

Huron Pointe Sportsmen's Association

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Huron Pointe Sportsmen's Association

(Organized 1948)

Affiliated with the Michigan United Conservation Clubs

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Member News and Notes

HPSA HOURS OF OPERATION

Summer (Memorial Day thru Labor Day)

Wednesday/Friday/Saturday/Sunday

Trap/Skeet & 5-Stand 10:00AM-6:00PM

Sporting Clays 10:00AM-4:30PM (Last Board out)

3D Archery 10:00AM-4:30PM (Last Shooters out)

Winter (Labor Day thru Memorial Day)

Wednesday/Friday/Saturday/Sunday

Trap/Skeet & 5-Stand 10:00AM-4:00PM

Sporting Clays 10:00AM-2:30PM (Last Board out)

3D Archery 10:00AM-2:30PM (Last Shooters out)

Rifle Range Hours

Saturdays & Sundays

May through November 10:00AM-5:00PM

December through April 10:00AM-4:00PM

**Please remember, the closing time is when all shooting ends.
Be sure to arrive early enough to shoot as many rounds as
you like BEFORE closing time.**

Club Cleanup Day - May 17, 2014

Club will be CLOSED

Saturday, May 17th is Club Clean-up Day! All fields will be closed, all Members are needed. "Jobs" that need to be completed will be posted; these include small construction jobs, weeding, painting, repairs, etc. Ideas or to volunteer please contact Joe Burke.

District 8 Trap League

Huron Pointe will hold its D8 Shoot on Sunday May 18, 2014; there will be no open trap & skeet on these days-all three fields will be utilized. The league travels every other Sunday from April to July among the local clubs in the "District 8" region of the MUCC. Please check the board at the club for more information.

Wild Game Dinner 2014 4:30PM Saturday, March 22

Huron Pointe's 2014 Wild Game Dinner is HERE. Unpaid dinner tickets MUST be returned immediately; there is a lengthy wait list. Food prep begins on Wednesday the 19th, and continues through Saturday; workers are needed. Barn cleanup and tent setup begins at 9:00AM on Friday. The last Committee meeting is Saturday, March 8, 2014 at 1:00PM; all welcome. Workers are essential on Sunday for cleanup... get your final annual hours for 2013. Chairpersons, cooks and workers are exhausted by Sunday; new faces with big energy are a MUST.

Contributing to Your Club

DNR Hunter's Education Class

Huron Pointe's Hunter's Education Class is scheduled for Wednesday April 2 (5:30PM-9:30PM), Thursday April 3 (6:00-9:30PM) and Saturday April 5 (8:00-4:00PM), 2014. No pre-registration, register at the door at the Wednesday class. Fees are \$10.00 per student and all three (3) classes must be attended for certification. Snacks will be available on Wednesday & Thursday and lunch will be provided on Saturday. For further information you may contact Paddy Doherty at (248) 892-0160. Next class at HPSA will be in September.

Membership Dues

Our annual renewal of Membership is May 1st, 2014; twenty (20) hours are required per member to keep your rate at \$125.00 per year. Hours must be itemized and signed by the Committee Chairperson and your Membership Cards must be turned in with your dues payment to John Watson, Membership Secretary. To those who qualify for "Senior Rates" hours are still required. Please remember that an annual Hold Harmless must be signed by all Members. Members needing hardship assistance please contact John Watson at (586) 206-4457.

Youth Winter Archery

Youth Archery will have its last shoot on March 30th and banquet/fun day on April 13th. Please show up at your regular shooting time on these days. For information contact Joy Jennett at (586) 598-8018.

Want to help?

Don't know who to contact?

If you can volunteer your time and energy with any of these committees PLEASE call and assist.

Clubhouse clean up:

Mark Taylor (586) 531-7694

Grounds Maintenance:

Ted Sudomir 586-808-7365 &

Rob Robinson 586-855-3912

Archery:

Mike Jennett (586) 598-8018

Membership:

John Watson (586) 206-4457

Trap and Skeet:

Mark Taylor (586) 531-7694

Rifle Range:

Frank Gibson (248) 867-0883

Work Schedule Coord.:

Dennis White (586) 719-3639

Environ. Stewart Pgm.:

Dave Czuprenski (586) 469-3342

Sporting Clays:

Jimmy Senclair (586) 954-3276

Hunter Safety:

Rob Kitchen (586) 786-3016

Newsletter:

Jenny Zachow (586) 430-1711




Youth Shotgun:

Jean VanCamp (810) 364-6321


Women's &

Youth Programs:

