



September 2026 Newsletter Web: www.ohcc.us

Club Newsletter

The 25-yard indoor range is up and open. Thanks to All who helped the range up.

If anyone wonders about the proposal for the club to split not being on the ballot and why, here are some of the reasons:

- The motion does not merely place a subject on the Annual Meeting agenda. It specifically directs that the Darr property be separated from the Oak Harbor Conservation Club, Inc., and establishes a process for negotiating the terms of that separation.
- It further attempts to prohibit expenditures from club investments and savings while the proposed separation is pending.
- Those are substantive actions affecting the corporation, its property, its finances, and its operations. The motion does not identify any constitutional or bylaw provision giving the membership authority to accomplish those actions through this motion.
- Article XI establishes a specific procedure for proposed constitutional changes. “All proposed changes to the Constitution shall be submitted in writing to the Trustees' meeting at least two meetings before the Annual Meeting”.
- It further attempts to prohibit expenditures from club investments and savings while the proposed separation is pending.

These are just some of the issues facing such a proposal to split the club.

The work projects for our club are gaining momentum, and much has been accomplished; our club looks better for it. We have members that are truly dedicated, hard-working, skilled, have equipment, knowledge and other resources. Thank You to All that have helped. With continued efforts the future of “Our Club” looks very good.

Sincerely Don Hunter

Feel free to contact me, 567-278-1551 / orpa@bright.net

President's Corner: One Club, One Future!

The club has had an incredible month. We completed four workdays at the Gordon Road facility, and the property is looking better than it has in many years. Twenty-six club members participated in these workdays, contributing approximately 220 hours of volunteer labor. In addition, several members assisted during the weekdays to help move projects forward.

It was a pleasure to witness the teamwork and dedication displayed throughout these efforts. I would like to extend a special thank-you to **Don Hunter** for all the work and support he provided. Don is one of the hardest-working members of our club, and his contributions do not go unnoticed.

I would also like to thank **Ben Lacy** for taking the lead on installing the mats at the 25-yard range. Ben made numerous trips to the club to plan the project, coordinate the layout, and ensure we had the necessary tools and materials to get the job done right the first time. His leadership throughout the project was outstanding.

The next scheduled Gordon Road workdays will take place in the spring of 2027.

As we enter hunting season, the club is hosting youth and veterans duck and upland game hunts. These events require approximately 20 volunteers per hunt to ensure they are conducted safely and successfully. **Bud Barringer** and **Kevin Jacobs** are leading these programs and dedicate a tremendous amount of personal time to provide youth and veterans with the opportunity to enjoy the outdoors and experience hunting. Thank you, Bud and Kevin, for your commitment and leadership.

If you are interested in volunteering for any of these hunts, please contact one of the club's officers or trustees.

Last but certainly not least, I would like to thank **Troy Overmyer** for completing our handicap-accessible pad project. Troy is always willing to step up whenever something needs to be done, and we greatly appreciate his effort and dedication. Thank you, Troy.

There is still work to be done at the Gordon Road facility. The meeting room needs to be swept, the bathrooms need cleaning, and the riverbank needs to be weed-whacked and cleared of sticks and debris. If you have some free time this week and would like to volunteer, your help would be greatly appreciated.

We also have firewood available that needs to be removed from the property. It has already been cut and is ready to be hauled away, so please feel free to come and get it.

I want to sincerely thank everyone for the support and commitment being shown throughout our club. Together, we continue to make a positive difference. **One Club. One Future!**

God bless you all.

Sincerely,

David

October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		ODNR Youth & Vet Waterfowl Hunt @ Darr
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
ODNR Youth & Vet Waterfowl Hunt @ Darr				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		8 AM Youth Upland Hunt see flyer for details
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
9 - 12 work at Darr & lunch, 1- 4 upland hunt	Trustees & Officers 7 PM Membership meeting to follow tentatively 8 PM Annual Meeting Voting to follow			Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		8 AM Youth Upland Hunt see flyer for details
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
9 - 12 work at Darr & lunch, 1- 4 upland hunt	Fob Class 7:00 PM	Darr meeting 7:15 PM 12055 W Toussaint North Rd Oak Harbor, OH		Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		



November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
9 AM Ladies Upland Hunt watch Facebook and emails for signup info				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419-341-3793		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Trustees & Officers 7 PM Membership meeting to follow tentatively 8 PM			Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419-341-3793		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm 9 AM Club Hunt Pheasant at the Darr		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
		Darr meeting 7:15 PM 12055 W Toussaint North Rd Oak Harbor, OH		Jr Rifle 6 – 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419-341-3793		
29	30					
	Fob class 7:00PM					

Have a Happy Thanksgiving November 26

December

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		9 AM Veterans Upland Hunt @ Darr. Signup info to be posted to include Facebook & emails
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Trustees & Officers 7 PM Membership meeting to follow tentatively 8 PM			Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793		9 AM Club hunt pheasants @ the Darr
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
				Jr Rifle 6 - 8:30 pm Indoor & Outdoor Range Richard 419- 341-3793	Merry Christmas	
27	28	29	30	31		
	Fob class 7:00PM	Darr meeting 7:15 PM 12055 W Toussaint North Rd Oak Harbor, OH				