

NEWSLETTER

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Charles "Bucky" Sills (1958 – 2021)

Bucky had been a member of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, IWLA, for 24 years, joining in 1997. In 2000, he became a member of the Chapter's board of directors as the director of Education & Training. Bucky was an NRA Certified Instructor, NRA Master Training Counselor, NRA Certified Coach, and part of the NRA National Coach Development Staff. He was a great instructor who led and assisted many of the courses that were held at the Chapter each year. Later in 2014, Bucky became the chair of the Building and Grounds Committee. Bucky put in a tremendous amount of work and was dedicated to the Chapter as a whole. He tirelessly lent his time, expertise, knowledge, tools, and equipment to get things done. When the Chapter needed something it didn't have, Bucky always knew where to get it so work could continue. Most recently, the new Chapter parking lot (between the field house and air range) was done largely by Bucky and a few volunteers with equipment he brought to the Chapter. This is just one example of the many projects he supported. Bucky assisted in many ways with the construction of the new air range and some might think it was named for him for that work. However, Bucky was one of the two people who originally started the Chapter air-rifle program in the four-bay tractor shed (with no heat or air conditioning) and dedicating countless hours coaching the many youth in the program.

Bucky had many hobbies he used to assist the Chapter. Barbecuing and grilling was one of the things he enjoyed doing. He even designed and equipped a trailer specifically for his barbecuing. Bucky and his "Crew" would sometimes spend the night at the Chapter cooking for Chapter events including the annual picnic and fishing derby for those with disabilities, the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Crush'n Clays charity event, and the Chapter annual picnic.

In the past couple of years, Bucky began to really enjoy trap shooting competitions and participated in numerous shoots including the Virginia State Shoot and the West Virginia State Shoot. He was looking forward to the



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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

Newsletter Committee

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| <i>Pamela Meara</i> | <i>Editor-in-Chief</i> |
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Field House Phone Numbers

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| <i>Chapter field house</i> | <i>703-631-4495</i> |
| <i>Rifle-Pistol field house</i> | <i>703-631-4496</i> |
| <i>Skeet & Trap field house</i> | <i>703-631-4497</i> |
| <i>Field Archery field house</i> | <i>703-631-4498</i> |
| <i>Sills Air Range</i> | <i>703-631-4818</i> |

Chapter President's E-mail arlfx.president@gmail.com

Chapter's Web Site <https://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org>

Chapter's Facebook Page

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

Chapter Field House Office Hours

1st and 3rd Tuesday.....1 p.m. to 8 p.m.
All other Tuesdays.....1 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturdays9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Other times, call the field house office number..... 703-631-4495

Property Physical Address

14708 Mount Olive Road, Centreville, VA 20121-2517

Mailing Address

Post Office Box 366, Centreville, VA 20122-0366



April 2021—Thank You

The COVID-19 crises appears to be over and we are getting back to normal. I believe that two years ago if anyone had tried to predict what would happen and the various responses to it, they would have been called crazy. The responses from the various state governors were all over the map. While we are first and foremost a conservation organization, no one could argue we run a lot of shooting ranges and Governor Northam has shown he is no friend of gun owners. When the various Commonwealth of Virginia executive orders were published, they left some room for interpretation and I tried to interpret them aggressively and still get our facilities open without opening ourselves to enforcement actions. Several governors enforced their orders draconianly and I wanted to ensure that could not happen to us.

All in all, we came through this just fine and we have to thank our designated directors for a big part of that:

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| Director — Air Range | Roger Thrasher |
| Director — Conservation | John Seaberg |
| Director — Education | Bucky Sills |
| Director — Field Archery | Dick Riemer |
| Director — Rifle-Pistol | Bill Frerking |
| Director — Skeet & Trap | Bob Brino |
| Director — Target Archery | Robert D'Imperio |

Because of their different facilities and constituents, I tasked them with writing and implementing the procedures to handle their venues and still comply with the executive orders and they did so magnificently.

Unfortunately, we had to cancel many traditional events we have been doing for many years. Women on Target, many Education and Training classes, the handicap picnic, and the disadvantaged Christmas party. No other choice, there was no way we could have accomplished them within any interpretation of the executive orders, but they will be back next year. We did manage to hold our annual elections, thanks Steve.

Incredibly special thanks to our vice president, Pam Meara. Between multiple changes to our Web site to keep it updated daily, trying to keep me out of trouble, getting the newsletter editions out without issues, even setting us up for a Zoom board meeting and a special Zoom membership meeting so we could vote in the new members from the orientation in December when Executive Order 72 made a membership or board meeting impossible. Well done, Pam.