Paddy Doherty (248) 892-0160

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
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|  | | | | |  | 1 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team E) T/S- |
| 2 WINTER TRAP LEAGUE YOUTH ARCHERY (Trap & Skeet Closed) Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team F) | 3 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Parent Meeting 7:00P Traditional Archery | 4 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 5 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- Winter Skeet Banquet 6:30P Adult Archery ASH WEDNESDAY | 6 QUIET DAY 7:00P Adult Archery | 7 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 8 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team G) T/S- 1:00P Wild Game Dinner Meeting |
| 9 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team H) T/S- | 10 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice 7:00P Traditional Archery | 11 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 7:00P G.M. Meeting | 12 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 6:30P Adult Archery | 13 QUIET DAY 7:00P RSO Meeting 7:00P Adult Archery | 14 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 15 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team I) T/S- |
| 16 WINTER TRAP LEAGUE YOUTH ARCHERY (Trap & Skeet Closed) Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team A) | 17 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice ST. PATRICK'S DAY | 18 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:30P Board Meeting | 19 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 6:30P Adult Archery | 20 QUIET DAY 7:00P Adult Archery | 21 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- No Youth Archery | 22 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Teams B) T/S- WILD GAME DINNER |
| 23 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team C) T/S- | 24 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 25 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 26 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 6:30P Adult Archery | 27 QUIET DAY 7:00P Adult Archery | 28 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 29 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Teams D) T/S- WETZEL PARK SPAGHETTI DINNER |
| 30 WINTER TRAP LEAGUE YOUTH ARCHERY (Trap & Skeet Closed) Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team E) | 31 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | | |  | | |

March 2014

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat | |
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|  5 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team F) T/S- 8:00A-4:00P Hunter's Ed | | 1 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 2 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet 5:30-9:30P Hunter's Ed | 3 QUIET DAY 6:00-9:30P Hunter's Ed | 4 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 5 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team F) T/S- 8:00A-4:00P Hunter's Ed | |
| 6 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team G) T/S- | 7 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Parent Meeting | 8 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 7:00P G.M. Meeting | 9 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 10 QUIET DAY | 11 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 12 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team H) T/S 2:00-9:00P BOOT, SHOOT & BOOGIE Sporting Clays Fundraiser | |
| 13 WINTER TRAP LEAGUE (Trap & Skeet Closed) YOUTH BANQUET/FUN DAY Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team I) | 14 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 15 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 16 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 17 QUIET DAY | 18 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 19 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team A) T/S- | |
| 20 EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB CLOSED | 21 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 22 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:30P Board Meeting | 23 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 24 QUIET DAY | 25 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 6:00 Adult Archery Banquet 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 26 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Teams C) T/S- HPYSP SPAGHETTI DINNER | |
| 27 WINTER TRAP BANQUET Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team D) T/S- | 28 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 29 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 30 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | April 2014 | | | |

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| May 2014 | | | | | | |
| 4 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team F) T/S- | 5 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 6 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 7 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 8 QUIET DAY | 9 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 10 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team G) T/S |
| 11 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team H) T/S- | 12 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 13 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 7:00P G.M. Meeting | 14 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 15 QUIET DAY | 16 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 17 CLUB CLEAN-UP DAY ALL FIELDS CLOSED |
| 18 DISTRICT 8 SHOOT TRAP & SKEET CLOSED Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team A) T/S- | 19 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:00P HPYSP Practice | 20 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED 6:30P Board Meeting | 21 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 22 QUIET DAY | 23 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 24 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Teams B) T/S- |
| 25 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Team C) T/S- | 26 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY | 27 CLUBHOUSE & ALL FIELDS CLOSED | 28 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S- 5:00P Spring Skeet | 29 QUIET DAY | 30 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays T/S 5:00-7:00P Coyotes 7:00-9:00P Youth Archery | 31 Open Trap & Skeet Sporting Clays Open Rifle Range (Teams D) T/S- |

President's Message

The good news is it's March, hopefully winter is about done and it will warm up!

We have plenty of activities planned for spring and summer at Huron Pointe, so look for all the events listed in this month's newsletter.

We are preparing for our Wild Game Dinner on March 22, 2014. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year and involves a lot of work, if you can help set-up prior to or clean-up the day after, please call me to volunteer at (586) 718-6775.

"See you at the Club,"

Joe Burke

H.P.S.A. President

Huron Pointe Youth Shotgun Program (HPYSP)

It that time of year again... The start of the 2014 Youth Shotgun Program. Mark your calendars:

March 3rd (Monday) - Parents and shooters information and sign up meeting 6pm (Clubhouse)

March 10 (Monday) - First Practice (Dress for the weather!!!) We shoot in all conditions beginning at 6 pm (report to field #2)

We will be practicing Mondays through the last Monday in October. Exceptions: Memorial Day, First Monday in August (AIM Nationals) and Labor Day.

