



TRI-COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S LEAGUE

8640 Moon Road • Saline, Michigan 48176
Telephone (734) 429-9561

Member M.U.C.C.

July 2006

Presidents Report

Most of you know what happened in the past week or so, and if you don't, ask someone at the club. They will be glad to tell you all about it. I would like to thank everyone who supported me for the past couple of weeks. We have a great group of people at the club, and when push comes to shove we can all work together. If you do not know what has happened, you need to spend more time at the club. It can be fun.

We had a group of Scouts at the club last night and they had a good time learning the proper way to shoot. Our Range Officers had some 1st time shooters, hitting a 2" circle before it was over. We also have another group of Scouts coming next week for a 3 day, Day Camp. We will be teaching Archery, Shooting Skills along with many other things.

We are sending 13 kids to MUCC Camp this year. It is one of the best years for MUCC Camp by TCSL I remember.

We have many upcoming events at the club this summer, and we need a lot of help. Check with the Club Managers to see how to get hours in.

Enjoy your club
Bill Feight

50/60s Dance-Car Show

July 15, 2006

With Moose and the Sharks

\$15.00 per person

Dance 8:00pm-12Midnite
Car Show Starting at 4:00pm

\$5.00 entry fee per car

Rib Dinner \$8.00 per plate
Starting at 4:00pm – 8pm

GUN OF THE MONTH

Winner of the gun a month for
June is Ken Biggle

Rob Bolog Milan Area Director

During the last month, two Tri-County members Juan Thompson and Ivan Turosky passed away. I made an effort along with other members of "The Club" to pass on the condolences of all of us at Tri-County. I would like to share a couple of observations if I might.

Mr. Turosky was not as well known as some of our members. He was a shooter and I had seen him around the range. He was a veteran of the armed forces and had seen service in Vietnam. He and his family thought enough of Tri-County too not only lists his membership in the obituary but also to ask that donations be made to "The Club". Steve, his son told me that "when things were a little tough around the house, work or we just needed to get away for a while; his dad and he would come to Tri-County and do some Shooting. After some time on the range, things just seemed to be ok." Juan was one of our Range Officers and put a lot of time into the club to help keep the ranges safe and help bring new shooters into the club and develop their skills.

Juan had also been sick for some time and was in and out of the hospital with a variety of illnesses, all of them serious. His wife Alice told me at the funeral home that there was some discussion of bringing him home for a short visit at one point. Juan told the family that he did not want to go home; he really wanted to get out to Tri-County just one more time. Unfortunately that was not meant to be. We at "The Club" will miss both of these members. I can tell you from personal experience that running the club can be tough at times. There are different types shooting activities at the club along with the Dances, Euchre and dinners. Sometimes we club members can be a little shortsighted and focus on "our own activity" to the exclusion of the rest of the members and their competing interests. Finding acceptable compromises and solutions is not easy.

Continued in next column

It would appear to me based on the feelings Ivan and Juan had for the club that we might just be hitting the mark. That alone makes the efforts to keep the club going and improving worthwhile. Tri-County is a pretty special place. We need to keep that in mind as we "bump heads" and try and keep it that way for the next generation of members of "The Club".

** SHOOTERS CORNER **

New Member Safety Orientation
JULY 13, 2006

7pm at TCSL Club house

HIT THE BACKSTOP

TCSL Safety Committee.
Jon Rule - Rob Bolog

Youth trap

Youth trap has started and will be held Thursday nights from 6pm-8pm. If you would like to shoot call the club and leave your name.

Jerry Chie

Work Hours

We don't mind taking your money but we would rather have you do your work hours!

You can call Mark Pauyer he as lawn to be mowed or call Dick McMullen to help work around the club hours. Rob Bolog and Jon Rule can always use extra range officers or call the clubhouse we can always use your help at one of the party or club functions

PIN SHOOT DATES

Dates AUG.13, (mixed doubles) and SEPT.10th. Sign-up will begin @ 11:30 and throughout the day. Shooting starts @ noon. If you would like to help, or have a question, please contact me. Mike Cowhy E-mail; car64mc@peoplepc.com or call me @ 734 429-2446

We are still having our **Blues Jam** Sessions on the 4th Friday of the month after the Steak Fry. Contact Rob Bolog for more info or to play. rtbolog@att.net
(734) 276-6499

PROPOSED BYLAW CHANGES

(Change Life to Senior Member)

SECTION 9. Any full member who shall have been a full member of this organization for not less than fifteen (15) consecutive years and shall have attained the age of 65 shall become a **Senior Member** and shall be presented a special membership card bearing this designation. And these members shall be assessed a fee of one **Half (1/2)** of the General Membership dues.

