

# OAKLAND COUNTY SPORTSMAN

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(full bar menu)**

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The club calendar is on the last page of this magazine. Special events, tours, and meetings are listed. To see the full calendar of events, go to our website at [OCSC.CLUB](http://OCSC.CLUB)

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## From the President

Merry Christmas to all from my family to yours!

Not a lot to report on this month, been fighting all the viruses going around and staying home keeping everyone else safe.

Thanks to all who filled in on my absence, looking forward to seeing everyone back around the club when the archery leagues start up in January.

I wish everyone a safe, happy holiday! See you soon at the club! Gary



## Vice President's Corner

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all!

We have a few events coming up in late December and in January. The Mystery safe raffle and the M1 Garand raffle drawings are on December 27 at the General Membership meeting. Tickets are still available until the actual drawings for both of these raffles.

We have a band night on January 13th and a Comedy Night on January 27th. Flyers are around the club, eblasts have gone out, and Facebook postings have been made with more details.

The fire pit has been repaired, many thanks to member Ron Childers for taking on that project.

Most of the sub-clubs have activities happening over the winter months, so check some of these out and get involved in the ones you may not be too familiar with.

We are always looking for volunteers for work bees and events. Please consider helping and gain some volunteer hours. It is rewarding work and a good way to meet other club members. If you want to get on a volunteer work list, please call the office or contact me directly. It takes a lot of people to keep this club looking great and to make special events successful. Kitchen help is always needed and is greatly appreciated.

See you around the club!

Warren Pratt, OCSC 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President



## Club Manager's Notes

Now that 2023 has come to a close, 2024 offers many new opportunities here at the Club.

I continue to encourage your Board of Directors to initiate and support all efforts in recruiting new members. A significant amount of revenue is out there if we aggressively pursue it. (At least \$200,000!) I hope all of you will help us bring in many new members this year. Dues are the "LIFE BLOOD" of the Club.

With regard to the facilities, new signage, the main entrance, and out buildings enhancements are on the table at every meeting. All of these projects will definitely help us bring our membership to full capacity. Our financial health depends upon it!! Bring in a new member and help YOUR Club.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OF YOU!

Chris Myers, Club Manager



# 2024 Membership Renewal Form

**2024 OCSC Dues and Range Key renewals are due on or before Mar 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024**

**No other invoice or statement will be mailed to you!**

Your range key will no longer be active March 1<sup>st</sup> unless renewed w/membership.

A Late Fee of \$25.00 will be applied to all membership renewals received between March 1st and March 31<sup>st</sup>

April 1<sup>st</sup> you are no longer a member of OCSC and will need to reapply to become a member.

**In order to process your request without issue, please print clearly!**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contacts:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**You can pay by mail** with a Check, Visa or MC (a 4% fee will be charged for all credit/debit cards),  
**Requests with a postmark dated after March 1<sup>st</sup> must include a \$25.00 late fee, or will be returned.**

**You can pay in person:**

Membership renewals will be accepted at the Club Office during the posted office hours. If you want to apply work hours to your dues renewal, you must present your 2022 membership card(s) with work hours clearly signed and dated.

Payment by; Cash, check, Visa or MC (a 4% fee will be charged for all credit/debit cards), accepted at office window.

**You can pay by phone:**

Membership renewals will be accepted by phone using either VISA or MC (a 4% fee will be charged for all credit/debit cards), and will be accepted from **10am until 4:30pm any normal business day**. Work hours **cannot** be claimed if renewing by phone.

**You can pay online:**

Membership renewals can be done online on our website, VISA or MC will be accepted (a fee will be charged for all online transactions), 2023 Work hours will need to be uploaded to be used for a due's reduction. Remember to check off all that apply to your renewal, cards will not be mailed unless postage is paid for. Please allow up to 5 to 7 business days for processing.

**2024 OCSC Renewal Rates**

	General Member (under 62 years of age)	Young Adult (18 to 22 years)	Senior Member (62 years of age & older)
With no work hours your dues are	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$165.00
With 10 work hours your dues are	\$225.00	\$112.50	\$140.00
With 20 work hours your dues are	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$125.00
With 35 work hours your dues are	\$155.00	\$ 77.50	\$100.00
With 50 work hours your dues are	\$105.00	\$ 52.50	\$ 75.00

**2024 OCSC Renewal Worksheet**

Your renewal Rate ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Range key renewal(s) \$20/card ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$25.00 late fee due if received in OCSC office between March 1<sup>st</sup> and April 1<sup>st</sup> ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$2.00 for postage or include a self-addressed stamped envelope if you want membership card and receipts mailed to you \$ \_\_\_\_\_

4% charge for using a credit / debit card Visa or Master Card no other cards accepted..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount due ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Visa / MC # \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_ exp \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

**Make check payable to OCSC and remit to: OCSC, 4770 Waterford Road, Clarkston, MI 48346**



# WATERFORD HILLS ROAD RACING (WHRRI) STICKY TIRES NEWS LETTER

Thanks to the magic of our digital newsletter and our hard-working editor, I get a second opportunity to wish everyone a happy and healthy Christmas and New Year!

2023 was an eventful year for our club. I think our race season was marvelously successful. We had few incidents, plenty of close competition, a great crop of rookies and full corner stations. I hope we can look forward to 2024 being just as exciting. Our paddock repaving is on schedule, the re-contoured runoff area in turn 2 should help keep cars off the fence and we have a new facilities manager to keep everything running smoothly.

This is a great segue into the virtue and the necessity of volunteerism. The loss of Annie, Jerry S. and Jerry P. is devastating, not just on a personal level, but in the loss of their contributions to our success. Although Jerry Pintar was a paid worker, I include him because of his tireless advocacy for our sub club. That wasn't part of his job description! Everything that must happen before a race weekend event starts is brought to you by volunteers. They run the driver's school, keep the track in amazing condition (a herculean feat!), open the Paddock Shoppe and put on an awards banquet despite significant health issues, and deal with the rules and regulations that seem to be in place to prevent our success. Volunteers fill the corner stations so that we may have a safer place to race. They make sure membership and registration is up to date. They check our cars and safety equipment. They monitor the action and our behavior during the actual races. They sit up in their room timing us so we can measure our own success. They run the "business" part of racing. They make sure trophies are ready to be given out when racing is done. They make our Vintage race a worthwhile destination for a racer with a "treasure" to share with us. They represent us at the parent club. On a given race weekend, we have about 90 entrants. Eighty of us owe a debt of gratitude to the other ten! Please consider becoming one of the ten.

I will soon post a sign-up sheet to man the booth at Autorama. It will be held March 1, 2 and 3 this year. If you aren't too busy making your car way faster than last year, come spend some time at Cobo!