The Kids are having a Spaghetti Dinner (fund raiser) on April 26th (Saturday) - come out and enjoy Coach Mark Lietke's famous Spaghetti & Sauce (with meat balls on the side).

Coach V and I are looking forward to meeting new shooters and welcoming back our experienced shooters. If you need more information please call 810-364-6321 or email jvcamp01@att.net.

Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays Desk Workers

Workers are needed on the week-ends and weekdays to run the front desk in the clubhouse. Tasks include taking cash for Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays shooters, filling the houses, answering the phones and greeting Members as they enter the club. For more information please contact Dennis White at (586) 719-3639.

March

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| Mar 2, 16, 30 | Winter Trap League Youth Archery |
| Mar 3, 10 | Traditional Archery |
| Mar 3 | HPYSP Parent Meeting |
| Mar 5 | Ash Wednesday Winter Skeet Banquet |
| Mar 5, 12, 19, 26 | Wednesday Adult Archery |
| Mar 6, 13, 20, 27 | Thursday Adult Archery |
| Mar 7, 14, 28 | Friday Youth Archery |
| Mar 8 | Wild Game Dinner Meeting |
| Mar 10, 17, 24, 31 | HPYSP Practice |
| Mar 11 | General Membership Meeting |
| Mar 13 | RSO Meeting |
| Mar 18 | Board/Rec Center Meeting |
| Mar 22 | Wild Game Dinner |
| Mar 29 | Wetzel Park Spaghetti Dinner |

Upcoming Points of Interest



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| Apr 2, 3 & 5 | Hunter's Ed Class |
| Apr 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | Spring Skeet League |
| Apr 4, 11, 18, 25 | Friday Youth Archery |
| Apr 7, 14, 21, 28 | HPYSP Practice |
| Apr 8 | General Membership Meeting |
| Apr 12 | Boot, Shoot & Boogie |
| | Sporting Clays Fundraiser |
| Apr 13 | Youth Archery Banquet/Fun Day |
| | Winter Trap League |
| Apr 20 | Easter Holiday - Club Closed |
| Apr 22 | Board Meeting (change of date) |
| Apr 25 | Adult Archery Banquet |
| Apr 26 | HPYSP Spaghetti Dinner |
| Apr 27 | Winter Trap Banquet |

April

May

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| May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | Friday Youth Archery |
| May 5, 12, 19 | HPYSP Practice |
| May 7, 14, 21, 28 | Spring Skeet League |
| May 13 | General Membership Meeting |
| May 17 | CLUB CLEAN-UP DAY |
| | ALL FIELDS CLOSED |
| May 18 | District 8 Trap Shoot |



Rifle Range (RSO) Schedule

Saturday 1 Mar Team E Jack DeMonte, Rob Robinson, Dave Puffpaff, Ted Sudomir, Terry Lucier, Mark Nadon
 Sunday 2 Mar Team F Jim Kaltz, Eric Field, Jim Lane, Bill Wyte, Mike Mousseau, Jim Szczesny
 Saturday 8 Mar Team G Pete Hamel, Terry Dickmann, Bill Mattice, Vito Salvaggio, Mark Forbert
 Sunday 9 Mar Team H Greg McCann, Rod Stumpf, Jim Goerlich, Doug Kozma, Mark Kaufman, Bill Bauer
 Saturday 15 Mar Team I Bill Cole, Vijay Baskaran, Paddy Doherty, Greg DeLeeuw, Tom Cook, Dick Hamilton, Tim Knapp, Jim Grimes
 Sunday 16 Mar Team A Jim Carrico, John Kource, Maynard Nim, William Herpel, Maurice Deprez, Paul Schlutow, Mark Fenn
 Saturday 22 Mar Team B Mike Benoit, Bob Schmidt, Bob Noel, Andy Oderkirk, Curt Boyles
 Sunday 23 Mar Team C Tom Campbell, Mark Conachen, Howard Dehring, Frank Gibson, Steve Sondey
 Saturday 29 Mar Team D Wally Grala, Dave Metter, Mike Przydatek, Gary Hart
 Sunday 30 Mar Team E Jack DeMonte, Rob Robinson, Dave Puffpaff, Ted Sudomir, Terry Lucier, Mark Nadon

