



ACTIVITIES:

- **Monthly Meeting- Tuesday, February 16th @ 6:30pm** – Warren County Conservation will be presenting on pollinators. This month's meal is double meat Synepuxent Bay chili with Old fashioned down home Chincoteague Corn Pone, Shepherds bread and butter on the side and a dessert to satisfy. RSVP to Jay Timmons by text or phone @ 410 375 6124 or email @ iowakayakerjw@gmail.com .
- **February 20th & 27th** – Kitchen remodel work days. Contact Craig for more information.
- **Monthly Board Meeting – March 1st @ 6:30pm** – All members are invited to attend
- **March 3rd & 5th – Hunter Education Program** – Contact (515)961-6169 for more information.
- Please also check the calendar at <http://www.warrenikes.com/calendarevents> for all activities at the club.

CONDOLENCES

It is with sadness that we report the Passing of former Ikes' Board member Curtis Mackie. Everyone at the club had a great amount of respect for Curt. Curt was a great supporter of the Second Amendment and our Armed Forces. Curt was easy to be around so members gravitated to him for advice and camaraderie. He was a great supporter of the Warren County Ikes and genuinely liked being at the club. His funeral was Saturday, January 30. Several former and current Ikes' members were in attendance at the funeral. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Kitchen remodeling is still in progress with work days on February 20th and 27th. We would like to complete the remodeling by the 1st week of March to ensure kitchen use for the Hunter Ed Class on March 3rd. Any help would be appreciated so let me know if you are willing and able.

The 93rd Annual Ikes's State Convention is being hosted by the West Central County Chapter in Denison, Iowa on April 29th, 30th and May 1st. Board meetings are Friday, April 29th with an all member early bird dinner in the evening. Saturday, April 30th is the general meeting with an awards luncheon followed by an additional evening awards banquet. Sunday morning activities is a short board meeting and the start of the Ikes' State Trap Shoot. We are seeking individuals interested shooting either in the open division or youth division. Please contact Jimmy Lear if you are interested in shooting. If you did not receive your State Ikes newsletter, the State Convention information flyer is attached to the newsletter.

As part of the State Convention, we prepare a themed donation basket which is auction off at the State Convention. Proceeds from the auction go towards the state youth division funds. If you would like to donate items or put together a basket, please contact Erin Dobson.

Spring trap leagues sign up will be in March with leagues starting in April. Check the calendar for exact times and dates. Monday nights will be 25 bird league followed by practice or games. Thursday nights will be 50 bird league. Both leagues run 6 weeks. Either bring a team with you or just show up and we can place you in a team.

Thank you for all you do for our shooting sports and conservation of the outdoors.

Craig McIntyre

TRAP: Jim Lear

Youth Trap will start the first week of March. Spring leagues will start in April along with open shooting on Tuesday nights. Open Shooting on Thursday will start after spring leagues are finished.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Des Moines Izaak Walton League in conjunction with the Warren County Izaak Walton League will be participating at the 38th Annual Fisherman's Swap Meet sponsored by the Mid-Iowa Bass Masters. We will need volunteers to share our conservation message to the public in efforts of growing membership at our



chapter. There will be no charge for admission if you volunteer. The time slots needing filled are listed below and are need is at least two volunteers per shift between the two chapters.

Saturday 8:30 am – 1:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am – 12:00 pm & 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Please contact Lisa McIntyre at 515-360-4352 or see me at the monthly meetings. I will need to know no later than Tuesday, Feb 23th, 2016.

PROPERTY & GROUNDS: Dave Smith

I would also like to encourage any member that notices something that needs attention or if you have suggestions or ideas, sort of a virtual suggestion box, let me know: Email----- flinchrock@msn.com Cell# 515-770-4398 Text works best.

