



Seaway Newsletter

August 2009

3400 W. Bard Rd.
Muskegon MI 49445
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Regular Hours:
Wednesdays 10 am – 10 pm
Sat & Sun 10 am – 4 pm

Fun Shoot

The August Fun Shoot went well and the next shoot is scheduled for Sunday, September 13th

Sunday Sept 13th 9:30 AM

- **Shooting Games & Prizes**
- **Lunch at 11:30 included for participating club members.**

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Guns Repaired – Most Makes and Models
Rebluing – All Types – Including Double Barrels

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Warm Up for Hunting Season

In early September we will be setting the Sporting Course with a much "softer" kind of target presentations. We encourage those who want to tune-up for bird hunting season to bring out their hunting pals and get ready!

Great Lakes Championship

Seaway is excited to have been awarded the Great Lakes Championship Sporting Clay event in 2010. This is one of the 4 major Sporting clays shooting events held in Michigan each year.

A club must prove itself worthy to be considered for the host location by submitting documentation about our facilities, food we plan to serve more than 100 shooters, what side games and practice fields are available, prize monies and awards (trophies) and costs for all the above.

It can be a "stepping stone" for an even larger event in the future (State shoot) if we do it well. Not only is it an honor to host this prestigious event, but the club stands to profit well from our efforts too.

Plus, it can really help shape a positive image of Seaway for Sporting clays regulars for years to come.....

Lead Harvesting

Lead Recovery Systems has made a preliminary appearance but the equipment has been delayed by weather and is expected to be here soon.

* Thank You Members *

We are pleased with the large amount of member cooperation around the building and grounds. Thanks go out to all who have contributed their time and energy for the benefit of our club.

- We have a new raised platform for a machine on the sporting clay course.
- The tractor has a new exhaust and the brush hog has been repaired
- New paint on the Skeet Fields per regulation
- Belts and blades have been replaced on the Huskee mower
- The lawn has been kept up with both the regular mower and the brush-hog, and someone has been cleaning up the sporting clays course.

Special Thanks to:

- Mike Ohrling,
- Jimmy Bronson
- Brian Laird
- Pat West
- Don Ackerberg
- Rob Huch
- Mike Dykstra
- Bob & Rita Morris

Memberships

Beginning October 1st, we will be renewing memberships for 2010. New memberships purchased after Oct. 1st will include member privileges for the balance of 2009. Reminder that life memberships are no longer offered. Renew by January 31st to save \$10 and get your Regular Membership for \$60 or your Senior Membership for \$30.

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Member News

- ❖ Welcome new Members:
 - John Hennessy of Illinois
 - Richard Reider of Muskegon
- ❖ Welcome to the Lakeshore Chapter of the Ruffed Grouse Society. They are our most recent sign advertiser (which will be seen soon). Their organization has decided to utilize our facilities for their recreational fun and practice and have already held a fun shoot at our club. Some of their members have even purchased memberships here at Seaway.
- ❖ Wm "Doc" Schwalm turned 90 on July 31st this year and shared birthday cake with members at the club. He visits regularly, and shot skeet on Father's Day, making him the oldest active shooting member and, we believe, the oldest skeet shooter ever at Seaway Gun Club. Happy Birthday Doc.
- ❖ We had 3 members participate in the August 15 Sporting Clay Shoot
 - Don Frazier - E Class - 73, 1 punch for winning the class
 - John Hughes - D Class - 66
 - Mike Dykstra - AA Class - 81

Upcoming Events

TRAP SHOOT DATES

Sunday August 30th
Weekend of Sept 19 & 20

Current Schedule

Sun. Aug 30	ATA Shoot
Wed. Sept 9	7:00 Meeting
Sun. Sept 13	9:30 am Club Fun Shoot
Sat Sept 18	ATA Shoot 2 Day Event
Sun Sept 19	ATA Shoot 2 Day Event
Wed Oct 14	7:00 Meeting

Looking Ahead for 2010


July 24 & 25 - Schillaci Shoot
July 31 & Aug 1 - Great Lakes
Championship

* Events will be added as schedules are confirmed

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AutoCAD (2D) and 3D Design

Reminder: There are still open wall sign areas and station sponsorships available on the Sporting Course. Call Mike D for more info.



Enjoy Shooting Games with Prizes!

Back-Up Trap Wobble Trap
Long Shot Dove Shoot
Colored Bird Targets - Win Prizes Even on Regular Trap and Skeet!
October Prizes: Shells!

Seaway Member Fun Shoot

Date: Sunday Sept 13
Time: 9:30 A.M.
Lunch Included
- Served at 11:30

Contact person: Bob Morris

Come Out To Visit Even If You Are Not Shooting!

Bob Morris, the head of our Shoot Committee, welcomes ideas for special shoots or games. 231-894-6644.

Share newsworthy items. We ARE interested! Don't forget to report your good scores and event winners!
Contact Patti at 766-2617 or leave a note at the main desk

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<http://www.seawaygunclub.com>