



KENT COUNTY CONSERVATION LEAGUE Sportsman

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From the Manager....

Attention Members:

Our annual Plaid Shirt Night dinner is approaching soon. This tradition has been going on for more than 60 years. We will have yummy wild game dishes with some chicken and fresh kielbasa for those non wild game eaters. This year we have over \$3000 worth of door prizes to give away. There will be other drawings that night. This would be a great night to bring your significant other and introduce them to where you spend time enjoying the shooting sports. Tickets are still available but we will sell out. To reserve your spot please stop in, go to the website and purchase your tickets, or give us a call at 616-676-1056 during open hours. Looking forward to spending an evening with our membership. We put this event on for you!!

Thank You,
Tim Wiley

Board Officers

President: Tim Wiley
Vice President: James Vanderlaan
Vice President: Julie Wiley
Secretary: - Julie Wiley
Treasurer: Steve Rechner
Chairman: Mark Jacobson

Board of Directors

3 Year Term:
Russ Luke, Larry Menetti, Mark Jacobson
2 Year Term:
Thad Bembenista, Doug Bacon, Adam Nelson
1 Year Term:
Scott Treichel, Steve Rechner, Camerson Meyer

KCCL Mission

To promote all shooting sports and sound environment, conservation, fish and wild-life management.

February 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				Open 12-10 1	2	Open 10-5 3
Open 10-5 4	5	Open 4-10 6 Week 6 Winter League	Open 2-8 7	Open 12-10 8 Rifle Range Closed 12-5 Ivan Carter-SCI Wildlife Conservation Alliance Fundraiser 6 pm	9 SCI Grand Rapids Chapter Convention	Open 10-5 10 SCI Grand Rapids Chapter Convention
Open 10-5 11	12	Open 4-10 13 Week 7 Winter League	Open 2-8 14	Open 12-10 15	16	Open 10-5 17 Plaid Shirt 6 pm
Open 10-5 18	19 Membership & BOD Meeting 7 pm	Open 4-10 20 Week 8 Winter League	Open 2-8 21	Open 12-10 22	23	Open 10-5 24 CPL Classes 8-5
Open 10-5 25	26	Open 4-10 27 Week 9 Winter League	Open 2-8 28			

Sporting Clays

Due to the lack of daylight we will not have our sporting clays course open on Tuesdays. Sorry for any inconvenience to anyone. Safety again is our first priority.

Wild Game Donation

We are still in need of wild game meat for our wild game dinner on Feb. 17th, 2018. If you have some meat you can spare that would be great. We are looking mainly for anything but burger. We are very excited to carry on the tradition for our members. Thank you in advance for your donations.

Re-Election Time

It is Re-Election time for the Board of Directors. We will be electing 3 Board of Directors and your seat is a 3-year term. If there is anyone interested in running please contact Julie by Feb. 20th. Please understand that you will need to have the time and interest in putting time in at the club not only for the monthly meeting, but for help in different events and frequently visits to the club so you are aware of how the club operates on a daily basis. Tim Moore and Thad Bembenista are also on the nominating committee. So, if you have any question you can also talk to them.

CPL UPCOMING DATES:

Co-Ed: Saturday, Feb. 24, 2018, 8-5

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We are also available for private sessions and basic firearm safety classes as well as personal defense classes upon request. Please contact us at info@todaysweapons.com to sign up for any class.