SECTION 4. A full member's spouse shall be admitted for full membership Upon payment of the annual years dues. In the event of the death of a member, The membership will be offered to the Surviving spouse. This option can be Exercised one (1) time only.

Life Members Not Included

(Change May To April)

SECTION 12. The membership shall consist of not more than 1200 dues-paying members, which will be determined by count on the first of May each year. **Change to APRIL**

(Remove the Following Committees)

ARTICLE 7.

SECTION 1. Standing Committees
Audit, Hall Regulation, Bar, Bylaws & Rules, Budget & Finance, Team Sports

ARCHERY

The next 3-D Archery shoot at Tri-County is scheduled for Sunday July 9th from Noon - 4:00 p.m. We actually had 5 shooters last month, but they were from Lenawee County, 517 area code, 2 from a 248 area code a member from Washtenaw Sportsman's club. I would like to see some Tri-County folks come out a spend \$5, & shoot the course. Other dates of shoots are as follows August 13, & Sept. 10. If you can't make it to a scheduled shoot, come out & shoot it when you can. Check in at the bar, pay & give it a try.

Thanks Jim Pryce
Archery Chairman

Burger Night 5pm-7pm

July 20th

50/60 Dance & Car Show

Car show start 4pm until 8pm
Dance starts at 8 until 12mn. BBQ rib or Chicken dinner starts at 5pm until 8:00pm

Call 734-429-9561 for details

Relay for Life

Again this year TCSL along with Flint Ink and Chic Contractors will sponsor a team for the Relay for life. The theme this year is Paving our way for a cure. If you would like to be part of the team just call the club or call Jerry Chie at 734-483-8435. Last year this team rose in excess of \$30,000 for cancer research.

GRILLED STEAK, CHICKEN,

SALMON

STEAK \$12.00 CHICKEN OR SALMON
\$8.00

July 28th 5pm till 7:30 pm

Jam Session up stairs starting at 6:00pm

IDPA matches @ TCSL are the 4th Saturday of each month from noon until 6pm July 22nd, August 26th, and September 23rd.

IDPA Classifiers @ TCSL on the second Sunday of April through September. July 9, August 13th, and September 10th IDPA open Practice sessions @ TCSL on the second Tuesday from April through September. July 11, August 8th and September 12th. Matches continue through the year. The Classifiers and Practice Sessions stop after September. For more information contact Tom Lewandowski, TCSL-IDPA Match Director @ tlewandowski_98@yahoo.com or Bruce Christie, TCSL-IDPA Committee Chairman @ gobruce@umich.edu.

Hunter Safety Sign up August 19, 2006
At the club up stairs 12 to 4pm!

GROUNDS Report

I am happy to report that as Spring and Summer have arrived, so have a few dedicated members who have helped to maintain the Club property, With their effort, the mowing is being tended to and the flower beds have never looked better. Of course there is stillroom for more people to share in the fun. If you have a little spare time and can come out and ride a lawn mower or weed whip for a while, any and all help is appreciated. Mark Payeur – Grounds Committee
map225@comcast.net
734-973-3060

Black Powder Shooters Club

The Black powder Shooters club has made itself open to the Public for all its Rifle & Revolver events. Entry fee is just \$5.00. The black powder club meets twice a month for events. Once again there is a New time change due to some conflicting dates at the Ranges.

First Tuesday of each month we will hold our percussion/Flintlock rifle event.

Every third Wednesday of each month is our cap & Ball Revolver event.

We will try our best to hold to these dates, but as you may know, TCSL is getting to be a busy place.

Due to the Holiday this month's rifle event will be on Wednesday-July 5th.

If you are ever unsure of a date call in advance to confirm the event time 7 Date.

For information call: Flash Brady @ 734-572-1020

BLACK POWDER GOES ACTION

TCSL Black powder shooters club continues to develop new & exciting events themes & games each month.

With the added use of the action range, the cap & ball revolver events will evolve into some move challenging new shoots.

Shooters seem to enjoy the theme-oriented events the best, so we will continue in this direction. Our first action event, Indian Wars was very well received. On Wednesday July 5th our percussion/flintlock rifle event will be "the great buffalo hunt" and on Wednesday July 19th "Dodge city poker" will be our cap & Ball event.

Prep time & practice round will be at 5:30pm with a start time of 6:00pm.

Some Dodge city poker games to be played include: Yellow jacket Poker, Indian head Poker, Face Cards, Aces & Eights, and One-eyed Jacks. The \$5.00 entry fee goes to TCSL.

