

# Izaak Walton League of America, Inc.

Defender of Soil, Woods, Waters and Wildlife

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## Newsletter

August 2012



### News Brief

- President: Big Thank You to All!
- Nominations: Ballot Approved.
- Wildlife: July Wildlife Winners!
- Grounds: Help Needed ASAP!
- Shrimp Boil: Deadlines & Information
- Entertainment: Shrimp Boil & Catfish Tournament!

### President: Bob Warner

Its back....Shrimp Boil 2012! It is all hands on deck. We need everyone, and then some, to make it the best ever. Members, spouses, family, friends and volunteers must see Mudge a.s.a.p. to sign up and help.

July was one of the hottest on record so our lake offered up a beautiful oasis during the sweltering heat.

A big shout out to Lori Brach and the Lady Ikes, kitchen crew, and all who helped with the Corn Boil! The food was delicious and the corn sweet as sugar.

The time capsule was excavated and opened on our 75th anniversary and is now on display in the Grand Hall,

Kudos to all who assisted with the dig and the taking- in of scrap metal. Thanks to Jack DeHorn for the use of his dump truck. Thanks to Larry Nowak for having 15 of our picnic tables back in service in time for the boil. Thanks to Troy Zaharis and family for sprucing up Joe Buzzy Park.... it looks great! A big pat on the back to Chuck Jr. and General for fixing the rowboat pier and to all for their work on grounds.

Finally, thanks to all who have helped this year serve our chapter. It has been an honor and privilege to have been your president. Please continue to show your support to Chuck Jacobsma Jr. and the future officers, board, committees, and event chairman.

Get up to the club, stay involved, and keep up the good work!  
Thanks again one and all!

### **Vice President: Tim Green**

Glad to see most people are getting their work duties done. Just a couple members, Matt Altman and Matt Compton need to make up their missed work duty. The club looks good! Thanks!

### **Nominations: Capt. Ron / Dick Hallstein**

The following nominations have been approved to be placed on the ballot for the upcoming elections on Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>:

President: Chuck Jacobsma, Jr.  
Vice President: Tim Green  
Treasurer: Tim O'Shea  
Recording Secretary: Kim Moline  
Membership Secretary: Julie Osborne  
Corresponding Secretary: Dan Ceislak  
Board of Directors:  
Jim Filippo  
Ron Lively  
Bob Warner  
State Director: Tom Terfler

Elections will be held at the mandatory Shrimp Boil work party on Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, from 8am until 12pm.

### Membership: Julie Osborne

Recruit new members! We still have summer functions coming up so a new person could get their meetings in quickly.

**REMINDER: 2012/2013 DUES ARE DUE SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2012.**

**\$174 FOR MEMBERS --- \$154 FOR LIFE MEMBERSHIP**

Thanks and Recruit, Recruit, Recruit!!

### Shrimp Boil: Mudge

Here we go! Shrimp Boil 2012! We will need all members, their families, and friends to make this year's event another success! Please read over all the information sent with your tickets.

Just a few reminders:

All members are required to work on Friday, August 10, Saturday, August 11 and Sunday, August 12.

Check with Mudge ASAP if you haven't let him know where you would like to work or he will assign you somewhere.

**All shrimp ticket money (\$130.00) is due at the August 5<sup>th</sup> work party. Check information with tickets for penalty amounts if late. Members need to make out one check for all tickets sold.**

We need some extra work done asap. Can you help out on the following dates?:

August 4 – painting picnic tables – 10am

August 7 & 8 – wrap up any extra projects – 6pm til ?

Parking will be limited for members this year. Details will be announced at the August 5<sup>th</sup> work party.

## Grounds: General Lee

Thank you to all members for their help keeping the grounds in order during this spring and summer. Thank you to Larry Nowak for fixing many picnic tables that are now ready for Shrimp Boil.

New bean bags have been purchased for use by members. Inquire at the bar if you would like to borrow them. A deposit is required until they are returned. Boxes are located in the Beach House. Everything must be returned after use.

## Claudia Ontiveros

Congratulations to the final \$100.00 Wildlife winners for 2011 - 2012!!!!

June 24th - Ticket # 151 sold by Don Compton  
July 1st - Ticket # 440 sold by Ed Moline  
July 8th - Ticket # 731 sold by Frank Zalud  
July 15th - Ticket # 510 sold by Jerry Osborne  
July 22nd - Ticket # 770 sold by Claudia Ontiveros  
July 29th - Ticket # 859 sold by Al Brach

**All mandatory tickets stubs and revenue were due June 17, 2012.**

There is a drop box in the bar to return your tickets (please do not put cash in the return box). Please turn your tickets in if you haven't already done so. The first drawing is August 4, 2012. The top winners will be determined after the first drawing. There is only a few days left to sell any additional tickets. Continue to SELL, SELL, SELL!!!

## Lady Ikes: Lori Brach

Hello! Hope all is well for you and yours!! As we are in the beautiful days of summer what a better time to come to a meeting! Lady Ikes Meetings are scheduled the 3rd Friday of each month at 7:00 pm. Meetings always include lots of fun, conversation, relaxation and refreshments!

Corn Boil 2012: On behalf of Claudia, myself and the entire membership of the Lady Ikes, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to those that helped with our annual "Corn Boil". The success of the event could not have happend without the assistance of those that stepped forward! Also a warm thank you to the great crowd we had, the beautiful weather and the seamless flow of the day! It really does make a difference in success and failure as we continue to work together as a team!

Thanks, respectfully Lori

### **Entertainment: JoAnne Tyree**

As we all know our big event, Shrimp Boil is around the corner. Have you invited the **whole** family, and **all** your friends? Even if they have attended before, invite them out for the new Car Show! If you know of a place we could advertise, there are fliers available at the club. In addition to T-Shirt sales, we will be selling beer koozies this year. Be sure to bring friends and family by to check them out.

Looking into September we have our annual All Night Catfish Tournament/Campout on Saturday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, starting at 4pm. Mark your calendar. If you like CASH, get out the tackle box and get ready to win! Flier with details attached

### **Website: Dan Cieslak/JoAnne Tyree**

The club calendar is available on the website and can help you look ahead to see what is happening here at the club. Board and Membership meetings, Lady Ikes meetings and events, club events, work parties, holiday celebrations, it's all right there. Calendars now show club events 3 to 4 months in advance. Last minute plans may be posted at a moment's notice, so check back often so you don't miss out.

### **Newsletter: JoAnne Tyree:**

To be in line with our website, we are including more calendars in the newsletter to let everyone know what is happening at the club in advance. Also, in an effort to get our newsletter to everyone, we have put

together a list of members who do not have access to the internet, or cannot get up to the club to pick a copy up. If you know of anyone who would be interested in having a copy mailed, please contact me or Dan Cieslak to get on the mailing list.

All submissions for the newsletter should be sent to JoAnne Tyree ([jotyree@comcast.net](mailto:jotyree@comcast.net)) by the membership meeting each month. Otherwise they can be left in the bar mailbox, but please call me to let me know they are there. (708)372-2328.