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# NORTH SPORTSMAN'S CLUB

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## From the President

Hello to all,

Summer has finally arrived and things are picking up at the Club. Trap season is under way and we're holding our own. Remember every Monday evening is open trap practice, everyone is welcome. If you have an interest in trap shooting come on out and give it a try. You don't need a dedicated trap gun, or any fancy equipment, just a shotgun with a bird barrel and a desire to shoot.

The first Youth Rifle League for 2022 has finished, we had 14 shooters a second session will starting July 13th. The details and contact information to register are on our website. The program is open to all youth ages 12 to 19 years old.

The High School Trap Team will have finished their season by the time you all read this. They are shooting in the state championship this weekend at Bridgeport.

The 3-D archery course is open for the year. We have replaced some of the targets and cleaned up the lanes, the archery practice range has new bags as well.

**New member orientations** are held on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays each month at **10 AM sharp**. Please pass the word to any prospective members, or stop by if you'd like a quick refresher to re-acquaint yourself with the latest club facilities.

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**News From the President (continued)**

Things are also picking up at the rifle and pistol range. Nice weather has brought out more shooters. Just as a reminder, please sign in and out when you use the range, and pick up your spent brass and targets after you shoot.

Have a great summer, hope to see you at the range.

**Bench Rest League**

The rifle bench rest league continues alternate Thursday evenings at 4 PM. Targets are placed at 100 yards, and any caliber is permitted. Contact Walt Ellmaker for details.

**NYS CC News**

The latest edition of the *Grass Roots News* is online (see link at right). This month's topics include:

**DEC Announces New "Streamlined" Freshwater Fishing Regs**

changing the statewide regulation for rainbow trout and brown trout in ponds to allow for yearround fishing and aligning harvest limits for rainbow trout,...

by Bill Conners

**The Magic Lure**

For the last 100 years, fishermen have been searching for the magic lure that fish can't resist.

by Diane Whitten

**Hooked on Fishing!**

Due to PCB pollution in the Hudson River, the DOH issued an advisory about eating fish from the river.

by Mike Elam

**The "Cageypillar" Inchwork Pattern**

In this case, the adaptation is not so much about the appearance and presentation, but about the function of the fly when used in a certain set of conditions.

by Keith G. Tidball

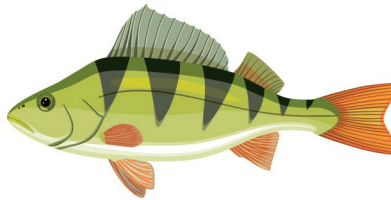
**Turkey Hunting Tick Alert and the Powassan Virus**

Lyme Disease has been around long enough that most, if not all of you understand the precautions you should take while working in the outdoors or hunting.

by Larry Becker

**Perch Bisque recipe**

from Cornell Cooperative Extension's Moira Tidball



**For Online Members:**

**Latest Edition of *Grass Roots News*:**

<https://npaper-wehaa.com/nyscc/2022/04/>

**Our club Facebook page:**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/351722931699678/>

**Operation Steel Rain (Pistol Safety Classes):**

<https://www.facebook.com/safegunhandling/>

**Club Calendar**

May 5 – Bench Rest League starts (4 PM alternate Thursdays)

July 11 – Meetings 7:00, 7:30 PM

July 13 – 4H Youth Rifle Program (6-8 PM Wednesdays)

July 16 – Club cleanup day

Aug 8 – Meetings 7:00, 7:30 PM

Sep 12 – Meetings 7:00, 7:30 PM

Sep 25 – Oswego County Federation Banquet 4:30 PM

\*Note: Board meetings are scheduled the same day as regular membership meetings -- they start 30 minutes earlier

**Club Cleanup Day July 16**

We need a day to get some things done that have been passed over from our normal Spring cleanup. Many hands make light work so please come out if you can. Lunch will be provided. Thanks!

**Federation Banquet September 25**

Contact John Hudson for tickets.