Saturday 5 Apr Team F Jim Kaltz, Eric Field, Jim Lane, Bill Wyte, Mike Mousseau, Jim Szczesny
 Sunday 6 Apr Team G Pete Hamel, Terry Dickmann, Bill Mattice, Vito Salvaggio, Mark Forbert
 Saturday 12 Apr Team H Greg McCann, Rod Stumpf, Jim Goerlich, Doug Kozma, Mark Kaufman, Bill Bauer
 Sunday 13 Apr Team I Bill Cole, Vijay Baskaran, Paddy Doherty, Greg DeLeeuw, Tom Cook, Dick Hamilton, Tim Knapp, Jim Grimes
 Saturday 19 Apr Team A Jim Carrico, John Kource, Maynard Nim, William Herpel, Maurice Deprez, Paul Schlutow, Mark Fenn
 Sunday 20 Apr Team B EASTER HOLIDAY - CLUB CLOSED
 Saturday 26 Apr Team C Tom Campbell, Mark Conachen, Howard Dehring, Frank Gibson, Steve Sondey
 Sunday 27 Apr Team D Wally Grala, Dave Metter, Mike Przydatek, Gary Hart

Costs

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

Rifle Range Open

10:00AM-5:00PM (May 1st - November 30th)
 10:00AM-4:00PM (December 1st - April 30th)



Rifle Range Director - Frank Gibson (248) 867-0883
Co-Director - Mike Llewellyn (586) 565-1403



Sporting Clays

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

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

LAST BOARD SENT OUT AT 2:30PM

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.

Costs: Members \$4.00
 Non-members \$6.00
 Youth \$3.00

Crazy Grouse (5-Stand)

Closed for the Season

Outdoor 3D Archery

Open during Club business hours
(Please arrive 1 1/2 hours prior to closing to shoot)
Closes November 30th

Winter Trap League & Banquet

Winter Trap shoots March 2, 16 & 30 and April 13 with the Banquet on April 27. On Banquet day fields will be open and all league shooter may shoot at Member rates. Dinner will be served at 4:00PM with award ceremony immediately following. For and any questions or concerns please contact Jenny Zachow at (586) 430-1711.

RSO News

There will be an RSO Meeting on Thursday, March 13, 2014 at 7:00PM. All RSO's please attend, there have been many changes and this is the opportunity to discuss experiences and possible improvements to the Range. Club Cleanup Day is May 17, there are items that need to be addressed/replaced downrange.

Summer Sporting Clays League

Back by popular demand... The Summer Sporting Clays League! The League is on Wednesday Nights from June 18-August 20, 2014. Save the dates, the League begins at 4:00PM, all are welcome. For information please check out the flyer on our website under "Upcoming Events" or contact Julie Wallace at hpsashotgunleague@gmail.com.

Friends of WC Wetzel State Park
Tenth Annual
All-You-Can-Eat
Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

Saturday, March 29, 2014 from 6:00pm to 8:30pm
at

Huron Pointe Sportsmen's Association
35800 28 Mile Rd, New Haven
(1 Mile east of Gratiot on 28 Mile)

Bring a friend – Bring the family
Great Food – Great Fun

Great Fun
Raffle
Silent Auctions

Educational
Information about the park
Guest speakers

All you can eat spaghetti and salad.
Adults \$8
Kids 12 and under \$5
Kids 5 and under Free



Friends is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization
and your donation is tax deductible.

For info or advanced tickets:
(586) 254-2493
(586) 598-8018



35800 28 Mile Road, Lenox, MI (3/4 east of Gratiot) 586-749-5420

2014 SPRING
SKEET LEAGUE



12ga, 20ga, 28ga, 410

2-Rounds



Runs Every Wednesday for 10 Weeks.

April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28; June 4; Banquet June 11

Start time is 4:00PM w/last board out 8:00PM

\$12.00 per person \$8.00 Juniors (17 & Under)

First & Last Week, & \$10 Trophy-Banquet fee due at First Shoot.

For more information please E-mail Julie Wallace
at: hpsashotgunleague@gmail.com



BOOT, SHOOT & Boogie



13-Station Sporting Clay and
Mostaccioli Dinner Fundraiser

To Support Foundation for Fighting Blindness

FOUNDATION
FIGHTING
BLINDNESS

Saturday, April 12th, 2014

2PM – 9PM – Registration begins at 1PM

(Dinner served between 4–6PM)

Huron Pointe Sportsmen's Association



35800 28 Mile Road
Lenox, MI 48048

(Between County Line & Gratiot)



\$50.00 per shooter – includes Shells & Dinner

Adult dinner only: \$10.00

Children dinner only: (ages 5–10): \$5.00

Coordinator: Kim Watson – (586) 206-3832 (watson4647@att.net)