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JOAD Program Is Shaping Our Future Leaders

The Junior Olympic Archery Development (JOAD) program at the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, is not only shaping future archers, but it is also changing the lives of the youth who are involved.

The junior and senior JOAD teams meet every Sunday for official practice. The practice times vary for each level. Additionally, there are additional practices on Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m.

The students range in ages and come from a variety of geographical areas and backgrounds. Many of the students had never been involved in a shooting sport prior to joining the JOAD team. They all have different reasons for becoming interested in archery; however, joining the program at ARL-FX IWLA has given these students and their families much more than just a sport.

The coaching staff involved with the JOAD program are extremely patient with the youth. Each session begins with the Pledge of Allegiance, supporting patriotism. The coaches expect the youth to begin each practice on time with proper equipment, supporting lessons in personal responsibility and time management. As the young archers see improvement in their abilities, they develop increased self-esteem, learn to be goal-oriented, and develop a sense of determination.

The coaches spend time with each individual archer during each practice session to perfect their form and encourage them in times of frustration. One of the archers, Erynn Alvernaz, stated, "... my coaches help me to shoot better and I'm grateful for that. ..." Many sports that youth are involved in do not have coaches that are truly invested in participants. Coach Dan, Coach Bryon, Coach Steve, Coach Jeff, and Coach Lani truly care about these students. They want the youth to be the best they can be as archers and as people.

These young archers have formed a strong bond with one another over the past few months and there is a sense of respect and camaraderie between them. They have become a family through archery. The JOAD program at ARL-FX IWLA is invaluable at helping to shape our future leaders, not just the future of archery.

Maria O'Connell is the mother of one of the junior-level archers. She said, "My son really enjoyed being a part of the junior level Competition Archery Team. He's found a sport



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Chapter Board of Directors' Meeting

1st Tuesday of each month
7:30 p.m. @ Chapter field house
All members welcome

Attend Your Chapter Meetings

General Membership Meeting
3rd Tuesday of each month
7:30 p.m. @ Chapter field house

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www.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org

Chapter's Facebook Page

Arlington-Fairfax-Chapter-Inc-Izaak-Walton-League-of-America

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It is with great sadness that we announce the death of our Designated Director for Rifle/Pistol, Doctor Edward S. Franzosa, Ph.D., who passed away on Saturday, November 10th 2018 of a brief illness.

Dr. Edward Franzosa was born Sunday, October 28, 1945.

Dr. Ed was a forensic chemist for the Drug Enforcement Administration of the Department of Justice and when he recently retired, he was assigned to the Special Testing and Research Laboratory (Dulles, Virginia). He was their expert on "counterfeit drugs". He was also the DEA's expert on Patent infringement and Trademarks. He could look at the markings on a pill and tell if it was from the correct manufacturer or not. Dr. Ed also taught classes preparing Federal agents to testify in court.



Dr. Edward Franzosa, Ph.D., October 28, 1945–November 10, 2018.

He was a combat veteran, a Naval officer during the Vietnam War, he served on an LST, delivering people and supplies up and down the coast of Vietnam.

Dr. Ed has been our Designated Director for the Rifle/Pistol Range for almost 15 years. Under his tenure the condition of the range has gone up significantly and the range today looks better than it has in the almost 30 years I have been a member.

Dr. Ed almost single handed started our Environmental Management System. In 2005 he started a rigorous water sampling program and in 2006 we instituted a formal Environmental Management Program with the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ). Since then, he has been responsible for taking and processing the water samples necessary to ensure we don't have a problem.

He was hugely involved as a WWII and Civil War reenactor and had an extensive collection of original firearms to support this passion. He also reloaded extensively to support these firearms since many are hard or impossible to get ammunition for.

Our membership database only goes back to 1982 and Dr. Ed joined well before that. Always one to pitch in, he edited and wrote articles for many years for the Chapter Newsletter. He did the same for a WWII reenactor's newsletter called *The Front Line* and a Civil War reenactor's newsletter called *The Navy and Marine Living History Association* and one called *Camp Chase Gazette*,

When he was the editor of *The Front Line* he wrote the following and I think it says a lot about his character and feelings:

If his country is at war, a young man joins the military for three basic reasons:

Duty and Patriotism—Everyone with their head screwed on right feels a love for their own country and a duty towards protecting their homeland. It is much like your family—protect it first and ask questions later.

Comrades—When your friends are all going off to fight the enemies of your country, you want to do the same. In many cases a whole group of friends would enlist together on the basis that they can stay together and fight together. The US Army in WWII made special provisions for this. Many men grow up in families where military service is an expected duty of each young man; I know, for my family was of this kind.

Adventure—War is the most exciting business there is. Nothing, nothing at all, can compare to the feelings that one experiences in combat. (If you haven't been there, you just don't know what I'm talking about. I have, and I, like other veterans, will never forget.)

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ARL-FX IWLA Membership Minutes

1st Quarter (February, March, April)

2019 RENEWAL FORM IS ENCLOSED

IMPORTANT

Your "Membership DUES" are due ... if you haven't paid your 2019 membership dues yet ... you are late. That's OK ... we still love you and want you to still enjoy our Chapter. It's easy to renew: You can use any of the following three ways:

1. **STOP IN THE OFFICE:** We are in the membership office every Tuesday from 1 to 4 p.m. (with extended hours to 8 p.m. every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month). You can pay with cash, check, or credit card (through PayPal only).
2. **SEND US A CHECK:** Simply fill out the renewal form you found in this edition of the newsletter, enclose a check for the appropriate amount, make the check out to: AFC-IWLA. Be sure to check the following:
 - Be sure to sign your renewal form (it's on the back of the form).
 - Be sure to sign your check.
 - If you are not sure of the amount you owe, please do NOT guess. Call us during office hours and we will help.
 - *Don't forget to add in the \$40 late fee.*
3. Use the **Online** renewal and pay by credit card (through PayPal).
 - Simply enter this address into your home computer: <http://www.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/MembershipRenewal.php>
 - It will take you directly to the renewal page.
 - Follow directions to complete your renewal.
 - *The \$40 late fee will be automatically added for you.*
 - There are NO additional fees added for paying through PayPal. The ARL-FX Chapter Board of Directors has agreed the Chapter will cover the collection fees for you.

