PRESIDENT’S COLUMN

It’s Picnic Time!

KIDS FISHING DERBY AUG.

On Saturday Aug.14th we will have a 5-Stand Clay Shoot starting at 9:00AM running until 4:00 PM. Bring your gun, shells, ear protection and some friends for a great day of gun fun.

The top three scores will receive a trophy and all Round Tickets will be entered into a random drawing for a Grand Prize to be pulled at the end of the shoot.

Only $9.00 per round (25 targets) Besides being a lot of fun this is great practice for the upland game season that will be here before you know it.

The Clay Shoot will be followed by The Saturday Night Turkey Shoot starting at 5:00 PM until 11:00 PM. Win Big Turkeys / Bacon / Hams or Cash by showing everyone one who’s the best #@*!*$ shot at the Fish & Game.

All 410, 20 and 12 gauge shotguns (675 minimum choke) are welcome for the regular shoots AND we will have a few “OUTLAW” shoots open to the same gauge guns with no restriction on choke size.

The 11 shooters who don’t win can write their name and phone number on the back of the shoot card and put them in the hopper for a Second Chance Drawing to be pulled following the shooting.

The more shoots we run the more prizes we will give out up to (5) prizes for (60) shoots. If the winners are not present they will be called and have until the General Meeting in Sept. to claim their prize.

The cost is only $3.00 per shot (we provide the shells). The ladies and kids win on a regular basis so bring them out if you got the guts, food and cold pop will be sold right on the range so come hungry and stay late.

Sunday Aug. 15th the Annual Picnic will be held and the gates open at 10:00 AM or a day of fun, music, food and games.

Lunch will be served at 12:30 and the drawing for the Annual Raffle will be held promptly at 5:00PM.

If you are a new member be sure to come out for the great fun and to make new friends. If you have been members for a while come out to meet the new folks and renew old friendships.

— Bob Brown FROM THE LAKES

On June 19th we had a kids tournament and 12 anglers that caught a lot of fish. The results from that event were as follows:

1st PLACE
Robert Rowland
Cortney Heaton
Angelica Heggem
Nicholas Richmond

2nd PLACE
Casey Scott
Bryrna Hays
Kiersten McCormick
Tyler Scott

3rd PLACE
Dylan Heaton
Hunter Hayes
Tylar Shaw
Josh Lough

Big fish - Nicholas Richmond

We had 9 anglers compete in our June All fish tournament. Results for that event were as follows:

1st Place - Brandon Eneix
2nd Place - Steve Eneix
3rd Place - David Cope

Big fish - Brandon Eneix

We had to cancel our Bass Tournament due to not having enough anglers. If we don’t start having more interest in the Bass tournaments they will be dropped for next year.

Our Annual Picnic Kids tournament will be here soon. If new members need some hours we could use some help at the tournament. Check the Newsletter or the web site for other upcoming events.

Hope to see everyone out and enjoy the lakes and catch some fish!
If you need any info. contact Terry Cope at 371-2823.

MEN IN SKIRTS ALERT!

Don’t be surprised this Halloween if you are at the club fishing, camping or just enjoying the fall foliage and you see an unusually high number of men in kilts. The Black Powder Fall Rendezvous will be held near the big lake on October 29th, 30th & 31st. There will be awesome demonstrations, a woods walk and more. Great fun for the entire family, so come on out and see life the way it used to be.

ATTENTION NEW MEMBERS!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

You can now check the status of your required work hours and meetings on-line at our website @ www.gcfng.com. Just log in and follow the drop down menus to check your status today.

In the interests of privacy and safety, you will only be listed on-line by your member # so you will need to know it. Your membership # appears next to your name on your newsletter address label and on your member badge. For any additional information you can contact Terry Sebastian at (937) 718-6675.

2010 HUNTER EDUCATION GCF&G CLASS SCHEDULE

AUGUST 28TH HOME STUDY COURSE 9 AM - 2 PM
SEPT. 13TH, 15TH & 17TH 3 NIGHT COURSE FROM 6 - 9:30 PM
OCT. 4TH, 6TH & 8TH 3 NIGHT COURSE FROM 6 - 9:30 PM
NOV. 5TH & 6TH FRIDAY NIGHT FROM 6 - 9:30 PM
SATURDAY MORNING FROM 10 AM - 3:30 PM
DEC. 6TH, 8TH & 10TH 3 NIGHT COURSE FROM 6 - 9:30 PM
Call 1-800-WILDLIFE Today To Sign-up For A Class!

