Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club





Do the something good for the environment on April 24.

Plant A Tree

New Members:

Kenneth Abegg, Brian Ritchie, Edward Smith, James Mercer, Darrell Neff, Ryan Barth, Bryan Evans, Randall Rhodes, Brian Rafool, Jacob Strong, Ryan Clouse, Tyler "Brett" Fischer, Richard Croak, Alfredo Cisneros Jr, Adam Tate, John Carroll, Eric Verheyen, Daryl Notzke, Jerry Oueleete, Chaudia Fehrenbacher and Gary Lawson, Lonnie Lashbrook

Welcome aboard. Enjoy the facility and your activities.

Women On Target:

A great program held at our club and organized by the Illinois State Rifle Association. Watch for more details on upcoming dates. The last class on March 7 was full.

More opportunities will be coming in the Fall.

Concealed Carry Weapons Policy On Club Grounds:

There has been some confusion on this so here is the deal. Anyone who has a CCW permit, feel free to do so at your discretion. A separate issue is safety at our organized events. We have very strict safety rules for a good reason. That is why we have left the CCW issue at these events up to the event director's discretion. They will brief you on this.

Work Hour Opportunities/Work Parties:

Indoor Work Party:

The next work party will be on Friday April 10 at 9:00 AM. This will be clubhouse and range cleaning for the gun show. For information contact Bob Bjerke at 309-692-1800.

Outdoor work Party:

Saturday April 11 at 8:00 AM. You can bring the usual tools, contact Steve Schneckenburger for tasks at 309-692-7807

Upcoming Raffle Opportunities:

We are raffling 2 service grade M1 Garand rifles in 2015 (they are beautiful; \$20 per chance 100 chances on each will be sold). As soon as the chances are sold on each rifle, the drawing will be made. All the proceeds go to the Chillicothe Veterans' Memorial. Watch for more details or contact Chris Bach at 309-256-1712 for tickets. There will also be a table at the April gun show to purchase tickets.

Friends of NRA (Proceeds help support local area Youth Shooting Activities)

1) Para USA Expert Carry, 45 ACP

- *100 chances @ \$20 each*
- 2) Homeland Defense Drawing includes
 - A) Secure-It Fast Box Falcon Hidden Gun Safe
 - B) Stag Arms, Model 2, AR-15, 556 Nato/.223 Rem
 - C) Winchester SXP Extreme Defender Shotgun, 12 gauge *200 chances @ \$20 each or 3 chances for \$50*
- 3) Case of Winchester, 22L/R, SV, 220 rds/box, 10 boxes/case *100 chances * \$10 each*

Tickets for all raffles will be available at the CSC GUN SHOW, April 11 & 12, at the NRA Table. For information contact Bob Bjerke @ (309) 692-1800.

Lake Status:

Per Paul Aaron our lake manager, the lake will be restocked with catfish, bluegills, and red ear. Until further notice the fishing rules will be "catch and release". This all came about as a result of the big flood of 2013 when the lake got inhabited with carp. We thank our members for their cooperation.

Spring Gun Show:

April 11-12, 2015

Per our gun show directors Steve Risinger and Gordon Young:

Help is needed for setup on Friday April 10 from 9:30 – 11:00 AM

Dealer helpers 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM

We need a few members to work at the door.

Hours: 8:00 – 3:00 Saturday and Sunday 8:00 – 2:00 Call Steve at 309-208-1010.

Kitchen help will be directed by Sharon Moushon, Pies can be donated for work hours.

Show Hours: 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Saturday

8:30 AM – 3:00 PM Sunday

Please note: There will be a table to buy chances on the two M1 Garand Rifles.

Cleanup and tear down Sunday 3:00 PM

High Power Rifle Matches

^{*}Drawing will be held upon sale of last raffle ticket for each raffle*

What do I need to start shooting high power rifle competition at CSC? Hearing and Eye protection along with some money for ammo and match fees. THAT's IT!!!

- This runs \$36 to \$41 for a 60 round draw of 223 with the match fee.
- CSC has National Match AR-15's and Service Grade M1 Garands available for borrowing at the match
- 223, 30-06, and 308 available for purchase at very competitive prices at the matches.

When are the matches, and what do the other competitors bring for equipment?

- The matches are usually held on the 3rd Saturday of the month with the first relay starting at 8:30 AM March through October. The next Match in 2015 is April 25. Watch the CSC Calendar for dates and times.
- What other equipment (besides hearing and eye protection) do others bring?
 - Spotting Scope
 - Shooting mat club has these available
 - Stapler
 - Shooting jacket really all you need is something to protect your elbows in the prone position. A sweatshirt works fine.
 - Your own rifle and ammo. The usual guns are AR-15, M1 Garand, or
 M1A. The gun is required to have open sights (no optics allowed)
 - Rifle Sling

YSSI Weekend:

YSSI WEEKEND WORK HOUR CREDITS: The 14th Annual YSSI Weekend is set for April 17 & 18, 2015. Help will be needed on Saturday, the 18th, on all ranges (Indoor Rifle, Shotgun, Archery, High-Power Rife, Muzzleloading Rifle, Cowboy Action Pistol, Buffalo Rifle, USPSA) and in the Clubhouse & Kitchen. WORK HOUR CREDITS will be given to all volunteers who assist. Questions – call the appropriate Range Director to volunteer for that Range or Bob Bjerke @ (309) 692-1800

From Our Treasurer:

Hunter Education Course:

Anyone born on or after January 1, 1980, must take a hunter education course in order to purchase their first "Real (Adult)" hunting license in Illinois.