Brian Murphy

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# WHISKEY BUSINESS

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## THE FUTURE OF COMEDY SHOW CLARKSTON, MI



THE FUTURE OF COMEDY SHOW



ERIC WIELINSKI



MIKE BALL



CHUCK BATES



STEVE KAZ

TICKETS \$20

1/27/24

DOORS AT 7 PM  
SHOWS AT 8 PM



### OAKLAND COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

TICKETS AT [WWW.MIKEBALLDOTCOM.COM](http://WWW.MIKEBALLDOTCOM.COM)



# The Friends of the Oakland County Sportsmen's Club

Thank you to all who purchased tickets for the "Mystery Safe" raffle to which all profits supports the main club.

At this writing, I do not have our prize winners, so look for them in the February issue of the magazine.

I'd like to thank my committee volunteer members for their continued support of the raffle and this committee:

Christopher Finazzo  
Mary Gaedt  
John LaPine  
Bob Miller

Kyle Ondusky  
Ronda Lynn Ondusky  
Terry Ondusky  
Tim Ondusky

John Towns  
Greg Yourst

We hope to bring back the banquet next year, stay tuned for details in the summer of 2024 for more details.

Kelly Finazzo  
Friends Committee Chair

## PPC at OCSC

Spring league will begin Thursday, Jan 4 so come out and get involved! PPC shoots each Monday morning from 9 am to 12 noon and each Thursday evening from 6 pm to 9 pm in the DR Wilson range. Shooting is fun and challenging... shoot 60 rounds in 4 courses of fire for accuracy in a specified amount of time (each COF is timed). Shoot kneeling, sitting, prone, strong hand and weak hand.

Plans are coming together for OCSC PPC to host an organized match in March 2024, (check the online calendar for the exact date) so come on out and start practicing! Details about the match and prizes will be presented in the next OCSC newsletter.

For information on PPC, call Michael Graham @ 248-417-5951.

Michael Graham  
Director  
OCSC Police Pistol Combat (PPC)



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JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OUT OF FOOD, DERBY  
STYLE VIDEO RACING & FUNDRAISING AT:

THIS IS 21 AND OLDER EVENT

# MICHIGAN NIGHT AT THE RACES

TO SUPPORT THE 3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL  
LADIES ADVENTURE DAY

DATE:  
SATURDAY,  
FEBRUARY 3,  
2024

DOORS OPEN:  
5PM

DINNER:  
6PM

RACES BEGIN:  
7PM

LOCATION:  
OAKLAND COUNTY  
SPORTSMAN'S  
CLUB (OCSC)  
4770 Waterford Rd  
Clarkston, Michigan

- Come experience the fun and excitement of the "Derby" via virtual thoroughbred racing.
- Wear your finest derby hats and bring your wallets.
- Wager on your favorite horses throughout 10 sponsored races.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Monique Matson - 248-431-5867



# 2024 SATURDAY INSTRUCTIONAL

ALL AGES AND SKILL LEVEL

The 2024 Saturday Instructional Program pairs trained instructors with all levels of Archers to teach the basics of archery, including safety, techniques, self-improvement and mental concentration. OCSC Provides all equipment, or bring your own.

The program is designed with flexibility in mind, to meet family's busy schedules, but still allow you to participate in the great sport of Archery. Remember, practice makes perfect, and the more you come, the better you'll get!



## DATES / TIMES

The program runs weekly, January 6 through March 9. Participants pay as you go, no weekly commitment.

First Clinic: 8:00 - 9:30am

Second Clinic: 10:00 - 11:30am

## PRICING:

One-time \$5 Registration Fee per attendee  
Adults per clinic, \$5 for Member, \$10 for Non-Member  
Kids per clinic, \$5 regardless of membership status

## QUESTIONS?

Please call Monique @ (248) 431-5867, or visit the OCSC Archery Club at 4775 Waterford Rd., Clarkston



## Desert Angels at Work at OCSC

Desert Angels will be taking a winter break, Jan. and Feb. We will resume in person packing at the club in March. You can drop off items at the club. Jan and Feb.



As of December 7, 2023 Desert Angels packed, filled and shipped out: 1,598 Christmas Stockings and 6,047 Christmas Goodie Bags.

Thank you for your generous donations of: items, money and time!! If there are any Christmas Stocking left, DA Blue will pass out to our Police Officers. Do you have a special officer we need to give a Christmas Stocking to? Email me their name, department, shift etc. We WILL make sure they receive a special DA Blue Christmas Stocking [Office@TheDesertAngel.org](mailto:Office@TheDesertAngel.org)

**Thank you notes we have received:** THANK YOU so much for the 23 boxes of Christmas stockings! You and your group of volunteers have made many of us extremely grateful. Blessings to you and your family this holiday season.

It was quite the surprise when I received a notification of a package available for pickup from the post office. When I arrived, I was greeted with a large box of mysterious origins. The box was addressed from Michigan, my home state. Upon receipt I noted the box was bulky and heavy laden. I, as any curious individual who has received a gift shook and jostled the box out of curiosity. I then pondered what was enclosed, could it be Legos? My honed ear didn't hear the distinct ting of Legos clinking together. I shook it again, maybe Roblox action figures? No, the contents also didn't sound like action figures. Final answer and shake, I know, I know, a few small tablets for us to watch cat videos on YouTube with, no. I was then inspired to look at the top of the box and read "Holiday Treats" on the packing list. My mind instantly sprung to fruit cakes, mackinac fudge, Snickers, Reese's, and all the other candies that can be found home but not here. Upon opening the box, I was surprised by the care that was taken to ensure this package reached the other side of the world safely and by the bounty of goodies it contained.

What I found even more surprising is that the letters were addressed from Myers Elementary School in Grand Blanc. When I was young, I lived in Grand Blanc just up the road from Myers Elementary on East Hill Road by Vassar Road in an old tri-level house between the entrances to Stockbridge Commons. My little brother attended Myers Elementary while I went to Grand Blanc Middle School and eventually High School before we moved to Flint to attend Kearsley High School and Middle School. As they say it is a small world. However, in my experience the wider you travel, the larger your perception of the world becomes, and long distances seem much shorter.

On behalf of the members of the 18th Maintenance Group, Thank you so much. We really appreciate the support. We will surely enjoy these goodies and think of home as we do.

V/r, MSgt, USAF 18th Maintenance Group Kadena Air Base, Japan



# Shotgun News



## SHOTGUN BANQUET

This is the annual fundraiser/banquet for the OCSC Shotgun Club so please show your support by purchasing dinner tickets and raffle tickets!

Mark your calendars... **Saturday, March 9** is the **shotgun banquet**. Dinner tickets are now available @ \$40; dinner includes carved roast beef, chicken cordon bleu, pasta in marinara sauce, mashed potatoes & gravy, mixed vegetables, dinner rolls, butter, salad and dressing. There will be raffles, card drawings... plenty of opportunities to win prizes! **Call Ron Berzenicki (248.561.1966) or Michael Graham (248.417.5951) to order your tickets and to reserve a seat.**

**OCSC Shotgun Club GOTY (Gun Of The Year)** is a beautiful **Browning Citori CX O/U 12 gauge** with 28" barrel; 3 chokes (F, M & IC). Tickets are **3 for \$10** and will be available at the OCSC Main Club desk, the Shotgun Club, the OCSC bar or from any OCSC Shotgun Club desk worker. Here's your chance to win a truly beautiful shotgun so buy plenty of tickets to increase your chances of winning!