NO MATTER HOW YOU RENEW ...

PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO INCLUDE THE \$40 LATE FEE

WHAT'S NEW

Volunteer ... Volunteer ... Volunteer ... Volunteerism is the heart of our Chapter. As of the middle of December, our members have volunteered more than 8,000 hours of

their time to help the Chapter run events and complete projects in 2018. This does not count the more than 200 Range Safety Officers that volunteer their time to keep all of our ranges open and safe for everyone. For 2019, we are already planning some major projects to improve the Chapter. Remember, all information and tracking is done via SignUpGenius.com.

- Parking lot for general use and Air Range
- Two (2) environmental projects at Skeet & Trap
- Firewood cleanup (going on now and continuing thru mid-January)

As always ... get out to our Chapter and have some fun."

—Ben Crandall
Membership Director

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A young man in Germany feels the same emotions that a young man in the US or England or Russia felt. His motives for fighting for his country are just as right, just as pure, and just as proper. If you were not there at the time, then you do not have a good basis for questioning his decision now. Monday morning quarterbacking 45 years later smacks of hypocrisy.

When I was in Vietnam, we had a drinking toast from an old Navy legend: "My Country. May she always be right; but right or wrong—My Country!" It was valid in 1969, it's valid today, and it was valid in the 1940s, too.

He will be buried in Arlington National Cemetery sometime in the spring. We will get the word out when we have a date.

We will miss him, we are diminished.

Thanks, *Tom Ciarula*

Tom Ciarula, President
Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc.,
of the Izaak Walton League of America

Conservation Updates from National IWLA

Congress Enacts New Farm Bill

Congress approved a new five-year Farm Bill in December, extending funding for conservation programs that now provide over \$40 million per year to help Virginia farmers be better stewards of the state's soil, woods, waters, and wildlife. President Trump signed the bill into law December 20.

Included in the new Farm Bill is a 25-percent increase in funding for the Voluntary Public Access and Habitat Incentive Program. The program will provide \$50 million over the next five years to support state and tribal recreation access programs that provide incentives for farmers to provide public access for people to hunt, fish, hike, and recreate on their land. The funding can support initiatives like the Virginia Public Access Lands for Sportsmen (PALS) program.

The Izaak Walton League supported the final Farm Bill, which was a bipartisan compromise that was approved by

wide margins in both House and Senate. Both Virginia senators, Mark Warner and Tim Kaine, voted for the bill. Nine of Virginia's 11 House members voted for the bill; just two (Representatives Thomas Garrett and David Brat) voted against the bill.

For more information on what the new Farm Bill means for wildlife, wetlands, and other natural resources, visit the Izaak Walton League Web site, www.IWLA.org/agriculture.

Virginian Selected as Natural Resources Conservation Service Chief

Matt Lohr has been appointed Chief of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS). Lohr will lead an agency that delivers advice and funding to help farmers conserve soil, improve water quality, and find a place for wildlife on America's farms and ranches.

Lohr was raised on a farm in the Shenandoah Valley and now owns and operates Valley Pike Farm in Rockingham County. Lohr served in the House of Delegates from 2006 to 2010, and as Virginia's Commissioner of Agriculture & Consumer Services from 2010 to 2013.

IWLA Conservation Director Jared Mott met Lohr shortly after his appointment and we hope to work closely with Lohr and his staff as NRCS implements changes made to conservation programs in the new Farm Bill.

—*Duane Hovorka*

IWLA, Agriculture Program Director



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sign up for
Volunteer
Opportunities—
located on the
Chapter Home
Web page.

IWLA's Save Our Streams (SOS) Program



Virginia Save Our Streams is a program of the Izaak Walton League of America (IWLA). Founded in 1922, the Izaak Walton League is one of the nation's oldest and most respected conservation organizations. With a powerful grassroots network of nearly 270 local chapters nationwide, the League takes a common-sense approach toward protecting our country's natural heritage and improving outdoor recreation opportunities for all Americans. For more information about our Virginia chapters, please visit the Virginia Division of the Izaak Walton League.

SOS Web Links

Check out the IWLA *Save Our Streams* Web site:

<https://www.iwla.org/conservation/water/save-our-streams>.

Check out the IWLA Facebook site: <https://www.facebook.com/iwla.org/>.

Check out the VA SOS Web site for more information, forms and gear:

<http://www.vasos.org/>.



The Izaak Walton League of America

Did you know the Virginia Division is the largest state division within the Izaak Walton League of America (IWLA), followed by Iowa, Maryland, and Indiana?

It may help to explain how IWLA is organized. The National IWLA is made

up of 25 state divisions. Not all states have IWLA State Divisions; because to form a state division, more than one chapter must exist in the state. When you join a chapter, you are automatically a member of the state division of the state where your local chapter is located and you are automatically a member of the National IWLA. The yearly membership dues you pay are broken up into three parts, chapter, state division, and National. The chapter keeps their portion, used to support, maintain, and improve the chapter, and forwards to IWLA National dues for the Virginia State Division and IWLA National.

State divisions elect national directors, who serve on the IWLA National Board of Directors. The size of the Virginia Division is about 9,000 members with 18 chapters. This entitles Virginia to ten national directors including the Virginia Division president. The national directors serve as a link between the IWLA National organization and the Virginia State Division and the directors also assist their designated Virginia chapters in the name of the state division. In addition to being your elected vice-president, I am also the designated national director for the Chapter and the Junior Chapter. I attend both state division meetings and National IWLA meetings on a regular basis.



