

# CAMERON COUNTY BUCKTAIL ROD & GUN CLUB EMPORIUM, PENNSYLVANIA 15834

AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO BETTER HUNTING, FISHING AND SPORTSMANSHIP LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE ENDLESS MOUNTAINS.

Facebook: "Cameron County Bucktail Rod & Gun Club"
Web: https://ccbrgc.com

## Dear Members,

Welcome to another membership year I hope this finds you all doing well as we are into the fall and hunting season. If you are out hunting, I hope you are enjoying your time in the woods and that you are successful.

We had a busy year starting with corn sale and the youth ice fishing day. This was the first year of having a school trap team using our range from late February until late May. We hosted two school youth shoots with teams from other towns. There will be another youth team in 2026. The trap team had a benefit shoot to help fund the team. We also had the Ed Bailey Memorial shoot in the fall that benefits the club and trap range. The Drum and Henry fishing derby was in June with approximately 150 youth in attendance.

Some club improvements we did this year: We purchased six new picnic tables to match the newer tables we have. Six more need replacement. We put a partial ceiling under the pavilion and plan on continuing with that in the future. We also had to do some work on the kitchen sink drain system.

I would like to thank all the volunteers for your help and our members that help finance our club. Without you the club could not be what it is.

Please, if you would like to help us, put a note in with your membership or call me at the number at the end of newsletter.

## Some dates in the future when we will need help:

- Jan. 17th, 9am-10am or longer and every Sat. after to give out corn until gone.
- Springtime to get club ready for the summer.
- First week in June to prepare for the Kids Fishing Derby.
- Mowing, weed eating and projects during the summer.

The raffle winners for last year were: Lee Vasco, Skip Ford, Jamie Orner. Tom Prosper and Ron Groves.

### **Club Activities:**

- The Drum and Henry Fishing Derby will be Sunday June 7<sup>th</sup>
- We will have a Youth Ice Fishing event in late January or early February (weather permitting).
- Weekly trap shoots have been Sundays at 1:00 from spring through the fall. Look at our web and Facebook sites for dates and times.

**Corn**: We plan on having corn available again this year but because of the dry season we may not have as much as in the past. We will give out corn at the club Saturday morning's starting Jan. 17th, from 9am – 10 am or later if necessary. Details will be advertised on our Facebook and web sites. Corn price has not been decided yet.

**Ranges**: We try to keep the shooting ranges in good shape for your use. Please follow the rules and hang targets where you are not shooting posts or boards. *Note, THE PISTOL AND RAPID-FIRE RANGES WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE FIRST DAY OF DEER SEASON.* 

**Trap Range:** Look on our web and Facebook pages for dates and times of open shoots.

Club Rentals: For information about renting the club contact Frank Armanini.

**Club Dues:** Enclosed you will find your dues application and raffle tickets that help defer the cost of sending out the newsletter. A self-addressed and stamped envelope would also help in sending back your membership card. Your continued membership is greatly appreciated.

- If you are 80 plus and have been a past member for 20 years you will receive a free membership.
- Current club membership is approximately 750
- A family membership is intended for immediate family.

We are always looking for ideas and help to make the club a better place for you to use. Please let us know if you are interested in helping or have ideas.

Our membership meetings are held quarterly, Jan., April, July, and October on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM. Our meetings will be advertised.

To find any changes or new activities please follow our web site and Facebook pages (addresses are at the top of this newsletter). Additionally, instructions to subscribe to the club calendar are located at the bottom of the calendar page on our website.

In closing our board of directors would like to wish you a safe and enjoyable hunting and holiday season.

Sincerely,

Frank Armanini, President

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