## WINTER SHOTGUN LEAGUE

**WINTER LEAGUE** is starting Tuesday, January 9 so come on by and sign up! This will be a "singles" league (you do not need a partner to shoot/combine scores) that includes trap, wobble trap, skeet and 5 stand

## SHOTGUN CLUBHOUSE

The shotgun ranges are brighter! We've replaced and repositioned the field lights so weekday shooting (Tuesday & Wednesday nights) is "under the lights". Come on out and see for yourself.

## OCSC SHOTGUN CLUB HOURS

The OCSC Shotgun Club will be closed on New Year's Eve (Sunday, 31 December) but is open for shooting to members, guests and non-members every Tuesday & Wednesday from 6 – 10 pm and every Saturday and Sunday from 11 am – 4 pm. The club sells 12 and 20 gauge ammunition (lead shot only). Come on out and give shotgun shooting a try... we offer trap, wobble trap, skeet (steel shot only), 7-yard & 12-yard upland angles, 5-stand and flurry.

Michael Graham  
President  
OCSC Shotgun Club



## 2024 SHOTGUN RAFFLE



### FIRST PRIZE

Browning Citori CX 12ga  
Over/Under w/ 28" Barrels  
All wood Stock & Forearm,  
w/ 3 choke Tubes (F/M/IC)

2nd PRIZE  
16" Craftsman Gas Chainsaw

3rd PRIZE  
\$100.00 Cash

Tickets available at  
Shotgun Desk during normal Shooting Hours  
OCSC Main Office  
General Membership Meetings  
or the OCSC Bar

Tickets 3 for \$10.00



Drawing Held on  
March 9, 2024  
at Shotgun Banquet  
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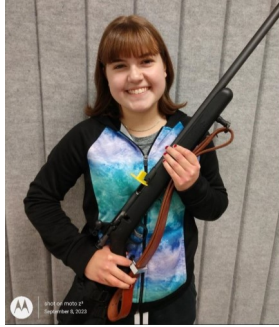
# Congratulations

Congratulations to Evelyn West for recently completed the requirements for Expert rifleman.

This NRA rating is very difficult to reach and is recognized throughout the shooting community.

In addition to Junior Rifle, she is a senior at Lake Orion High School where she participates with the Cross Country, Ski and Power Lifting teams.

Evelyn will attend Xavior University next September.



Congratulations and many thanks to those who participated in the Clarkston Holiday Lights Float and Parade! We actually took the award for “Best use of the Theme” Award!



## Fall/Winter Bowling-Pin Shoots

.22 Cal., Half-Pins

### Open to the Public!

Where: The O.C.S.C. Range House  
4770 Waterford Road Clarkston, MI 48346

When: Sunday evenings, 6 PM to ~9 PM  
Sept. 17 thru Dec. 17  
(Skipping Nov. 26)  
Feb. 18 thru May. 19  
(Skipping Apr. 9)

Cost: \$5 Members, \$10 Non-Members

This is a “Fun-Shoot”, for .22LR pistols, but, we will allow .22 LR (magazine fed.) rifles.  
Typical Equipment: Ruger Mark I, II, III, IV, 22/45; Hi Standard and other similar semi-auto pistols, and .22 Cal. Revolvers. Red Dot or Iron Sights.

Required: Eye and hearing protection.

Objective and course of fire: Clear the tables as quickly as possible. Range: 21 Ft.

6- tables per shooter per set. (Typically 2-3 sets per night.) Up to 4-shooters on the line.

The longest time is thrown out, and the remaining 5 times are averaged for your score.

The maximum time for a table is 15-seconds, cleared or not.

Pins must be OFF the table, but not necessarily on the floor to stop the clock.

Shooters start at a “Low Ready” position, waiting for the start buzzer.

No magazine changes, but you are allowed to clear jams.

Check out our Range Safety Video at <https://ocsc.club/> and watch to the end after the credits, at about the 14:30 mark to see what this is all about.

# The Clan of the Wolf



A Big thanks to all the attendees of the 2023 Clan of the Wolf Christmas shoot! The weather was good and so was the crowd, 34 shooters in all. The Clan set up Holiday Themed targets and made this event a bit more challenging. Thanks to all that got creative and supplied a target. Dutch Ovens were filled with venison stew, rabbit stew and many other camp favorites to share. Remember, we do this every Sunday at 10:00 am January through February, and sometimes even longer. Winter fun shoots are a great way to get out and get some smokey, fresh air. Come join us!

Happy Holidays!  
Clan Of the Wolf



## OAKLAND COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S CLUB 37th Annual WINTER FUN SHOOT 2024 January 7<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> February 4<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup>



Come out and join us for this year's Winter Fun Shoot! There will be rifle and tradegun matches, each scored separately. Prizes will be awarded each week for both. No Aggregate prizes will be awarded for this year's WFS.

Be there early! Registration will start at 10:00 am and end at **NOON**. The registrar will have the discretion to allow late shooters.

The fee for non-members will be \$60 (if you pay in advance) for all 8 weeks or \$10 per week.

The fee for OCSC Muzzleloader Club members will be \$30 (if you pay in advance) for all 8 weeks or \$5 per week.

Coffee, tea, and hot chocolate will be available. The campfire is always hot, so bring something to cook and share if you so desire. The shooters are always hungry.

For more information call: Ron Estrada at (248) 736-0501 or email [ronestrada20@gmail.com](mailto:ronestrada20@gmail.com).

If you're coming to the Winter shoot, please bring your mess kit items with you. We have been getting by without all the plastics and Styrofoam stuff that costs us money, fills up trash bags and really makes our area unsightly for a traditional shoot.  
Thanks!

# D.R. Wilson Rifle and Pistol Club & Action Pistol Range



We completed our 3<sup>rd</sup> work-bee on the general membership range. Walls have been finished between the 10-, 25- and 50-yard lines, berms have been significantly elevated and new target backers installed.

Until spring we are concentrating on fund raising and evaluating various wall systems. As such, we are working on quotes on precast systems for range division that will be faster to build and likely less expensive than bin blocks as we originally envisioned.

Once spring arrives, we will be increasing the height and contouring the berms between the 10-, 25, and 50-yard ranges and will start the range division that will prevent range closures, improve access and allow for multiple events to take place concurrently on those ranges.

APR range maintenance will be underway over the winter with removal of the erosion materials off the berms, cleaning up the bay floors, getting the berm road cleared and starting to clear some trees so we can pin the ground per the range improvement plan.

Eric Larsen

## Storage Space Available

Waterford Hills is opening its paddock for winter storage.

