



# OAK HARBOR CONSERVATION CLUB CONNECTION

October - November '10 Issue Web Page : www.ohcc.us Club Phone: (419) 898-9923

### F.Y.I.

Membership fee is \$75.00 annually (\$50.00 for Sr. Citizen 65 yrs. or older) with a one time \$20.00 initiation fee; (Upland Game Fee, is \$30 Annually -Open To All Members ) all regular memberships expire on **Dec. 31** of each year, regardless of date joined

**All monthly meetings are held on the second Monday of the month at 975 South Gordon Rd. Oak Harbor, Ohio**

**Trustees & Officers Meeting - 7 P.M. The General Meeting 8 P.M.**

*I would like to urge all members to attend monthly meetings. This is your club, and if you would like your interests represented for any voting, you must be present to vote. Please participate*

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Those members who wish to use the outdoor range are to bring their own targets and stands and remove them when finished. **REMEMBER - Any trash left behind is removed by volunteers, there are no paid workers!**  
*Thank You*

**Terry Rudes will conduct a NRA - Range Officers Safety Course**  
**Saturday, Nov. 20 or Saturday, Dec. 11**  
**From 8 A.M. Till Noon**  
**\$50- Club Members**  
**\$60 - Non-Club Members**  
**Contact Terry at 419- 732-3000.**

**NOTICE:** : Deadline for the newsletter and/or calendar items is at the monthly meetings. Give your information to J. Slosnerick or e-mail: ohccjackie@cros.net. Thank you.

**ATTENTION SNOWBIRDS:** If you are going south for the winter, please let us know where and for how long you would like your newsletter sent, because our newsletters are mailed bulk mail **YOUR NEWSLETTER WILL NOT BE FORWARDED!** Yes, you must do this every year to ensure proper delivery.

**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:** The Oak Harbor Conservation Club would like to introduce the following new members **Richard Weillnau, W. Dave Gwin and C. Matt Conn.** We're glad to have you join us!

**NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS-** All of those who are interested in getting an electronic key fob , (\$20) to the clubhouse and/or to be checked out for the use of the range(s), come to the Gordon Road Clubhouse **Monday, October 25 at 7:00 P.M.** Bring your own Eye & hearing protection, firearm(s) and your own ammunition. If you need a replacement fob the charge is now \$20. We are going to schedule this for the last Monday of each month. If you have any questions call **John Duncan at 419-898-9199.** John would like to thank **Joe Madison, Jim Nieman & Ed Fought** for all of their help.

**RESULTS OF VOTING AT THE OCTOBER ANNUAL MEETING-**  
2011 Oak Harbor Conservation, Wildlife Restoration, Fisheries Management, and Land Acquisition Endowment Budget and the 2011 Administrative Budget both passed.  
The changes to the Constitution and By-Laws all passed.

**President/Treasurer** - John Duncan  
**Secretary** - Dr. John Scharding  
**Vice President** - John Brikmanis  
**Trustees** - Ralph Burnstine, Scott Keiffer, Jackie Slosnerick & Terry Warner

*Congratulations To All*

**FALL YOUTH FISHING DERBY - Ralph Burnstine** would like to thank **Charlie Dress, Terry Warner, Harry DiCarlo, Dan Pittman, Steve** and **Jackie Slosnerick** for all of their help with the recent Fall Fishing Derby. There were 26 kids who participated, 21 in the 5 - 11 age group and 5 in the 12-16 age group. 37 fish were caught, 22 catfish, 12 bass, 1 bluegill, 1 perch and 1 bullhead. *Due to space limitation in this months newsletter photos will hopefully be in the Nov./Dec. Newsletter. A Special thank you to the following sponsors - Mid- County EMS ( Kathy & Molly), Fisherman's Wharf, Tibbel's Marina, Spangler Motors*

**M-1 MATCH - Ralph Burnstine** would like to thank **Jack & Michelle Woods, Jackie & Steve Slosnerick, Fred, Elizabeth, Caitlyn & Sara Sutton, Brian Wyss** ( Sr.) and **Mike Conrad** for all of there help The M-1 Match. We had 13 participants and 22 firing points. The results are posted on our website (www.ohcc.us).