The IWLA National Executive Board is elected by the IWLA National Board of Directors.

Currently there are 13 members of the executive board. Four members of the executive board are IWLA National officers (president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer), who each serve one-year terms (with no term

limits) and the other nine members of the executive board are elected to three-year terms by the national directors.

Why does it matter? The IWLA National Executive Board oversees the operations of IWLA National, including the annual budget. Some of the responsibilities of national directors are formulating and promoting legislative action, encouraging chapter efforts toward meeting conservation goals, encouraging chapter/division/national growth and setting IWLA National policy direction.

So, the next time you look around the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., think about how you fit in, not only to the Chapter, but the Virginia Division, and the IWLA National organization. Your volunteer efforts, and your dues, not only help at the Chapter level; they also help the Virginia Division and IWLA National meet the conservation goals we have all set. Those goals are to protect soil, air, woods, waters, and wildlife all across this beautiful country of ours. Pretty impressive, isn't it?

Paulea Meara,

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, Vice-President,
Virginia Division National Director,
and IWLA Endowment Director.

Got Grants? Yes, We Do!

The Chapter extends our thanks to the NRA Foundation known as the Friends of the NRA for funding two grants at the Chapter in 2018. The Shotgun Range and Air Range were the recipients of the grants. Your support of local Friends of the NRA dinners helps raise funds for this program.

<https://www.friendsofnra.org/>



The Chapter extends our thanks to the IWLA Endowment for funding a grant for the youth shotgun team. The Endowment funds selected projects at IWLA chapters and divisions each year. It only uses the proceeds from investments. The investment principle is never used and grows through donations made to support the endowment. <http://iwla-endowment.org/>



Outdoor/ Indoor Archery

Archery Update

The indoor archery range is available to all Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, members for your use anytime a qualified range officer is on site. The outdoor ranges are open 24/7. Many Chapter members are at the archery range house every morning from approximately 9:30 a.m. until noon. This is a great time to come down, introduce yourself, and find out what archery is all about. If you are new to archery and need advice on anything from bow setup and arrow tuning to shooting technique and equipment, help is available to perform those tasks. We especially would like to encourage youth participation and have a great many youth bows that young shooters may practice with to develop their skills. The outdoor targets butts are at 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, and 60 yards. The range is lighted if you would like to shoot in the evening. There is a crossbow station for crossbow shooting. Crossbow targets may be shot with field points or broadheads.

One must only shoot from and through the crossbow station. Crossbow shooting is allowed **only** at the crossbow station. **No shooting from outside the crossbow station.** A 28-point field archery course is also available and tree-stand shooting during daylight hours. **No core drilling broadheads are permitted to be shot at the field archery range.** These are the **Toxic** and the **Cyclone** and any new core drilling broadheads that come on the market.

Air Bows—Air bows are not allowed to be shot at the Field Archery Range.

Cub Run Archers

For those who are interested in competing in Virginia Bowhunters Association (VBA) archery events, there is a group formed by the Chapter called Cub Run Archers you can join. This group was established so field archery tournaments could be held at the Chapter. Cub Run Archers is a registered VBA club. The VBA is the representative for bowhunters throughout the state of Virginia. To join Cub Run Archers, applications are available at the archery range house. For more information, contact Robert D'Imperio, Secretary, Cub Run Archers, 13490 Edge Rock Ct., Chantilly, VA 20151-4101 or contact him by e-mail at robbyrayd@yahoo.com.



Indoor Archery Range Open for Evening Shooting

The indoor archery range will be open for evening shooting 6:30 p.m. until 9 p.m. Monday through Friday evenings starting Monday, October 1 through March. Come out for some fall and winter evening shooting.

Archery 101 Classes

On Sundays, February 17, March 17 and April 28, the Chapter's indoor archery range will be hosting beginner's archery classes. These classes will take place in the indoor archery range starting at 1 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. The class is for those who have never shot archery before or have very little knowledge in the sport of archery and would like to see what our sport is all about. The class will cover the different types of archery equipment, safety, purchasing of equipment, and shooting. We have the bows and arrows all you need to do is show up. For IWLA members the class is \$20 for adults and \$10 for children with a family max of \$30 per IWLA family. For non-IWLA members the class is \$25 per adult and \$15 for children with a family max of \$40. Class fees will be collected before the start of the class beginning at 12:45 p.m. The minimum age for children is 9 years old. To register for the class e-mail Dick Riemer at rriemer@cox.net or call him at 703-543-8585.

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he loves and it has boosted his confidence. The coaches' dedication and concern for each of the archers was evident. My son can't wait for winter season to start in January."

The winter session will be held from January 6 to March 31, 2019. For information on joining the JOAD team at ARL-FX IWLA, contact Dan Roberts at (703) 835-1101.

Upcoming Tournaments:

- **February 15-17, 2019:** U.S. National Indoor in Fishersville, VA
- **March 9-10, 2019:** ARL-FX IWLA Winter Indoor Tournament at the ARL-FX IWLA indoor range in Centreville, VA
- **August 1-4, 2019:** State Games of America (Commonwealth Games of America)

Announcing the ARL–FX IWLA Winter World Archery Tournament March 9 & 10, 2019

The Arlington–Fairfax Chapter, Inc., of the IWLA is holding their annual indoor Winter World Archery (WA) Tournament on March 9 and 10, 2019. The tournament will be held at the indoor archery range at 14708 Mount Olive Road, Centreville, VA. There will be four shooting times available: 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday; and 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Sunday.

The tournament will be a sanctioned tournament which means it is valid for achieving national level records. It is shot on either a 40 cm single face or vertical 3-spot target face at 18 meters.

To register for the tournament, check your e-mail for the announcement and registration form or send an e-mail to WDanRoberts@outlook.com requesting a registration form. Registrations will only be accepted by mail.