Also special thanks to Bern Crandall, our membership chairman. With everything going on, the interest in membership jumped dramatically at a time when we could not hold full-sized orientations and he did everything possible to accommodate as many new members as we could. Executive Order 72 finally made new member orientations impossible, and we have not been able to hold any or take in any new members since January 2021.

No small measure was the dedication and bravery of the rest of the board. In the beginning we had no idea how contagious and how deadly this could be and board members and regular members came out to board and membership meetings at the Chapter so we had a quorum and could continue to conduct business.

And last, but by no means least, the literally hundreds of other volunteers it takes to run our Chapter, the guys and ladies that come out on a regular basis, the range officers and the guys that fix and upgrade the property and set up for our various events, the newsletter crew, the volunteers at new member orientations, our caretaker and his crew, and the admin staff.

To all that helped us keep it going in these difficult times, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

We could not have done it without you.

—*Thomas Ciarula*, President

IWLA Mission

To conserve, restore, and promote the sustainable use and enjoyment of our natural resources, including soil, air, woods, waters, and wildlife.

Izaak Walton League Member 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 in it.

I pledge myself as a member of the Izaak Walton League of America.

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 IWLA 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 commonsense 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 Web site.

SOS Web Links

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

<https://www.iwla.org/water/stream-monitoring>.

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/>.



Save Our Streams Volunteer Opportunities



The Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, is looking for a few volunteers to help with the Chapter's conservation efforts dealing with Save our Streams (SoS) events.

The SoS method is recognized by the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) to determine potential impairments to the waters of Virginia. The method collects samples of "bugs" from the water that provides indicators of stream health.

By volunteering for this program, you can:

- Gather important data in our local area;
- Work with other engaged volunteers;
- Get first-hand knowledge of water quality in the streams monitored.

For more information, please email arlfxiwla@gmail.com.



Use of Outhouses



IMPORTANT: Septic tanks are used for the outhouses on the property. Trash (plastic bottles, bags, etc.) should never be disposed of in an outhouse for any reason. Trash clogs the septic tank and the Chapter has to pay to get it cleared. Groups may be charged these costs if the septic tank becomes clogged while they use the property.

Donate to Arlington-Fairfax Chapter by Using AmazonSmile

Chapter members are reminded they can donate to the Chapter by registering and using AmazonSmile at www.smile.amazon.com when they shop on Amazon. Amazon will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the Chapter. Our Chapter is listed with AmazonSmile as **Izaak Walton League of America Arlington-Fairfax Chapter**.

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Please see <http://smile.amazon.com/about> for program details.

ARL-FX IWLA Membership Minutes

May, June, July 2021

CHECK THE WEB SITE FOR LATEST SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENTS AND CANCELLATIONS

Important Information About Your Membership

- Your 2020 purple range badge inserts have now expired.
- The gate code for 2020 has expired.
- If you need the new gate code or have not renewed, contact the membership office at:
E-mail: arl_ffx_iwla_mbr_sec@yahoo.com
Phone: 703-631-4495
- OR you can still renew online at:
<https://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/online-membership-renewal/>

What's New in the Membership Office

We have added Saturday hours (9 a.m. to 1 p.m.).

Volunteer Notes

It's that time of year again ... SPRING! At this time of year, we start our major projects that improve our Chapter and help the community. This year, we will also be conducting new member orientations throughout the year. This is an important aspect of the Chapter and requires volunteers to make it successful. Take a minute to visit our home page and click on our SignUpGenius button to learn where you can volunteer to help your Chapter be the best it can be for our members and the community.

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

—Beau Craudall, Membership Director

Membership History Numbers

| | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021* |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Membership | 2,138 | 2,136 | 2,090 | 2,039 | 2,086 | 1,988 |
| Members Receiving Dues Discount for Volunteer Work | 220 | 222 | 294 | 262 | 273 | 243 |
| Members Who Renewed Online | | | 658 | 695 | 924 | 921 |

*As of March 20, 2021



SIGN UP!



SignUpGenius®

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

AmazonSmile Donations

The Chapter wants to thank everyone who has supported the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, by choosing the Chapter as your charity when purchasing items on AmazonSmile. The AmazonSmile Foundation donates 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the Chapter. A donation in the amount of **\$217.88** was received from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of AmazonSmile program activity between October 1 and December 31, 2020.

