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March 2017

# CCG&F NEWS

## MARCH MINUTES

Membership Meeting March 14<sup>th</sup> 2017

Meeting called to order by President John Horan

Guests; Angie Todd

Applications;

Matt Conner	Ray Simpson	Ben Stieritz
Kenton Sharp	Nick Summe	Josh Gauspohl
Mark Kelly	Terry Kelly	

Approver to proceed

**Treasurers Report;** John Shirley reported on balances and expenses and income. Also reported on Spitfire account.

**Communications;** Ted Bush - None

**Officer's meeting;** Ted Bush read minutes of Officer's Meeting

**Clubhouse;** Mike Stieritz

\$1060 Income \$ 706 Expenses \$ 538 Profit \$985 Deposit

**Conservation;** Jim Miller He cleaned up some bird houses, the Nature Trail has a few trees down and some limbs hanging. Several need work.

**Publicity and Ads;** Ted Bush posted an ad in the County Recorder for the Ham Shoot

**Safety;** Todd Rieger ALL safe, be careful of dead trees and hanging limbs

**Rifle & Pistol;** Don Reed ALL good

**Lakes;** Greg Schwartz Discussed the upcoming fishing Derby, to be held in the spring. There will be a bounty on all shovelhead catfish, with any over 36" to receive free dues for one year. Also other prizes.

**Archery;** Andy Spenlaw NR

**Trapp;** Tom Frakes, thanks to all who helped unload and store the new targets. All machines are repaired and in good working order.

**Spitfires;** Dan Heiert practice will begin on March 17<sup>th</sup>, the Coyote Club has purchased a shotgun for trap to be used by the Spitfires. Gun is to be held by Jim Sharp.

**Camping;** Bob Glass Camp Ground is open, be careful of soft ground when bringing your camper in. There only 2 sights remaining to reserve.

**Federation;** Dan Saunders NR

**CMP;** Jim Patrick Still have M1G's to sell, field grade

**NRA;** Dan Heiert Banquet was success 530 quests, about \$70,000 raised. Jim Sharp has received 50 flats of shotgun shell on a grant from Friends of NRA to be used by the Spitfires. The League of Ky Sportsman are considering license plates again, see Dan if you're interested. Dave Merman, dues are due tonight. Read a list of unpaid members.

**Unfinished Business**

Dan Heiert updated us on the Ham Shoot, to be held on April 29<sup>th</sup>. Work Party on the 28<sup>th</sup>. Scatter boards are available.

Andy Spenlaw reporter that the Easter Egg Hunt will be on April 9<sup>th</sup>.

Ted Bush is still working on a new boat dock for large lake, coming up with a set design to get several bids on.

By-Law Committee is working on changes to the By-Laws hey will report to the membership and vote on changes at the June Meeting.

Clubhouse ventilation issue was discussed. We need additional vants in the roof to allow air flow out of the clubhouse and attic, also may need a controlled vent in a wall in the clubhouse. The roof of the rear poarch needs repaired and new roofing. Shingles on the main clubhouse roof are damaged from heat buildup in the attic. Discussed possible solutions and expense. Bids will be presented at the next meeting.

Greg Schwartz presented a sample of an automobile wildow sticker that can be purchased, of the club logo with your member number in it. These may be purchased from Angie Schwartz.

**New Business**

Asked if a member would be available to aid a lady and help her shoot trap. Referred to the Trapp Committee.

Range Operating Rules, to be a part of the Standing Rules. They were read and voted on and will be added as part of the Standing Rules governing shooting.

## 2017 CALENDAR

Tuesday, April 4th  
Board Meeting 7PM

Sunday, April 9th  
Easter Egg Hunt

Tuesday, April 11th  
Members Meeting 8PM

Friday, April 28th  
Work Party

Saturday, April 29th  
Ham Shoot

Tuesday, May 2nd  
Board Meeting 7PM

Tuesday, May 9th  
Members Meeting 8PM

Saturday, May 13th  
Handicap Fishing Derby  
at Boone Lake

Saturday, May 27th  
Squirrel Shoot  
NOW at Dutchman

Tuesday, June 6th  
Board Meeting 7PM

Tuesday, June 13th  
Members Meeting 8 PM

Newsletter Editors  
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# MINUTES continued.....

