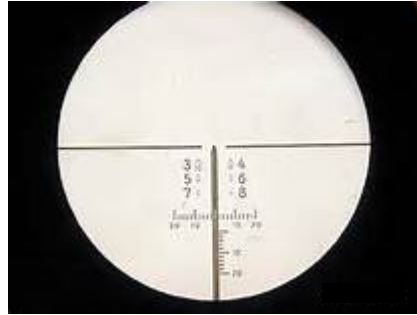


# Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club



**Sight Picture**

**March 2016**



**On March 24, 1944 in what was known as "The Great Escape" 76 aviators break out of Stalag Luft III.**



**On March 29, 1941 North American's Dallas plant produces their first AT-6. One of more military aircraft than ever produced on earth.**

**Per our membership director Bob Griffith:**

**At last report our annual members have renewed for 2016, and our new members have been processed. That leaves us with no vacancies.**

**Gone South:**

**One of our long time life members Ken Depperman passed away recently. That leaves us with 22 life members. We hope that Ken is on that big shooting range in the sky.**

## **New Members:**

### **Wow! What a group of new members, welcome:**

Albrech, L A; Andrews, Jay; Barnes, Gary; Beeney, William G; Behrens, George; Bench, Darren & Lolousi; Bosnich, Katie; Bourazak, Beverly; Bousky, John; Bowling, Robyn; Brakeman, Jeremy; Briggs, Tyrus; Brock, Robert; Brooks, Corey; Brown, Kevin M; Brown, Michael; Brown, William H; Bruce, Leslie Eric; Bruner, Bruce; Bumbalough, Tony; Bungard, Denise & Jeff; Burke, Nick; Bussell, Noah; Chance, Mike; Close, Jonathan J; Darrow, Gary R; Dewey, Jon F; Dixon, Bradley; Duncan, Michael; Dye, Jesse; England, Mark L; Fleming, Bill; Ford Sr, Jackson C; Forker, Raymond L; Freilinger, Michael J; Fyke, Gary; Garcia, Juan; Genseal, Andrew; Gibson, Jack; Gibson, Mark D; Gillette, Chris; Goodyear, Scott; Gumtow, Charles; Gurnsey, Eldon; Haase, John; Handly, Douglas; Harwood, Charles W; Heinrich, William P; Holmes, Kyle; Johnson, Ron; Johnson, Scott A; Joseph, John; Keller, George S; Kempa, Bryan; Kempa, Kevin D; Kessinger, William M; Ketterer, Michael E; Klaus, Scott; Kowalsky, Frank J; Kuntz, Darmon; Kuntz, David; Kurtz, Craig; Lowe, Gary W; Marchini, John; Marfell, Howard M; Martinie, Brian; McCarthy, Jeremiah John; McCarthy, Joshua; Menendez, Joseph; Michalek, Steven; Miller, Clifford; Miller, Jeffrey P; Minger, Mike; Mitchell, Stephen; Mohr, Mike; Mooberry, Jennifer; Ng, Bobby; Ostler, William L; Parshall, Coy; Peterson, John; Phelps, Andrew; Pinson, David M; Rector, David; Rezutka, Richard; Ridings, Mark W; Rowell, Richard E; Rumba, Trent; Rusk, Samuel D; Schneider, Jake; Schrader, Steve; Schrock, Ronald; Sehring, Robert; Shane, David M; Sheckler, Erin; Short, Jerry; Smith, Tom; Stanbary, Brook; Stodgel, William F; Struble, Joshua; Surratt, Douglas W; Uteley, Jared; Wagner, Shawn A; Waldman, John; Waldron, John; Walraven, Gregg; Weiland, Stephen P; White, Larry G; Wolfe, Michael; Zentko, Joe; Zhang, Jianhua; Zimmerman, Matt

**This proves that our club is alive and well. We have now reached our annual membership cap of 850.**

### **Indoor Work Party:**

**Work Hours – Indoor Range Cleanup: Saturday, March 12, 9 AM, Indoor Range only due to Hunter Ed Class upstairs. Questions – call Bob Bjerke @ (309) 692-1800.**

### **Outdoor Work Party:**

**The next outdoor work party will be on March 5, 2016 at 8:00 AM. We will be cleaning up trash, cutting up trees, moving heavy tables, and burning brush piles if possible. Bring chain saws, tree trimming tools, trucks, trailer, tractors with buckets.**

**All ranges are closed to shooting until after the work party is complete (about 12:00 PM) except for scheduled events.**

**Contact Steve Schneckenburger 309-657-0170 for information.**

**A note from our grounds keeper:**

Please do not dump anything on club property unless given permission. Someone has dropped off wood spools, tables, plywood, etc. Please contact Steve to see if these items are needed by the club.