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Club House: (937) 372-8261

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YOUTH ACTIVITIES

I won’t be the first to have said this; “But where has the summer gone?” The County Fair and the Club Picnic will be upon us soon and lots of help is needed in both places.

Bring your children and grandchildren out to the rest of your club’s youth events. Even the activities normally considered “grown up” events help them learn more about the outdoors.

Keeping them interested and learning ensures the future of our club, as well as all the sports that we love. I hope that many of you are taking advantage of the Coonskin Cap Camp this year.

I’m sure that many of you have seen the articles that the Xenia Daily Gazette has published about the club. These colorful, well written articles shine a favorable light on our club.

In addition, they also encourage kids to learn more about how to get to the top of the various events.

How about writing a letter of thanks to the Editor and all the Sports Page writers. They are helping us promote activities that many other news vendors shy away from.

You can send your letters to:

The Xenia Daily Gazette
C/O Merrilee Embs
30 S. Detrio St.
Xenia, Ohio 45385

Check the usual places for updates on all of our great upcoming club events!

WOMEN’S AUXILIARY

It’s time for the annual picnic! Look forward to the following events: Euchre, Hula Hoop contest, Water Balloon contest and a craft. We will also have the inflatable “Jumperoo” again this year!

Our activities schedule will be a craft from 11 AM until Noon and a Dish Toss that begins at 1 PM and lasts until the dishes are gone. The Hula-Hoop and Water Balloon Contests will begin at 2:30 PM.

Please join us for the September Euchre Party on Saturday, September 18th. We will have a “50’s Night” Euchre Party. Doors open at 6 p.m. and cards start promptly at 7 PM, admission is $6 per person.

We will be selling Coney Dogs and Soda Floats. Bring a new person and get a free raffle ticket for the drawing. Bring your own drinks and a snack to share. We look forward to seeing you there!

As always, non-Members are welcome, as the Women’s Auxiliary is currently seeking new members. We would love to have you come out and join us.

We meet on the first Wednesday of each month in the clubhouse at 7 PM. You can call Jennifer with any questions you might have @ 937-478-4209. Look forward to another euchre party in October!

DO YOU OWN A PIECE OF HISTORY?

We are currently seeking any information we can find about the history of the Greene County Fish & Game Association and / or The Greene County Coon Hunters Association.

If you have any old photos, event bills or historic items, badges, newsletters and etc. Please contact us.

We would love to copy them and or photograph them for archival use.

There should still be a great deal of information around relating to our humble beginnings and the years that followed. If you have any items that you think might be of interest, contact Bob Brown at (937) 902-0090 or Tim Ankeney at (937) 372-6400.

UPCOMING 2010 EVENT DATES

ALL NIGHT CATFISH TOURNAMENT 9/4.

CMP M1-GARAND CLINIC 9/11.

200-YARD RIFLE SHOOT 9/18.

ARCHERY PICNIC 9/18.

W/A EUCHRE PARTY 9/18.

ANNUAL CAMPGROUND HALLOWEEN PARTY 10/9.

PPC / CCW COURSE 10/17.

BLACK POWDER FALL RENDEZVOUS 10/29, 30 & 31.

UPLAND SEASON OPENS 11/5.

ANNUAL CARD SHOOT 11/7.

** PLEASE WATCH THE NEWSLETTER AND CHECKOUT OUR CLUB’S WEBSITE AT WWW.GCFNG.COM OR CONTACT THE CHAIRMAN OR COMMITTEE HOSTING ANY OF THESE GREAT GREENE COUNTY FISH & GAME EVENTS!

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GATES OPEN AT 10 AM LUNCH WILL BE SERVED AT 12:30 PM MUSIC, FUN, GAMES & GIVEAWAY ALL DAY LONG FOR EVERYONE ANNUAL SWEEPSTAKES RAFFLE 5 PM.

18 ARCHERY SHOOT CMP LEAGUE SHOOT BP LEAGUE SHOOT

19 TRAPSHOOT R, P & C 5:30 - 10 PM NDR PISTOL NDR PISTOL

20 EVENTS FOR SATURDAY 8/21 Y/A .22 RIFLE BB GUN MATCH 3 - 5 PM ALL FISH TOURNAMENT 6 PM CAMPGROUND LLUA

27 HUNTER ED. HOME STUDY COURSE 9 AM - 2 PM DIVISION OF WATERCRAFT BOATING SAFETY COURSE

28 DON’T MISS THE ANNUAL PICNIC WEEKEND ON AUGUST 14TH & 15TH! There will fun for the entire family, good food, shooting events, great music, friends and lots of prizes!