Starting, November 1st 2023 to April 1st 2024.

Storage is on pavement.

Limited access is available through the winter.

For more details, contact Ron Krantz at:

[facilities@waterfordhills.com](mailto:facilities@waterfordhills.com)



## Shadows

We were just informed recently that Randy L. MacInnes, a long time member of OCSC family and active member of the Shotgun Club, passed away on November 18, 2023 at the age of 67.

Randy will be missed by his OCSC, and shotgun family, and we send our most heartfelt condolences to his family and friends.

Randy's obituary information can be accessed by clicking this link:

[https://www.wintfuneralhome.com/obituaries/print?o\\_id=8758177](https://www.wintfuneralhome.com/obituaries/print?o_id=8758177)



# Conservation Corner



The 2024 MUCC convention is right around the corner and will be held March 8th and 9th in Sault Ste. Marie. Follow the link below to review the proposed resolutions to be debated at the Convention:

<https://mucc.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/2024-MUCC-Resolutions-for-Convention-2024.pdf>

If you are interested in becoming the OAKLAND COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S CLUB Michigan United Conservation Club's representative, please contact your Executive Board or the OCSC office.

Also, if you have any conservation or habitat improvement ideas and would like to be the club's Conservation committee leader and participate in OCSC's conservation efforts, please contact your executive board or the OCSC office.

## ***"The Bite"***

## **The Oakland County Sport Fishing Club**



The Oakland County Sport Fishing Club News

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!**

The new year fills us all with hope and optimism for a better year than the last.....

Your fishing club is looking for better weather, more opportunities for fishing and an increased participation from our fellow club members. New members are the heart of any organization and we are in need of an influx of new ideas, new enthusiasm and new leadership.

Some OCSFC FISHING events to look forward to in 2024:

- FREE fishing in Michigan ..February 18 and 19 and June 10 and 11.
- Ice Fishing on Townsend Lake- February
- Coast Guard Inspections/Sawp Meet May
- Summer Fishing on Townsend Lake-June
- Salmon Fishing September -October
- Saginaw Bay event

We meet on the third Wednesday of the month at 7 PM in the main clubhouse. It is a fun group with a great bunch of people who know a lot about different styles of fishing. If you are interested or think you know somebody who may be, please contact me directly at 248-778-5253.

Come out to an Oakland County Sport Fishing Club meeting, the 3rd Wednesday of the month @ 7PM.

I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas and a fabulous New Year!

***FISH ON!!!***

Christopher Finazzo  
President, Oakland County Sport Fishing Club  
248.778.5253 [OaklandCountySportFishingClub@gmail.com](mailto:OaklandCountySportFishingClub@gmail.com)

# Archery Club News



It's getting busy around the Archery Club!

As of this writing we have already had two well attended Smackdowns. These are very popular shoots with many very good archers. It's really nice to have them come out to our club and attend these shoots. I do want to give recognition to Rob Yahrmarkt for his outstanding work organizing these shoots.

We are preparing for a busy weekend of IAA 3D shooting. On December 15th, 16th, and 17th we will be hosting an IAA Indoor 3D shoot. 30 targets are set up on our indoor range. The shoot will probably already have taken place by the time you read this, but as in the past we expect a very good turnout. Hopefully you have seen the flyer and are planning to take part in this shoot. There will be an evening line on Friday the 15th at 7:00pm, a 9:00am morning and 1:00pm afternoon line on Saturday the 16th, and a 10:00am morning line on Sunday the 17th. This shoot is open to everyone and there is a class for everyone to shoot in! Registration is open and will remain open up until the time of the shoot.

Winter Leagues and Instructional start the first week in January as follows:

Saturday Instructional begins on Saturday January 6th and runs until March 9th.

There are two sessions each Saturday morning. The first session is from 8:00 – 9:30am and the second is from 10:00 – 11:30am. This is a very economical instructional program primarily geared to the new archers. The club provides all the equipment so come out and try out this great sport. Watch for the flyer with more details.

Leagues begin as follows:

January 2nd (Tuesday) – Animal League at 7:00pm

January 3rd (Wednesday) – NFAA League at 9:30am

January 4th (Thursday) – NFAA League at 6:00pm

January 5th (Friday) – NFAA League at 7:00pm

January 6th (Saturday) – Instructional Archery Sessions start at 8:00am and 10:00am.

- Youth League at 1:00pm (10 week league)

January 7th (Sunday) – FITA League (450Round) at 6:00pm

January 8th (Monday) - Traditional Leagues at 9:00am and 7:00pm

All leagues (unless noted) are 12 weeks in length. Check the archery club website for a comprehensive description of the leagues.

We will have our first Sunday Indoor 3D shoot of the new year on January 14th. The shoot runs from 9:00am until 2:00pm.

The next Instructional Program through the Township Parks and Recs will start on Wednesday January 17th with sessions at 4:30pm and 6:30pm. These sessions run for 10 weeks. You are advised to sign up early as the last session filled up quickly.

We continue to improve / maintain our ranges with the help of a bunch of great volunteers. You will notice that the indoor range concrete floor has been repainted. It's improvements like this that make our range look great and it does get noticed!

We are putting together a group to work on promotions. We have a great club and know we can do a better job promoting the Archery Club and our activities. One thing about the club is we have a lot of talent and it just needs to be discovered. If you are interested in getting involved, please contact myself or Ron Hall to express your interest. We need some new ideas!

Another exciting item of interest is that a date for the Midwest Safari Triple Crown has been set. Our club will be hosting this shoot, again this year, on July 6th. Make sure to put this shoot on your schedule. Last year we had 103 archers on the course and I expect to have more this year. You really do not want to miss this one!

Come join us at the monthly Archery Club Meeting. The meetings are held on the third Wednesday of the month in the Archery Club Building starting at 7:00pm.

Our entire 2024 Archery Schedule is posted on our Archery Website listed below.

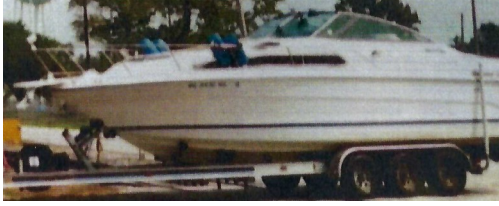
I encourage you to check the Archery Club Website often at <http://ocsc-archery.org> for the latest club news as well as our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/OcscArchery>.

I encourage you to come out and participate in our leagues, shoots, and instructional programs this Winter!

Mike McGinnis  
Archery Club President

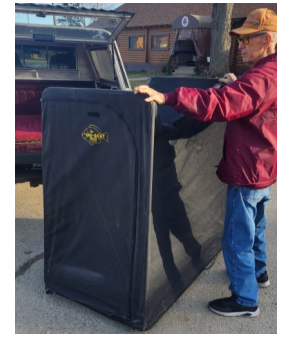
# CLASSIFIEDS

1989 SeaRay 268 Sundance For Sale - \$18,000 OBO



Length OA over 30 ft.  
 Beam 8.5 ft legal to tow without a permit  
 Engine 454 330HP, 100 gal fuel tank  
 12 volt oil removal system  
 33 gal fresh water tank, 30 gal black water tank  
 Refrig/Freezer 110/12 volt  
 Two burner stove 110 & alcohol  
 Call 248-343-2770 for more details!