IMPORTANT NUMBERS:

- President-Craig McIntyre 515-229-7418
- 1st VP- Doyle Adams 515-961-6004
- 2nd VP- Marty Biesemeyer 515-962-1919
- Secretary-Erin Dobson
- Treasurer- Larry Lepper 515-961-7631
- Membership- Jean Laverty 515-961-2120
- Rental-Jay Timmons 410-375-6124
- Rifle - Charles Mannis 515-720-6912

- CMP Coordinator-Alex Stambaugh 641-751-5216
- Archery Chair-Matt Glas 515-313-5245
- Trap Chair-Jim Lear 515-491-2412
- Mon. 25 bird-Craig McIntyre 515-229-7418
- Property-Dave Smith 515-770-4398
- State Director-Lisa McIntyre 515-360-4352
- National Director-Marj Striegel 641-673-403

February 2016							March 2016						
Sun 31	Mon 1	Tue 2	Wed 3	Thu 4	Fri 5	Sat 6	Sun 28	Mon 29	Tue 1	Wed 2	Thu 3	Fri 4	Sat 5
			12:30 AM Board Meeting							12:30 AM Board Meeting	11 PM Hunter's Education Class Day 1 Register at (515)961-6169		2 PM **RANGE CLOSED until 2 PM** Hunter's Ed Register at (515)961-6169
7	8	9 Today	10	11	12	13	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			12:30 AM 4H Shooting Sports Club	12:30 AM CCW Class by Allan Crouse call 238-1296 for info		7 PM NVA Range Safety Class by IDNR				12:30 AM 4H Shooting Sports Club		12:30 AM CCW Class by Allan Crouse call 238-1296 for info	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
			12:30 AM Membership Meeting						11:30 PM Membership Meeting				1 PM Hold for Jarrod Calvert Classes
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
									11:30 PM 4H Shooting Sports Club				1 PM Ikes & Iowa DNR Shotgun Shooting Class
28	29	1	2	3	4	5	27	28	29	30	31	1	2
			12:30 AM Board Meeting	11 PM Hunter's Education Class Day 1 Register at (515)961-6169		2 PM **RANGE CLOSED until 2 PM** Hunter's Ed Register at (515)961-6169				10 PM Indianola Trap Team Practice			
			11 PM Indianola Trap Team Practice										

Advertising for the 2016 State Convention Program

West Central Chapter
Izaak Walton League of America
April 29–May 1, 2016

Attach or write ad copy and/or logo in space below:

FULL page \$100⁰⁰

HALF page \$ 50⁰⁰

Submit to West Central Chapter by
April 10, 2016

Mail checks payable to:
West Central Chapter IWLA
405 Cedar Street • Schleswig, IA 51461
attention: State Convention AD

You can also email:
larryg@longlines.com

2016 STATE TRAPSHOOT

SUNDAY, MAY 1

Hosted by Crawford County Shooting Sports • Iowa Division • West Central Chapter Izaak Walton League
2271 300th Street, Denison, Iowa 51442

ENTRY FORM

ADULT (18 and over)

YOUTH (17 and under)

• Register by Mail or Email •
APRIL 11, 2016 •

Name of IWL Chapter: _____

Address/City/State/Zip: _____

Team Captain Name, Phone & Email: _____

All Shooters must have eye and ear protection!

DIVISIONS: Men / Women / Youth Teams

Number of 5-person Adult Teams: _____ x \$ 75⁰⁰ (\$ 100⁰⁰ after 4/11) = \$ _____
AMOUNT ENCLOSED

Number of 5-person Youth Teams: _____ (FREE, if mailed by 4/11, after that date, pay \$ 100⁰⁰)

Iowa Division will pay entry fee for current Youth Ikes:

Must present 2016 membership card on site — current as of April 11, 2016 .

If membership is not current by that date, youth can still shoot, but must pay entry fees.

(Pre-Registration must be received by April 11 2016)

MAIL YOUR ENTRY EARLY – \$75⁰⁰ (adult team) • \$ 100⁰⁰ FOR LATE REGISTRATION

PROGRAM

50 Birds: 25 @ 16 yards + 25 @ Handicap = 50 Total
Handicap will be based on team average at 16 yards, but minimum will be 19 yards for adult teams. Youth teams will shoot at 16 & 19 yards.

Program starts at 10:30 a.m. SHARP!

Practice Time at 8:00am @ \$5⁰⁰ per round (*youth also pay for practice rounds*)

Food and Shells available for purchase!



3 miles E of Denison on Highway 30 & 300th Street

Lisa McIntyre

must receive email or forms by April 11th
for the early registration \$75 cost!

EMAIL: lmcintyreiaikes@yahoo.com

MAIL: 410 S. 3rd St.

