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ANNUAL ELECTION AND BANQUET

Bristol Oaks Country Club 16801 – 75th Street (Hwy 50), Bristol, WI

SATURDAY, February 15, 2020

6:00 pm Open Cocktail Hour followed by 7:00pm Buffet Dinner

FINAL NOTICE - - RSVP immediately to Treasurer Donna Fortin at dcfortin20@gmail.com or call 847-875-1540 with name and number attending. We appreciate early payments!

Contribute to our Annual Silent Auction!!! Donations of New/Gently Used items can be dropped off at the **Banquet** beginning at 5:00pm. Items in the past have included homemade pies, bow cases, camo, children’s items, decorative items, housewares, etc.

Election for positions with terms 2020-2022

- President Linda Piktel or Andrew McFarlane
- Recording Secretary Larry Genge
- Corresponding Secretary Cindy Kolanko
- Range Captain Mike Fortin or Rich Adams

ABSENTEE VOTING - - If you are NOT attending the Banquet and wish to vote, please contact Board member Bill Kolanko before February 15th (lbass@hotmail.com).

NEWS FROM CLUB MEETING

Packed clubhouse at the FEBRUARY Club meeting of over 35 members. Dues approved to continue at \$125 for 2020-2021. Per our bylaws, to remain a member in good standing, dues must be paid by the April meeting (April 1st – no joke – this year).



The FEBRUARY 1st and 2nd indoor shoot was a BIG success with 116 shooters making over \$1,700 for the club. Many thanks to those who helped with setup, registration, bar, kitchen, publicity, safety, greeters, clean up and donuts!!! Here is a list (sorry if it is not complete): Gordon and Kathy Sobe (co-sponsors), Dave and Sue Thomas (co-sponsors and donated all the lunch food), Jim and Cookie Peters, Mike Fortin, Tom Scott (who also spent many hours instructing new young shooters), Michael Dahms, Brian and Kelly Lizzo, Bill and

Cindy Kolanko, Ben Youra, Ron Wagner, Joe Siordia, Gary Rendall, and Tom Joszi. THANK YOU!!

Club received our LBL proceeds from 2019 of \$676. We will be the host of the first LBL shoot for 2020 on March 28th and 29th. There will be a big workday on Saturday, March 21st to prepare the outdoor ranges for this first outdoor shoot of the year. Please help at the workday and at the shoot if you can.

Old soda machine has been retired and replaced with a refrigerator. That means soda is now on an honor system. This will be monitored.

WINTER LEAGUE NEWS

The Winter Indoor 3D League has begun and is running through Thursday, March 19th. Reminder to members, the indoor range set up is for winter league teams only. The practice bale and a few pink tagged targets can be shot at if you wish.

RANGE/PROPERTY/FORESTRY REPORT:

Two more February buckthorn days are scheduled!! Saturday, February 8th, 8am (mostly to stack and burn if permitted) and Saturday, February 22nd, 8am (cut, stack, burn). There are usually members working from about 8am to noon. On Saturday, February 8th, free lunch of sloppy joes will be offered!! Bring gloves for working and equipment if you wish. Many tasks need just hands for pulling/stacking!! Watch the website (www.waukeganbowmen.com) and our Facebook page for additional information or changes due to weather.

A Buckthorn Day was held on Saturday, January 25th. Thanks to Ron Wagner, Mike Fortin, Bill Rendall, Iliana Guiterrez, Joe Siordia, Tom Scott, Rich Adams, Bill Kolanko, and Tim Bowhall for all their hard work and help.

BOARD NEWS

The biannual Board meeting was held prior to the February club meeting. All Board members were present (Loren Stried via phone). Annual financial audit was requested and will be scheduled with our Treasurer to close out 2019-2020.

Though not a by-laws issue, a question regarding target ownership was discussed and clarified. Our 30 targets have been assigned owners over the years on a first come first served basis by the Range Captains. Interested members can put their name on a waitlist with the Range Captains if they wish to continue this great club tradition.

Issue discussed regarding our 2019 property taxes going up by 38%. County will be contacted for additional information on the reason our improvements valuation increased by 123%.

Next Board meeting scheduled for 6pm on Wednesday, August 5th (prior to Club member meeting).

Finally, a new Chairman was selected – congratulations to Ron Wagner (2020-2022)!!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!!

- Adam Hallgren, Beach Park, sponsored by Gordon Sobe
- JacQue Hallgren, Beach Park, sponsored by Kathy Sobe
- Brett Eagan Sr., Round Lake, sponsored by Mike Fraley
- Randy Way, Round Lake, sponsored by Mike Fraley
- Dave Rushford, Zion, sponsored by Bill Kolanko
- Kurt Mount, Grayslake, sponsored by Gary Rendall

WORK HOURS

Fill out a form and drop in the work hours' box in the clubhouse...

OR print a form at home (from club website) and return to club...

OR email info to Cindy Kolanko (aufinch@hotmail.com)!!

Of special note, we need to document our Forest Management (buckthorn, etc.) time and supplies, in order to receive future Wisconsin DNR grant monies. Thank you!

Still need hours?? Help out at our upcoming shoots, league, or on workdays!!

PLEASE NOTE

ANNUAL BANQUET AND ELECTION IS FEBRUARY 15TH

OUR NEXT CLUB MEETING IS WEDNESDAY, March 4th

OFFICERS

President	Andy McFarlane	hoyt022002@yahoo.com
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Range Captain	Mike Fortin	Dcfortin20@gmail.com
Asst. Range Captain	Sean Styx	

Board of Directors – Chairman Ron Wagner (2020-2022)

Herb Henderson, Loren Stried, Bill Kolanko, Carl Spaeth, Ron Celesnik, Ken Pikel

Upcoming Events

		Sponsor(s)
Winter League	Jan. 6 – Mar. 19	Sobe
Buckthorn Day	February 8 th , 8am	Club
Banquet and Election	February 15 th , 6pm	Bristol Oaks CC
Buckthorn Day	February 22 nd , 8am	Club
Indoor 3D & MAC Shoot	March 7 th & 8 th	McFarlane
Workday to prepare for outdoor shoot/LBL	March 21 st , 8am	Club
Winter League Banquet	March 21 st , 6pm	Sobe
Outdoor 3D & LBL Shoot	March 28 th & 29 th	Adams
Outdoor 3D Shoot	April 18 th & 19 th	*sponsor needed
Outdoor 3D Shoot	May 30 th & 31 st	*
Outdoor 3D Shoot & MAC	July 18 th & 19 th	*
Board Meeting	August 5 th , 6pm	Club
Outdoor 3D Hunter's Prep	August 22 nd & 23 rd	Fortin
Halloween Indoor	Oct 31 st & Nov. 1 st	*