## Ice Shanty for Sale



Interested? Call George at 248-674-9872. He is asking \$60.00, but he wants it gone.

## FOR SALE!!

1960 14ft Boat and Trailer - \$1,500.00

10HP Evinrude Motor  
 Runs great (has oil/gas mix)

Electric Trolling Motor  
 Plus more!

Call Richard Dunlap  
 231-884-2994



Are you a gun collector looking for that special piece that you never thought you'd find? Well, Bill Gilmore is your guy! Bill has so many collectable pieces that we couldn't fit them all in one ad!

Bill is a member of the NRA, Colt Collectors' Association, Michigan Antique Arms Collectors.

He holds his U.S. Federal Firearms License (CC&R), Canada Possession & Acquisition License (restricted & non-restricted). Bill also buys, sells, and trades firearms as well as gives appraisals.

Give Bill a call at 586-615-5050 to see if he has what you're looking for!

**For sale** like new Hoyt Stratos bow with tons of extras included. Bow was purchased October 2022 and I've only shot 150 arrows through it. Here is the list of everything that's included: **Hoyt Stratos 40 Bow, Achieve XP sight, Trinity arrow rest, Shrewd carbon fiber stabilizers, Avalon arrow quiver, Gold tip arrow case, Aurora Pro Line Bow case**

If interested, please text 586-991-9627 Thanks! **Price: \$2250**



16'9" Crestliner Boat. Only used 5 times. Owner has health issues. \$25,000. Boat is located in Oakland County Text or call Ambria with questions 248-980-3880.



Please send your detailed "classified ad" email to: [ocscmag@comcast.net](mailto:ocscmag@comcast.net)  
 (Please be aware the magazine goes to press over a week before it is sent out)

Ads will need to be in by the first Wednesday of each month to be published in the following publication.  
*Let us know that your stuff has been sold!*

Treasurers Report  
November 2023

	Nov 23	Nov 22	Jan - Nov 23
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
40110 · Membership Inc	3,943.25	7,380.00	322,158.94
40120 · Range Card/Guest Fee Inc	1,130.00	3,125.00	15,421.00
40130 · Administration/Office Inc	592.78	640.00	8,205.14
40140 · Club Merchandise Income	310.32	127.00	4,673.17
40150 · Bar Income	11,900.98	14,962.39	174,455.68
40160 · Fish Fry Income	0.00	0.00	1,895.28
40500 · Sub Club Income	8,732.00	20,145.25	165,252.17
40700 · Food Service Income	26,205.50	17,014.17	260,938.67
41700 · Hall Rental	488.00	770.00	22,844.28
42100 · Special Events Inc	7,000.00	11,680.00	37,531.08
42400 · Sportsmans Magazine Income	0.00	0.00	3,562.47
43200 · Bldg&Grds Income	915.00	0.00	6,303.76
44800 · Charity Ticket Machine Income	3,819.00	2,188.00	23,098.00
45500 · Mtg Night Prize Inc	0.00	775.00	6,825.00
49900 · Rental Bar Labor Inc	0.00	50.00	50.00
49999 · Interest	0.49	0.20	396.13
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>65,037.32</b>	<b>78,857.01</b>	<b>1,053,610.77</b>
Gross Profit	65,037.32	78,857.01	1,053,610.77
Expense			
50110 · Membership Expense	0.00	81.59	23,707.08
50120 · Range Card/Guest Fee Exp	0.00	0.00	1,516.65
50140 · Club Merchandise Exp	600.49	0.00	8,696.32
50150 · Bar Expense	5,509.55	7,188.43	78,639.44
50500 · Sub Group Expense	139.12	184.38	66,186.47
50520 · PR, Seminars, Mtgs, ETC	0.00	0.00	175.00
50700 · Food Service Expense	4,986.25	2,267.32	31,083.02
52100 · Special Events Exp	625.00	1,007.99	15,113.35
52400 · Sportsman Magazine Exp	210.00	143.01	2,467.14
52500 · Kitchen Stores	9,159.55	10,497.39	162,078.53
52550 · Paper Products	170.80	993.90	11,955.64
53050 · Administration/Office Exp	1,319.69	2,209.76	32,269.91
53053 · Advertising	0.00	1,200.00	11,922.11
53100 · OCSC Salaries	20,216.91	16,729.08	233,599.19
53200 · Bldg&Grds	4,992.99	4,096.07	120,281.31
53225 · Linen Expense	523.01	840.30	6,084.63
53250 · Janitorial Supplies	0.00	0.00	11,782.75
54800 · Charity Ticket Machine Exp	201.00	883.00	11,596.00
55500 · Mtg Night Prize Exp	681.74	762.66	7,534.07
56000 · Insurance	12,493.25	0.00	44,451.00
58100 · Legal Expense	0.00	0.00	1,040.00
59000 · Payroll Taxes	1,715.09	1,171.73	26,639.42
59100 · Sales Tax	2,021.76	2,464.07	24,639.74
59300 · Property Taxes	0.00	0.00	54,221.99
59500 · Utilities Electric	2,742.99	-17,558.55	38,290.32
59600 · Utilities Gas	1,548.23	1,979.57	25,796.26
59700 · Phone & Internet	569.89	0.00	6,572.76
59900 · Rental Bar Labor	0.00	50.00	50.00
6560 · Payroll Expenses	1,858.10	0.00	8,079.90
66900 · Reconciliation Discrepancies	0.00	0.00	569.70
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>72,285.41</b>	<b>37,191.70</b>	<b>1,067,039.70</b>
Net Ordinary Income	-7,248.09	41,665.31	-13,428.93
Other Income/Expense			
Other Income			
44000 · Misc Income	2,165.33	141.00	8,460.33
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>2,165.33</b>	<b>141.00</b>	<b>8,460.33</b>
Net Other Income	2,165.33	141.00	8,460.33
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>-5,082.76</b>	<b>41,806.31</b>	<b>-4,968.60</b>



**OAKLAND COUNTY  
SPORTSMEN'S CLUB  
MINUTES/GENERAL MEMBERSHIP  
MEETING, NOV 2023**

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM by President Gary Mobley

The meeting was opened with the Pledge to United States Flag and the Conservation Pledge

A moment of silence was observed in honor of, Tate Myre, Madison Baldwin, Hana St. Juliana, Justin Shilling. Members Arthur Miracle, Randy Mcginnis

The role of officers was called by the secretary. Carl Biding

Motion by Ted Johnson / Howard Christianson Jr to approve excuses of absent officers. Passed