Good and Welfare  
Shirt Tom Pyke  
Shirt Jerry Juilfs  
Hat Todd Schwartz  
Hat Paul Barton  
Whiskey Kraig Morgan  
Whiskey Ed Overman  
Candy Larry Kean  
Split the Pot \$100 Greg Schwartz #97  
Membership drawing \$100 #335 Joe Stivie NP  
Meeting adjourned at 9:10 PM  
Respectfully submitted Ted Bush Secretary

## BEAVER & LAKE SPECIAL REPORT

Here are some pictures of the nuisance trapping that I have completed for CCGF.  
As many of you know I have been quite busy with removing the beavers from the Clubs main lake as well as muskrats from all the 3 lakes.

It started to get crazy with beavers in Mid November of 2015 as we had a sudden movement of beaver taking up residence on the property. I did not complete the removal of all beavers until June of 2016 as we had 2 more move in making the total within that time period 6 beavers. I have to tell you that working around a beaver lodge in June with the temperatures up near 80, between the blue mud and snakes and mosquitos, I had to be very careful. I absolutely hate snakes and I saw several and almost stepped on one, nuff of snakes gives me the shivers even telling you about them. I enjoyed every second of it.



The first picture is a pine tree that they had cut off and as you can see they were eating the bark off and by the time I got there to trap most of it was gone. I did remove one beaver from this location.

The second Picture is the Beaver lodge on the archery range side. The beavers had been packing mud up on top as you can see by the picture, they hauled a huge volume of mud up

on top of this lodge. I am quite sure this was there main food lodge as there was a lot of Green fresh cut wood stashed in front of this lodge and wedged together deep in the water for winter use. What some may not realize as they still make there den back in the bank for protection. The second Lodge which was an old downed tree, with a huge pile of sticks on top. That was a beauti-



ful sight back in the cove to the right of the camping area. What's interesting and as time went along I found the main entrance to this lodge which went back under the lodge into the bank. I also found a Bank Den not 10Ft from this lodge to the left that I took a 52lb beaver from. In all as

you know I removed 6 beavers from the lake. Two of the beaver, one being 52lbs and the other at 50lbs were huge. The other beavers ranged from 30lbs down to the 20lb range. In all I had most of my big traps in use to cover all the bank dens on the big lake. If one of those beavers decided to make



a bank den in the Dam, that would be devastating to the big Lake and I have seen that too many times.

To report to you on the Muskrat situation, I have removed a good number of muskrats over the past year at different times as you have called me on all 3 lakes. I am concentrating

efforts to watch the Dam of the big lake. When I take the muskrats out of the big lake they come off the dam from bank dens mostly and a couple other hot spots.

I can say from the constant pressure we place on the muskrat population on club grounds the numbers from several years ago to now has drastically dropped.

The members only lake only produced 1 muskrat this year. The dozer work that was done I feel, helped crush the bank runs a long the Gun Range side for now. Otters? I have not had sign of otters in a couple of years on club grounds. That doesn't mean they haven't been there, they just didn't stay long enough for me to meet up with them. I have removed otters from neighboring streams so perhaps that has helped that they not reach club grounds.

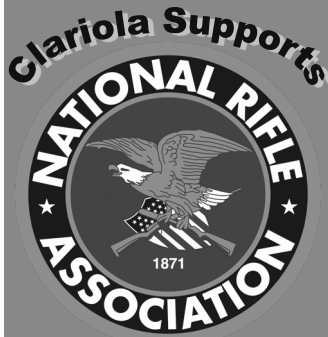
I have tried to give you the best information I can to keep you updated on the Nuisance trapping on the Club Grounds. As always I am always glad when you call me regarding nuisance animals you might encounter or a club member reports. The report I was given back in June were of tremendous help, to get those beaver out of there as quick as possible.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to call me. I will check the lakes periodically and keep you posted.

Respectfully Bob Woeste







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In Memory of Frank Merman  
In Memory of Eldon 'Tiny' Scheibly



## HAM SHOOT

Saturday, April 29th

Noon — CCG&F Trap House

(Work party 5pm Friday)

PULL.....ed  
PORK!



## Sunday, April 9th

1:00 PM

Bring a dish to share.



Easter Egg Hunt

Handicap

Fishing Derby



Saturday, May 13th

At Boone Lake in Boone County

8 am to 1 pm

## SQUIRREL SHOOT

Saturday, May 27th

10 to 2 pm

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