



FREDERICK CHAPTER NO. 1  
 THE IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA  
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## NEWSLETTER

January 2019

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### Important Dates

January 8 – Board Meeting 6:30 pm January 8 – Membership Meeting 7:00 pm	January 22 – Sportsman’s Council 7:00 pm
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**\*\* If Snow Emergency plan is in effect all Chapter Activities are CANCELLED. \*\***

### Renewal Reminder

2019 Membership Renewal Season is upon us.

All renewal statements have been mailed out. If you didn't get one, let your membership secretary know by sending an email to [memberships@frederickiwa.org](mailto:memberships@frederickiwa.org) or calling 240-668-4354 and leave a message.

*We are going to get our yearly visit from MD trust on Jan 8 for inspection.*



## Range Info

The range conditions are not the best that we enjoy. We have a sink hole in the center of the range. There is a clog in the pipe and we did try to open it however due to the volume of water we had to stop. We still need to remove 8 more feet of pipe to get it open but we are going to wait out the wet season. Range is open but if you are going to use it bring boots. Do not get too close to the hole. We have put caution tape around it. Please, no swimming in the hole.

### 2018 Raffle of a Re-production 1932 Roadster

**\*\*\* URGENT Car Raffle Committee \*\*\***

**Volunteers at Frederick IWLA are needed to be members of the Car Raffle Committee. If interested please contact Ben Kelkye at 301-401-6262**

**YOU CAN WIN THIS CAR!**  
1932 Ford Roadster Reproduction



Tickets are \$20 each and are available by calling (301) 401-6262



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*Custom frame, 350ci Chevy Small Block engine, 4 Speed Automatic Transmission, 4 Barrel 650 CFM Classic Holly carburetor, 9-inch Ford Rear Axle, Independent suspension.*

**Next Page is a Blast from the Past  
Newsletter from January 1968**

**Many of the issues in the first paragraph from 1968 are the same ones we experienced in 2018. Let's change that in 2019.**

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DEFENDER OF SOIL, WOODS, WATERS AND WILD LIFE

P. O. BOX 561

NEWSLETTER

January-February 1968

Dear Member:

Here we go again, except this year, we must not waver on the trail of a very active chapter. Last year, we all passed the buck too many times, and as a result, we lost the interest of many new and old members. There are many projects to be finished and started. Instead of letting one or two members carry the full load, more members should attend meetings, and help out on week-ends and spare time in order that we may become a very active chapter. In your leisure time, you might help with (1) Firearms program, (2) Turkey shoots, (3) Clay pigeon events, (4) Restocking and fishing, (5) Conservation and replanting projects or (6) Field Trialing, or (7) Construction and maintenance programs, or others.

Last month, the national office in Illinois, sent me a pack of new member applications. We can stand a lot of new active members, in order to pull our national record standing from a minus to a plus, in 1968. So at the next meeting, pick up a few blanks, and go hunting for interested members for 1968.

At the last meeting, the chapter set up a new budget for 1968. This will be posted at a future date, and a plan for those notes that a lot of members misplaced. I believe the chapter made \$100, on Christmas tree sales.

There will be a conference held at our chapter this month, concerning animal diseases, such as hoof and mouth, and other contagious infections among domestic and wild animals. This meeting might draw close one hundred visitors from many states. This past Saturday, several members replaced the ceiling in the men's room, and gave both the upstairs and basement, a good G.I. party.

Well, if we can find someone to judge, and help, maybe the chapter could hold a fun trial for Beagles, and a shrimp feed later on.

The next meeting will be held on 14 February 1968 at 7:30 P.M.

Sincerely yours,

BEAGLE FUN TRIAL

SUN. FEB. 11, 8:30 AM.

REELS MILL ROAD.

Joseph T. Grumbine  
Secretary

## **Grounds Maintenance Committee**

\*\*\* We have an opening for the Building and Grounds Committee lead. This committee serves as organizers for maintaining the grounds and buildings. Such activities and needs include building maintenance, grass cutting, snow removal, and light capital improvements to the building.

## **Carry Permit**

Contrary common belief, it *is* possible to secure a carry permit in Maryland. Pistol instructors (particularly those who are Maryland State Police certified Instructors), business owners, club officers who may handle deposits or cash, persons who have top secret security clearances, all routinely receive wear and carry permits. Persons denied such permits have a right to appeal any denial to the Handgun Permit Review Board, a five-member board, which has the power to overturn arbitrary denials.

Most Maryland permits will be issued with restrictions. Persons can, however, appeal those restrictions to the Board. Such individuals have been relatively successful in persuading the Board to throw out vague restrictions or restrictions that may expose the licensee to arbitrary arrest or detention because the intertwined nature of their business with normal, day to day activities.

Importantly, a person with a Maryland permit, even a restricted one, will be able to obtain a "shall issue," unrestricted Pennsylvania non-resident permit for the asking from any county sheriff's office in Pennsylvania. Adams County in Gettysburg is convenient for this purpose. Given our proximity to Pennsylvania, members may frequent that state.

District of Columbia is now a "shall issue" jurisdiction after the D.C. Circuit's decision in *Wrenn v. District of Columbia*, 864 F.3d 650 (D.C. Cir. 2017), which struck down as unconstitutional DC's "good reason" requirement. Applicants must still satisfy the other requirements, such as fingerprinting and 16 hours of training and an exhaustive background check, but that is all.

## **NRA Membership**

Would you like to join the NRA or do you need renew your Membership? You can now do it On Frederick Chapter website and the membership is only \$35 instead of the normal \$45. This is a win-win situation for you and the chapter, because you save \$10 and the chapter will get \$12 for each new membership and \$6 for each renewal.