This year, we have added a collegiate category in addition to male/female, compound/recurve/barebow, and USA Archery age classifications. The new USA Archery dress code will be enforced.

Food will be available in the kitchen.

Virginia Bowhunter Association (VBA) Scheduled Shoots for 2019

- Winter Classic 3-D Trophy Shoot, registration 9 a.m. until 1 p.m., Sunday, March 24th. Twenty-eight 3-D targets throughout the field archery range.
- 3-D Turkey Shoot, shotgun start at 2 p.m., Saturday, April 13.
- 3-D Money Shoot, shotgun start at 9 a.m., June 8.
- Buckbusters 3-D Trophy Shoot, registration 9 a.m. until 1 p.m., Sunday, August 25.

Archery Qualifying for the Fairfax County Park Program

As of this printing, the dates have not been released by the county for qualifying for the 2019/2020 archery season. Expect the dates to be similar to last year's, starting in late March and ending in early June. Information on the archery program can be found on the county Web page as it is updated at: <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/wildlife/archery-program>. Qualifying will be held at the archery range on Tuesday evenings from 6 p.m. until dark and Sunday mornings, 9 a.m. until 12 noon.

George Mason University Students Complete Archery Class



The fall session of the George Mason archery class finished up on November 4, 2018, with all five members of the class participating in Arlington Fairfax Chapter's Fall World Archery Indoor Tournament. These archers completed 12 weeks of classes prior to competing in the tournament, where Eduardo Ramirez placed 1st, Brian Edner placed 2nd, and Nicholas Reid placed 3rd in the male collegiate division. Teresa Neves placed 1st in women's collegiate division.

George Mason offers the archery class as an introduction to archery—RECR 139 001 for both the fall and spring semesters.



Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., Izaak Walton League of America Winter Youth Olympic Target Archery Program Sign Up *Youth Winter Training Sessions: Sunday, January 6 to March 31, 2019*

The Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., of the Izaak Walton League of America will begin their Indoor Youth Archery Training Program on January 6, 2019, at the indoor archery range at 14708 Mount Olive Road, Centreville, VA 20121

Cost of the program is \$95 plus \$20 for membership in the IWLA Youth Membership Program for new archers under 18. Archers will be required to purchase their own equipment before the third training session. Information on needed equipment will be provided at sign up at the first training session.

New archers will meet at 3 p.m. for the 2-hour, 12-week, training session. **No prior experience is necessary** and parent

membership in Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., is not required; however, each youth archer must sign up for IWLA Youth membership. To participate, archers must be age 8 or older and adhere to the safety, range, and training rules.

All instruction is provided by USA Archery Level 2 Certified instructors and Level 3 coaches. The classes will cover both RECURVE and COMPOUND bows. This is an Olympic target archery style training and recurve bows are required for new archers. Longbows and Genesis bows are not used. In addition to the training sessions, instructors will normally be available for open shooting on Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m.

For more information, contact Dan Roberts at 703-835-1101 or WDanRoberts@outlook.com

SIGN-UP DATE—Sunday, January 6, 2019, from 3 to 4 p.m.

All sign-ups held at the ARL-FX IWLA Indoor Archery Range
14708 Mount Olive Road, Centreville, VA 20121

Rifle-Pistol Range

10-yard Pistol Only Days at the Rifle-Pistol Range

On Sunday, March 31, 2019, we will be trying a new configuration at the Rifle-Pistol Range: 10-yard Pistol Only for the afternoon, with tables set up 10 yards from the berm, and the targets at the regular 100-yard line. This is to provide pistol shooters with the opportunity to practice at closer ranges, as is often requested. In order to do this safely, the range will be restricted to 10 yards only for the afternoon and there will be a range officer stationed at the gate to manage inflow, as well as range officers downrange at the temporary firing line to manage safety.

If this experiment works well, and there is enough interest, we will be continuing this on a more frequent basis. While we understand this may limit the usefulness of the range to some rifle shooters, it will increase the usefulness of the range for pistol shooters, and we will continue to operate at normal distances for the majority of the range's hours.

In addition to this configuration, we are investigating other alternate configurations of and improvements to the range that will cater to the differing interests of our shooters. If you have any ideas, please let Bill Frerking or

Randy Hancock know and we will consider the suggestion from both safety and feasibility aspects.

Steel Projectiles and Projectiles Containing Steel

Any projectiles that contain steel are currently banned on the Rifle-Pistol Range. There are some obvious examples of this, such as Wolf steel-jacketed bullets and military surplus M855 (5.56x45 62 grain green tip "Penetrator" rounds.) There are also some less obvious examples, such as Century Arms Red Army Standard Bi-Metal Jacket cartridges.

When in doubt, please use the magnet hanging above Firing Position 8 to check your projectile. If it is magnetic, it is not allowed at the range.

Winter Hours at the Rifle-Pistol Range

For January and February, the Rifle-Pistol Range will be operating on our winter hours. These are:

Monday through Saturday—9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday—12 Noon to 4 p.m.

Chapter Safety Reminders

In the past few weeks, we have had reports of "near misses ..." Here are just two examples:

- A Range Safety Officer was about to open the Shotgun Range, when something caught his eye as he was making his final inspection. Turned out the "something" was a youth member's parent, out for a walk in the woods behind the shotgun fields, right in the middle of the shot-fall area of field 3.
- You may have noticed the speed bumps have been removed to accommodate the snowplows for the winter. Well, we received a report from a member that was walking along the road (for exercise) and literally had to jump into the woods at the sharp corner by the main clubhouse. The member was walking on the right side of the road headed toward the gate and the vehicle was coming in at a very high speed and was cutting the corner in order to make the turn toward the Air Range.

Reminders

- The speed limit on the property is 10 miles per hour.
- Do not wander through the woods, stay only on trails and roads.

The bottom line is "THINK FIRST." Members and guests come to the Chapter in order to relax and have fun.