#### **Trap Range Work Party:**

A trap range work party will be held on March 26 at 8:00AM until 11:00AM. The league meeting will begin at 11:00AM. For more information contact Jerry Oglesby at 309-360-6152

#### **Archery:**

We have two new archery directors. Bill Snecknenburger, and David Green will tag team this responsibility. Please give them your support and participation in the events.

#### **Lake Dredging:**

As one of our capital improvement projects we would like to dredge the lake to make the South end deeper and fill in the North end so that lead shot does not fall into the water per DNR regulations. If any of our members have access or knowledge of such equipment, please come forward.

#### **Youth Shooting Sports Invitational Weekend:**

##### **APRIL YSSI WEEKEND WORK HOUR CREDITS:**

The 15th Annual YSSI Weekend is set for April 15 & 16, 2016. Help will be needed on Saturday, the 16th, on all ranges (Indoor Rifle, Shotgun, Archery, High-Power Rifle, Muzzleloading Rifle, Cowboy Action Pistol, Buffalo Rifle, USPSA, and in the Clubhouse & Kitchen.

We will especially need two or three very early risers to come in and start cooking breakfast at 4 AM so that we can be ready to feed everyone by 6:30 AM. The remaining kitchen staff needs to be here by 6 AM to help finish the cooking and to get everything out and ready to feed the participants.

**WORK HOUR CREDITS** will be given to all volunteers who assist. Call the appropriate Range Director listed below to volunteer for that Range or Bob Bjerke for clubhouse & kitchen duties and for any other questions.

<b>Clubhouse &amp; Kitchen</b>	<b>Bob Bjerke</b>	<b>309/692-1800</b>
<b>Indoor 22 Rifle</b>	<b>Don Clemens</b>	<b>309/274-6870</b>
<b>Shotgun/Trap</b>	<b>Jerry Oglesby</b>	<b>309/360-6152</b>
<b>Archery</b>	<b>Gary Balzarini</b>	<b>815/579-8774</b>

High-Power Rifle	Chris Bach	309/256-1712
Muzzle-loading Rifle	Tom French	309/246/2073
Cowboy Action Pistol	Kory Ricketts	309/267-1578
Buffalo Rifle	Tim Shoff	309/657-4439
USPSA Pistol	Kevin Monk	309/645-8949

## Well Armed Women Program:

Any woman over the age of 21 who can legally own a firearm is welcome. You may attend one meeting free. Our members are all ages so don't be shy about coming. You can get more information by emailing us at [twawpeoriail@gmail.com](mailto:twawpeoriail@gmail.com).

**Your leaders are Anne, Kathy and Michele:** The Greater Peoria Area Chapter of the Well-Armed Woman meets on the 4th Friday of each month. Membership is open to any woman over age 21 who is legally able to own a firearm. We are women teaching women.

Meetings are from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the main clubhouse. You can attend one meeting before deciding to join. Each meeting usually consists of a one hour program on a gun related topic and one hour of range time. You must be a member to shoot. You are welcome to watch. We usually have eye and ear protection for you to wear.

We help new shooters to learn the basics and try to get them involved with shooting sports of some sort. We do provide firearms for first time shooters. There is a \$5.00 range fee plus the cost of ammunition. You will need to take a gun safety course if you are a new shooter. It's pretty fun. We stress safety at all times. We have NRA certified instructors and RSO's.

This month it will be on the 25th of March. Really look forward to meeting you. It's really a fun and informative time.

Feel free to check out our Facebook page. [www.facebook.com/TWAWGreaterPeoriaArea](https://www.facebook.com/TWAWGreaterPeoriaArea)

Here is a link to our national organizations page. <https://twawshootingchapters.org/>

You can contact us by email at [twawpeoriail@gmail.com](mailto:twawpeoriail@gmail.com)

Your leaders are

Anne Woodshank

Kathy McCullough

Michele McCullough

# **Introduction to Bulls-eye Pistol Shooting**

**Class starts Wednesday March 2 @ 6:00 PM Chillicothe Sportsman Club**

**The class runs for 4 weeks, every Wednesday night**

**Class covers**

- **Safety**
- **Operation of pistols**
- **Techniques for sighting**
- **Breathing**
- **Trigger control**
- **Rules of Bulls-eye shooting**

