



# OAK HARBOR CONSERVATION CLUB CONNECTION

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Web Page : [www.ohcc.us](http://www.ohcc.us)

Club Phone: (419) 898-9923

## F.Y.I.

Membership fee is \$75.00 annually (\$50.00 for Sr. Citizen 65 yrs. or older) with a one time \$20.00 initiation fee; (Upland Game Fee, is \$30 Annually - **Open To All Members** ) all regular memberships expire on **Dec. 31** of each year, regardless of date joined

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**The Club receives \$ for every Hunting/Fishing license sold in the following outlets, so please make an effort to patronize them.**

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| <b>PUT-IN-BAY</b><br>The Wharfside                                                                                                  | <b>PORT CLINTON</b><br>Brands Dry Dock Marina<br>Drawbridge Marina, Inc.<br>Johnny's on the River<br>McCann's Fisherman's Wharf                                                                                                                    |
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When space is available, club members are welcome to advertise, free of charge, items for sale or wanted to buy. Please let us know when to remove and items that has been fulfilled.

**NOTICE:** Deadline for the newsletter and/or calendar items is at the monthly meetings. Give your information to J. Slosnerick or e-mail: [ohccjackie@cros.net](mailto:ohccjackie@cros.net). *Thank you.*

**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:** The Oak Harbor Conservation Club would like to introduce the following new members: **Laura L. Kohring, James R. Heyde.** *We're glad to have you join us!*

**NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS-** All of those who are interested in getting an electronic key fob , (\$20) to the clubhouse and/ or use of the ranges(s), come to the Gordon Road Clubhouse Monday, June 29 at 7:00 P.M. Bring your own Eye & hearing protection, firearm(s) and your own ammunition. If you need a replacement fob the charge is now \$20. We are going to schedule this for the last Monday of each month at 7:00. If you have any questions call **John Duncan** at **419-898-9199**. John would like to thank **Joe Madison & Jim Nieman** for all of their help.

**License Agent Harry DiCarlo** reports the grants from the ODNR "Conservation Club Partnership Program" will have to be put together before our August monthly meeting to meet their deadline. Any chairman of groups within our club who are interested in applying for these grant must have the what dollar amount they wish to apply for, and a detailed discription of how the grant will be used. These grants should be for programs to benefit the general public/ youth programs. *Remember- the general public is also eligible to receive these grants, so keep this in mind when you are putting your information together.* Any new information will be posted on our web page ( [www.ohcc.us](http://www.ohcc.us)). A special meeting maybe called for those who are interested in writing for these grants. If you have any questions contact **Harry DiCarlo** at **419-798-2061**.

**NOTICE TO THE MEMBERSHIP** - At the June Monthly meeting The Darr Wetland Committee made a presentation to the Trustees and officers to accept a proposal of the Wetlands Reserve Program to enhance our conservation efforts at the Darr Wetlands. It was accepted by the trustees and officers and was then voted on at the General meeting and passed. The details of (WRP) proposal to improve or expand the conservation activities on Hellmann's Hollow by the construction of various dikes, impoundments, etc.: and to authorize President Duncan and/or Dan Pittman to sign all contracts and borrow monies up to \$175,000 to accomplish this effort.

**WEB NOTIFICATION:** To notify our membership of previously unscheduled events or range use that might come up between monthly meetings, it will be posted on our webpage ( [www.ohcc.us](http://www.ohcc.us)).

**FISHING POLE THANK YOU NOTES** - **Harry DiCarlo** reports we have received thank you notes from Put-In-Bay Elementary & Jefferson Elementary Schools All Ottawa County Elementary Schools received poles for all of the fifth graders currently enrolled for the 2008-2009 school year.

**THANK YOU-** **Scott Keiffer** reports **Mark Root** recently donated hydraulic oil and round-up for club use. *Thank You Mark!*

**JR. AIR PISTOL** - **John Brikmanis** reports Jr. Air Pistol will be cancelled July 1, July 8.

## SECURITY LIGHT AT THE DARR-

**Terry Warner** reports a dusk to dawn security light has been purchased for the barn at the Darr and will be installed soon.

**SPECIAL NOTE FOR DOG TRAINING ETC. :** Please note that use of the Darr property is restricted due to nesting of pheasants, ducks, geese, and other game until July 15. Then, any use should be only after contact with **Dan Pittman (419) 862-2759**, to coordinate users of the property.

