She makes the trip down to us from Arlington. McKenna is also a member of the US Paralympic Shooting Team. Because of a physical disabili-

Memorial Day Weekend **Clam Digging**

While attendance was low, those who came enjoyed steamed clams of butter, cockles and eastern soft shells plus side dishes.



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