If you would like to donate to the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., through AmazonSmile, simply use the following instructions:

- Go to <http://smile.amazon.com> and use AmazonSmile to make your purchases and Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible purchases to our Chapter. There is NO cost to you.
- Our Chapter is listed as: Izaak Walton League of America Arlington-Fairfax Chapter.
- Please see <http://smile.amazon.com/about> for program details.

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Virginians Key to IWLA Congressional Priorities

Many members of Virginia's Congressional delegation will be in key positions as Congress considers legislation on the Izaak Walton League's priority list for 2021, including the Recovering America's Wildlife Act, promoting soil health, clean water, clean energy, climate change, and protecting America's iconic places. IWLA members can help by contacting their members of Congress in support of the League's priorities and by talking to their friends and neighbors about the importance of legislation that protects our soil, air, woods, waters, and wildlife.

Congress is expected to consider major infrastructure legislation this year, and that legislation could touch on any or all of the League's priorities. The Budget Committees of the House and Senate outline the annual federal budget and could play a key role in infrastructure legislation by determining what the overall package will look like. Other committees could take up parts of infrastructure legislation that deal with public lands, agriculture, water resources, energy, and transportation.

Virginia Senators Mark Warner and Tim Kaine both serve on the Senate Budget Committee, where they could help ensure the League's natural resource priorities are considered. In the House, Virginia Representatives Bobby Scott (VA-3), Bob Good (VA-5), Ben Cline (VA-6), and Jennifer Wexton (VA-10) all serve on the Budget Committee.

Representative Don Beyer represents Virginia's 8th District, which includes all of Arlington County, part of Fairfax County, Alexandria, and Falls Church. Rep. Beyer serves on the Ways & Means Committee, which deals with tax and revenue bills and could be asked to consider where the money would come from to pay for new investments in infrastructure if the House moves forward with legislation.

Representative Jennifer Wexton serves the 10th District, which stretches from the outskirts of Fairfax west across Loudoun, Clarke, and Frederick Counties. Rep. Wexton serves on the Budget Committee, but also

on the Appropriations Committee, which has a key role in setting funding for the Chesapeake Bay Program, clean water grants, and many other conservation priorities. Rep. Ben Cline, whose 6th district includes much of the Shenandoah Valley, also serves on both the Budget and Appropriations Committees.

Representative Abigail Spanberger serves the 7th District, which covers much of central Virginia. Rep. Spanberger chairs the House Agriculture Subcommittee on Conservation & Forestry, with jurisdiction over farm conservation programs and National Forests. She introduced soil health legislation in 2020 and has proven to be a thoughtful supporter of programs that help farmers adopt soil health practices that better protect our rivers and lakes.

The Recovering America's Wildlife Act could provide \$1.4 billion per year to state and tribal fish and wildlife agencies to help conserve wildlife and wildlife habitat, but first it must clear the House Natural Resources Committee. Rep. Robert Wittman, who represents the 1st district in east-central Virginia, and Rep. Donald McEachin, who represents the 4th district in southeast Virginia, both serve on the committee.

Representative McEachin is also on the House Energy & Commerce Committee, along with Rep. Morgan Griffith, who serves the 9th district in the southwest corner of the state. The committee has jurisdiction over energy policy, electric utilities, and climate change.

With so many Virginia members of Congress in key positions to impact the League's priorities this year, IWLA members can play an important role by contacting the people who serve them in Congress. Visit the Take Action page of the League's Web site (www.iwla.org) to learn more.

—*Duane Hovorka*,
IWLA National Office,
Agriculture Program Director



IWLA Digital Newsletter

Want the latest conservation news from the Izaak Walton League and Action Alerts on key advocacy issues? Sign up today at <https://members.iwla.org/apps/#SignIn>.

E-Newsletter and Action Alert Sign-up

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

Announces the 2021

**Annual Picnic and Fishing Derby
for Children & Adults with Disabilities**

taking place on

May 1, 2021

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: 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.

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 2020. The Youth Shotgun Team 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/>



2021 Chapter Elections

In accordance with the Chapter bylaws, elections are held annually for half of the board of directors' positions with members serving a two-year term. Polls will be open on the 10th, 11th, 17th, and 18th of July 2021. Election results will be presented to the membership by the election committee chair at the July 20th membership meeting and the newly elected board members are officially sworn in at the August membership meeting on August 17, 2021. Chapter officer and board member positions on the ballot this year are:

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| President | Rifle-Pistol Director |
| Secretary | Air Range Director |
| Membership Director | Youth Activities Director |
| Field Archery Director | (3) Directors-at-Large |

Nominations for these positions are currently being accepted from the Chapter membership. Nominations will be closed and the ballot finalized at the monthly general membership meeting on June 15th. If you would like to self-nominate or nominate another Chapter member for any of the open positions, contact Steve Landry, nominating committee chairman, via e-mail at slandry111@verizon.net or by phone/text at 703-408-6909.



