Swamp Road Sportsmen's Club Swamp Road Sentinel Vol.20 No.2 February 2022

<u>Club Election</u> After an intense campaign and election cycle Ken Sweeney will have a 3 year term as Grounds Keeper/Equipment Operator (GKEO Officer). Also Brad Kostka will have a 3 year term as Afterhours Membership Liaison (AML Officer). I would like to thank all that volunteer their time to do a little extra as a board member.

<u>Cold Bore Shoot</u> It's time to get your gun out of storage and bring it out to the range. It's on March 26th from 10 am to 3 pm. Remember the game, one shot at your choice of 200 or 300 yards. Closest to the middle wins. Bring multiple guns and shoot them both. Even if you don't think you can compete with the big guns place a side bet with your buddies. We will have food and refreshments in the clubhouse along with some swamp bingo to occupy your time. Fun for all so bring the family and spend the day.

<u>14 Century</u> IT'S BEEN 25 YEARS! Wow this is going to be the best year yet for the club. Ever. We will do more shooting than ever before just because. I want all members that have been with us for 25 years or 25 days to come and enjoy what WE all have done to create the best sportsmen's club in Rusk County. Come shoot, enjoy and then relax at the best club around and don't let anyone ever tell you any different.

Gun Board Even though the Packers didn't play and I didn't win a gun I did give 4 guns away on my super bowl board. Marilyn Weingarten won 1st quarter, Kevin Peterson won 2nd quarter, Josh Hysell won 3rd quarter and final went to Kevin Peterson. Thank you all that donated and remember you can't win if you don't play. That went over really good. Now I have a Remington .243 but that only has 2 squares left so by the time you get this someone will have won this. Next I have a board for a Stevens .12 gage shotgun. Nice Gun! That gun is on a 50 number board, \$10 per square or take one of the deals, 3 for \$20, 7 for \$40 or \$250 for 49 squares. Also I have a Brewer/Cubs series board for Heritage Rough Rider pistol. It's on a 25 square board and \$10 a square. This all depends on the date if the schedule changes. Call, text or email me and I will get you on one of the boards. Remember my goal this year is to give away 25 board guns. Call me and win a gun, if you don't play you will always say "I never win".

<u>Maintain Security</u> I want to just put a quick blurb in the letter about keeping the club locked when not on the premises. For those of us that have a combo for the gate or a key for the clubhouse when we leave the property we need to lock up after ourselves. Do not lock the gate if you or someone else are on the club property in case of an emergency and the 1st responders need to get in.

<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 Pistol and Rifle parking lot.
- 3. Pick Rock off the new range.

Swamp Swag Pam has been working on getting some new Swamp Swag ordered for the club. As of now we have some t-shirts for \$15 and working on getting some sweatshirts and hats. Come to a meeting to get yours and be the first to have some new Swamp Swag.

Recipe of the Month *Pancake Mix* Mix well (I use a whisk) 6 cups flour, 3 Tbls. baking powder, 2 tsp. baking soda and 1tsp salt. Store in air tight container until ready to use. When ready combine 1 cup mix, 1 cup milk and 1 egg, ½ tsp vanilla optional. Mix well and fry pancakes. Makes 6 - 5 inch pancakes.

<u>Crystal Ball</u> March 4th Club Meeting, March 17th O'Leary Day, March 19th Pam's B-Day, March 26th Cold bore shoot, April 1st club meeting.

<u>Next Meeting</u> The next meeting will be March 4th at 7 pm. This will focus on spring clean-up dates and look into the upcoming year of fun. If there is anything else that needs urgent attention, be sure to contact the board prior to the meeting.

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