Donate to Arlington-Fairfax Chapter by Using AmazonSmile

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Membership Renewal

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc.

Izaak Walton League of America

P. O. Box 366

Centreville, VA 20122-0366

Your current membership expires December 31, 2018.

Dues **MUST** be paid prior to January 1, 2019.

If \$50 Dues Credit claimed, check here: ☐

Renewals postmarked after January 1, 2019—Add \$40 late processing fee!

Note: Your membership spot is not guaranteed if you are late.

Primary Member

Second Badge Holder

Membership Type: _____

Membership ID #: _____

Name(s): _____

Address—Street: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: (H) _____

(C) _____

(W) _____

E-mail: _____

Date of Birth: _____

- (1) **PRINT LEGIBLY AND FILL IN ALL** required information on this form. Clearly indicate any changes.
- (2) **SIGN THE MEMBER RELEASE ON THE BACK** of this form and return the top part of form with your check made payable to AFC-IWLA.
- (3) Questions/payment arrangements? Call the Office at **703-631-4495**. If necessary, leave your name and telephone number with your concern(s). Your query will be answered as quickly as possible.
- (4) If being reassigned to area far removed from Northern Virginia for 2 years or more, inquire about Inactive/Reserve status.

REGULAR Membership Types

2019 Dues

FAMILY Membership Types

2019 Dues

☐ RG—Regular

\$211

☐ FM—Family Regular

\$308

☐ RGD or R or S—Regular (Disabled, Remote, or Senior)

\$171

☐ FMD or R or S—Family (Disabled, Remote, or Senior)

\$233

☐ LF—National Life Regular

\$161

☐ FL—Family National Life Regular

\$233

☐ LFD or R or S—National Life
(Disabled, Remote, or Senior)

\$121

☐ FLD or R or S—Family National Life
(Disabled, Remote, or Senior)

\$158

☐ LB—Life Benefactor

\$161

☐ FB—Family Benefactor

\$233

☐ ST—Student

\$152

☐ FBD or R or S—Family Benefactor (Disabled, Remote, or Senior)

\$158

Remote—Residence is over 50 miles from the Chapter.

Senior—Age 60 or over as of 12/31/2018.

My check # _____ in the amount of \$ _____ made payable to AFC-IWLA is enclosed.

PLEASE SIGN THE MEMBER RELEASE ON BACK OF THIS STATEMENT BEFORE RETURNING

Detach here and submit the TOP portion with payment

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc.—Izaak Walton League of America

P. O. Box 366, Centreville VA 20122-0366

2019 Membership Dues Paid \$ _____

Date _____

Check No. _____

For tax purposes. Regular (RG) members may claim a \$53 deduction and Family (FM) members may claim \$82. Life Regular (LF) (LB) members may claim a \$6 deduction and Family Life (FL) (FB) members may claim \$7. Students (ST) may claim \$42

The Izaak Walton League of America—a non-profit conservation organization—is recognized as a Section 501(c)(3) public charity under the Internal Revenue Code. Minimum National dues are \$40 for individuals and \$60 for family memberships, which includes the Outdoor America magazine. Magazine is inseparable from dues. Chapter and Division dues may vary.

MEMBER RELEASE

Range Badges, Membership Cards, and the Gate Combination will not be furnished unless the completed Release Statement has been received by the Chapter. If this is a family membership, then both parties must sign.

Release Statement

In consideration of the permission granted to me to use the pistol, rifle, skeet, trap, and archery ranges and other facilities of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Incorporated, of the Izaak Walton League of America, Centreville, Virginia, I do hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators irrevocably release and forever discharge the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Incorporated, of the Izaak Walton League of America (hereinafter "AFC-IWLA") and all of its officers, directors, agents, and employees, acting in or under color of his or her official capacity, from any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action, costs, charges, and liabilities of whatever kind, on account of my death or on account of any injury to me which may occur from any cause during my use of its ranges and/or facilities.

This release is intended to cover all injuries, fatal or nonfatal, and illness of every name, type, kind, or nature, and personal property damage, if any, which may be sustained or suffered from any cause whatsoever connected with or arising out of or by reason of participating in the aforementioned activities. I know the risks and unexpected dangers involved in said activities and assume all risks of injury to my person and property that may be sustained in connection with the stated and associated activities, in and about the installation.

I further agree that I will indemnify and will hold harmless the AFC-IWLA and all officers, directors, agents, and employees thereof from any and all costs, charges, claims, demands, and liabilities of any kind arising from the improper or negligent actions of the undersigned while participating in the activities of its property.

I have reviewed the AFC-IWLA Range Safety Rules and the Chapter Ground Rules and I understand and agree to abide by all the provisions therein. I have read and understood the foregoing release. I certify that my attendance and participation in activities at the AFC-IWLA is voluntary.

This release form is in effect as long as I am a member of the AFC-IWLA, or for so long as I may use the aforesaid ranges and/or facilities, both now and at any future times, but in no event longer than is permitted by applicable law.

Signature

Date

2nd Signature (Second Badge Holder)

Date



IWLA Pledge



To strive for the purity of water, the clarity of air, and the wise stewardship of the land and its resources.

To know the beauty and understanding of nature, and the value of wildlife, woodlands, and open space.

To the preservation of this heritage and to man's sharing it,
I pledge myself as a member of the Izaak Walton League of America.



From the Women of the NRA®

Saturday, May 11, 2019

Women On Target®

Instructional Shooting Clinic



Presented by
The Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc.
Izaak Walton League of America

For ladies only, ages 14 and over.

Space is limited. Register now!

Only \$80! Includes:

- Pastries, fruit, juice, and coffee in the morning
- Lunch
- Eye and ear protection
- T-shirt
- Loaner equipment and ammunition
- Personal instruction by outstanding volunteers

For more information please e-mail:

Pamela Meara

Pmearaiwla@gmail.com or call 703-362-7293

Registration form and class information on back.



