Swamp Road Sportsmen's Club Swamp Road Sentinel Vol. 19 No.6 June 2021

<u>Summer Trap League</u> What an exciting start to what is looking like a record breaking year for high scores posted! Everybody seems to be shooting good and with that brings excitement. Come on out and join the fun there is still plenty of time to shoot your birds. Thursdays nights are the best time to post your scores but we plan on being at the club for a few hours on Sundays if you need to make a few birds up. If nothing else come and enjoy conversation and just hang out. The club has shells for sale for the league shooters.

<u>Texas Holdem'</u> Down at the rifle range Texas Holdem' league is in full swing. It's like playing cards with your rifle. Stop down Saturday and watch the game get played. Looks challenging and fun rolled up into one. Talk to Brad Kostka and he will give you the full scoop of the game.

<u>Canned Gopher Shoot</u> Just a few weeks left to get sighted in for the canned gopher shoot. Saturday July 17th at 8 am is the event. For those of you that have shot it before you know how fun/frustrating it is. Food and refreshments will be served so stay all day and I can email the rules out for those with email and for those that would like me to send them a hard copy please contact me.

<u>Shooters Fest</u> This year it will be on August 14th. Like other years we will have a Lewis trap shoot, table raffles, rifle shoots, gun boards, food and refreshments. We will try to have something for everyone to stay interested throughout the day. Then at the end of a great afternoon we will have a drawing to give away some guns and some cash. The tickets are printed so get yours before they are all gone. Here is what you can win!

Prizes

1st Tri Star 12 Gage Dbl Brl W/Leather Hard Case or \$575 Cash 2nd Winchester XPR Bolt Action .30-.06 or \$450 Cash 3rd Mossberg Patriot .243 or \$400 Cash 4th Remington 700 ADL .270 W/Scope or \$375 Cash 5th Savage Axis II .308 or \$325 Cash 6th Remington Model 770 .243 or \$250 Cash 7th – 10th - \$100 Cash

Range Safety Range safety is just not keeping your guns pointed in a safe direction we should also remember ear and eye protection. We all need to make sure anytime you are around shooting or are shooting that your PPE is on. We don't want you to be the one at the club in the corner smiling because you can't understand conversation because of hearing loss.

<u>New Trap Range</u> If you have been out to the club recently you probably noticed that we broke ground on a new trap/skeet range. We are looking for some volunteers to help lay out the range and put their two cents worth in. Please give me a call and come help out. If you know someone who has fill that they can donate or sell cheap please contact Mike O'Leary.

Gun Board I have another board started up for you to win is a Colt King Cobra .357 magnum pistol. The squares are \$20 for 1 or \$25 for 2. We would hope that you take the 2 square options. I would like to thank everyone that donates to our club by getting on these boards and good luck to you all.

<u>Club Project Bucket List</u> We had a good year getting projects done and I hope this coming year will be just as good. There are a few small jobs that could be done this spring. Let me know if you have some time on your hands and would like to help out.

- 1. Finish storage room.
- 2. Brush parking lot and range roads.
- 3. Pick Rock off the new range.

Recipe of the Month Grilled Corn on the Cob w/Chesapeake Bay Butter: In Large pot stir ½ cup salt in 4 quarts of cold water until dissolved add 8 ears of husked silk removed corn and soak for 30 minutes. Grill corn over hot fire turning every 2 to 3 minutes until kernels are lightly charred all over. Remove from grill and brush with Chesapeake Bay butter- Using fork beat 8 tbls softened unsalted butter with 1 tbls hot sauce 1tsp Old Bay seasoning and 1 minced garlic clove.

<u>Crystal Ball</u> July 2nd Club meeting, July 4th Independence day, July 17th Can Shoot, August 6th Club Meeting, August 14th Shooters Fest.

<u>Next Meeting</u> The next meeting will be July 2nd at 7 pm. This will focus on summer fun and shooting. We will also discuss the summer club projects. If there is anything else that needs urgent attention, be sure to contact the board prior to the meeting.

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