2017-18 WINTER LEAGUE

Important Dates:

- Last Day of Shooting, Sunday, March 25th, 2018
- Banquet Date: Saturday, April 21st, 2018
(Deer Run - 6 pm)

Club Championships: Sunday, April 22nd, 2018

Events:

Skeet, Skeet Doubles, Trap, Sub-Gauge,
Pee Wee, 5-Stand, Sporting Clays, Triple Crown,
Side x Side Parent/Child, 2 Man Teams

“Attention”

Please mark your calendars for
Saturday, April 14th, 2018 at 6:30 pm

This is our biggest fundraiser for our youth shooting team, “The Orange Crushers.” Please come out and support the team. We guarantee you will have fun. There will be chances to win prizes that night also. Food and drinks will be available. We are also looking for sponsors for the event. If you are interested in sponsoring a table please email Julie at orangecrushers99@gmail.com



Meeting Minutes

7pm meeting was called to order

Present: Tim Wiley, James Vanderlaan, Julie Wiley, Steve Rechner, Mark Jacobson, Larry Mennetti, Thad Bembenista, Doug Bacon, Adam Nelson, Scott Treichel, Cameron Meyer, Russ Luke.

Members Meeting:

Present – Vic Scudder, Mike Novy, Dale Ringerwole
Vic let the board know he was there if they had any questions on how things were run in the past. He also expressed that he feels that the club is not as social as in the past, like we flushed our past behind. He did state that we are doing a good job on running the club and knows that growth comes with change.

Mark at 715 ended the membership meeting due to a tight agenda for the rest of the meeting.

Mike Novy handed some papers to Mark that he was going to discuss during the membership meeting but due to lack of time he asked Mark to take care of.

BOD Meeting:

Minutes from previous meeting were accepted.

Treasurer Report:

Steve asked for all financials and the BOD Agenda be out a week before the meeting. Steve went over the 2017 financials and feels that everything was in place. Wants to look at the depreciation with the accountant and will have an answer at the next board meeting. If there are any questions on the financials Steve would like them directed to him. The club did not use any of the line of credit. The work that was done on the road is all paid for. The money from the rainy fund account that the club used to operate thru out the year is all paid back. The only bill left for the year is the winter tax bill due in February.

Manager's Report:

Membership at the end of the year was at 920. At this point we have 285 people signed up for winter league. New windows are ordered and should be in in about 4 weeks. Talk with member Jason Israels about getting some new furniture for in front of fireplace.

Plaid Shirt night is coming up soon. Get your tickets before we run out. We are still in need of wild game. We are still looking for steaks, chops, and roasts. If you can help please let Julie know.

Sponsorships for the skeet fields are all sold except field 5 high and skeet field 1. If interested please let me know. New fences on field 2 are done. 5-stand has been enclosed with wind proof screen. Wayne our maintenance worker is invaluable. Glad he is working for us.

Our annual election meeting will be held in February, at our board meeting on the 20th.

Thad, Tim Moore and Julie will be taking nomination names for who would like to run for the 3 seats opening up on the board. The BOD talked about putting together some qualifications that need to be considered before you put your name in the hat to run for the BOD. Some of the ideas they threw around were, you must be a member for at least a year, must attend the board meetings per the bylaws, help out at the club when or if possible, be active out at the club so our members know who you are, etc.

New Business:

The Board hired an attorney of record. Dale R. Rietberg from Varnum Law. He specializes in Corporate Non-Profit Business. He will be looking over how we are operating and if we need to make any changes he will let us know.

Meeting adjourned 8:10pm

BOD went into closed session at 8:15pm

Orange Crushers 100 Club

Please consider sending in your tax deductible \$100 donation to help sustain our youth shooting program. You will get a great lapel pin to wear on your shooting bag or vest. These kids are the future of the shooting sports.

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Call Tim Wiley at 616-581-0471

Corporate Outings Available

It's never too early to book your 2018 outing. We have already started booking dates.

Call Tim or Julie for details - 616-581-0471



KCCL Presents

PLAID SHIRT NIGHT

Saturday

February 17th, 2018

Appetizers: 6:00

Dinner: 7:00

WILD GAME
DINNER

ONLY 110
TICKETS
SOLD

TICKETS \$75.00
On Sale NOW!!

RAFFLE GUNS

Winchester-SX-4
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Springfield - 1911-9mm

OVER \$3,000 WORTH OF DOOR PRIZES

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