Unexcused absent officers: Greg Quintana, Matt Davis, Jerry Morlewski, Jeremy Dean, Aaron Maestro

Motion by Scott Dshettler / Al Jacobs to accept the minutes of the October 25th 2023 General membership meeting. Passed

Motion by John Brundage / Alex Crue to accept the minutes of the November 6th 2023 Board of Directors Meeting. Passed

Motion by Stacey Gelow / Ron Hall Jr Rifle to accept the Treasurer's report of October 2023 as published. Passed

15 new members introduced by Dennis Tucker

**President's Comments:**

In some ways it's slowing down as leagues start wrapping up. In others it's getting pretty busy as we prepare for all the upcoming leagues that start in January. Come out and walk with the club float in the Clarkston holiday of lights parade on December 9th. The cooks have been doing an amazing job creating new and exciting specials every week. If you haven't been up for lunch or dinner you need to. Be on the lookout for special events coming next year. We have band nights and comedy night's lining up. Lastly Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays may you and yours have a blessed season and a Happy and prosperous New Year.

**PROGRAM** None. The presenter called at noon to say they couldn't make it so we had a bit of open discussions and a lot of laughs. It really was a good time.

Also Pat Larsen announced he was retiring from being the program director. After more years than he can remember. Maybe 9 or 10. We thank Pat very much for all the time and effort he has put into to supply informative and pleasant programs. Now WHO is going to fill his shoes? Perhaps you?

**ARCHERY:** Ron Elam

Leagues: The Winter Indoor leagues will be starting the first week in January. There are a variety of leagues to join. See club web site for more information.

**Instructional Programs**

Starting in January: Saturday mornings Wednesday evenings – Park and Rec program. Preregistration is required with the Independence Twp., Waterford Twp. Or Springfield Twp. Park and Rec department.

**Upcoming Archery Shoots**

Smack Down Friday, December 1 – 6:00 pm  
Friday, December 8 – 6:00 pm I.A.A. 3D Smackdown (Independent Archers Association)

Line Times: Friday, December 15 - 7:00pm.

Saturday, December 16 - 9:00am & 1:00pm.

Sunday, December 17 - 10:00am.

Archery Workbee See board member.

Archery Meeting Third Wednesday of the month

Wednesday, December 20 at 7:00 pm See our website for up to the minute announcement at: [ocsc-archery.org](http://ocsc-archery.org)

D.R Wilson Eric Larsen

The next step of the Range Improvement Plan is finishing the walls on the 10-, 25- and 50-yard berms, backfilling and elevating these berms to a greater height. The working session for this is November 18 / 19. Match Shooting on APR winding down for the year but is still very active with USPSA, SCSA and IDPA. Indoor shooting is already underway. Please see the schedule that was presented last month. Hunters Sight in in this and the following weekend on the 100 yd range. DR Wilson has a number of gun raffles coming up to support (fund) the range improvements. Please consider getting in on these.

There are some great firearms being offered and all funds raised go directly to the fundraising account that is used to improve our shooting ranges. The first will be our M1 Garand Raffle that will conclude at the December membership meeting. We are just waiting on the license from the state. Tickets will be available the week of Oct 30th. Next will be a 5-gun (gun a month) raffle that will start after the first of the year with some very nice guns in the mix (Four handguns and one competition shotgun). We are just waiting on delivery of the final two guns then we can apply for the license, print tickets and start this in January. Third up will be another single gun raffle in March. We just received this pistol. It is a custom built 2011-22 (22lr) match pistol that is perfect for pins and steel shooting.

Starting next month there will be a monthly 52 card game at the Membership meeting. Cards will be \$10 each and only one deck sold. Prizes will change each month with a value of \$250. Our first game will have Vortex Venom Red Dot Sight as the prize.

**MUZZLE LOADERS:** Kerry Bush

The OCSC Clan of the Wolf Christmas Shoot will be held Saturday, 12/10/23 at 10 AM. Shoot fee is \$5.00 members and \$10.00 nonmembers. Christmas themed prizes will be awarded. Christmas accoutrements (Santa hats, Bells, ugly sweater...) are not mandatory but encouraged. Photos will be taken at the event for a future general membership meeting program and for our website so smile a lot and act like you're having fun. Anyone that would like to make a target for this event is welcome to do so, just please let us know if you are so we can coordinate set up. We will need help setting up targets before the event at 9:00am, please help if you are able. Anyone interested in helping with registration and coffee making let us know. Dutch ovens are also welcome, there may be reindeer stew in one of them. After the awards, a camaraderie session by the fire will follow.

**CLUB MANAGERS REPORT:**

Chris presented an idea for signage and a new entrance for the club. Activities are slowing down around here a bit. The office will be mailing renewal reminders to the members. We have 6 hall bookings for 2024 already if you're planning on hosting an event in 2024 come into the office to reserve your date.

We need to get more new members. Currently we have room for around 450. We need to come up with some sort of membership drive. Let me know if you have any ideas AND SUPPORT YOUR board of directors with this endeavor. Lastly a toast to the holidays

**SHOTGUN CLUB:** Ed Keiser

Thanks to Mike and Denise for prepping for painting and to Rick and Ron for painting the shotgun building. Stop in and check out the fresh new look.

We are in the process of improving the lighting on the Skeet ranges. Repaving and replacing lights. Moving lights lower to create a better shooting angle for evening shooting. Thanks Bill and Frank and thanks Nick for the use of the lift.

Trap machines have been repaired. Thanks again Bill Shotgun banquet is March 9th we need donations of Pheasant and venison. Donte a Deer and get a free ticket to the banquet. We are also in need of volunteers to help plan, set up and during the event.

Gun of the year raffle is coming soon. 1500 tickets will be sold.

Cost will be 3 tickets for \$10.00

We have new shotgun club merchandise. New hats and shirts come on in and get some new gear for the New Year. Look good and support the club.

Nominating committee: Al Jacob, Elections all coming up in March we are looking for members to serve on the Executive Board as well as the Board of directors. Anyone interested see Al Jacobs, Ed Kretsch, Marcie Woytca

**Road Race:** Brian Murphy

Road race had their annual awards banquet at the club this year and everything was great. Also we will be repaving the paddock roads

Jr Rifle: Ed Kretsch

The Honor Guard program will be coming back in the spring

Jr Rifle need some help. We need some adults to step up and help us to continue the program

**SPECIAL EVENTS:**

Carl Biding for the Holiday of light parade: Looking for volunteers to help assemble the club float and hoping all with come participate and walk with the float or just cheer us on from the side lines. The parade is Saturday December 9th starts at 6pm Downtown Clarkston. Staging area is Renaissance high school on Waldon rd

Monique for lady's adventure day: The lady's adventure day will be hosting a fundraiser on February 3rd in the main hall. Something new called a Kentucky Derby race. See Monique for more info.