Women On Target®

Instructional Shooting Clinics provide you with a safe, friendly environment for learning about and shooting rifles, pistols, shotguns, muzzleloaders, and bows.

In addition, we will be offering five courses that do **not** involve shooting:

Refuse to be a Victim® is a personal safety seminar that does **not** involve firearms training. Learn strategies that make you less likely to be a victim of crime.

VA-DGIF—Women & Hunting seminar for ladies interested in hunting.

Buying & Caring for a handgun gives you the information you need to know before you go shopping.

Firearms and the Law is a legal seminar that discusses the key provisions of the law pertaining to purchase, sale, and possession.

Legal Aspects of Self Defense is a legal seminar that discusses your rights and restrictions on carrying and using a handgun for self-defense.



ONE Registration per participant: Participants will be assigned to two events in the morning and one event in the afternoon. Please number the events below in order of your preference (1, 2, 3, 4 & 5). Assignments will be made on a first-come, first-served basis. The rifle/pistol event covers rifle, pistol and muzzleloading. *You may sign up for any event more than once, but please show more than three choices in case your first three are not available.*

Rifle/Pistol (live fire)..... ()

Shotgun (live fire)..... ()

Field Archery (live fire) ()

Classes

Firearms and the Law..... ()

Legal Aspects of Self Defense..... ()

Buying & Caring for a Handgun ()

VA-DGIF—Women and Hunting ()

Refuse to be a Victim ()

Schedule, May 11, 2019

Check in 8-8:30 AM

Safety Briefing..... 8:30-9 AM

1st Event 9-10:30 AM

2nd Event 11 AM-12:30 PM

Lunch 12:30-1:30 PM

3rd Event..... 1:30-3 PM

Conclusion 3-3:30 PM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #1: _____ ☐ H ☐ C ☐ W Phone #2: _____ ☐ H ☐ C ☐ W

E-mail: _____

T-shirt size: ☐ S ☐ M ☐ LG ☐ XL ☐ XXL

Enclose a check payable to Education and Training and mail to:

WOT Coordinator

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA

P.O. Box 366

Centreville, VA 20122-0366

Confirmation will be sent by e-mail.

No refunds for cancellations within 5 days of the event.



We are located at:

14708 Mount Olive Rd.

Centreville, VA 20121-2517

703-631-4495

Directions:

From I-495 (Capital Beltway)

I-66 West

Exit 53A to Route 28 South

Turn right onto Compton Rd.

Proceed about 1 mile

Turn right onto Mount Olive Rd.

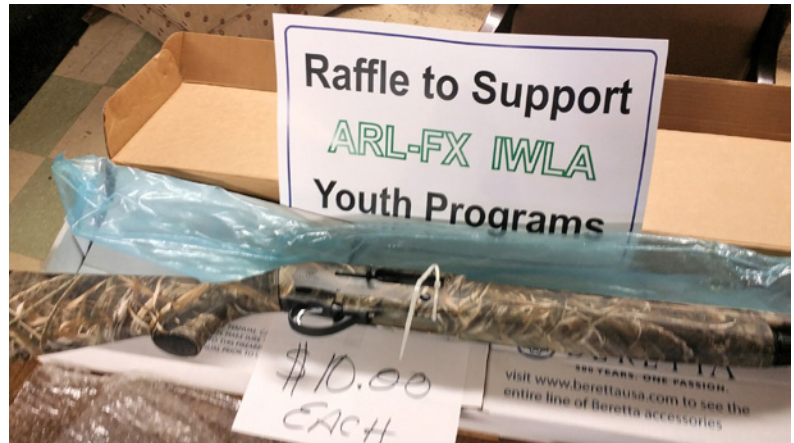
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Check in at 1st building on left

Youth Shotgun Team Raffle



ARL-FX Chapter member Dan Piszker is the winner of the Barretta A300 Outlander that was recently raffled off to support the ARL-FX IWLA Youth Shotgun Team. The team was formed several years ago and has approximately 20 participants. The proceeds will go toward purchasing shotguns, ammo, and targets for their use during their shooting season.



2019 Chapter Education and Training Program

The Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, has a Firearm Education and Training Program consisting of 17 formal NRA courses and other shooting-oriented events scheduled in 2019. The catalog of courses includes everything from basic to intermediate-level firearms training to include reloading, instructor training, coach development, and shooting clinics. Courses are being offered throughout the year beginning with metallic cartridge reloading on January 26.

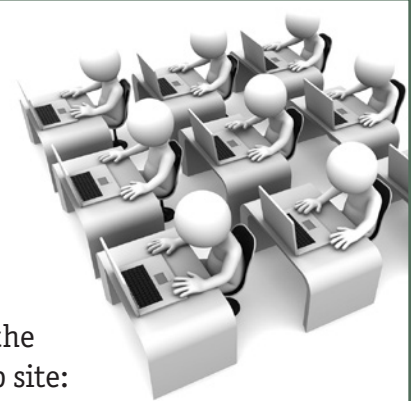
ARL-FX IWLA training team has grown to over 55 NRA-certified instructors, training counselors, and coaches. Training team members are volunteers and possess a wealth of knowledge across all the shooting sports disciplines and have a passion to share their expertise. Detailed information about content of the NRA courses can be found on the Web at <http://firearmstraining.nra.org>. Links to register for courses are also available on the Chapter Web site at <http://www.arlingtonfairfaxiwla.org/Education-regweb.php>.

For any additional questions, please contact the ARL-FX IWLA Director of Education and Training, Bucky Sills, at Bucky.Sills@ArlingtonFairfax-IWLA.org.

Education & Training Updates

The 2019 Education & Training schedule is available. Make sure you check out the schedule on the Web site:

<http://arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/education.php>



CONSERVATION CURRENTS



IWLA Digital Newsletter

The League's monthly electronic newsletter keeps you up to date on important conservation and outdoor recreation news and League happenings. If you are not yet receiving "Conservation Currents," we encourage you to sign up today at <https://members.iwla.org/apps/#QuickSub>.

