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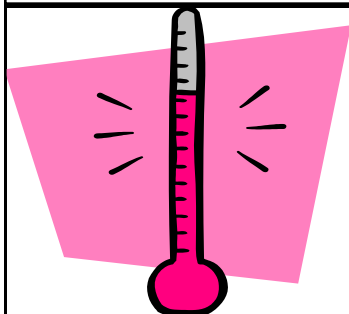


PARDOE SPORTSMEN'S ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER



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NEXT MEETING 9 August 2010 7:30 P.M.



**HOT ENOUGH
FOR YA!**

NOTICE

The junior shooters
will
resume shooting on
10 September 2010

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

As you know the combinations for the locks are on the reverse side of the membership cards. This was designed to encourage everyone to have them while at the club.

Due to unauthorized people using club grounds we are asking our members to display their memberships while here. A fishing license holder works well.

For questions or comments you may contact the president at 724-662-4153.

Hello Sportsmen and Women,

The dog days of August are here. The temperature and humidity have been brutal the last week or so and looks to continue. It seems hard to believe that early goose season starts in a few weeks.

We are going to rebuild the horseshoe pits across from the club house. If you know of anyone that has an old set of horseshoes and wants to get rid of them, please let us know.

Vice President McDaniel is looking into getting t-shirts, hats, and jackets with the club logo. Details to follow. Rick is also doing the paperwork through the PA Fish Commission to stock some grass carp in the pond. They will eat the algae and will clean the pond.

There will be a machine on the rifle range shortly to brush hog the weeds that have grown out of control. They are starting to encroach on the shooting lanes ultimately becoming a safety factor.

I've seen as many as five deer on the grounds at once. It's time to start setting up the trail cameras. Archery season is not that far away.

"The Great Stoneboro Fair" is coming up, "Always on Labor Day." The Mercer County Federation of Sportsmen will have displays from the clubs and state agencies. Smokey the Bear will be periodically be coming out of his den to put in an appearance with fairgoers.

Note from the Secretary: Monies submitted for renewals without an accompanying form will not be processed. It is necessary to keep the records correct and to provide a paper trail for auditors. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Remember, the Board of Directors will meet at **7 P.M.** to discuss things that need done at the club, such as work days and maintenance. **THE REGULAR MEMBERS MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 7:30 p.m.**

Notes from the Federation...

DELEGATE, RICKY McDANIEL

Northwest Division Minutes:

Summer is almost gone and hunting seasons will be upon us before we know it. Hope you read your PA Digest for the changes this year before going out to hunt.

There will be a couple of Resolutions to vote on in our Monthly membership meeting this Monday August 9, 2010. (1). Increase of Fines for ATVs on State Game Lands from \$100.00 to \$500.00. (2). That all gamelands be open for all species on Sunday's. I need to

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know how the club feels about this, as I will be going to the PFSC Fall Convention in September.

The monthly MCFSC was held July 28, 2010 at Harthegig Conservation Club. All clubs in the MCFSC was represented by a deleget from each club. Fur Fin Feather rejoined the Federation last month, we are glad to see them back.

PFSC's Annual Fall Convention will be held September 17, 18, & 19, 2010 at the Holiday Inn Conference Center in Breinigsville, Pa. I will be attending this conference.

The new dues restructure will take effect in January 2011. This will have little effect on the Mercer County Clubs.

The "What's your beef" raffle was successful. Winners were from Clarion County.

The PGC building in Franklin, Pa is set for demolition and the location for the NW Division meeting will be announced in the minutes that will be out soon.

Stoneboro fair is upon us , September 2 – 6, 2010. This years raffle will include four prizes.

Savage .17 caliber rifle

50 caliber in-line muzzle loader

HI Point semi-auto .380 caliber pistol

Radison Hotel Getaway package. One night with Dinner, Breakfast, and
Champagne.

Winners will have the option of taking the prize or \$100.00 each.

This is the last moth that WCO John Hopkins will be in our area, he is being transferred, We want to thank him for his service to the Mercer County Area. To see full reports of the Fish and Boat and the PGC you can go to their websites. Too long to mention in my report.

There will be Hunter Ed Classes at Jackson Center Field and Stream on August 19th and 21st. Pardoe will host one on September 9th and 11th.

Grove City Sportsmen's Club was broken into this past week and many items were taken and a lot of damages to the club house and the Range building, Happy to report that the thieves were capture and most of the items recovered this week.

The next MCFSC meeting will be held August 25th at 7:00pm at Stoneboro Fair Grounds. COME EARLY TO HELP CLEAN. 6pm.

I have checked on prices for Tee-shirts, caps, and Jackets we will be discussing this in our meetings if you would like to place an order, see me, Dennis or Linne. Possible we will get some to sell during the Stoneboro Fair at our Display Table.

Thanks and BE SAFE.

Ricky McDaniel