

**Huron Pointe Sportsmen's Association**

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<b>Member News and Notes</b>	<b>Contributing to Your Club</b>																								
<p><b><i>HPSA HOURS OF OPERATION</i></b>  <i><u>Wed, Fri, Sat and Sun</u></i></p> <p><b>Summer (Memorial Day thru Labor Day)</b>  <b>OPEN 10:00 am - 6:00 pm</b></p> <p><b>Winter (Labor Day thru Memorial Day)</b>  <b>OPEN 10:00 am - 4:30 pm</b></p>	<p><b>4H Pellet Gun/Archery League</b></p> <p>The 4H Coyote Club will be running a combo pellet gun/archery league on Friday nights from Oct 2, 2009 through April 30, 2009 (6:00-8:00P) in the Pole Barn. 4-H is a learn-by-doing, fun, educational program designed to help youth in their growth and development and to compliment experiences received at home, school, church and other organizations. With the help of caring adult volunteers, 4-H Clubs help young people gain the skills they need to be successful. For more information please contact Leroy Mikolowski at (586) 255-0505.</p>																								
<p><b>Huron Pointe's 2010 Board Elections</b></p> <p>December General Membership Meeting brings Huron Pointe's annual Board Election. Nominations for Board positions need to be forwarded to Special Director Bob Bollengerghé at (586) 939-0570. Executive Board positions are President, Vice President, Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Membership Secretary and Recording Secretary. One trustee position and Board of Directors positions also need to be filled. Members wishing to run for a Board position MUST be current on their dues, have fulfilled their 20 hour work obligation and regularly attend General Membership and Board Meetings (if applicable). Members can nominate themselves or other members if they meet the "Member in Good Standing" criteria listed above. Huron Pointe's Board holds the responsibility of molding the inner workings of the club, nominees and nominators should keep this in mind.</p>	<p><b>Thursday Fall Archery</b></p> <p>Many thanks to Dave Czuprenski for running the Fall 3-D shoot on Thursday night. Thank you to all the archers who came out and fought the weather and mosquitoes. Hope to see you again next fall and that the practice you had on the archery course yields great results in your hunting adventures this year.</p>																								
<p><b>Come Shoot our 5-Stand</b></p> <p>Huron Pointe has added a 5-Stand to our shooting venue! It's located on Trap #3 and training is in the works. Don't forget to check it out when you're at the club.</p>	<p><b>Ladies Event</b></p> <p>The Women "Get Outdoors" Event has been re-scheduled for Spring 2009. Thank you to all the volunteers who stepped up to help with this event. As the event approaches more details will follow.</p>																								
<p><b>HPSA's 2009 MUCC State Shoot</b></p> <p>Congratulations to all the winners in the Huron Pointe Sporting Clays and Archery Championship Events. A huge thank you to all the workers who gave up the weekend to make this event shine. The food was outstanding, the trappers were most professional and the compliments flowed in.</p>	<p><b>Want to help?</b>  <b>Don't know who to contact?</b></p> <p>If you can volunteer your time and energy with any of these committees PLEASE call and assist.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><b>Clubhouse clean up:</b></td> <td>Mark Taylor (586) 531-7694</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Grounds Maintenance:</b></td> <td>Ted Sudomir 586-808-7365 &amp; Rob Robinson 586-855-3912</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Archery:</b></td> <td>Mike Jennett (586) 598-8018</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Membership:</b></td> <td>John Watson (586) 206-4457</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Trap and Skeet:</b></td> <td>Mark Taylor (586) 531-7694</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Rifle Range:</b></td> <td>Dave Edwards (586) 770-8882</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Work Schedule Coord.:</b></td> <td>Dennis White (586) 719-3639</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Youth Programs:</b></td> <td>Kevin Young (586) 949-6201</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Environ. Stewart Pgm.:</b></td> <td>Dave Czuprenski (586)469-3342</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Sporting Clays:</b></td> <td>Joe Burke (586) 718-6775</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Hunter Safety:</b></td> <td>Rob Kitchen (586) 786-3016</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Newsletter:</b></td> <td>Jenny Zachow (586) 430-1711</td> </tr> </table>	<b>Clubhouse clean up:</b>	Mark Taylor (586) 531-7694	<b>Grounds Maintenance:</b>	Ted Sudomir 586-808-7365 & Rob Robinson 586-855-3912	<b>Archery:</b>	Mike Jennett (586) 598-8018	<b>Membership:</b>	John Watson (586) 206-4457	<b>Trap and Skeet:</b>	Mark Taylor (586) 531-7694	<b>Rifle Range:</b>	Dave Edwards (586) 770-8882	<b>Work Schedule Coord.:</b>	Dennis White (586) 719-3639	<b>Youth Programs:</b>	Kevin Young (586) 949-6201	<b>Environ. Stewart Pgm.:</b>	Dave Czuprenski (586)469-3342	<b>Sporting Clays:</b>	Joe Burke (586) 718-6775	<b>Hunter Safety:</b>	Rob Kitchen (586) 786-3016	<b>Newsletter:</b>	Jenny Zachow (586) 430-1711
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<b>October 2009</b>				1  QUIET DAY  ARCHERY DEER SEASON BEGINS	2  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	3  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team G)
4  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team H)	5  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  6:00P SCTP Practice 6:00P Black Powder League	6  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	7  Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)  Rifle Range 3:00P-Dusk	8  QUIET DAY  7:00P Wetzel Park	9  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	10  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team I)
11  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team A)  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	12  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  6:00P SCTP Practice 6:00P Black Powder League 7:00P 4H S.S. Meeting  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	13  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  7:00P G.M.M. Meeting  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	14  Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)  Rifle Range 3:00P-Dusk  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	15  QUIET DAY  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	16  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	17  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team B)  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>
18  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team C)  <b>MCD TREE SALE</b>	19  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  6:00P SCTP Practice 6:00P Black Powder League 7:00P 4H Coyote Meeting	20  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  6:30P Board Meeting	21  Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)  Rifle Range 3:00P-Dusk	22  QUIET DAY	23  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	24  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team D)
25  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team E)	26  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  6:00P SCTP Practice	27  <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	28  Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-4P)  Rifle Range 3:00P-Dusk	29  QUIET DAY	30  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	31  HALLOWEEN  Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Teams F & G)