## UPCOMING EVENTS-

**ADOPT-A-ROAD PROGRAM 2009:** **Dennis Finke** reports our contract for the Adopt-A-Road Program has been renewed for another 3 years. Dennis announces the dates for 2009 will be on Thursdays : **June 25, August 13** and **September 24**. Starting at 6:00 P.M. at the Gordon Road Club House, It's is suggested that you wear Hi-Vis orange vests, hard soled shoes or boots, long pants and gloves. The committee will collect litter and other man made debris from an area of county roads. Areas to be picked up are: **Toussaint North Road - Carroll Township-** Two miles between Benton Carroll & Duff Washa Roads; **Portage Township South Road - Salem Township** - Two miles between Oak Harbor Southeast & Muddy Creek North Road; **Gordon Road - Salem Township** - One mile between Portage River South Road to Portage River. **Contact Dennis Finke at 419-898-0518** for more information or to volunteer.

**CLEANUP FOR FISHING DERBY-** **Terry Warner** reports there will be a grounds clean up at the Gordon Road cluhouse on Saturday July 11 starting at 9:00 . Please bring weed-eaters, trimmers etc. - lunch will be served.

**YOUTH FISHING DERBY JULY 18th-** (See notice on back of newsletter) **Scott Kieffer** requests anyone who would like to donate items for prizes to the Youth Fishing Derby, or would like to help contact **Scott** at **419-355-1900** . (Leave message on the answering machine with call back number)

# JULY 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice Cancelled</i>	2 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	3 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	4 <b>G</b>
5	6 <i>Open Pistol Practice 7 P.M.</i>	7 <i>Sr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	8 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice Cancelled</i>	9 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	10 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	11 <i>Clean-Up For Fishing Derby 9:00 A.M. (See Newsletter)</i>
12	13 <i>Trustees &amp; Officers Mtg. - 7 P.M. General Meeting- 8 P.M..</i>	14 <i>Sr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	15 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	16 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	17 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	18 <b>YOUTH FISHING DERBY</b> <i>(See Below)</i>
19	20 <i>Open Pistol Practice 7 P.M.</i>	21 <i>Sr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	22 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	23 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	24 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	25
26	27 <i>Those interested in getting a job or use of the Range(s) meet at Gordon Road clubhouse at 7 P.M.</i>	28 <i>Sr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	29 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	30 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice 7 P.M.</i>	31 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice 6:30 P.M.</i>	

## OAK HARBOR CONSERVATION CLUB YOUTH FISHING DERBY July 18, 2009

975 S. Gordon Rd. • Oak Harbor, Ohio

### Free and Open to the Public - For Kids 3 to 12

All kids must be accompanied by an adult. Bring your own poles, but bait will be provided. Each child will receive a coupon for 1 hot dog & 1 beverage. Food will be available for adults to purchase. Prizes will be awarded.

Sign-In 11:00 - Fishing Starts at Noon  
3 to 7 Age Group Will Start At Noon till 12:45  
8 to 12 Group will at 12:45 till 1:30

**For More Information Call  
Scott Kieffer at 419-355-1900**



Long time club member **Robert E. Aikman**, 78, of Oak Harbor and formerly of Tipton, Iowa passed away at his residence on May 15, 2009. Bob served as an officer and trustee for the club for many years, as well as the maintenance man for the club grounds. He will be missed.

He was born on September 15, 1930 in Hamlin, Iowa to Floyd and Gladys (Sweet) Aikman. On March 19, 1954 in

Rockford, IL he married Shirley Burrough. He was an active member of the Oak Harbor Conservation Club, John A. Fader American Legion Post #114, Oak Harbor Pool League, N.R.A. Robert taught many grandchildren his love for hunting, fishing and shooting.

Robert is survived by his children, Wendy (James) Baker of Tiffin, OH, Teresa Lawson of Saucier, Miss., Dale Aikman of Rocky Ridge, OH, Kim (Bryan Hardy) Sharples, Oak Harbor, Corey (Shannon) Aikman of Rocky Ridge, OH, brothers, Merle and Larry Aikman, both of Tipton, IA, sister, Sharon Rivera of Clarence, IA, 16 grandchildren, and numerous great-great grandchildren.

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