Indianola, IA 50125

SEND CHECK

PAYABLE TO: Crawford County Shooting Sports
2271 300th Street
Denison, IA 51442

www.crawfordcountysportingsports.com

QUESTIONS

Lisa McIntyre @ 515-360-4352

DIRECTIONS

Kurt Miller @ 712-263-5061.

**2016
STATE CONVENTION**

April 28th, 29th & May 1st

Hosted by West Central Chapter

CONVENTION LOCATION
Schleswig Community Building
Schleswig, Iowa

This year's theme is:

The Best Kept Secret in Iowa—The Loess Hills
There are only two geological areas in the world
like the Loess Hills... in China
and in western Iowa bordering the Missouri River.
We will highlight the Hills, give background
history and discuss some of the current threats
to the Loess Hills and its ecosystem.

FRIDAY, APRIL 28th

11:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

State Officers Meeting
at West Central Chapter House
(Lunch served at 12 Noon)

3:00 p.m. Registration begins
Schleswig Community Building
pick up delegate packets

NEW FOR 2016

3:00—6:30 p.m.

SHARING CONSERVATION SUCCESS

(open at 11:00 a.m. for set up)

Schleswig Community Building (upstairs)

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

This includes success of all Chapters,
Conservation Commissions, PF, DU,
Whitetails, Shooting, Archery, etc.

MEET / GREET / EAT

Schleswig Community Building
(ground floor)

6:30 p.m. Social Time

7:00 p.m. Dinner — registered delegates,
guests and community members
are welcome at these events

MEAL TICKET RESERVATION FORM

Iowa Division 93rd State Convention • April 29–May 1, 2016
WEST CENTRAL CHAPTER, SCHLESWIG, IOWA

NOTE: THIS IS NOT A DELEGATE REGISTRATION FORM. This form is for MEALS ONLY!

Delegates must register on this form and each chapter must also return Delegate Registration form
to the Iowa Division by **April 1, 2016**. Copy this form as needed.

NAME (to appear on badge) _____

CHAPTER _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

<u>CONVENTION FEES & EVENTS</u>	<u>COST</u>	<u>Nº PEOPLE</u>	<u>TOTAL ENCLOSED</u>
Registration (by April 1st)	\$20.00	x _____ =	_____
Late Registration (after April 11th)	\$25.00	x _____ =	_____

<u>FRIDAY, April 29th, 2016</u>	<u>COST</u>	<u>Nº MEALS</u>	<u>TOTAL ENCLOSED</u>
MEET / GREET / EAT : Schleswig Community Building Social Hour 6:30 / Dinner 7:00 p.m. (price is for registered <u>OR</u> non-registered guests)			

MENU Hamburgers, Brats and Salad Bar	\$10.00	x _____ =	_____
Coffee & Tea			

<u>SATURDAY, April 30th, 2016</u>	<u>COST</u>	<u>Nº MEALS</u>	<u>TOTAL ENCLOSED</u>
BREAKFAST: Chapter House — 7:00 a.m.			

MENU Egg Bake, Fresh Fruit & Pastries	\$ 7.00	x _____ =	_____
Coffee & Juice			

LUNCHEON: Chapter House — 12:00 noon

MENU BBQ Beef, Potato Salad, Baked Beans	\$ 10.00	x _____ =	_____
Brownie Sundae, Coffee & Tea			

AWARDS BANQUET: Chapter House
Social Hour 5:30–6:30 / Dinner 6:30–7:30 p.m.
(price is for registered OR non-registered guests)

MENU Chicken and Smoked BBQ Ribs, Baked Potato	\$ 20.00	x _____ =	_____
Tossed Salad, Coffee & Tea and Dessert			

Auction after the Banquet

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Checks payable to: **West Central
Chapter IWL**

Mail to: **Charlotte Johnson**
201 Valley View Drive
Schleswig, IA 51461

Reference: **West Central Chapter**

HOST HOTEL

Boulders Inn & Suites RATES: \$ 85.00 + tax
Oak Ridge
161 Oak Ridge Drive Group rates available
Denison, Iowa 51442 until March 30, 2016
800-430-4663
www.bouldersinndenison.com

BED & BREAKFAST

Boden Haus
308 Date Street
Schleswig, Iowa 51461
712-269-1728

CAMPING

Schleswig City Park
712-676-3361
West Central IWL
Chapter Grounds
712-269-1728