Ann Mobley for Women's Auxiliary: Thanks for purchasing deserts the monies raised will be used to help with postage for the Miracle boxes we send to active military members.

**QUARTER MIDGET CLUB** No Report

**BAR REPORT** No Report

**BLDG/GRDS/WORKBEES:** No Report

**BULLS EYE** No Report

**CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS:** No Report

**CONSERVATION:** No Report

**FISHING** No Report

**FINANCE & PLANNING** No Report

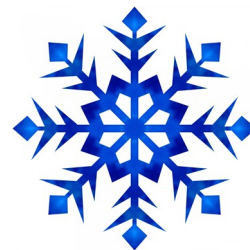
**MUCC** No Report

Club member Kevin Hodge would have won \$80.00 IF he were here. Next months prize will be \$90.00.

Motion by Tex Laidler / Warren Pratt to adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 9:32 PM

Respectfully submitted by Carl Biding Executive Board Secretary



**OAKLAND COUNTY  
SPORTSMEN'S CLUB  
MINUTES OF B.O.D  
DECEMBER 11, 2023**

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM by Chairperson Doug Mobley Acting Chairman.  
The meeting was opened with the Pledge to United States Flag and the Conservation Pledge

The role of officers was called by the secretary. Joseph Kapelczak

Motion by John Brundage / Ted Johnston to approve excuses of absent officers.  
Passed 24Y.

**Ballot of New Members:**

There were 32 ballots for 14 new members all approved.

Motion to Approve Minutes of previous Board of Directors meeting:  
Motion by Aaron Mastro / Ron Hall (ar) Passed 24 Y.

Treasurer's report: Rick Hotchkiss  
Motion to approve Eric Larson / Dan Valentini Passed 24Y.

**Additions to the agenda:**

Item 5 Road race schedule.  
Item 6 DR Wilson, 2024 budget.

Communication and bills Gary Mobley None

President's Comments Gary Mobley  
Everything is good.

**Managers' report: Chris Myers**

The new CPA is updating our assets and depreciation schedule.  
It's imperative that we come up with the name for the bar as soon as possible as we are looking into the permit process for setting a sign in the Dixie Highway right away. I have been out to obtain bids on a new entrance sign.

**Finance and planning committee report:**

A long discussion with the committee members and members of the Board of Directors was debating on the duties of the committee.

Old Business: None

**New Business:**

Item # 1 Motion # 1 John Brundage / John Borth to approve monies not to exceed \$2000 for Junior adventure day expenses.

To reserve the date of Saturday, May 4, 2024 for the annual Junior adventure day program from 9 AM to 5 PM.

Along with the following range closures:

Indoor archery range from 9 AM to 5 PM

Indoor pistol range from 9 AM to 5 PM

Main club Hall from 11 AM to 2 PM..

Registration will be on Saturday, April 6, 2024 at 10 AM.

Registration will take place at the OCSC office in the main clubhouse.

Passed 24Y

Item # 2 Motion # 2 Eric Larsen \ Ron Hall (ar) to ap-

prove monies not to exceed \$3700 to have the main hall and entry hall stripped and waxed.  
Passed 17Y 5N 2O.

Item # 3 Motion # 3 Ted Johnston / Jerry Morlewski to approve monies not to exceed \$5000 for tables for the main hall. 18 roundtables, 25, 8 foot rectangular tables and 25 six-foot rectangular tables.

After a long discussion, a motion to table by Ed Kretsch, seconded by Pat Larsen was Passed 21Y 1N 2O Motion Tabled.

Item # 4 Motion # 4 Gene Lund / Greg Quintana to approve monies not to exceed \$2300 a month for email, TV, Internet and social media advertising. Cost to make an actual live commercial should not exceed \$2500. A motion to table was made by Ed Kretsch and seconded by Pat Larsen, and the motion to table failed by a vote of 4Y 13N 5O. A vote on the original motion Passed 20Y 2N 2O.

Item # 5 Motion # 5 John Brundage / Dan Valentini to approve to approve Waterford Hill race schedule for 2024.

Driver school April 27 and 28th, 2024.

Race one may fourth and fifth of 2024.

Race two May 25 and 26 of 2024.

Race three, June 29 and 30th of 2024.

Race four, July 27 and 28th of 2024.

Race five, August 24 and 25th of 2024.

Vintage race weekend August 30 and September 1 of 2024.

Race six, September 28 and 29th of 2024.

Passed 24Y.

Item # 6 Motion # 6 Aaron Mastro / Rob Bauer to approve DR Wilsons annual budget not to exceed \$34,393.  
Passed 24Y.

**ARCHERY: John Borth**

December money smack downs occurred on December 1 and December 8 with 24 and 21 shooters, respectively.

The next shoot is the IAA 3D indoors on December 15 through the 17th. There are four lines. 7 PM Friday 9 AM and 1 PM on Saturday, along with 10 AM on Sunday. As of today we have 22 shooters signed up.

Winter leagues begin on the indoor range Tuesday, January 2 of 2024 with the animal league.

Leagues run every day through March. Check the archery website for times and details of all leagues.

JOAD practice continues on Sundays from 1:30 PM to 4 PM on the indoor range.

OCSC archery instruction starts January 6 of 2024 with two sessions at 8 AM and 10 AM. Workbees are happening as needed. Recent projects include painting the indoor range floor, preparing the barn to receive a delivery of cardboard and workers for the shoots. Next archery meeting is December 20 at 7 PM, followed by the January 17 at 7 PM. Check the main club or archery websites for details and updates.

CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS None

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE Al Jacobs**

The committee recently met and an email with sent to the board members requesting information in reference to their intentions to continue on the board.

The deadline is December 15 for this information.

Interviews are starting in January. A request for more people for empty positions happened as well.

BUILDINGS 1 VP Warren Pratt. None  
GROUNDS 2 VP Shawn Shilling None  
Dr. Wilson Rifle & Pistol Eric Larsen  
As Given Junior Rifle Ed Kretsch None

**Fishing Chris Finazzo**

Free fishing weekends for 2024 have been announced. February 17 and 18th will have an ice fishing event on Townsend Lake.

June 8 and ninth will have a fishing /picnic on Townsend Lake. I will be stepping down as fishing club president, effective March 1 of 2024.

**Conservation & MUCC Chris Finazzo**

The 2024 MUCC convention is right around the corner and will be held on March 8 and ninth in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. Follow the link below to review the proposed resolutions to be debated at the convention. [mucc.org /wp-content/uploads/2023/12/2024-MUCC-resolutions-for-convention-2024](http://mucc.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/2024-MUCC-resolutions-for-convention-2024). I am stepping down as chair of this committee and as the MUCC representative for OCSC effective December 31 of 2023.

**Muzzleloaders Gene Lund.**

The clan of the Wolf recently held our annual Christmas shoot. Good weather and a great turnout contributed to a Mary event.