There will be a class at the Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club. The thirteen hour course, which is free, will be held over three days, meeting from 6:00 - 9:30 PM on Thursday August 6, at 6:00 - 9:30 PM on Friday, August 7, and from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM on Saturday, August 8th.

Doubles Trap Shoot League:

These will be happening in May, June, and July. For more information contact Jerry Oglesby at 309-360-6152

Other Trap News:

Jerry Oglesby reports the following:

There will be a full trap range clean up on March 28 at 8:00AM.

Muzzle Loader Matches:

Upcoming matches are scheduled for Sunday May 3rd and Sunday May 17 Per Tom French: 309-248-2073. Matches will be held on range 5 at 10:00AM.

Club Officers:

President: Derek Howald (309) 258-3116

Vice President: Chris Bach (309) 256-1712

Secretary: Donald Clemens (309) 274-6870

Treasurer: Lowell Bennett (309) 274-5586

Membership Director: Bob Griffith (309) 274-2068

Web Site: www.chillisportsmen.org

And Finally:

This is a herd of turtles in our lake. Enjoy the wildlife on our grounds.

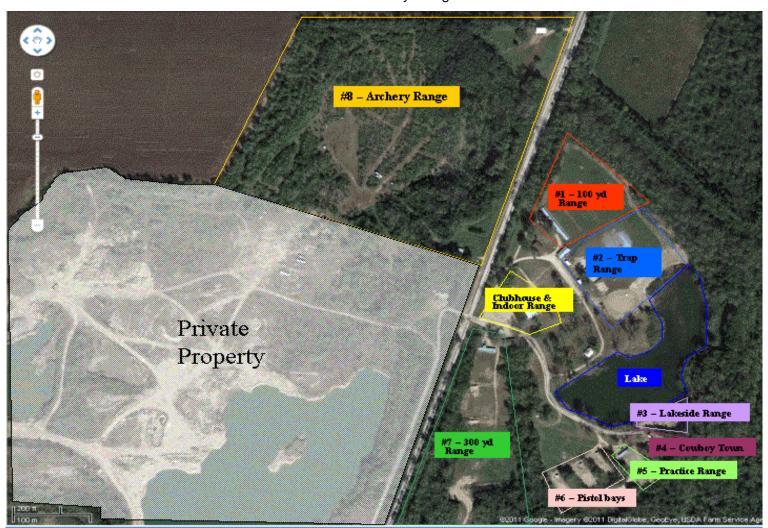


RANGE NUMBERS

The following are the range numbers:

RANGE LOCATION

- 1 -- 100 yard range
- 2 -- Trap range
- 3 -- Short lakeside range (just north of Cowboy Town)
- 4 -- Cowboy Town
- 5 -- Practice Range
- 6 -- 3-bays
- 7 -- 300 yard range
- 8 -- Archery Range



Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club Calendar of Activities

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	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				Indr Small Bore—8 AM 2—Open Trap—5 PM League(1)—6 PM	2 Indr—MP-4-H—5 PM	3	Indr Small Bore—8 AM
	5 Easter 7—CF Buffalo—9 AM	6 Indr Small Bore—6 PM	7 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	8 Indr Small Bore—8 AM 2—Open Trap—5 PM League(2)—6 PM	9 Indr—MP-4-H—5 PM Indr Bullseye—7 PM	10 CH-Spring Gun Show Setup—9:30 AM Indr & CH Clean-9 AM	Outdoor Work Party—8 AM CH-Spring Gun Show— 8:30 AM—4 PM 1-Mauser Match—9 AM 2—Trap Range Cleanup—9 AM 5—Bowling Pin—9 AM 4,5,6aCowboy Setup—1 PM
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	26 3,4,6a,6b,6c—USPSA— 9 AM	27 Indr Small Bore—6 PM	28 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	Indr Small Bore—8 AM 2—Open Trap—5 PM League(5)—6 PM	30 Indr—MP-4-H—5 PM		
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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24 3,4,6a,6b,6c—USPSA— 9 AM	25 <u>Memorial Day</u> 1-Sporting Rifle—5 PM	26 1—WTSP—6 PM	27 2—Open Trap—5 PM League(9)—6 PM	28 1-Outdr Bullseye-6 PM	29	30
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