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1 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Rifle Range (Teams H & I)	2 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	3 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	4 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)  Rifle Range 3:00P-Dusk	5 QUIET DAY	6 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	7 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  Rifle Range (Teams A & B)	
8 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  Rifle Range (Teams C & D)	9 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	10 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  7:00P G.M.M. Meeting	11 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)  Rifle Range 3:00P-Dusk	12 QUIET DAY  7:00P Wetzel Park	13 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	14 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>	
15 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>  DEER RIFLE SEASON OPEN	16 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>	17 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>	18 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>	19 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>  QUIET DAY	20 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>  (Call to Confirm)	21 <b>CLUB CLOSED GONE HUNTING</b>  Rifle Range (Team E)	
22 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  Rifle Range (Team F)	23 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	24 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	25 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)	26 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY  CLUB CLOSED	27 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays	28 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  Rifle Range (Team G)	
29 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  Rifle Range (Team H)	30 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>		<b>November 2009</b>				

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<i>December</i>		1 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	2 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)	3 QUIET DAY	4 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	5 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team I)
		6 WINTER TRAP LEAGUE (Trap & Skeet Closed)  Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team A)	7 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	8 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  <b>BOARD ELECTIONS 7:00P G.M.M. Meeting</b>	9 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)	10 QUIET DAY  7:00P Wetzel Park
13 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team C)	14 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  7:00P 4H S.S. Meeting	15 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  <b>6:30P Board Meeting</b>	16 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)	17 QUIET DAY	18 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays  6:00-8:00P 4H Archery & Pellet Gun	19 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team D)
20 WINTER TRAP LEAGUE (Trap & Skeet Closed)  Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team E)	21 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>  7:00P 4H Coyote Meeting	22 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	23 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5P)	24 QUIET DAY	25 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY  CLUB CLOSED	26 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team F)
27 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team G)	28 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLUB</b>	29 <b>CLUBHOUSE &amp; ALL FIELDS CLOSED</b>	30 Trap & Skeet (10-9P) Sporting Clays (10-5.P)	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE HOLIDAY  CLUB CLOSED	<i>2009</i>	

## President's Message

We have had a great summer with shooting events that have been enjoyable and profitable. Heritage Days was fantastic, lots of help and our guests were impressed by our Club and members. We continue to be successful because of our member's dedication and hard work on these and all our events. Thank you for making Huron Pointe "Your Club".