Chapter Happenings During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Thank you to all of our members for your understanding and patience while the Chapter has been navigating through the changes required due to the COVID-19 pandemic restrictions.

Some of our regular volunteers did not want to risk their health to spend time as range officers and on work parties. We understand and support them in their concerns. We hope they will come out as soon as they feel comfortable. It took some time to build up a group of volunteers who would assist and stand in for range duty and for work parties. We remain optimistic our members and friends we have not seen in a while are doing well and hope to see them again soon.

Even with all the changes and cancellations at the Chapter, many things have been happening and many activities have resumed. Within the last 12 months more members are using the campgrounds and pavilions for family picnics, etc. More Scout troops have requested the use of our facilities to hold their troop meetings and events. We harvested pine trees from the Chapter property and milled them for lumber to rebuild the Field Archery shed. There have been regular work parties to split and stack wood for sale as firewood. Firearms and archery

training programs have restarted with limits on attendees. When the governor's executive orders allowed, we had Chapter meetings and new member orientations in shifts to meet the participant limit constraints that were imposed.

Spring and summer are on the way and there are many volunteer opportunities for Chapter members to come out and accumulate volunteer hours. Although we felt the need to cancel the annual picnic and fishing derby for children and adults with disabilities in 2021, everything else is going on as scheduled. The Shotgun Winter League has been running this year almost at capacity. The big story now is ammunition and reloading supplies are in short supply. Upcoming we have NRA Women on Target and the Crush'n Clays charity event. There is Archery 101 training and Skeet & Trap shoots that are scheduled.

The Chapter Web site and calendar are being updated daily to make sure we capture the most current information for our members. These will have the most updated information for you to be able to make plans at the Chapter. Please check the Chapter Web site and calendar for events in all areas of the property. Visit the Chapter SignUpGenius for the most current volunteer opportunities at the Chapter.

—*Pamela Meara*, Vice President



SIGN UP!



SignUpGenius®

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

REMEMBER

Speed Limit is 10 MPH on the ARL-FX IWLA Property

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Bucky Sills continued from page 1

Pennsylvania State Shoot last year, but with the COVID-19 pandemic many events were cancelled and he was not able to attend. Besides the joy of the events themselves, Bucky enjoyed the time he was able to spend with other competitors and friends. He always had a smile on his face and was a friend to everyone he met.

I could go on and on about Bucky and include the many projects and other contributions he gave to our Chapter, but there isn't enough room in our newsletter to include everything. Whether it was his time, his energy, or some other resource, he was always willing to help. Our Chapter was really lucky to have Bucky.

In speaking to many people who knew Bucky, they describe him as a friend, coach, teacher, and mentor. They say he was generous, dedicated, a hard worker, fun loving, a man of honor, a champion for kids in the world of shooting sports, and an overall great person. Anyone who had a chance to talk with Bucky knew how much he loved his family and how proud he was of each of them.

Bucky's presence will be missed by everyone, myself included. The sadness will eventually fade over time, but the cherished memories of him and all he did for the Chapter will be with us forever.

May all his family and friends find peace knowing he is watching over us. He is greatly missed.

—Pawela Meara





Skeet & Trap Range

2021 ARL-FX Chapter Skeet Shoots Schedule

Memorial Day Open
Doubles 500 Open

May 28-30
August 7

Stonewall Open
Pre-State & Club Championship

August 6-8

August 27-29

E-mail IWLASkeet@yahoo.com for more information.

Free National Skeet Shooting Assoc. (NSSA) membership for all new participants (\$40 value).

2021 ARL-FX Chapter Trap Shoot Dates

George Mason Trap Open
John Lynn Memorial

May 2
May 23

Chris Cuyler Corn Shoot
DuCharm/Igou Memorial

September 5
October 3

For more information, please contact Bob Brino at (703) 368-4934 or e-mail him at Bob.Brino@arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org.

5th Annual Cub Run Archers 3-D \$Money\$ Shoot

Date: June 19, 2021
2 Classes: Hunter and Open

Distance: All Known Distance
Shoot times: From 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Come on out for an awesome day of 3-D archery at the ARL-FX Chapter Field Archery range for the Cub Run **\$Money\$ Shoot**. This shoot is a crowd favorite. Whether you're a casual archer or a seasoned pro, you are sure to have a blast at this shoot.

