

CCFSA NEWSLETTER WINTER 2016

Clinton County Farmers and Sportsmen Association

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Again, the last few months has gone by fast. The Board has completed updating the rule book, writing new scheduling parameters, updating the club's by-laws and updated our operation policies. I want to give thanks to Don French and Kim Campbell for the hard work in writing and presenting the suggested changes to the board. The Board is still looking to add a "Family Membership" to our by-laws. Due to the busy schedule of the board it will takes a little more time before our research will be presented to the board for re-view. You may see more on this in the future.

In this newsletter, you should find a list of club members that are running for the Board. Please review and attend our January meeting and vote for the persons that you believe would be best at running your club.

If any of you would like some wood for your fire places, contact the Conservation Committee, Ken Girard, about removing the down trees in our wooded area for fire wood. Don't forget to check the club schedule for shoot times and days for Shotgun and Archery before coming out.

Inside:

- Safety
- BOD Candidates
- Sponsorship
- Indoor Archery

Don't forget to come to our Annual General Membership Meeting on January 7, 2017 and Vote. All of us on the Board of Directors wish you and your family a Very Merry Christmas

Sincerely,

David Hoover

CCFSA President

CCFSA Web links

CCFSA Website

<http://www.ccfsa.com/>

CCFSA Facebook

www.facebook.com/CCFSA45177

CCFSA Rule Book

http://www.ccfsa.com/PDF/club_rules_edition_8_11_10.pdf

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CCFSA Board of directors and Safety committee

As we communicated last month, CCFSA Board of Directors has been working hard over the past several months to bring various documents up to date. We are pleased to inform the general membership that work on the both the Club's By-Laws and Rules, Regulations & Policies (i.e., Rule Book) have been completed and approved by the Board and are available for viewing on the Club's web site, additionally a copy of the By-Laws will be posted on the bulletin board in the Club House. By-Laws are effective immediately, and the new Rule Book's effective date is January 11, 2017 (first General Membership meeting of the new year).

Respectfully,

Clinton County Farmers' & Sportsmen's Association Board of Directors

Safety is every member's responsibility, whether you are on a range or just using the facility for other recreational interests. The rules are put in place for everyone to follow and for everyone to enforce. Safety should be on everyone's mind all the time. If you have a safety related issue that is on your mind, contact any director, match director, Range Safety Officer, or Safety Officer. Most of the time, especially weekends, you can find someone to fill this bill on-site. If you can't find one on-site, give someone on the Safety Committee a call. You can find Mo Shaw at 513-967-1290, Don French (937)783-2762, Rick Siemann at (513)314-5236, Steve Jarrell at (937)382-7296, Mo Shaw or Dave Hoover at (937)383-1226.

Always check the online calendar for the latest scheduling information!

CCFSA Calendar of events

<http://www.localendar.com/public/ccfsa>

BOD Candidates

Fred Copley



Hello

I live in Maineville, am originally from West Virginia, and have lived here for 11 years. I am married, and have 3 adult children who live in the area. My son, Christopher has been the USPSA match director at CCFSA this year.

I am an insurance agent for Nationwide insurance and have my own agency in the Colerain area. I currently serve on my local HOA board of directors as treasurer.

I have been a member of CCFSA for 3 years. I have been a life long hunter and shooter. In my earlier years I have been an avid trap and skeet shooter. The last 3 years I have primarily shot practical pistol, IDPA, and USPSA. I am a member of both organizations, along with being a NRA member.

Neil Fugate



Hello, my name is Neil Fugate. I have been a member of the CCFSA for four years. I currently serve on the Archery Committee. I am a proud member of the NRA and have my Concealed Carry license. I'm a Certified 4H Archery Instructor for the On Target 4-H Club as well as mentor the youth in the JR CCFSA Youth Archery Group. I volunteer in almost all the archery events and help plan future events as to bring more attention and positive energy to the Club. Thank you for considering me for a position on the Board of Directors.

Kelby Haase



Hello, CCFSA family!

My name is Kelby Haase. I am running for re-election to the CCFSA Board of Directors. Here are a few quick notes about me:

Current CCFSA Board Member

CCFSA Member since 2011

NRA Life Member

NRA/BSA Camp Rifle Champion

Eagle Scout

35 years old

Married with two beautiful daughters

BS Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering – Purdue University

Live in Lebanon

Active participant in firearms skills/training courses

Over the last 5 years, I have been extremely pleased by the CCFSA facilities, improvements, legislative awareness, and community. I will keep that excellent momentum moving forward; via facility enhancements, outreach, training, and other activities. I ask for your continued support for the CCFSA Board of Directors.

Dave Hoover



I am a Life Member of CCFSA. I am the Owner of Great Plain Enterprises Flight Training Center located at the Clinton County Airport. I have served on the Board of Directors since 1996; I was the club Treasurer from 1998 to 2002, then served as the Club President from 2002 to 2007 and again in 2016. During this time I worked in all areas of the club. I believe strongly in the longevity and integrity of CCFSA. We are stewards of the CCFSA as a shooting/conservation organization. And we must protect and enhance these facilities for our youth. I am a strong supporter of 2nd Amendment rights and Ohio Concealed Carry Legislation. I am a Life Member of the NRA, NSSA, OSSA and a member of IDPA.

Jamie Harper

My name is Jamie Harper and I'm interested in holding a position in the Clinton county farmers and sportsman association board my interest would be for the shotgun area primarily I feel like the club has a lot of potential however it lacks in the shotgun area I feel somehow we can make it better for everyone without excluding any of the other activities or infringing on the rights of other members. I would welcome everyone's ideas and help.