Opening Day of Skeet & Trap Winter League

Just another Sunday at the club ... through the morning quite the call of "PULL" was heard ... a second later the air was sharp with the bark of a shotgun within seconds the sound repeated across the Skeet & Trap Ranges. Winter League for 2019 kicked off but this time it was surprisingly beautiful weather.

Twenty-eight teams, 168 members will shoot skeet and trap over the next 13 weeks. What's not to like ... we get to enjoy friends, competition, wind, rain, snow, cold

and yes, occasionally a nice clear day. The grill is open and serving hamburgers and hotdogs as you like. All shooters can contribute to their team as each shooter is provided a factored handicap to level their shooting ability.

Who wants to shoot during the spring, summer or fall—when with winter league you can be challenged to hit a clay that is weaving and dodging in a winter breeze ... or enjoy watching your shot group cut through falling snow clearly showing you how you really missed that last clay.



Photography by John Dwyer



2019 Bullseye Pistol Clinic

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc.—Izaak Walton League

- DATE:** March 2–3, 2019
- LOCATION:** Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA,
Field House and Range
14708 Mount Olive Road,
Centreville, Virginia 20121–2517
- SIGNUP CONTACT:** Jack Machey, reddotbull@zoho.com
- INSTRUCTOR:** Larry Quandahl, Certified NRA Instructor &
Retired Marine Corps Marksmanship Trainer
- COST:** \$20 CASH, paid at door
- DESCRIPTION:**
- March 2—Field House:** 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., lunch provided
Pistol Basics—Trigger Control, Sight Alignment, Hold,
Follow Through, Grip, Stance, Equipment, Ammunition,
Score-Card Information, Physical Fitness, & Diet for
Steady Hold
- March 3—Rifle-Pistol Range:** 8 a.m. to Noon
Range Shooting, Sighting, 60-Shot Relay (.22 rimfire),
& Coaching

Preparation Reference: The Encyclopedia of Bullseye Pistol
(<http://www.bullseyepistol.com/>)

New Knife Users'/Collectors' Club

Are you a “knife person?” Do you have and enjoy using fixed knives, folders, axes, tomahawks, etc., for hunting, camping, and utility work? Well, the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, may have a new club just for you. One of our members, Matt Michaelson, is inquiring about interest about forming a Knife Users'/Collectors' Club at the Chapter. Matt, a retired Army officer and veteran of Operations Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan) has used and collected knives for over 30 years and taught knife use and defense in the military and at West Point. The club would meet once a month, perhaps on Saturday mornings, 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (location TBD but perhaps in the Field Archery field house) and host such discussion topics as:

- Fixed blades versus folders—what to carry?

- How to sharpen blades of all types
- Stainless versus carbon steel blades—preventing rust
- Handle maintenance—Stag, leather, micarta/G10
- Knife use safety—youth/novice classes
- Sheath options—leather versus kydex
- Custom collecting versus factory models
- Axes and tomahawks—use and carry
- Knives for camping, fire-making, wood processing

If you are interested in participating in this club initiative, please contact Matt Michaelson at mtmichaelson@hotmail.com. We'll have more information regarding this club in the months to come. Until then, if you haven't done so, please check out the Chapter's new tomahawk and knife throwing stations adjacent to the Field Archery field house—they're top notch!

Air Range

Holiday Clinic Hosted by ARL-FX IWLA & North Carolina State Rifle Team

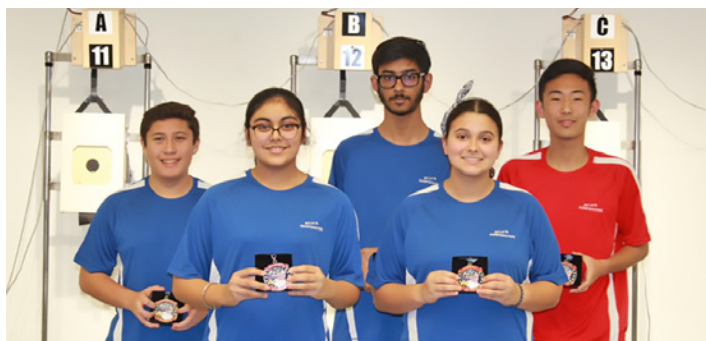
The ARL-FX IWLA Sills Air Range hosted two air-rifle clinics over the winter holiday. Led by Head Coach Emily Holsopple, the clinic provided advanced instruction on the standing position and on mental techniques. Former ARL-FX IWLA alumni Claire Spina, Aron Tinter, and Emily Fisher, now on the North Carolina State Rifle Team, helped conduct the clinic. Lucas Kozeniesky, 2016 Olympian and U.S. National Team member—and also an alumnus of the little tractor shed—came in both days to give an hour-long talk.



ARL-FX IWLA NoVA Sharpshooters Sweep Virginia Junior Olympic State Championships

Pistol athletes from the ARL-FX IWLA NoVA Sharpshooters youth pistol club, won 11 of 12 medals in the first-ever USA Shooting Pistol Junior Olympic State Championships (JOSC) hosted at the Chapter.

On Sunday, December 2, 2018, 11 athletes competed at the Chapter's Sills Air Range in the 2018-2019 Virginia USA Shooting Air Pistol JOSC. Competitors included members of the NoVA Sharpshooters and the Rockingham County 4-H Club, Harrisonburg, Virginia. For the junior men, Bhavjeet Sanghera was named the state champion. Victor Mou won silver and Andres Gonzalez won bronze. For the junior women, Suman Sanghera won gold, Lori Anne Madison won silver, and Christina Alvarez won bronze.