Early Online Registration—\$20 Regular/Late Registration—\$30

For more information, go to <http://www.cubrunarchers.org>.



Attention!

Chapter Pond — Fishing policy — Operating with Catch & Release Policy in effect. We follow all Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR) regulations. See <https://dwr.virginia.gov/>.

Shooting is prohibited anywhere on Chapter grounds except at the designated shooting ranges.

Education & Training Updates

The 2021 Education & Training schedule is available. Make sure you check out the schedule on the Web site:

<http://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/education-and-training-2/>

22nd Annual

CRUSH'N CLAYS®**Clay Target Charity Classic to Benefit
St. Jude Children's Research Hospital****Saturday, June 12, 2021****SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS**

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| Gold | \$2,500 | ► Complete package for two 4-person teams | All Sponsors Also Receive ► Sponsor reception Friday evening ► Logo on banner displayed in a prominent location ► Presentation of an appreciation plaque ► Mention in all event media releases |
| Silver | \$1,250 | ► Complete package for one 4-person team | |
| Patron | \$750 | ► One 4-person team | |

SPONSORSHIP COMMITMENT

| Option | Fee | Total | Pay By |
|---------------------------------|---------|-------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gold | \$2,500 | | <input type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Silver | \$1,250 | | <input type="checkbox"/> Send invoice |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Patron | \$750 | | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card —To pay by credit card go to: www.myvssa.org/crushn-clays |
| Total | | | |

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ ☐ Work ☐ Cell ☐ HomeMail to: St Jude **Crush'n Clays®** VSSA, P.O. Box 1258, Orange, VA 22960-0741

Hosted by the Virginia Shooting Sports Association and the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is nonsectarian and open to children without regard to race, religion, creed, or financial status.

Air Range

COVID-Impacted High School Air Rifle Season Still a Success

In spite of COVID challenges, the Potomac High School Rifle League (PHSRL) finished a successful regular season and held their precision air rifle regional championship on February 20, 2021, at the Sills Air Range. The league consists of eight local high school teams, plus the Mavericks team (for athletes whose school does not have a rifle program). This year 108 youth shooters participated in the league, with each team shooting a four-match tournament schedule ranked by team aggregate scores. The PHSRL season was capped off by a day-long championship match for the top teams and athletes. The modified course of fire for this year was 40 shots standing for regular season and 60 shots standing for the championship.

For the team title, Woodson High School edged out Lake Braddock Secondary School by a score of 2300 to 2291. Woodson was represented by Ben Hays, Meredith Ivey, Victoria Kopelen, and Nate Wehrle. Lake Braddock was represented by Daniel Griffin, Ryan Kim, Victoria

Leppert, and McKenzie Shedd. Robinson took third place and West Springfield took fourth place. Full results are available at <https://www.orionresults.com/afciwla>.

The overall individual winner of this year's championship was Victoria Leppert, a junior from Lake Braddock, who shot a 584/600 to take home the gold medal. Silver went to sophomore Tess Hines (West Springfield) and bronze went to senior Nate Wehrle (Woodson). Of note, Ben Hays is our first official adaptive (Paralympic-style) athlete to compete in the PHSRL, taking fourth place in the championship match.

Woodson High School won the PHSRL regular season with a 6147 aggregate score. Robinson finished second in the regular season with a 6100 aggregate, with Lake Braddock third at 6012, and West Springfield fourth at 5902.

While completing any kind of high school season was a bright spot in this crazy year, hopefully next year the PHSRL will be back to normal operations.

NoVA Sharpshooters Compete in the Orion National Air Pistol League

For the past four years, the ARL-FX NoVA Sharpshooters junior pistol athletes have competed in Orion's virtual National Air Pistol League. This year there are seven teams participating. The season consists of seven matches over an eleven-week period. The NoVA Sharpshooters is the only team that consists entirely of junior athletes. One team has a mix of juniors and adults and the remaining five are comprised of adults. With two matches remaining, the NoVA Sharpshooters are in fourth place.

Coaches Tim Greenhaw and Lei-Ann Chang coach the NoVA Sharpshooters junior pistol program and



it is open to juniors ages 10 to 18 years of age. If you are interested in learning more, you can contact the coaches at novasharps shootersiwl@gmail.com.