A little about myself, I live in the Clinton county area all my life where we have a small family farm giving us the opportunities to enjoy hunting and shooting sport alike I grew up doing 4-H raised 2 kids that followed the same path with 4-H as well I'm also a licensed fire arm instructor and able to help people in getting their concealed carry if they choose or just show them the sport of shooting and how to do it safely most of all.

Any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me.

Steve Jarrell



Hello, my name is Steve Jarrell. I have been a member of CCFSA for 11 years. I am an NRA Life-Member and an NRA RSO along with being a CCFSA RSO. I'm also a 4-H certified archery/pistol instructor and concealed carry license holder. I have worked on the youth, archery, safety, special projects and conservation committees. I started the CCFSA Youth Archery, having the archers in the outdoors, youth 3-D Shoots, winter indoor youth archery and the youth fish fest.

During my time at CCFSA I have helped the CCFSA Youth Program acquire new rifles, and archery equipment for little to no cost to CCFSA.

Thank you for considering me for a position on the Board of Directors.

Dale W Reckman



Mechanical engineer by trade and involved in the renewable energy, heavy manufacturing and energy efficiency markets. Early 2016 moved to Ironwood Commons just outside Caesars Creek State Park from Maineville, Ohio. Born 1964 of German ancestry and raised just outside Cincinnati, Ohio in a village known as Indian Hill. My spouse Mary of some 32 years resides with me and we have 2 daughters. Hannah our oldest is currently in the medical programs at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio and our Youngest Madison is currently attending The Maine Maritime Academy in Castine, Maine.

A true lover of most things outdoors including shooting, fishing, boating & wilderness camping. Middle and high school years were spent competitive shooting which included a total of six (6) trips to the three (3) position smallbore rifle national championships at Camp Perry where I competed as well as three (3) Walsh Invitational Tournament appearances. Free time now when available in between regular work and family demands typically has me planning trips into Northern Minnesota's Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness, building antique shaker reproduction furniture pieces in my home furniture shop, fishing Caesars Creek for some elusive monster smallmouth or shooting at CCFSA with one of my daughters.

Joshua Reed



Hello CCFSA Membership,

My name is Joshua Reed and I'm running for the CCFSA Board of Directors. I've been a member of CCFSA for 4 years and have been pleased to see the range improvements and increasing level of activity at the association. I feel that it is time for me to step up, serve, and continue to help CCFSA grow. Below are a few notes about me:

CCFSA Member since 2012

NRA Member

28 years old

Married and live in Mason

BS Mechanical Engineering – University of Florida

Active participant in firearms skills/training courses

Enjoy Rifle, Pistol and Shotgun shooting sports

Enjoy the outdoors (hiking, camping, skiing)

I will bring enthusiasm and an open mind to the board. I ask for your support for the CCFSA Board of Directors on January 7th.

Sponsorship Newsletter, Dec, 2016

Hello all!

We enjoyed a great year at the CCFSA and are working to continue that for 2017! As you all know, we have made very significant improvements in the Rifle/Pistol Ranges improving berms, base, began installation of range covers, added bays and parking. We also hope to make additions to the Shotgun Sports Ranges, Archery, Trails and Lakes and are continuing our mission to make our club THE premier destination for shooters in the state. As we are an all-volunteer association, sponsorships greatly enhance our ability to achieve the same.

While many invitations have been sent out to businesses asking them to become a sponsor for the club, few have as yet bought into it. Offers have been sent out to businesses in Clinton, Clermont, Warren, Hamilton, Butler and Highland Counties. Hopefully we will get positive responses.

If you know of anyone who may want to get new exposure for their company, please let me know so I can get an information packet to them explaining the benefits and low cost of sponsorship. Our CCFSA Newsletter touches our thousand members and their families. I also encourage you to pass your copy to a friend or have them access our webpage at www.CCFSA.com to read the newsletter and get other information about a great, affordable club. Membership will also assist in getting improvement funds.

I want to thank our sponsors and all who made contributions both large and small. Please know that every penny of your donations have gone into the improvement and maintenance of the club.

In closing, I wish all a Merry Christmas and a Safe, Successful, Healthy and Happy New Year!

I'm looking forward to seeing you all at the Annual Meeting on January 7th, 2016, 5:00P.M. Let's elect strong, committed members to the Board of Directors to keep us moving forward towards our goal of providing a safe and enjoyable recreational community for our membership!

Sincerely,

Dave Bientz, Chair

Sponsorship Committee.

513-313-5436

CLINTON COUNTY ARCHERS

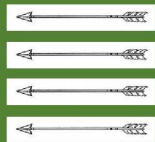


A Youth Indoor Archery League
Clinton County Farmer's & Sportsmen

Details:

Cost: \$20.00

What's included:



- You can use our Archery equipment (or you can bring your own!)
- Expert training and instruction on all the ins and outs of Archery!
- How to perfect your stance, aim, and prepare if competition (if desired).
- Youth Membership to the Clinton County Farmer's & Sportsmen Association

When: Start of the Season is November 13th, 2016 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Season Ends March 26th, 2016

Where: Clinton County Farmer's and Sportsmen Association
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For questions: email sjarrell46@yahoo.com





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Legislative	Kim Campbell
Newsletter/Email	Jimmie Bettie
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Conservation, Lake, hunting and Camping	Ken Girard
Youth Group	Steve Jarrell, Jon Moots , Angie Moots
Membership	Jon Moots
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Kitchen	Angie Moots Jon Moots
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Archery	Ken Girard Steve Jarrell, Neil Fugate
Merchandising	
Finance	Kelby Haase
Sponsorship	Dave Bientz
Web Site	Mike Abshire

<u>Officers</u>	<u>2016</u>
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Second Vice President	Don French
Treasurer	Jack Morton
Secretary	Jon Moots



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