## **Board Meeting Reminder**

The Chapter Board of Directors meets each month just prior to the regular Membership Meeting. Members are welcome and encouraged to observe these open meetings which address the business of the Chapter. However, for the Board to effectively and efficiently conduct the meetings, members may not interact with the Board during the meetings. Members may bring up any issues they may have during the Membership Meeting. Thank you for your understanding.

## **Range Change Notice Reminder Friday Shotgun/IDPA Action Shooting**

Odd, 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> and sometimes 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays, will be reserved for action shooting and Even, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays, for shot gun practice.

Rules for even Fridays for shot gun shooting will stay the same. (must attend an update range rules for shot gun shooting if you have not done that already)

Rules for action shooting on odd Fridays

You MUST be RSO for our range and carry a current SO (safety officer) with IDPA to use the range also must attend (help out on the match date) or participate in 2 matches per year.

Currently there are 3 areas we run our matches (lower area on the right of 50-yard berm, midsection the upper deck above the 50-yard berm in front of tiers and 200 yards berm). These 3 areas are the ONLY place you can set up for practice. The first RSO/SO on the range is in charge of the setting up and selecting stages for next SO's to shoot. Upon leaving the 2nd SO will be in charge. There must be a SO in charge as long as action shooting practice is going on.

Members of IWLA Frederick chapter that do not have SO certification through IDPA and would like to try action shooting on odd Fridays MUST contact one of the SO's to supervise their shooting. SOs to be contacted are Ben Kelkye, Troy Turner, Brook Powers, Alex Thomas, Richard Sedlack, Chris Everett, Mark Pickens, Vineet Kewelramant and Derrick Gray. (contact Ben or Troy for more updated list)

All SO's must attend an update for practice action shooting. You must have your IWLA Frederick membership card. IWLA RSO card and IDPA SO card on your person to be on the range and practice action shooting.

No nonmember guests allowed to do action shooting unless it is approved ahead of time.

On odd Fridays only, the light system, Green, Yellow and Red should be on all the time while shooting is going on.

Any questions please contact Ben Kelkye.

### **Grounds Maintenance**

We rely on the efforts of our members to maintain the Chapter's property, and this is a good way to satisfy some or all of your work requirement. If the grass needs mowing and you have the time, please cut it. The mowers and trimmers are in the shed and the lock code is the same as for the gate. In addition to recording your time on your work hour's card, please use the clipboard in the shed to report all of your work hours and to report the status of any equipment needing maintenance or repairs.

## **Courses**

The full schedule of courses to be conducted at the Chapter house for the year **2019 is coming soon. When it's available**, it will be on the Chapter website at [FrederickIWLA Training Schedule 2019](#) This training is conducted to support the Youth Program, and not all courses are endorsed or promoted by the Chapter. However, certain courses are required for members to use the range and hunt on Chapter property. The schedules are posted for the convenience of members in determining the expected status of the range at a particular time, and for selecting courses they may be interested in. Contact Ben Kelkye if you have any questions about the schedule or courses.

## **Range Status**

The range is currently open as usual for members to use. Please remember that every Friday is reserved for Special Activities. Before heading to the range, members should always check the Calendar of Events under the Members Corner on the Chapter website for current range status information. Range use is occasionally limited due to training classes and other events.

The 200-yard berm improvements are still not complete. Until this work is completed, the 200-yard range is not available for use.

Any guest using the range must be supervised by a Chapter member with Range Safety Officer credentials. A fee of \$5.00 for each guest is to be paid at the donation box under the sign-in box. **Only one bench may be used by the member and guest.** The same guest may visit the range only two times a year. The guest fee and two-visit limit does not apply to the immediate family of members.

## Chapter Committees

Serving on one or more of the Chapter's committees or participating in their activities provides you the opportunity to help protect our natural resources and outdoor traditions. Volunteering on a committee counts towards your work hours and could help lower your membership renewal cost. If you are interested in serving on one of the committees listed below or participating in their activities please contact the committee chair.

<u>Committee</u>	<u>Chair</u>
Budget and Finance	Jim Stewart
Activities, Fundraising, Concessions	Ben Kelkye
Grounds Maintenance	
Public Relations	
CMP (Civilian Marksman Program)	
Hunting	
Shooting Sports	
Outdoor Recreation	
Bylaws	Frank Jacobs
Conservation	Paul Koval
Legislation	Ben Kelkye
Range	Ben Kelkye

## Chapter Work Requirement

The Chapter work requirement for individual and family memberships can be found on the Chapter website at [http://www.frederickiwa.org/Join the IWLA.html](http://www.frederickiwa.org/Join_the_IWLA.html). All questions regarding the work requirement should be addressed to Alison Hiltabidle at [ahiltabidle1@gmail.com](mailto:ahiltabidle1@gmail.com)

## Your Newsletter

Any time you have information or articles you think appropriate for the newsletter, or comments on the newsletter, send them to [newsletter@frederickiwa.org](mailto:newsletter@frederickiwa.org).

We remind you to keep your postal and email address current. If you are reading this on the Chapter website and did not get an emailed link, then let us know. We also encourage everyone with email and internet capability, but receiving a mailed copy, to provide an email address and save your Chapter the cost of monthly mailings.



## Training Schedule

Date	Start Time	End Time	Course	Cost
<b>2019 Schedule coming Soon</b>				
<i>By Request Only</i>	<i>Appointment</i>	<i>Only</i>	<i>Wear and Carry - 16 Hour Class for new applicant</i>	<i>\$375.00</i>
<i>By Request Only</i>	<i>Appointment</i>	<i>Only</i>	<i>Renewal - 10 Hour Class</i>	<i>\$325.00</i>