NoVA Sharpshooter Siblings Win at USA Shooting Winter Airgun

Each year, USA Shooting sponsors a national airgun competition that is open to junior and adult athletes. Historically the Winter Airgun Championship was held at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colorado. For 2020, the Olympic Training Center was not available, so USA

Shooting worked with the Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) and hosted the competition at two locations, Camp Perry in Ohio and the CMP South Competition Center in Anniston, Alabama. The three-day competition included air pistol and air rifle events with participation from junior, adult, and Paralympic athletes. Friday and Saturday were qualification matches and Sunday was a fun day match followed by a final elimination competition for the top eight shooters. Top athletes were identified for their respective location and USA Shooting also published combined scores for both locations.

Two NoVA Sharpshooters attended the competition at Camp Perry. For the two qualification matches at their



Camp Perry location, Bhavjeet Sanghera was named the top athlete of 17 competitors for men's air pistol (gold medal) and his sister Suman Sanghera was named the top athlete of 11 competitors for women's air pistol (gold medal). There was also a fun day match of 20 shots where Suman

scored #1 of 20 competitors and Bhavjeet scored #4 of 20 competitors. The fun day match scores determined who participated in the finals match. Suman and Bhavjeet both qualified for the finals match with Bhavjeet winning the gold medal and Suman winning the bronze medal.

Combining scores at both locations showed Suman #1 of 19 junior women and Bhavjeet #6 of 20 junior men. Combining scores for all competitors at both locations, which includes junior and adult women and men, showed Suman #5 of 64 and Bhavjeet #13 of 64.

Congratulations to Bhavjeet (left) and Suman (right) for their outstanding performance and good luck to them at future competitions!

Another First for the Chapter

As I am sure a lot of you are aware, I am heavily involved with adaptive/paralympic shooting. Under international rules, adaptive shooters are classified as:

SH1: Pistol and rifle competitors who must sit down, but do not require a shooting stand.

SH2: Rifle competitors who do not have the ability to support the weight of the firearm with their arms and require a shooting/spring stand.

I have checked with various sources and as best I can determine, this is the first time in the USA an adaptive shooter has competed in a regular high school league using SH2 paralympic equipment in accordance with the rules of World Shooting Para Sport (the international governing body for Paralympic shooting). Ben Hays is a freshman at W.T. Woodson High School this year. W.T. Woodson is one of the teams in the Potomac High School Rifle League.

Ben did very well. Due to the pandemic the high school season was shortened, but Ben started strong placing in the top three in his first matches. He finished the season with fourth overall in the regional championships of 139 competitors in the league.



If you know anyone, junior or adult, who is physically challenged and wants to get involved in competitive shooting or just shoot to have fun, have them get in touch with me. We have everything they need to get started.

—Thomas Ciarula

Suman Sanghera Wins Gold Medal at El Salvador Junior Airgun Grand Prix

USA Shooting sent a team of 12 junior athletes to represent the United States of America at the El Salvador Grand Prix held in the capital city of San Salvador. Because of her outstanding record of precision shooting, USA Shooting selected Suman Sanghera to be on the USA National Junior Team for this competition. For the past four years, Suman has been a very dedicated and successful NoVA Sharpshooters athlete competing in 10-meter air pistol and 25-meter sport pistol. She has won multiple Virginia state air pistol and sport pistol matches, medaled silver junior women J3 age category in both air pistol and sport pistol at the 2019 National Junior Olympic Shooting Championship, Olympic Training Center, Colorado Springs, Colorado, won the junior women championship at the 2019 USA National Progressive Position Pistol match held in Anniston, Alabama, medaled bronze in junior women air pistol at the 2019 Winter Airgun Championship at the Olympic Training Center, Colorado Springs, Colorado, and was top female air pistol athlete at the 2020 Winter Airgun Championship at Camp Perry, Ohio. This was her first international competition.

The Grand Prix was a four-day tournament consisting of qualification matches for junior women and junior men in air pistol and air rifle. There was one qualification match for each discipline that decided the top eight competitors who would participate in the finals match. Suman and her two junior women teammates, Katelyn Abeln, Douglasville, Georgia, and Ada Korkin, Brookline, Massachusetts, did very well and qualified for the finals match. Out of 22 female air pistol competitors, Katelyn finished fourth, Ada



finished fifth, and Suman finished seventh. During this finals match, the electronic scoring system broke creating quite the challenge for officials since they had to manually check scores for each target.

On the last day, mixed teams competed in air pistol and air rifle. Suman and her teammate Remington Smith from Auburn, Georgia, did very well and won the gold medal for air pistol. Katelyn Abeln and her teammate Hunter Battig, Colorado Springs, Colorado, won the silver medal air pistol.

Overall, the junior team won nine medals (four air pistol and five air rifle) and secured all the available quotas for the Junior Pan American Games scheduled for the fall of 2021. Congratulations to all and a great job by Suman Sanghera on her first international competition.

