GCF&G ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR 2012 ARE DUE BY 12/31/11. RENEWAL DUES FOR 2012 WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED AFTER 10/1/11.

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

This year's Fish Fry is in the books. "Let the records show that all who attended had a super good dinner and a great time with friends".

Thanks go out to Tater, Jody and all of the wonderful volunteers for a job well done!

There are already more than twenty young folks signed up for the JAKE'S event on Saturday June 25th.

We only have room for 50, so if you have kids that you want in the program sign up in the clubhouse, call me at 902-0090 or Larry Rowland at 372-8739.

In addition to the archery, air gun, trap, .22 rifle and black powder events, the cowboy action crew is going to have some type of event for the kids this year.

Add a free lunch for participants and that makes this a super day outdoors with the youngsters.

Look over the club calendar and set aside a few times to come out to enjoy your club.

We have a bunch of members and it seems like very few take advantage of all we have to offer.

It's a shame because of the lost opportunities to make new friends, learn new skills and become a real part of the organization.

This is especially important if you have kids, because their chances to learn and to like the outdoor life goes down by one every time you are too busy to bring them to your club.

- Bob Brown

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

As usual, May started off with a wet Saturday for our .22 rifle shoot. A slightly smaller than normal group shot between weather fronts and managed to stay mostly dry.

This shoot proved especially gratifying for me. Not only were our regular winners present, but some first time winners also came to the front.

Cole Board shot a .22 for the very first time. From the very first shot, his face was beaming. This youngster won the BB Gun match trophy and then shot well enough to win 3rd place in our 5-8 year old class.

This is what our club should be all about; developing young sportsmen and women.

Jody Austin's great score won the 5-8 age group, while Nick Sontag proudly took second place honors.

The 9-12 year old winner is one of our better shooters, Sierra Peterson. She'll keep scoring high I'm sure. Alec Pfaff also

shot a good score to finish second. I believe this is the first of many good efforts for him. Parker Struewing came in a very strong third.

The oldest group; our 13-18 year olds, shot scores like we'd all like to shoot. Nick Richmond III took third place honors, and Chase Struewing finished second.

Kyle Peterson shot a perfect 100 score to earn first place in the age group. We should all be so good.

Additional Youth Activity events are listed on our website at www.gcfng.com.

Coonskin Camp Applications should be available online soon and hard copies will be available in the clubhouse.

If nothing else, copy the application, change the dates to those of the last weekend in August this year and GET THEM IN BY THE START OF THE JULY BOARD MEETING!!

Our window is always short to get that done. No applications will be accepted after 6 PM on Tuesday, August 9th. So get them to the club or to me. Call (937) 372-8739 with any questions.

JAKES Day is coming June 25th, so sign up at the club if you can. Call me at (937) 372-8739 or Bob Brown at (937) 902 -0090.

About 50 kids or so will enjoy the activities and get served lunch that day. A new Cowboy Action station will be added to this year's event at the recently completed Cowboy Action Range.

This year's youth picnic on the evening of June 25th, will probably be our last one. Come on out about 6 PM and see the fun you've missed the last couple of years, it may be your last chance.

Larry Rowland

TRAPSHOOT UPDATE!

Mark your calendar! On June 12th, we will run a 100 target singles ATA registered event.

The winner will represent our club in the "Champion of Champions" event at the Ohio State Shoot later this month.

We also will have our regular 25 and 50 target calcuttas. Practice starts at 11 AM, we hope to see you here!

— Justin Liniger

12 GUN GIVEAWAY MONTHLY WINNER

The winning ticket number for May was # 0983. The lucky winner, who's winning ticket was drawn at the Annual Fish Fry was Greg Pollard of Dayton, Ohio.
Congratulations go out to Greg!

COWBOY ACTION SHOOT JUNE, 5TH.

Our next Cowboy Shoot will be held on Sunday June 5th. Registration will begin around 8:30 AM.

Come on out and try our new .22 caliber Cowboy Shoots. We'll be shooting the 4th Saturday of each Month, except for the months of June and September.

Here are our current .22 shoot dates:

Saturday - June 23rd Saturday - August 27th Saturday - October 22nd

We hope you can come out and give Cowboy Action Shooting a try!

— Ruger Ray

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Thank you to all who attended our May meeting and the input of new ideas! Our next meeting will be at 6:30 PM at the Beavercreek Bob Evans on Wednesday 6-1-11.

We will be serving chicken cheese steak sandwiches at June's euchre party on the 18th. Doors open at 6 PM and cards start at 7 PM.

Please bring your own drinks and a snack to share, bring your family and friends. We hope to see you there!

If you have any question contact Gail Walker at (937) 609-2215.

— Gail Walker

FROM THE LAKES

I would like to thank everyone who came out on clean-up weekend that helped clean up around the lakes.

This month our Kid's Tournament will be on June 18th, from 5 - 8 PM. Then on June 25th is our All-fish Tournament from 6 - 11 PM.

The Catfishathon started on May 28th, so if you haven't got your tickets yet look me up to get one.

You could win a year's paid dues!

— Terry Cope

<u>SECRETARY'S MESSAGE</u>

If you move and/or have a change in mailing address, please take a moment to visit the club website at (www.gcfng.com), and submit a "Change of Address" request.

This will insure that an interruption in the delivery of your club newsletter and other important correspondence (renewal form), doesn't occur.