Hunting season is here and things will slow down at HPSA but not for long. The Winter Trap league will begin on December 6<sup>th</sup>, (contact Jenny Zachow to reserve your time). All of the Archery leagues will begin in January, (contact Joy Jennett to sign up). Also our Trap & Skeet fields will stay open until 9pm every Wednesday. Check this newsletter and our Web site for specific dates of our upcoming leagues and events.

Our annual Board of Directors election will be held at the December 8<sup>th</sup> GMM. Contact Bob Bollenberghe on 586-939-0570 to nominate yourself or another club member to run for a Board position.

I hope everyone has a successful and safe hunting adventure.

"See you at the Club",  
Joe Burke  
H.P.S.A. President

## "In Our Hearts"

Please think of our members during their struggles and healing (cards are welcome).

Kathy DeLeeuw, Royal Oak Beaumont Hospital, Room #8355

Eric Scheuer, Royal Oak Beaumont, Intensive Care,  
send cards to 13917 Masonic Blvd, Warren, MI 48088-1484

Neil Haske, 6955 Big Hand, St Clair, MI 48079-3716

## Winter Leagues

Frost on the ground means only one thing; the misery and frost-bite of the WINTER TRAP LEAGUE. It's time to start squadding up and choosing your time to "suffer the elements" shooting at those winged orange bandits. For more information, or to volunteer, please contact Jenny Zachow at newsletter@huronpointe.org or on (586) 430-1711. Remember, Youth & Adult Archery in the Pole Barn begins in January, more details will follow.

  
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## Rifle Range (RSO) Schedule

Saturday	3 Oct	Team G	Pete Hamel, Terry Dickmann, Harry Branca, Frank Gibson, Dean Rodney
Sunday	4 Oct	Team H	Leroy Mikolowski, Jim Reuter, Greg McCann, Stephen Sondey
Saturday	10 Oct	Team I	Dick Hamilton, Vijay Baskaran, Bill Cole, Paddy Doherty, Greg Deleeuw
Sunday	11 Oct	Team A	Jim Carrico, John Kource, Maynard Nim, Dave Haddad, Scott Puffpaff
Saturday	17 Oct	Team B	Dave Edwards, Bob Schmidt, Mike Benoit, Bob Noel, Andy Oderkirk
Sunday	18 Oct	Team C	Tom Campbell, Bill Fielder, Mark Conachen, Howard Dehring, Maurice Depez
Saturday	24 Oct	Team D	Wallace Grala, Dave Metter, Bill McNaughton, Mike Przydatek, Gary Hart
Sunday	25 Oct	Team E	Jack DeMonte, Rob Robinson, Ken Bowery, Dave Puffpaff
Saturday	31 Oct	Team F	Jim Kaltz, Jim Lane, Eric Field, Rob Bommarito, Nick Bommarito
		Team G	Pete Hamel, Terry Dickmann, Harry Branca, Frank Gibson, Dean Rodney
Sunday	1 Nov	Team H	Leroy Mikolowski, Jim Reuter, Greg McCann, Stephen Sondey
		Team I	Dick Hamilton, Vijay Baskaran, Bill Cole, Paddy Doherty, Greg Deleeuw
Saturday	7 Nov	Team A	Jim Carrico, John Kource, Maynard Nim, Dave Haddad, Scott Puffpaff
		Team B	Dave Edwards, Bob Schmidt, Mike Benoit, Bob Noel, Andy Oderkirk
Sunday	8 Nov	Team C	Tom Campbell, Bill Fielder, Mark Conachen, Howard Dehring, Maurice Depez
		Team D	Wallace Grala, Dave Metter, Bill McNaughton, Mike Przydatek, Gary Hart
Saturday	21 Nov	Team E	Jack DeMonte, Rob Robinson, Ken Bowery, Dave Puffpaff
Sunday	22 Nov	Team F	Jim Kaltz, Jim Lane, Eric Field, Rob Bommarito, Nick Bommarito
Saturday	28 Nov	Team G	Pete Hamel, Terry Dickmann, Harry Branca, Frank Gibson, Dean Rodney
Sunday	29 Nov	Team H	Leroy Mikolowski, Jim Reuter, Greg McCann, Stephen Sondey

### Costs

Members	\$5.00
Non-members	\$15.00
Youth	\$5.00

### Call Club for Range hours of operation:

All times, dates and assignments are subject to change  
(Call club to confirm).  
SAT/SUN: 11AM-5PM (THRU NOV 29)  
WED: 3PM-DUSK (OCT 7 - NOV 11)

## Rifle Range Directors

**Dave Edwards (586) 770-8882 / Frank Gibson (586) 791-5432**

### Sporting Clays

Course is open every Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday (call to confirm).

