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Salmon Bake, August 5th, 6 PM at Lincoln Park

Hi-Yu Parade

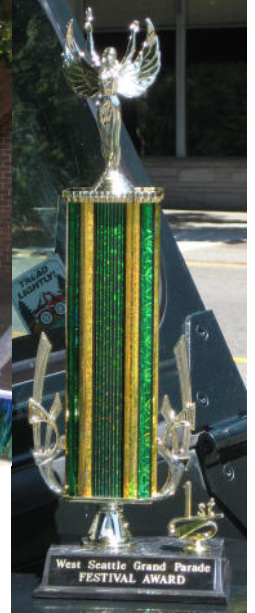
On July 18th the club participated in the West Seattle Hi-Yu parade. Tom Kocer volunteered his boat and jeep and other club members pitched in to help decorate it Friday night and Saturday morning before the parade. We had children and grandchildren of club members riding in the boat and other members walked along side and handed out boating safety information. All of our efforts paid off when we won first place for conveyed float.

Thank you to all that helped on this project and especially Mike and Karen Palmquist for all the work they did planning and filling out entry forms. More pictures on page 2. †



Next Club Meeting Our Float

There will not be an August club meeting at the range, instead we hope to see you all at our annual Club Salmon Bake on Wednesday, August 5th. †



1st Place Trophy

Salmon Bake

The Club's Annual Salmon Bake will be Wednesday, August 5th at 6 PM. We will be at Lincoln Park, Shelter Number 5 (near the kids wadding pool). The price will be \$12.00 per person, Children 12 and under are free.

We will be having the following items: Salmon (thanks to Fred Burr and his successful Alaska fishing trips), Fried Halibut, Salads, French Fries, Rolls, Water Mellon, and Hot Dogs for the kids.

Bring your family and come join us for some good food and good times. See you there! See page 2 for park map. †

Air Pistol League

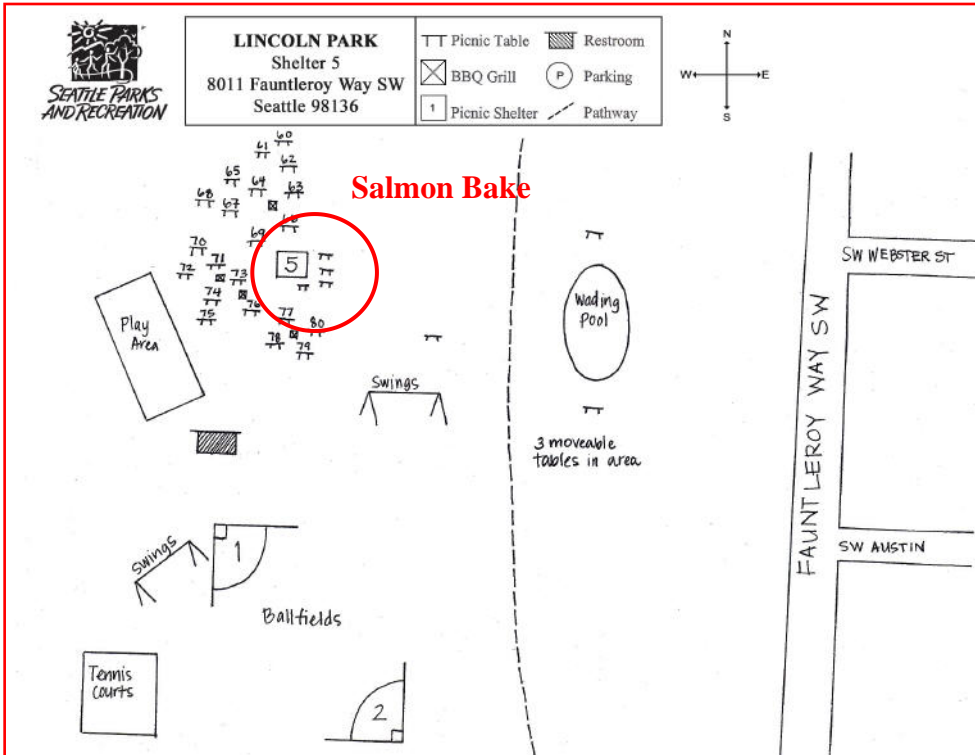
Our second round of summer air pistol league starts on Tuesday August 4th at the range. The league consists of 5 matches of 40 shots each and is spread out to give you 6 chances to shoot your 5 matches. Cost is \$25 for the league. For registration and information contact Rob Cozens by email at rccozen@msn.com or by phone at 206-852-9305. †

Hunter Education Class

Fred will be putting on a Hunters Education Class Starting on August 27th at the range. Contact Fred Burr at 206-935-4883 for more information and to register. †

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Shoot & Toot Winners

At our July meeting we had our annual Shoot and Toot (chili cook-off and shooting competition). Congratulations to Steve Patnode and Tony Olszewski they both tied for first place in the Chili cook off.