Don't forget to include your new phone number if it also changed with the move.

— Tim Ankeney



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FROM THE NEW MEMBER CHAIRMAN

First off, I would like to tell all the new members that joined to fish, I can't control the weather. We still have all summer and the fall to enjoy getting out and doing some fishing and enjoying your club with the family.

Don't forget to get your meetings and hours in before the end of the Greene County Fair, because if you get your requirements in before the end of the fair you will be in the drawing for next year's dues to be paid by the club.

There are still some dates to get your hours in, so get with Ken Mitch the caretaker to see where he could use some help. Larry Rowland and Terry Cope could also use some help with some up coming youth events and fishing derbies.

If you can't make it out to get your hours in before fall, that is ok too, but please get them in. Come fall there are usually still plenty of opportunities to get them in. There may even be a fall cleanup day once again.

Greg Beasley will likely need some help setting birds for upland season. Out of the 126 new members that we accepted back in January, 26 of them are completely done with what little the club asks all new members to do.

There are 24 new members that just need 1 meeting, we are off to a great start this year. I would like to see all 126 complete all of what is required but every year we have a few DONATE not only a year's dues, but also the initiation fee that we require.

Don't get me wrong we will accept any and all donations, but I would like to be

proven wrong this year. Enjoy YOUR club

— Terry Sebastian

CAMPRGROUND PICNIC

It's that time of year once again. On Saturday, June 18th, the campgrounds will be hosting their annual picnic at the archery shelter house.

Please bring a covered dish to share and your favorite beverage. Everything else will be provided. The event will start at 4 PM and will continue as long as everyone is still having fun.

We hope to see you there.....

- Ron Daniels

2011 HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS DATES

AUGUST 27 (HOME STUDY) 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

SEPTEMBER 12, 14 & 16 6 - 9:30 PM NIGHTLY

OCTOBER 3, 5 & 7 6 - 9:30 PM NIGHTLY

NOVEMBER 4 & 5 6 - 9:30 PM FRIDAY 10:00 AM - 3:30 PM SATURDAY

NOVEMBER 12 (HOME STUDY) 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

DECEMBER 5, 7 & 9 6 - 9:30 PM NIGHTLY

If enough interest is expressed; an Additional Spring / Summer Class May Be Added To The Class Schedule.

Call 1-800-WILDLIFE To Register.

CCW TRAINING

If you are need of Concealed Carry Certification, we have the answer. Contact Personal Protection Concepts today via their website at www.ppctraining.com for additional class info and to register for an upcoming class.

2011 EVENT DATES TO REMEMBER:

All-night Catfish Tournament - 7/2
Cowboy Action Shoot - 7/3

Black Powder Picnic - 7/16

Archery Open Shoot - 7/17

Greene County Fair - 7/31 thru 8/6

Annual Goose Drawing - 8/9

Annual Picnic - 8/13 & 8/14

ODNR Safe Boating Course - 8/27

Archery Deer Hunt Qualifier - 9/11

Friend of NRA Banquet - 9/29

C.G. Halloween Party - 10/8

B.P. Fall Rendezvous 10/28, 10/29 & 10/30

Upland Season Opens - 11/4

Annual Youth Hunt - 11/13

Annual Turkey (Card) Shoot - 11/5

Ohio Deer Gun Season 11/28 thru 12/4

Annual Kid's X-Mas Party - 12/10

JUNE 2011 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 W/AUXILIARY MEETNG 6:30 PM ARCHERY 3-D CMP LEAGUE	TRAPSHOOT P & C 5:30 - 10 PM NRA PISTOL NDR PISTOL	3	4
5 TRAPSHOOT P & C 12-4 PM COWBOY ACTION SHOOT 8:30 AM	6	7	8 ARCHERY 3-D CMP LEAGUE	9 TRAPSHOOT P & C 5:30 - 10 PM NRA PISTOL NDR PISTOL	10	11 Y/A .22 RIFLE / BB. GUN SHOOT 3 - 5 PM
12 TRAPSHOOT ATA REG. P & C 12-4 PM	13	14 BOARD & MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS 6 PM & 8 PM	15 ARCHERY 3-D CMP LEAGUE	16 TRAPSHOOT P & C 5:30 - 10 PM NRA PISTOL NDR PISTOL	17 18 SATURDAY JUNE 18TH EVENTS KID'S FISHING DERBY 5 - 8 PM Y/A CASTING CONTEST 5 - 8 PM W/A EUCHRE PARTY 6 PM ANNUAL CAMPGROUND PICNIC	
19 TRAPSHOOT P & C 12-4 PM ARCHERY OPEN SHOOT	20	21 TRAPSHOOT LEAGUE #3	22 ARCHERY 3-D CMP LEAGUE	23 TRAPSHOOT P & C 5:30 - 10 PM NRA PISTOL NDR PISTOL	24 25 SATURDAY JUNE 25TH EVENTS YOUTH ACTIVITIES JAKES DAY ALL-FISH TOURN. 6 - 11 PM YOUTH ACTIVITIES FAMILY CAMPFIRE & CAMPOUT	
26 TRAPSHOOT P & C 12-4 PM	27	28 TRAPSHOOT LEAGUE #4	29 ARCHERY 3-D CMP LEAGUE	30 TRAPSHOOT P & C 5:30 - 10 PM NRA PISTOL NDR PISTOL		