**No experience is necessary; we provide Ruger Mark III 22/45 pistols to use ammo and targets or you can bring your own pistol (no Magnum rounds, i.e. 357mag, 44mag). 22lr, 380acp, 9mm, 38spl, 40S&W, 45 ACP, etc. are OK**

**Cost is \$75.00 this covers Ammo (350 rounds) and targets**

**Cost is \$35.00 if you are supplying your own gun and ammo**

**The Chillicothe Sportsman club is located about 1.5 miles north of Chillicothe on route 29. There is a sign on the right side of the road when heading north.**

**For more information call Jeff Payne 309-264-2276 or Scott Kirchner 309-256-3881.**

**The class is limited to 12 people. We usually have 1 instructor to every 3 to 4 participants to guide you through the class.**

## **Club Officers:**

**President: Chris Bach (309) 256-1712**

**Vice President: Derek Howald (309) 657-1518**

**Secretary Donald Clemens (309) 274-6870**

**Treasurer: Lowell Bennett (309) 274-5586**

**Membership Director: Bob Griffith (309) 274-2068**

# And Finally:

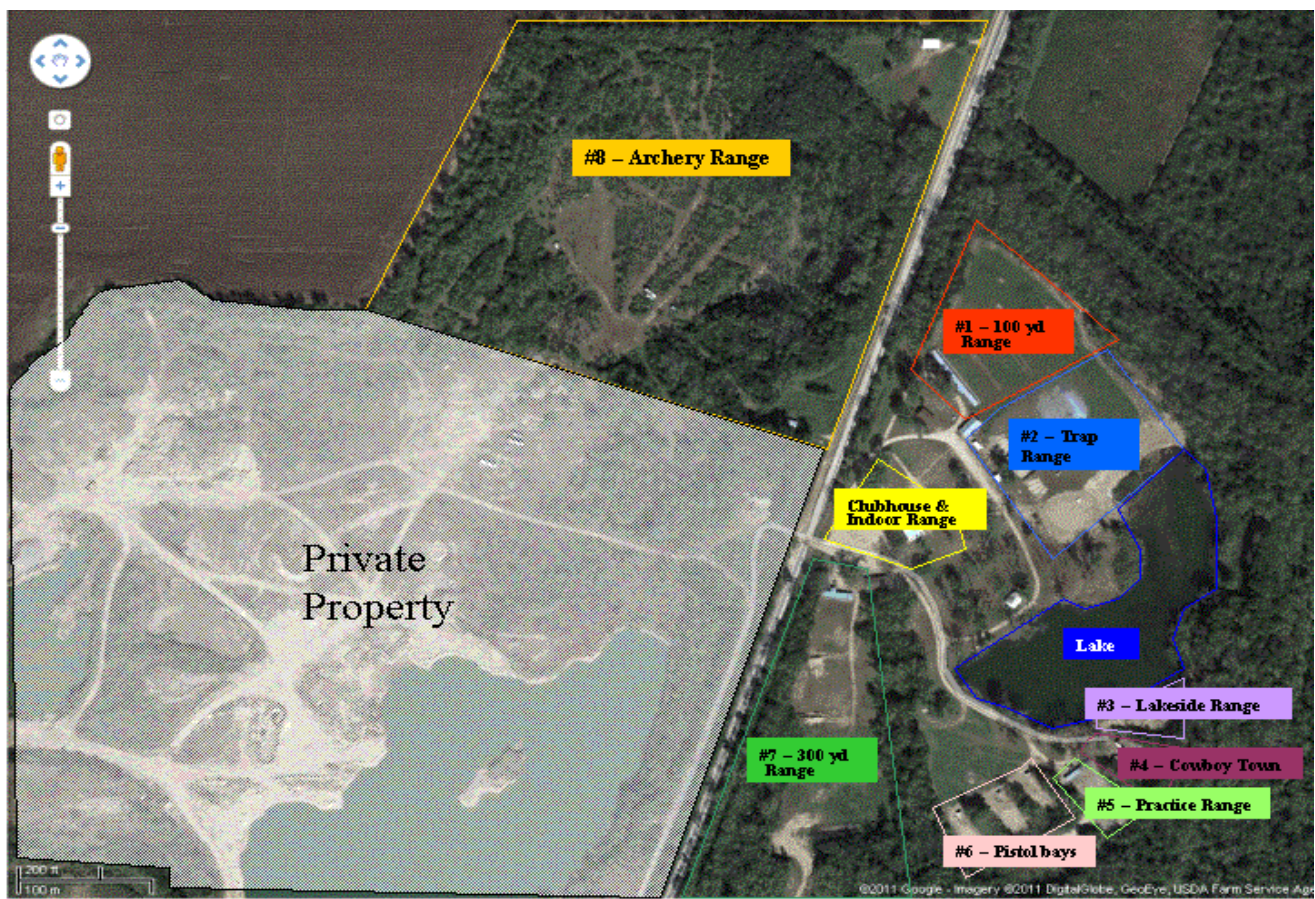
The next gun show will be on April 2, 3, 2016. Mark your calendars. Setup will be on Friday April 1 (fools day?).