Our shooting competition was just a fun match involving more luck than skill. Using air rifles we shot at some numbered cards, the person with the highest score by adding up all the boxes was the winner. Cam Robison scored the most and won first place in this. Congratulations to all! †

Safety is the Watchword as Hunting Season Nears

OLYMPIA - With the black bear hunting season opening throughout most of the state Aug. 1, the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) reminds hunters and others recreating outdoors to be safety conscious.

"A variety of people, including hunters, hikers, anglers and campers, share the outdoors in Washington," said Bruce Bjork, chief of WDFW enforcement. "We all must do our part to stay safe, as well as ensure the safety of others."

While fatal hunting incidents involving non-hunters are rare, last August in Skagit County a hiker was shot and killed by a hunter who mistook her for a bear. That incident was the state's first hunting-related fatality involving a non-hunter in at least a quarter-century.

A basic rule for hunters is to "know your target and what's beyond it" before shooting, said Bjork. That's one of several important safety rules taught during state hunter-education courses, required for all first-time hunters born after Jan. 1, 1972.

Others spending time outdoors are also advised to take precautions. WDFW offers the following safety tips to

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Our Float and Parade Crew

Up coming Small Bore & Air Matches

Aug 21-23	Tacoma	State Smallbore International Camp
Sep 12	Puyallup	State 4-H Championship
Sept 12-13	Tacoma	State Conventional Prone Championship
Sep 26-27	Tacoma	Schutzenfest / Outdoor Int'l Championship
Oct 31-Nov 1	Olympia	State Indoor Int'l 3-P Championship (West)
Nov 14	Puyallup	JORC (West)
Nov 14	West Seattle	Air Pistol and Standard Pistol Club Matches
Dec 5	Olympia	JOARC (West)
Dec 12	West Seattle	Air Pistol and Standard Pistol Club Matches

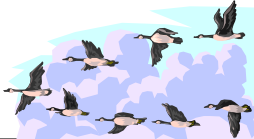
Range Hours and Activity

Monday - Small Bore - 6 PM, Tuesday - Summer Air Pistol, 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

Pheasant Enchiladas

- 3 cups slivered cook pheasant
- ½ cup chopped onion
- ¼ cup flour
- ¼ cup margarine
- 2 cups chicken broth
- 1 tsp chicken flavored bouillon
- 8 oz sour cream at room temp.
- 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
- 4 oz can chopped green chilies
- ½ to 1 tsp chili powder
- 10 8-inch flour tortillas

Preheat oven to 350°. In sauce pan, cook onion in margarine until tender. Stir in flour; add chicken broth and bouillon. Cook and stir until thickened. Remove from heat and stir in sour



cream. In large bowl combine 1 cup sauce, pheasant, 1 cup cheese, chilies, and chili powder. Mix well. Fill each tortilla with equal portions of pheasant mixture. Roll up and arrange in a 9" X 13" greased pan. Spoon remaining sauce over tortillas. Sprinkle with remaining cheese. Bake 25-30 minutes. †

Events Calendar

- Aug 5th - Salmon Bake
- Aug 12th - Crabbing opens at Birch Bay
- Aug 19th - Board Meeting
- Sept 2nd - Club Meeting & Fish Fry
- Sept 23rd - Board Meeting
- Oct 3rd - Eastside Quail Hunting Opens
- Oct 7th - Club Meeting
- Oct 21st - Board Meeting
- Oct 24th - Eastside Pheasant Hunting Opens

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 - Club Logo items available; hats \$15.00, shirts and other items available too. Contact Tony at the club meetings, by email at secretary@wssportsmen.org or by phone at 425-226-5643.

If you, or a WSSC supporter, 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.....†

Safety is Watchword from page 2

anyone recreating outdoors during hunting seasons:

- Wear brightly colored clothing: Make yourself visible by wearing bright colors, such as blaze orange. Avoid wearing earth-tones.
- Make noise: Alert hunters to your presence by talking, singing or whistling. If you hear someone shooting, let the hunters know you are in the area by raising your voice.
- Remain alert and never assume you are alone: Hikers, hunters, forest-product workers and anglers may be present in remote areas.
- Be aware of hunting seasons: Hunting seasons occur in Washington throughout the year, except June and July. More information on hunting seasons is available on WDFW's website at <http://wdfw.wa.gov/wlm/game/hunter/hunter.htm>.

The black bear season, which often draws thousands of hunters, is the first of several hunting seasons scheduled to open in the coming weeks. Several other hunts get under way in September, including those for forest grouse and

waterfowl, as well as archery seasons for cougar, deer and elk. Popular modern-firearm hunts for deer and elk open later in the fall.

More than 200,000 hunters go afield each year in Washington. Hunting is lawful on most public lands except national and state parks, and on private land with land-owner permission.

For more information about hunting in Washington, visit WDFW's website at <http://wdfw.wa.gov/hunting>. Information on hunter safety and hunter education classes can be found at <http://wdfw.wa.gov/hunting/huntered>. †



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