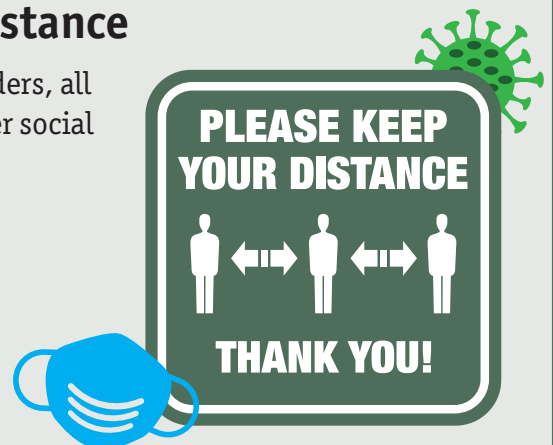


A Reminder to Social Distance

In accordance with our Virginia governor's COVID-19 executive orders, all members and guests using our Chapter facilities must follow proper social distancing guidelines.

Chapter Operating Schedules & COVID-19 Temporary Operating Procedures

Please continue to check the Chapter Web site for any updated temporary Chapter operating procedures before you come out to the Chapter.



Outdoor/Indoor Archery

Limited Broadhead Use on Outdoor Archery Range

The indoor and 3-D archery ranges are for **field tip use ONLY**, no broadheads are allowed on these ranges. The outdoor archery range does provide broadhead targets, but only on the target butts marked in bright red stating **"BROADHEADS OK."** These target butts are located at the crossbow station and include 20, 30, and 40 yard Rienehart (4' x 4' black target butts).

There are also 2' x 2' target butts with **RED dots** that may be used for broadheads, and the **RED cube dice** at 50 yards. In other words, if there is a **RED "BROADHEADS OK" sign** or **RED dots** on the block target butts, these may be used for broadheads.

All other targets are for field tips only. This includes any 3-D targets that may be placed on the range. All core-drilling broadheads are strictly prohibited on the Chapter archery ranges.

Damage to the target blocks and 3-D animals on the outdoor range has occurred in the recent weeks. Anyone witnessing broadhead usage on these targets should notify the archery range officer or any Cub Run officer. As stated on the ARL-FX IWLA/Cub Run Archers *Web site range rules (Section 11 PROHIBITIONS—<https://www.cubrunarchers.org/using-the-range--range-rules.html>)*:

"Anyone observed ... shooting broadhead-tipped arrows at other than targets expressly designed for that purpose will be referred to the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, IWLA, board of directors for disciplinary action."

—*Fred Ansick*, Cub Run Archers, Range Captain

ARL-FX IWLA Cub Run Archers

For those Chapter members who are interested in competing in Virginia Bowhunters Association (VBA) archery events, the Chapter established a VBA group called Cub Run Archers so field archery tournaments could be held at the Chapter. VBA is the representative for bowhunters throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia. To join Cub Run Archers, applications are available at the Field Archery range house. For more information, please contact Brad Edgington, secretary, Cub Run Archers, by e-mail at bedgington71@gmail.com.



Archery Qualifying for the Fairfax County Park Program

Archery qualifying is under way. Tuesday evenings 6 p.m. until dark and Sunday mornings 9 a.m. until 12 noon, qualifying will take place at the outdoor field archery range. No practice broadheads may be used for qualifying. Archers must have three arrows/bolts with broadheads to attempt to qualify because the county rule states shooter may not pull arrow/bolt after each shot. Qualifying will end on Sunday, June 27th. Each attempt to qualify is \$10.00, with up to three attempts allowed. Information on the archery program can be found on the county Web page at: <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/wildlife/archery-program>.

Field Archery Spring Cleanup

On Saturday, March 20th, a large work party was organized by Cub Run Archers to address a multitude of projects at field archery. We had over 27 volunteers working on tasks including construction of safety walls, reroofing the green shed, staining all the picnic tables and the crossbow station, painting the range markers, replacing targets throughout the field course, rebuilding target butts on the practice range, and many other tasks. This is in addition to a major lighting upgrade project earlier that saw the conversion of the indoor range to LED. This is estimated to save the Chapter over 50% in electricity costs for the indoor range. Though many people helped with these projects, I want to single out

a few for special mention. Bob Walla, Dennis Burke, and Al Fletcher took on the mammoth task of replacing the indoor range lighting and Dennis also took point on replacing the roof of the green shed. Marv Hicks made sure we were all well fed and watered. Mark Gauntner, Pamela Meara, Dick Riemer, and Dave Burke all helped supervise the various projects on the 20th. The true hero of the day however, and the person who organized the entire project, was Range Captain Fred Ansick and without his efforts, none of this would have happened. Thanks everyone.

