

The July meeting of the WHC was called to order by President, Mike Bailey, July 19, 2005 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was held at the Club Grounds. The meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance. The minutes were accepted as printed in the newsletter. There were 41 members and 6 visitors in attendance.

Officer reports

President– Mike Bailey addressed last months newsletter and the topics in it..

Vice President - Bud Freeman had nothing to report.

Treasurer- Jim Bozigar was not present so no financial report was given.

Membership Secretary– Mike Boris had nothing to report.

Recording Secretary-Michelle Lance had nothing to report.

Webmaster - Rich Sponsler had noting to report..

Committee reports

Conservation League– Bud McDaniel had nothing to report.

Youth program - Bart Randolph announced the hunt camp would be the 1st weekend in October.

Range committee– Dirt will be moved soon. Bids are being accepted for tree clearing.

Building Committee-There was nothing to report.

Pheasant Programs– Wade Bishop discussed several Pheasant Hunts that will take place this year. (See inside announcements)

License Agent-Dick Rathmell welcomed Bill Liska as new agent.

Charitable works-Zane Walker reported he had three units of food ready to go. If you know someone in need, please call him.

Unfinished Business

- Permit for range has been received, and bids are being taken for tree clearing. A decision will soon be made.

New Business

- Several proposed amendments were voted on and only 1 passed. The constitution will be amended as follows: Amendment 05-01

Article III-Section 3

Life Member: Any member of the age of sixty five and has been a regular member in good standing, joining the WHC after January 1, 2006, and has paid his/her dues for the previous ~~five~~ ten consecutive years will be a member and shall be known as a “Life Member” and shall not be liable for the payment of any membership dues.

Announcements

Range

There is a new open/closed sign up for the range! Thank you to Bud Freeman for another job well done. **Please pay close attention to the sign– there will be times the range is closed because of work being done.**

Pheasant Programs

--Elk Ridge Game Farm-- 419-562-0195 is holding a Youth Hunt October 15, 2005

--Wadsworth Youth Hunt is October 22, 2005 9:00am at the club grounds. Have room for 15 kids. Contact Wade Bishop-- 330-334-5176

--North Industry Sportsman Club will have a youth hunt October 30, 2005-- There is a 5 youth limit.

--Adult Pheasant Hunt-- Wadsworth Hunt Club, November 24, 2005. \$ 10.00 a bird. Have 30 birds promised.

If you have any questions regarding any of the above hunts, call Wade Bishop at 330-334-5176

Upcoming Fish Fry

Fish fry planning has begun for this year. Please consider volunteering for this event.

We need setup and tear down crews, food prep, door prize organizers and ticket sellers.

You can also be put on the list to be in charge of the bake sale or getting some of the food we will need. Please contact an officer.

Once again, we will have a ladies table, 50/50, door prizes, bake sale and don't forget: bring non-perishable foods to receive a ticket for a "special raffle". This is our BIG event. Please consider helping.

Good of the Club

Friends of NRA banquet will be September 17, 2005. Tickets on sale-- see Todd Figard.

Don't forget club ground work parties are scheduled for the first Saturday of each month. Please come and help!

Door Prize Winners

Scott Wasley, Ron Hart, Chuck Dodds, Erich Rommel, Craig Wasley.

50/50 Winner

Dave Wasley

Want to advertise in our newsletter or know someone who might? There is space available. Please call Michelle Lance for price and details. 330-334-4295.

The Prez Sez...

I hope everyone is enjoying the summer as much as my family and I are.

We have made progress on the range at the club grounds and continue to make progress in improving the club for the benefit of its members. This is sometimes difficult but we will continue to press forward.

The month of August will bring us closer to the Fish Fry in September. There is still a need for volunteers to assist in the many tasks necessary to host this event. If you are able to lend a hand in any way, contact one of the club officers and we will direct your skill to where it can be of the greatest assistance.

At the August meeting we will accept the final nominations for the Sportsman of the Year and Posthumous Sportsman of the year so if you have any last minute nominations be ready to make them at the August meeting.

Mike Bailey
President

Editor's comments

As always, the club is in need of help for the upcoming fish fry. There are many tasks that need to be completed to make this event a success. We will again have the fish fry at the Wadsworth Eagles Pavillon.

If you are interested in helping— we can find something for you to do . Please call an officer or let us know at the next meeting.

Until next month,

Michelle Lance-editor

Next meeting is August 16th, 7:30 pm @ The Wadsworth Hunt Club Grounds