

January, 2025

Hi everyone;

I hope you all had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

On November 2nd we had our Annual Turkey Shoot. We had 21 shooters; we just barely had enough targets to go around! It was a great turnout and a really nice day. Thanks, Dan Saltzman, for getting the targets and scoring them.

Trent Grove painted the 2 Schuetzen targets for all of the Top Gun shooters and the Hall of Shame shooters to take a luck shot at, to win the target. Lars Lutton won the Top Gun target and Dan Blevins won the Hall of Shame target. Thanks, Trent, for making those targets. Trent was Top gun for the Turkey shoot so he will start the list for 2025.

The Muzzle Loading deer season is (Jan 4-7), good luck to all that head into the woods, and be safe.

Enclosed you will find our (tentative) 2025 shoot schedule. The dates still need to be approved by the Centerburg Conservation Club.

On January 11th (weather permitting) we will have the annual meeting in the Centerburg Conservation club house, doors opening to set up at 9:00 AM. This will give us time to visit. Please bring any muzzle loading related items of interest for display. (A new project or something to show off, including leatherwork, carving, bead work, etc.) Lunch will be around 11:30 so come hungry and please bring a covered dish. Cold cuts, soda and coffee will be provided. Our meeting will be after lunch, as usual. If you're interested in being a club officer, please come to the meeting and we can always use Trustees!!! It's your club, step up, be a part of it! As a Trustee you only need to run one shoot during the year.

We will be starting a new raffle and we'll have the items at the meeting for display, and hope to have tickets ready for sale. We also have a few items that we want to try a Silent Auction: a Hair on-Cow Hide, a box of blue porcelain cookware, a Legacy barrel (by Neil Eddington) 40 cal. 36" long, 6.37 lb. octagon to round, maybe more items.

Also on display will be the 2025 Founder's Day tomahawk!

Mark Hazel