On Sunday, December 9, 2018, 12 athletes competed at the Rifle-Pistol Range in the 2018-2019 Virginia USA Shooting Sport Pistol JOSC. Competitors included members of the NoVA Sharpshooters, the Rockingham County 4-H Club, Harrisonburg, Virginia, and Team LoCo Motion, Purcellville, Virginia. For the junior men, Bhavjeet Sanghera

was again named the state champion. Andres Gonzalez won silver and Victor Mou won bronze. For the junior women, Suman Sanghera won gold, Josephine Mou won silver, and Lauren Creese (Team LoCo Motion) won bronze.

Congratulations to Bhavjeet Sanghera for being named the Virginia state champion for both events! His sister, Suman Sanghera, won gold in the junior women category for both events. Bhavjeet exceeded the Junior Olympics automatic invite scores for both air pistol and sport pistol. Suman and Victor also exceeded the Junior Olympics automatic invite score for air pistol. All three athletes attended the 2018 Junior Olympics at the Olympic Training Center, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Remaining competitions being held across the United States must conclude by the end of January 2019. In the month February, USA Shooting will determine cutoff scores for each event and invite additional athletes to the 2019 Junior Olympics.



ARL-FX IWLA NoVA Sharpshooters Youth Pistol Program



The NoVA Sharpshooters youth pistol program introduces junior athletes to the sport of international air pistol.

This shooting discipline uses an air pistol with iron sights firing a 4.5 mm pellet at a target 10 meters from the shooter. As junior athletes develop, they will advance from beginner (sitting supported) to intermediate (standing supported) and finally advanced (standing unsupported).

Practices are held the second and third Sunday of each month from 12 noon to 3 p.m. The program is open to junior athletes 10 to 18 years of age. Payment of the Sills Air Range consumables fee and membership in the Junior Chapter of the ARL-FX IWLA are required.

Additional practices and matches may be scheduled in addition to the two Sunday practices. Coaching and equipment are provided. Advanced athletes may be eligible to participate in the shooting discipline of 25-meter pistol.

Contact the coach, Mark Budgeon, for more information at mgbudgeon@verizon.net or (703) 490-5817 (home.) Reservations are required as this is not a walk-in program.

Chapter Air Range Open Practice Nights

Mondays 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Fridays 5:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Equipment is available to borrow and coaches are ready to help.

Air Range questions—contact
range@afc-iwla-sillsairrange.org



SIGN UP!



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Please use to sign up for Volunteer Opportunities—located on the Chapter Home Web page.

Photos Needed!

Doing volunteer work on the Chapter grounds or helping to make the picture perfect?

We would love for you to take a picture of work done or in process and e-mail it to Pam Meara (pmearaiwla@gmail.com) and/or Ellen MacBrayne (emb4art@verizon.net) to publish in the Newsletter. Send the largest photo possible and include a caption identifying faces, place, event, and date.

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Scouting News—Girls Welcome!

As you may or may not know, the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, currently charters five Boy Scouts of America (BSA) Scouting units: two Boy Scout troops, two Cub Scout packs, and one Venture Crew. BSA has recently allowed girls to join their program and is going through some changes. What we currently call “Boy Scouts” will be known as “Scouting BSA” beginning in February 2019.

Cub Scouting is part of the Scouting program of the BSA, available to boys and girls from kindergarten through fifth grade, or 5 to 10 years of age, and their families. Girls are now allowed in Cub Scout packs either in separate girls only dens or in all girl packs.

Scouting BSA (formerly Boy Scouts) is a program for 11- to 17-year-old boys and girls. Beginning in 2019 Girls will be allowed in their own separate BSA Scouting troops. These troops will be called BSA Scouts girl troops.

Venturing is a co-ed program for boys and girls ages 14 to 21 that focuses on high adventure activities and

leadership training. Venturing has been a program of BSA since 1998, but its predecessor, Explorers, began allowing female members in 1969 so there are no changes for the Venturing programs.

Neither of our two Cub Scout packs has had enough interest to start a girls’ den yet, but they are open to doing so if enough girls are interested.

One of our Boy Scout troops has decided to start a separate BSA Scouting girls’ troop in 2019, creating a sixth unit chartered by ARL-FX IWLA. Interested girls and parents should contact Scoutmaster Sarah Ruhl at sarahdruhl@gmail.com. The new troop will hold an open house sometime in January.

If you would like more information about the ARL-FX IWLA BSA Scouting units, or if you are a Scout leader that would like to use our Chapter facilities, please contact Scouting Coordinator Tom Pike at 703-802-0740 or Tom.Pike@arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org.

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Izaak Walton League of America

Announcing the 2019

Annual Fishing Derby and Picnic for Children & Adults with Disabilities

May 4, 2019

10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. • Lunch is served at Noon

Come out and enjoy a day of fishing and outdoor fun!

14708 Mount Olive Road, Centreville, VA 20121-2517

For directions visit our Web site: www.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org

Contact: bucky.sills@arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org or Pam.meara@arlingtonfairfax-Iwla.org
to register. Please include number planning to attend.

Please distribute: The participants do not have to be members of the Chapter.

February 2019

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA Calendar

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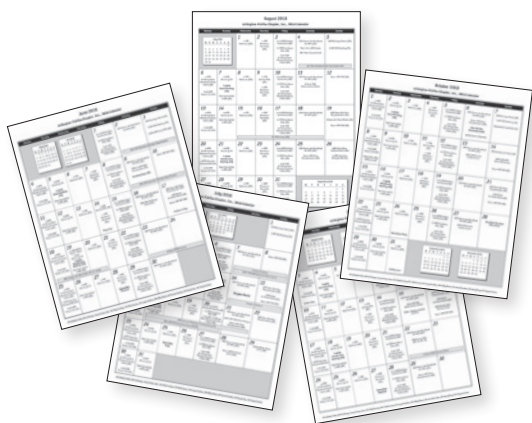
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