## Swamp Road Sportsmen's Club Swamp Road Sentinel Vol. 18 No. 3 March 2020

Cold Bore Shoot Wow what a great day we had for a shoot! 42 shooters poked holes in paper trying to center their best one shot group. There were two groups that shot, 200 yard group and the 300 yard group. The 200 yard target had some well-placed shots. Ty Sweeney took 1<sup>st</sup> place shooting a .223 at .135" from center and Trent Sweeney took 2<sup>nd</sup> place shooting a .22-250 at .225" from center. The 300 yard target had some real close shots. Cory Blomberg took 1<sup>st</sup> place shooting a .22-250 at .797" from center and Ken Sweeney took 2<sup>nd</sup> place at .808" from center. Great shooting everyone and hope we can do it again this summer.

<u>Chinse Virus (COVID-19)</u> Well the pandemic has also hit us at the club. Due to the social distancing guidelines set out by the CDC we are going to be suspending all functions through the end of April at the club. This includes the April club meeting and the April 11<sup>th</sup> 50 bird shoot. We will possibly be rescheduling the April 11<sup>th</sup> shoot depending on the spread of the virus.

<u>50 Bird Shoot Canceled</u> Due to the Corona Virus out break and the "Stay at Home Order" we will not have the April 11<sup>th</sup> lewis shoot. We hope to reschedule this to a later date but need to see how things play out.

**Spring Clean Up** Since we are practicing social distancing at the club there has been no date set for club spring clean-up. If you are getting cagey and need something to do go out to the club and do some work on your own. Here is a small list of things that one or two people can do for a couple hours on their own. We still plan on having an organized spring cleaning but see what you can get done with before.

- Brush the parking lot and range roads.
- Sweep the clubhouse.
- Dust the lights in the clubhouse.
- Clean the head and urinal.
- Empty garbage cans.
- Pick up garbage on lawn, parking lot and ranges.
- Drag parking lot, range roads and fill in pot holes. Gravel pile behind garage.

**2020 Memberships** It's that time of the year to get your 2020 membership for the club. The price remained the same this year, \$20 single or \$30 for family. These prices are a suggested minimum. If you would like to do \$2,000 single membership or \$5,000 family membership that's ok too. The club is always open for donations. We have some nice ranges for shooting but the club could make them better with your help.

**Gun Board** Les Sorensen was the winner of the last board on a Savage .17 HMR bolt action rifle. The board I have now is a Kel Tec PMR 30 .22 mag Pistol or \$375 cash. All for \$10 a square or 3 squares for \$20. If you want a good chance to win a gun and do a good thing for our club give me a call and I'll tell you how we can get you on the board.

<u>Club Project Bucket List</u> In 2020 I would like to keep improvements to the club top priority. The few items that I have on the list are just a few things that don't require a lot of skills and could be done any time without asking for permission. There are several other pipe dreams that require hard work and money. If you have some hard work or equipment setting around that needs to be used please by all means call me and we will see what you can help with.

- 1. Finish storage room.
- 2. Replace doors in club house. Done! Thanks Earl for heading up this project!
- 3. Clean restroom
- 4. Clean windows.
- 6. Brush parking lot and driveway
- 7. Finish pistol range shelters

**Rifle Range** Due to the spring break up the gate on the rifle range will be locked. Once the frost goes out of the ground we will unlock it but as always please use common sense, if it has been raining for 4 days please stay off the range with motor vehicles.

Recipe of the Month Weight Watchers Dough Mix a ½ cup of self-raise flower with ½ cup nonfat Greek yogurt. Place in a greased small bread pan. Let raise at room temperature until dough doubles in size. Preheat oven to 350°. Place in oven for 15 minutes or inside temperature reaches 200°. Eat warm. This dough is also a great pizza crust.... Try it!

<u>Crystal</u> April 1<sup>st</sup> is a fool's day, April 3<sup>rd</sup> **NO** club Meeting, April 11<sup>th</sup> **NO** 50 bird lewis shoot, May 1<sup>st</sup> Club Meeting, May 2<sup>nd</sup> opening fishing, June 5<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting.

<u>Next Meeting</u> The next meeting will be May 1<sup>st</sup>. This will focus on the 2020 club summer leagues both rifle and shotgun. If there is anything else that needs urgent attention, be sure to contact the board prior to the meeting.

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