



The Duck Call

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Everyone,

Well, we are already into February this year, Boy does time fly.

Elections were held on Friday, January 26th. There were three director seats open for three-year terms and the three voted in are Bill Moravec, Tom Grady and Shawn Brewer. Congrats to you all and we look forward to working with you.

Thank You to Reita Roberts, Pat Moravec, Terri Grady and Rich Gorton for all your help with the Chili Cook-Off we had on January 21st. We had a good turn out and everything went well again this year.

We would also like to thank Dale Gray, Rhonda and John Goodell and Bruce Gleason for cooking breakfast food on Election night for everyone. It was very good and nice job to all of you.

A Huge Thank You to Scott Sutherland and his crew for putting on the Rabbit Hunt again this year. It was a very rainy day with not much snow but that didn't seem to matter much as we had a good turnout ounce again.

Next stop, Hornell, NY.

Andrew R Button

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From the Secretary

Welcome to our new Members

Scott Drake, John Kerrick, Keith Rooker Jr., Earl Woolard III

LIFETIME MEMEBERSHIP - In recognition of his long time membership and involvement in the club, Ronald Dailey is now a Lifetime member. Congratulations Ron !!

2024 Chili Cook-Off Results - See page 4 for details

Sunday Euchre - Partner drawings at 12:45 pm and games begin at 1:00 pm.

Member meetings - Meetings are held monthly at 6:00 pm on the 4th Friday of the month. Please support your club and try to attend the meetings and spend a little time socializing with friends and fellow members. The club opens at 4:00 pm on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Facebook Member Page - There is a Seneca Lake Duck Hunters “Members Only” page on FB. If you want to join, go to the group page and submit a request to join. The page provides timely updates and reminders for various events at the club.



TRAP & SKEET NEWS

We held our very first FLAT League shoot at the club on January 13th and 14th. We had a great turnout with 166 Shooters that showed up. On Saturday the 13th, the wind was pretty crazy and it rained hard a few times and Sunday the 14th, it snowed a few times and sometimes very hard but that didn't bother the shooters or the scorers.

Thank You so much Scott Drake, Tim Dillon, Tom Grady, Bill Moravec, Brian Bartlett, Frank Keatley, Jacob Bartlett, Calob Bartlett, Josh Sutherland and Jim Reed for dealing with the crazy cold weather. Great job to you all!

We also had Breakfast available both Days and that went Great Thanks to Terri Grady, Rhonda Goodell, John Goodell, Preston Goodell, Megan Goodell, Rick Kent, Dale Gray, Bonnie Barkley and Dan Barkley. It was a busy but fun weekend and it all came together because of all of you and Thank you to The FLAT League for letting us in this year.

Thank you also to Tom Grady for building us a new gun rack for outside, it was greatly needed. The Little Brown Jug League has got their dates all set for this year and we will host it April 27th and 28th, We will have our Summer League Dates in next months news letter.

See You All in February Andrew R Button

DONATIONS

- Rainbow Junction Rock 'n Bowl.....\$ 100
- PY Youth Lacrosse.....\$ 100
- Yates Community Center..... \$ 100
- Millie's Pantry.....\$ 100
- NWTF Catherine Valley Long Spurs\$ 95

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Wednesday Wings | 5:00 - 7:30 pm | |
| Feb. 2 | 5:00 - 7:00 | Pizza Friday |
| Feb. 9 | 5:00 - 7:30 | Fish Fry |
| Feb. 16 | 5:00 - 7:00 | Pizza Friday |
| Feb. 19 | 6:00 | Director Meeting |
| Feb. 23 | 6:00 | Member Meeting |

HAVE ONE ON THE HOUSE WINNERS

Philip Ilaqua, Kyle Jorgensen, Kevin Murphy, Jacklyn Siegrist, Barabara Williams



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The Annual Chili Cook-off took place on Sunday, January 21st. There were 11 entries this year with about 45 tasters/judges. This year's winner was Hal Schrock who took home a Stainless Steel Bowl Set & Electric Salt & Pepper Grinders. Second place prize of a \$10 gift card to Morgan's and 2 drink chips went to Candy Naprava. Third place of 2 drink chips went to Bill Moravec. Thanks to Reita Roberts, Rich Gorton, Terri Grady and Pat Moravec for making sure everything ran smoothly!!

Thanks to everyone for coming out and enjoying the chili and for the donations of corn bread and muffins. As in the past years, all leftover chili was enjoyed the next week by the participants in the Annual Rabbit Hunt.



1st - 3rd Place winners from L-R: Hal Schrock, Candy Naprava and Bill Moravec

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