Participants brought new toys which will be donated to the needy children. Thanks to Kerry Bush for a fun and original course of fire. Sunday, January 7 will kick off the winter fun league. Grab your traditional smoke poles and join us at 10 AM every Sunday morning in January and February. Hope to see you.

**Quarter Midgets: None**

Shotgun Dan Valentini.

The shotgun banquet will be held on Saturday, March 9 of 2024. Dinner tickets will be available next week at \$40 each.

Ron Burznicki will be handling dinner ticket sales. Gun of the year. Tickets are three for \$10 and are available from any shotgun officer, desk worker during business hours and at the main office or the bar.

Next league starts January 9 a two man team 400 birds over eight weeks.

W.H.R.R.I. None

Bar: Is Busy.

**Special Events: Friends Report. Carl Bidinger**

The OCSC Christmas float in the Clarkston parade was very successful and received first place for appearance. The club should start planning next year's floats for the Fourth of July and Christmas as early of March 2024.

Good of the order: no motions

The meeting was adjourned at 10:05 PM, John Brundage / Eric Larsen 24Y.

Respectively submitted by Joseph Kapelczak secretary.

# January 2024

## Range Closings and Organized Shoots

PLEASE CHECK OUR FACEBOOK PAGE OR OUR WEBSITE  
FOR ALL UPDATES ON RANGE OPENINGS, CLOSINGS HOURS AND RESTRICTIONS.

This page is only as accurate as the information given to the office by the first Wednesday of the month and already approved at the General Membership Meeting. Make sure your Sub club sends in information on a regular basis. If you have any questions on range closings please contact the appropriate Sub club.

All members and their guests must sign in to use the ranges! There is a **\$10.00 guest fee** for each guest per day, and must be paid prior to shooting. There is a maximum of 4 guests per member. If you are going from range to range, it is the responsibility of the member to fill out the range book and the guest fee envelope, enclose the proper fees, and place it in the guest fee box.

**This is your club, report all range violations and any misuse to the club office.**

### INDOOR ARCHERY RANGE

Open 24 hours

#### **Junior Olympic Archery Development (JOAD)**

Sundays  
1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

#### **FITA 450 League**

Sundays  
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

#### **Traditional Barebow League**

Mondays  
9:00 am – 11:00 am  
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

#### **Animal League**

Tuesdays  
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

#### **Parks & Recreation Instructional Archery**

Wednesday, January 17, 24, 31  
4:00 pm – 8:00 pm

#### **National Field Archery Association (NFAA) League**

Wednesdays  
9:30 am – 11:30 am  
Thursdays  
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm  
Fridays  
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

#### **OCSC Instructional Archery**

Saturdays  
8:00 am – 9:30 pm  
10:00 am – 11:30 pm

#### **Youth League**

Saturdays  
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

### **3D Indoor Shoot**

Range Closes  
Saturday, January 13 @ 7:00 pm  
Until Shooting hours  
Sunday, January 14  
9:00 am – 2:00 pm

### **Smackdown Money Shoot**

**Lancaster Warmup**  
Saturday, January 20  
4:00 pm – 7:00pm

### OUTDOOR ARCHERY RANGE

Open daily sunrise to dusk

### SHOTGUN RANGES

Open hours:

#### **Tuesday & Wednesday**

6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

#### **Saturday & Sunday**

11:00 am – 4:00 pm

### 25/50/100 YARD OUTDOOR RANGE

Open daily 10:00 am – dusk

### ACTION PISTOL RANGE

Open for Special Events only

### MUZZLELOADERS

Open for Special Events only

### **Winter Fun Shoot**

Sundays  
10:00 am

**Check the Website Calendar for the latest updates**  
[HTTPS://OCSC.CLUB/CLUB-CALENDAR-EVENTS/](https://ocsc.club/club-calendar-events/)

### INDOOR RIFLE & PISTOL RANGE

Open 24 hours except for:

#### **Junior Rifle**

Mondays  
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

#### **Police Pistol Combat (PPC)**

Mondays  
9:00 am – 1:00 pm  
Thursdays  
5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

#### **South East Michigan Pistol Association (SEMPA) Bullseye Precision Pistol Season**

Tuesdays  
5:00 pm – 10:00 pm

#### **Senior Rifle**

Wednesdays  
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

#### **International Defensive Pistol Association (IDPA) & United States Practical Shooting Association (USPSA)**

Saturdays  
8:30 am – 12:00 pm

#### **New Member Orientation**

Wednesday, January 31  
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Additional time may be required for setup and registration prior to an event along with breakdown and clean up afterwards.

# JANUARY 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
<b>31 DECEMBER</b>  Office/Bar Kitchen Closed	<b>1</b>  Office/Bar Kitchen Closed	<b>2</b> 7pm Boy Scouts	<b>3</b>  WHRRI Mtg 7pm  Muzzleloader Mtg 7pm	<b>4</b>  MMRA Mtg 7pm	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Club Tour 11am/ Main Lobby
<b>7</b> Office Closed	<b>8</b> Office Closed  Exec Board Mtg 7:30	<b>9</b> 7pm Boy Scouts	<b>10</b>  DR Wilson Mtg 7pm	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Club Tour 11am/ Main Lobby  Whiskey Business Band Night 8pm
<b>14</b> Office Closed	<b>15</b> Office Closed  BOD Mtg 7:30	<b>16</b> 7pm Boy Scouts	<b>17</b>  Archery Mtg 7:30pm  Fishing Club Mtg 7pm	<b>18</b>  Friends Mtg 7pm	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Club Tour 11am/ Main Lobby
<b>21</b> Office Closed	<b>22</b> Office Closed	<b>23</b> 7pm Boy Scouts	<b>24</b>  Archery Mtg 7:30pm	<b>25</b>  Friends Meeting 7pm	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Club Tour 11am/ Main Lobby  Comedy Night 8pm
<b>28</b> Office Closed	<b>29</b> Office Closed	<b>30</b> 7pm Boy Scouts  Shotgun Mtg 7pm	<b>31</b>  Women's Aux Mtg 4:30pm  New Member Orientation Indoor Range 6:30 till 8pm  General Membership Meeting 8pm	Kitchen Hours Sat & Sun 1pm-5pm (Bar open till 6pm) Sat & Sun Breakfast served 12-4 Kitchen Hours Tue-Thur Noon-10pm (Bar open till 11pm) Friday Bar/kitchen Hours Noon-8pm (full bar menu) Every Friday Fish Fry Noon-8pm  CLUB OFFICE HOURS      Main Club Phone Tues-Sat 9am-5pm      248-623-0444 Closed Sun-Mon      Website ocsc.club		

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CALENDAR ONLY REFLECTS SPECIAL EVENTS, CLUB CLOSINGS, AND CLUB MEETINGS. THERE IS NOT ENOUGH ROOM TO POST ALL LEAGUE INFO. PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR THE FULL CLUB CALENDAR AS WELL AS THE RANGE CLOSING PAGE. <https://ocsc.club/club-calendar-events/>**