**YOUTH HUNT - Ralph Burnstine** would like to thank **Joe Uhinck** and **Pheasant's Forever** for co-sponsoring our recent youth waterfowl/upland hunt day. Ralph would also like to thank **Bill Lenner, Dan Pittman, Jackie Slosnerick** for their help with the Youth Hunt. A special thank you to **Jeff & Jake Doust** who stepped into help at the last minute, without their help we couldn't not have had a successful youth hunt. *Due to space limitation in this month's newsletter photos will hopefully be in the Nov./Dec. Newsletter.*

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**  
**UPLAND HUNTING 2010/2011-** The Upland Hunting Packets will be available at the Oct. 23rd Bird release. More information will follow if you have any questions contact **Keith at 419-202-9544.**

**\*NOTICE -To be eligible to Upland Hunt your Upland Hunting Fee must be paid, your membership card will be marked with Upland Game (Yes ). Upland Game Hunters should be prepared to show your membership card if requested. If you feel your membership card is in error, please notify Jackie Slosnerick at 419-734-3751 during the day to make the necessary adjustments.**

**HUNT DATES 2010/2011**  
**October 23rd - 8:00 a.m.\*** (Meet At Darr- Work Party/Hunt - Bring equipment to cut & remove trees etc.)  
Arrive at the Darr on the day of the release/hunt at 8:00 a.m. for work party and hunt to follow.  
**October 30th - 8:00 a.m.\*** (Meet At Darr- Release/Hunt)  
**Nov. 25th - 8:00 a.m. -** (Meet At Darr- Release/Hunt)  
**Dec. 11th - 8:00 a.m. -** (Meet At Darr- Release/Hunt)

**We will announce Jan. & Feb. Release/Hunt dates at our monthly meetings and it will also be posted in our newsletter and on our website .**

**\* Only those Upland Hunters attending the work party are permitted to hunt for the first 1 1/2 at the hunt. We need members to pick-up birds for all hunts. If you are interested please contact Keith Kralik at 419-202-9544**

**DON'T FORGET TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP - ALL MEMBERSHIPS EXPIRE DEC. 31, 2010 REGARDLESS OF DATE JOINED!**

**The OAK HARBOR CONSERVATION CLUB, Inc.**  
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Application For Membership  
 New Membership  Renewal  
 Upland Game Hunting  
\$20 Initiation Fee - \$75 Annual Fee - \$50 For Seniors 65 & Older  
\$30 Annual Fee-(Open To All Members)  
*-Please Print-*

For the Year **2011**  
(Membership expires On Dec. 31 of the year listed, regardless of what month you join.)

NRA# \_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse \_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

**I AM INTERESTED IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:**  
 CONSERVATION  FISHING  FISHING DERBY  
 WATERFOWL HUNTING  OUTDOOR TARGET SHOOTING  
 TRAP SHOOTING  HUNTERS SAFETY  LITTER CONTROL  
 INDOOR PISTOL  INDOOR RIFLE  PICNIC  
 JR. RIFLE  JR. PISTOL  ARCHERY  
 GUN SAFETY  RECYCLING-

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Of Member Recommending the Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to accept and be bound by the bylaws, rules, and regulations of the Oak Harbor Conservation Club, Inc.  
**-Payment Must Be Included With Application-**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
**-OFFICE USE ONLY-**

Initiation Fee \_\_\_\_\_ Paid \_\_\_\_\_  
Dues \_\_\_\_\_ Paid \_\_\_\_\_  
Upland Game Fee \_\_\_\_\_ Paid \_\_\_\_\_

# NOVEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 <i>Open Pistol Practice</i> 7 P.M.	2 <i>Sr. Rifle</i> 7:30 P.M.	3 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice</i> 6:30 P.M.	4 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice</i> 7 P.M.	5 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice</i> 7:00 P.M.	6
7	8 <i>Trustees &amp; Officers Mtg. - 7 P.M.</i> <i>General Meeting- 8 P.M..</i>	9 <i>Sr. Rifle</i> 7:30 P.M.	10 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice</i> 6:30 P.M.	11 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice</i> 7 P.M.	12 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice</i> 7:00 P.M.	13
14 <b>2700 Match</b> 9:00 A.M. Cal Joe Madison at 419-986-5757	15 <i>Open Pistol Practice</i> 7 P.M.	16 <i>Sr. Rifle</i> 7:30 P.M.	17 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice</i> 6:30 P.M.	18 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice</i> 7 P.M.	19 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice</i> 7:00 P.M.	20 <b>NRA - Range Officers Safety Course</b> 8A.M. Till Noon Call Terry Rudes at 419- 732-3000
21	22 <i>Open Pistol Practice</i> 7 P.M.	23 <i>Sr. Rifle</i> 7:30 P.M.	24 <i>Jr. Pistol Practice</i> 6:30 P.M.	25 <i>Jr. Rifle Practice</i> 7 P.M. <i>Upland Bird Release/Hunt</i> At Darr 8:00 A.M.	26 <i>Sr. Pistol Practice</i> 7:00 P.M.	27
28	29 Those interested in getting a fob or use of the Range(s) meet at Gordon Road clubhouse at 7 P.M.	30 <i>Sr. Rifle</i> 7:30 P.M.				

### -IN MEMORIAM -

**C. Eric Hellmann**, 66, of Wisteria Dr., Fremont, passed away on Tuesday, September 28, 2010 at his home.

He was born on January 29, 1944 in Philadelphia, PA to Carl J. and Anna T. (Dence) Hellmann. He received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business from La Salle University. Eric served as a Captain in the U.S. Army Construction Engineers from 1967 to 1970 and was awarded the National Defense Service Medal and Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He married Nancy L. (Wenyandt) on May 10, 1969. Eric worked for Eveready Battery Company as a Production Manager until 1990 and then at ATC, Inc. as a Plant Manager in Nashville, TN until 1995 when he retired. He had most recently worked for Quality Cleaners in Fremont in their delivery service. Eric was a poet and had several poems published "Among The Reeds"; "Wing Whisperings" and "Dabbler's Demise". He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church. Eric was an avid conservationist and hunter. He was a member of the Oak Harbor Conservation Club since 1980 where he served as President, Past Officer, Trustee and Project Manager. He was the initial and Co-Project Manager for the Dr. L.J. Darr Memorial Wetland Restoration Project-426 acres. He was also a member of the Black Swamp Conservancy, Whitetails Unlimited and National Rifle Association.

Eric is survived by his loving wife of forty-one years, Nancy L. Hellmann, Fremont, OH; children, Kristy (John) Kronauge, Dublin, OH, Kurt (Lisa) Hellmann, Centerville, TN, Karin (Edward) Quinn, Abington, PA; mother, Anna T. Hellmann, Hatboro, PA; grandchildren, Loren Hellmann, Kole Hellmann, Kaitlin Quinn, Matthew Quinn; and longtime companion and fellow hunter, Katie, his chocolate Lab.

He was preceded in death by his father, Carl J. Hellmann and brother, David J. Hellmann.



The family has requested no flowers please. Memorials may be made instead to The Oak Harbor Conservation Club (Land Account), PO Box #364, Oak Harbor, OH 43449 or Hospice of Memorial Hospital, 430 S. Main St., Clyde, OH 43420.

Online Condolences for the family can be made at [www.wonderlyhorvathhanes.com](http://www.wonderlyhorvathhanes.com)

**2700 Matches** - The dates for this years 2700 matches will be **(2010) Nov. 14, Dec. 12 (2011) Feb. 13, March 13, April 10** start time is 9:00 A.M.). This is an NRA Approved Tournament - 50 & 25 Yd. Indoor - 12 Firing Point - Turning Targets - Limited to 2 or 3 relays - up to 36 competitors. Open to al NRA members and non-members- NRA classification will be used, unclassified competitors will compete in the master class. The match fees are \$8.00 for registration, entry fee of \$1.50 per match - all matches for \$30.00. **ADVANCE ENTRIES:** Call or e-mail or send entries to the Match Director. Make checks payable to: Oak Harbor Conservation Club Match Fund. Advance entries should allow sufficient time for confirmation by mail. Please include your phone number with your entry. Post entries will be accepted if range space is available. Competitors who enter the Grand Agg. will be given preference over partial entrants. For more information call **Joe Madison P.O. Box 622, Bettsville, Ohio 44815 Or Call 419-986-5757 or E-mail Joe at madison14419@yahoo.com.**

**The repairs on the 25 Yard Indoor Range have been completed.**

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