Some coming events include the Frontiersman shoot; Rendezvous Games and The Cowboys have come to town. For more Information: Call Gary Mathis @ 734-572-1020

MILAN DRYWALL, INC.
734-439-8030

Residential, Commercial, Additions,
 Repairs Professional, Insured

12103 Saline-Milan Rd Fax: 734-439-5698
 Milan, MI 48160

Steve Tennyson
 734-260-4526

Bill Hosler
 734-260-2908

**NEW JACKETS & SHIRTS AND
 HATS are now at the club. Just
 call the club or Mike Cowhy.**

Lot of events coming up. It's easy
 and fun to get your hours in. The
 club appreciates the contribution that
 you all make. Call the club for events
 and dates. (734)-429-9561

TRAP SCHEDULE 2006

Please Note

TCSL Registered Shoot Dates

Are as Follows:

**July 22nd, August 5th, September
 30th, and October 21st**

We need your help and your

Shooting participation.

SICK OR IN THE HOSPITAL
 Any one who knows of any
 member or relative of a member
 that is sick or in the hospital or
 deceased please call
734-429-2274 or 734-429-9561

Get Well Wishes to

Milt Mack

**Cliff Olson recovering from nee
 surgery
 Thoughts for a speedy recovery!**

**Deceased Members or
 Family Members**

Juan Thompson- R O

Ivan Turosky

**Thoughts and Prayers be with
 them**

Coming Events Needing Help

July 15 - 50/60 car show & Dance

July 20 – Burger Night

July 28 – Steak, chicken broil

August – 24 Burger Night

August – 25 Steak, chicken broil

Membership Secretary

Mike Moil

membership@tcsl.org

**Any articles for the newsletter
 must be turned in by the third
 Thursday of the month. Email:**

“THE EDITOR” at:

tcslvpresident@verizon.net or
jerry@chiecontractors.com

**With any upcoming events you
 would like to post in the newsletter.
 Thank You, the Editors**

CHICKEN BBQ

**I would Like to thank all of my
 workers who worked so hard on the
 chicken BBQ with Me.**

**There we just to many names to in
 this column but you all know whom
 you are. Thanks again and I hope to
 see you Next year.**

Your Chicken BBQ Chairman

John Dolski

Attention Woodworkers! We
 need someone to replace most of
 the outdoor signs around the Club.
 The years, weather and possibly a
 lawn mower or two have taken a
 toll. If you have a router and a little
 time please contact Mark Payer.
 734-973-3060

July 2006

Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	SAT
						1 TRAP 12-till 4p
2 TRAP 12 till 4 pm	3	4	5 Black Powder P/FR 6pm	6 Board Meeting Youth Trap	7	8 Dance
9 Trap 12 till 4 pm IDPA Classifiers	10	11 Euchre Night Round dance IDPA Practice	12	13 Safety Orientation 7pm at Club Youth Trap	14	15 50/60 car show and Dance BBQ Rib dinner TRAP 12 –till4pm
16 Pin Shoot 12-5pm \$ 5.00 TRAP 12 till 4 pm	17	18 Black Powder CBR Round dance	19 Black Powder CBR – 6pm	20 Burger Night Drawing No Membership Meeting Youth trap	21 IDPA setup Range Closed	22 IDPA Match TRAP 12 till 4 pm
23	24	25 Round dance	26	27 Youth Trap	28	29
30 Trap 12- 4pm	31	Euchre Night			GRILLED STEAK CHICKEN & SALMON JAM SESSION	

August 2006

Sun	Mon	1	Tues	2	Weds	3	Thurs	4	Fri	5	SAT
							Board Meeting Youth Trap	Round Dance		TRAP 12 till 4 pm Round Dance	
6 Round Dance TRAP 12 till 4 pm	7	8 IDPA PRACTICE Euchre Night Round Dance	9 Black Powder P/FR	10 Youth Trap	11	12 TRAP 12 till 4 pm					
13 3-D Archery Shoot 12-noon – 4pm Trap 12 till 4 pm IDPA Classifiers	14	15 Round Dance	16	17 Youth Trap	18	19 Hunter Safety Sign up TRAP 12 till 4 pm					
20 Pin Shoot TRAP 12 till 4 pm	21	22 Black Powder CBR Euchre Night Round Dance	23	24 Youth Trap No Membership Meeting Burger-Night	25 Steak, chicken & salmon Broil IDPA Set up	26 Hunter Safety TRAP 12 till 4 pm IDPA Match					
27	28	29 Round Dance	30 Black Powder SSP 6:00	31 Youth Trap							

* Percussion /Flintlock Rifle – P/F.R

*In-Line muzzleloader - In-Line

Black Powder

Shooters Club - BPSC

* Cap & Ball Revolver – CBR

*Single-Shot Pistol – SSP

URGENT!!!

CRITICAL MEMBER INFORMATION INSIDE

MUST READ



Member M.U.C.C.

TRI-COUNTY SPORTSMEN'S LEAGUE

8640 Moon Road • Saline, Michigan 48176

Telephone (734) 429-9561