<b>Costs (50 rounds):</b>	Members	\$13.00 + \$1.00 env.
	Non-members	\$17.00 + \$1.00 env.
	Youth	\$9.00 + \$1.00 env.

### Trap & Skeet

Fields are open Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday unless scheduled field events mandate closure. See calendar of events and/or call club (586-749-5420) to confirm.

<b>Costs:</b>	Members	\$4.00
	Non-members	\$6.00
	Youth	\$3.00

### Doubles Trap (Field #3)

<b>Costs:</b>	Members	\$8.00
	Non-members	\$12.00
	Youth	\$6.00

### Archery

OPEN during normal business hours

Adults	\$8.00	Youth	\$4.00
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### NEW RANGE HOURS!!!

Rifle Range Sight-In Days: 11-5PM Saturdays & Sundays, 3PM-Dusk Wednesdays (Through Nov 11th).  
Trap & Skeet Late Nights: A full day of shooting ending under the lights on Wednesdays (10AM-9PM).

## Upcoming Points of Interest



### October

October 1	Archery Deer Season Begins
October 2, 9, 23, 30	4H Archery/Pellet Gun
October 5, 12, 19, 26	SCTP Practice
October 6, 13, 20	Black Powder League
October 7, 14, 21, 28	Rifle Range Evening hours
October 11-18	MCD Tree Sale
October 13	General Membership Meeting
October 31	Halloween

### November

November 4, 11	Rifle Range Evening hours
November 6, 13	4H Archery/Pellet Gun
November 10	General Membership Meeting
November 14-22	Club Closed for Hunting
November 15	Rifle Deer Season Begins
November 26	Thanksgiving Holiday-Club Closed

### December

December 4, 11, 18	4H Archery/Pellet Gun
December 6, 20	Winter Trap League
December 8	General Membership Meeting *Board Elections*
December 25	Christmas Holiday-Club Closed
December 31	New Year's Eve Holiday-Club Closed



### AIM / SCTP

*Thank you so very much to all of the members, participants and supporters.*

We are coming to the end of another year - last practice Monday, October 26. We know this program cannot be the success it is without everyone's help and support.

We feel the kids have done their part by working hard and bringing home many medals, trophies and memories. The parents have done their part by getting the kids to the shoots, practice, and picking up the costs of practice and competition fees when our monies ran short. And last; but, definitely... not least, the members of HPSA and The Heritage Days Committee and members. We could not have gotten to the State and National AIM Shoot without your donations and all your well-wishes along the way.

We will continue to sell the "logo" clothing and add a couple of new products through the Winter, so we can be ready to start again in the Spring (March). If you have any suggestions, please let us know.

See ya' around the Club and thanks again,  
Vaughn, Jean Van Camp and the HPSA Youth Shotgun Program families

### Heritage Day 2009

Thank you to each and every one of our many, many volunteers – the number believed to be about 150! It is great to see so many members come together and join in to help at this event. It was a sunny, but chilly day and the attendance was great. Many kids and their parents had the opportunity, under the guidance of certified instructors, to try the shooting sports for their very first time.

We would also like to thank all of the outside organizations who participated, and were a big part of our day:

Circle R Kennels, Pheasant Forever, St. Clair Retriever Club, Lenox Township Firefighters, Macomb County Sheriff Dept, the National Guard, Civil War guys, Michigan Trapper Association, Safari Club Sabes, Safari Club – SE Bowchapter, Safari Club – Detroit Chapter, Michigan Bowhunters, Project Fish, Trout Unlimited, Wolcott Farm, Scholastic Clay kids, 4-H Coyote Club, Mich. Military Tech. & Historical Society, Animal Encounters, Mich.Duck Hunters, Historical Interpreters, Wolverine Rangers and The National Turkey Federation.

Also thanks to our opening ceremony participants: The Macomb County Young Marines; Jerome, playing the National Anthem, and Capt. Eric Fretz (who co-founded the Boy Scout program in Iraq while stationed there).

The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Heritage Day was a great success – thanks to everyone who stepped up and helped!

Joy & Mike