

Swamp Road Sportsmen's Club
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Awards/Appreciation Party I would like to thank everyone that came and enjoyed another great year of shooting at our club. Several club members were recognized for their accomplishments shooting this year at the club. The rest of us that were in attendance were recognized for being involved with the best shooting club in Rusk County. Again, thanks everyone for making the club succeed another year. Let's all keep the club grow and safe for the next year and the years to come.

Summer Trap League The summer trap league is the biggest league we have at the club each year. I want to thank everyone that helped score, fill houses and shot to make this a big success. For those who were unable to attend this year's awards party here is a quick recap of the league outcome. In Class A Indeck Bio Fuel was top team with 2,338 hit targets with Bare Foot Painters hot on their tails in 2nd place with 2,256 hit target. In Class B this year it was Evan Knutson Reality on top with 2,119 birds hit with Booth's Sugarbush just 2 birds behind with 2,117 birds hit. This year's top gun overall was Pam O'Leary with 483 birds out of 500. Very impressive scores this year. I hope to see everyone next year.

Christmas Raffle Just wanted to let everyone know that the Christmas raffle tickets are on sale. These tickets go fast and remember there are only 150 books sold. The raffle is on December 21st at the club. There will be a 50-bird trap shoot along with a cold bore rifle shoot. Eggnog, guns and missile toe, only the good life at the Swamp Road Sportsman's club. Call, text or email me if you want some tickets. The following is on the ticket this year.

- 1st Henry Lever Action .410 Shotgun or \$650 cash
- 2nd Ruger Precision .22 LR or \$375 cash
- 3rd \$100 cash
- 4th \$100 cash
- 5th \$100 cash

Gun Board The next gun on a gun board is a Ruger Mark IV 22/45 Lite with quick sight. The donation is \$15 for a square, \$20 for 2 squares or \$75 for 10 squares. Try your luck and start your winning streak with a new gun for \$15. Call, email, text or track me down. Can't win if you don't play.

.22 Rim fire Shoot Yes we didn't forget to schedule another rim fire shoot. On November 2nd from 11 am until 3 pm there is more fun at the rifle range. It's economical and fun all rolled into one. This is a must for those that say they never get to shoot there little fun guns anymore. Come and check it out if you are looking to have a good time.

New Trap/Skeet Range Just a quick update on the new combination trap/skeet range. It's been going great so far and hopefully on track to complete the trap range yet this year minus the landscaping. I appreciate all the club members that has helped with this big project. I also welcome any future help. Please contact me if you would like to get involved with the project. Any skill level is welcome to help along with any physical abilities or disabilities can be helpful in this project. Anyone strong with math, landscaping, brick laying, concrete work, carpentry or being a gopher that wants to help make our club better please contact me.

Club Project Bucket List Let's focus on this short list and if we get that done we can really dig in. And again, thank you to all that has helped so far.

1. Pick up around the garage and cut the weeds down.
2. Get the club ready for winter.
3. Help with the new trap range.

Upcoming Shoots Below is a list of the club events this year. Post them and put them in your fun calendar. If you have any questions on the shoot contact Earl Fisk.

- November 2nd .22 Shoot
- December 21st 50 bird trap shoot/ cold bore shoot

Recipe of the Month *Pink Stuff* Take one large box of Jell-O and make as per box instructions. Put in the refrigerator. In a 13 x 9-inch pan, line the sides and bottom with Lorna Doone cookies. Whip 1 large whipping cream; add sugar to taste. When Jell-O is almost set, mix Jell-O and the cream and pour over the cookies. Refrigerate 2 to 3 hours and all will love this smooth delight!

Crystal Ball November 1st club meeting, November 2nd .22 Shoot, December 6th club meeting, December 21st Christmas Raffle.

Next Meeting The next meeting will be November 1st at 7 pm. This will focus on getting ready for fall. If there is anything else that needs urgent attention, be sure to contact the board prior to the meeting.

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