All Ranges are open and the ice has melted. We are also in the early stages of adding more ranges. More later.

## RANGE NUMBERS

The following are the range numbers:

<u>RANGE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1 --	100 yard range
2 --	Trap range
3 --	Short lakeside range (just north of Cowboy Town)
4 --	Cowboy Town
5 --	Practice Range
6 --	3-bays
7 --	300 yard range
8 --	Archery Range



# Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club Calendar of Activities

## March

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
		<b>1</b> Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	<b>2</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr Intro2B'eye—6 PM 2—Open Trap—6 PM	<b>3</b> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Outdoor Work Party—8 AM Indr Small Bore—8 AM CH & Indr-WOT-8 AM
<b>6</b> 2—Open Trap—10 AM 5—MZL-R—10 AM Indr-Bowling Pin-1 PM	<b>7</b> Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM	<b>8</b> Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM <i>Board Meeting 6:30PM</i>	<b>9</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr Intro2B'eye—6 PM 2—Open Trap—6 PM <i>Hunter Ed Setup—7 PM</i>	<b>10</b> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM <i>CH--Hunter Ed—5 PM</i>	<b>11</b> <i>CH—Hunter Ed—5 PM</i>	<b>12</b> <i>CH—Hunter Ed—8 AM</i> Indr Clean—9 AM 1-Mauser Match—9 AM 4,5,6a—Cowboy Setup—1 PM
<b>13</b> <i>Daylight Saving Time Begins</i> 4,5,6a-Cowboy—9 AM	<b>14</b> Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM <b>CH—NMO—6:30 PM</b>	<b>15</b> Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	<b>16</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr Intro2B'eye—6 PM 2—Open Trap—6 PM	<b>17</b> <i>St Patrick's Day</i> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM Indr Bullseye—7 PM	<b>18</b> <i>CH-NRA (TBD) Inst Class (RAB)—6 PM</i>	<b>19</b> Archery 3-D—7 AM Indr Small Bore—8 AM <i>CH-NRA (TBD) Inst Class(RAB)—8 AM</i> 1—HPR—1 PM
<b>20</b> <i>Palm Sunday</i> Archery 3-D—7 AM 1-CLOSED FOR ATA 2-ATA MATCH—8 AM <i>CH-NRA (TBD) Inst Cloass(RAB)—8 AM</i> 7—RF Buffalo—9 AM 5—MZL-R—10 AM Indr—22 Steel—10 AM	<b>21</b> Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM	<b>22</b> Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	<b>23</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr Intro2B'eye—6 PM 2—Open Trap—6 PM	<b>24</b> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM Indr Bullseye—7 PM	<b>25</b> <i>Good Friday</i> Indr—TAWA—6 PM	<b>26</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM 2-Trap Work Party-8 A League Meeting—11 A 3,4,6a,6b,6c—USPSA Setup—1 PM
<b>27</b> <i>Easter Sunday</i> Indr or 3,4,6a,6b,6c—USPSA—9 AM	<b>28</b> Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM	<b>29</b> Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	<b>30</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM 2—Open Trap—6 PM	<b>31</b> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM		

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## April

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
					<b>1</b> <i>CH—Spring Gun Show Setup—9:30 AM</i>	<b>2</b> Outdoor Work Party—8 AM <i>CH-Spring Gun Show— 8:30 AM—4 PM</i>
<b>3</b> <i>CH-Spring Gun Show— 8:30 AM—3 PM Gun Show Cleanup-3 P 2—Open Trap—9 AM 7—CF Buffalo—9 AM 5—MZL-R—10 AM</i>	<b>4</b> Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM	<b>5</b> Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM	<b>6</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM 2—Open Trap—5 PM League(1)—6 PM	<b>7</b> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr & CH Clean-9 AM 1-Mauser Match—9 AM 5—Bowling Pin—9 AM 4,5,6a—Cowboy Setup—1 PM
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