—*Robert D'Imperio*, Director, Target Archery
President, Cub Run Archers

Archery Range Work Party — March 20

Have you looked around the archery range lately? There have been some major improvements. We had a number of ideas and suggestions from members, but the projects were piling up. We ran a work party in March 2020 and had great success, so we made this an annual event.

We compiled a list of thirty projects this year. Laid out the project plans, determined the required materials and costs, made a number of trips to Home Depot, opened a request on SignUpGenius and prepositioned the materials at the work sites. Now we just needed decent weather. It was a bit nippy in the morning, but the sun came out and we were dry, so all was good.

At 8 a.m. our first volunteers started showing up — so off to work we went. We had all kinds of activity going on by 9 a.m. with 30 volunteers spread out on the outdoor range, the 3-D course, and around the clubhouse. We added new safety fences on the 3-D range, reroofed a storage shed, restacked the outdoor range Rinehart target butts, power washed the Archery field house, stained picnic tables and benches, added new targets on the ranges, blew the leaves off the trails, cleaned the flagpole area and added some touch-up paint.

The place looks great and I would like to thank the volunteers who came out for this party: Stephen and Nicholas Donner, David and Hannah Berger, Dave Spenser, Eric Kraske, Michael and Joselyn Welck, Joshua Blasdel, Louis and Kathleen Sichenze, Justin Moore, Olivia Bunch, Shana Bui, Ken Orsino, David Osborne, Elliott Ricksbaker, Todd Skipper, Jacob Schweitzer, Brian Marquardt, Bob Walla, and John Burke.

A special thanks to Dick Riemer, Robert D'Imperio, Dave Burke, Mark Gauntner, Dennis Burke, and Pam Meara who led the various teams. Without these guys we would have been in chaos all day. And to Marv Hicks who provided lunch.

Come on out to the archery range and check out the progress. The ranges are open to all IWLA members and we have archery equipment you can check out if you want to try your hand at this sport.

—*Fred Ausick*, Range Captain

Izaak Walton League of America Store

Are you interested in getting IWLA apparel/items? Did you know that IWLA National has an online store? Visit <https://members.iwla.org/apps/#Store>.



Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, Archery 101 Classes

The Archery 101 classes will take place in the indoor archery range. These classes are designed for anyone who has never shot archery before or has very little knowledge of the sport and would like to see what our sport is all about. The minimum age for children is 9 years old.

The class will cover the different types of archery equipment, archery safety, purchasing of equipment, and live shooting. All equipment needed is available through the Chapter (bows and arrows). All you need to do is register and show up.

Fee Schedule

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Members:

- \$20 for adults
- \$10 for ages 9 through 17
(Must be accompanied by a parent or guardian)
- \$30 max for family

Nonmembers:

- \$25 adults
- \$15 for ages 9 through 17
(Must be accompanied by a parent or guardian)
- \$40 max for family.

Class fees will be collected before the start of each class beginning at 12:45 p.m.



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| Sunday | May 16, 2021 | 1–3 p.m. |
| Sunday | September 19, 2021 | 1–3 p.m. |
| Sunday | October 17, 2021 | 1–3 p.m. |
| Sunday | November 14, 2021 | 1–3 p.m. |

To register for the class e-mail Dick Riemer at rriemer@cox.net or by phone at 703-543-8585.

Note: Each class is currently limited to ten participants plus instructors, maintaining social distancing.

Rifle-Pistol Range

ARL-FX IWLA Bullseye League Pistol Matches—2021

The Bullseye League matches continue on hold. Conducting the matches at the Rifle-Pistol Range would be a health-management problem. Additionally, 50 percent of the participants are in the higher-risk category.

The Rifle-Pistol Range currently limits the number of participants to 13. Shooters must provide their own consumables and tools (targets, staplers, staples, etc.) at this time. This precludes access to score cards and targets in the attic of the field house.

If the restrictions are lifted allowing the Rifle-Pistol Range to revise the requirements, we will plan on continuing the Bullseye League for the remainder of the year in a modified manner. ARL-FX IWLA follows the requirements set forth by the Governor's executive orders.



Hopefully, this will change when conditions change and other phases are implemented.

Rifle-Pistol Range Phase 3 rules and times are posted on the Chapter Web site at <https://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/>.

For more information, please contact Jack Machey at reddotbull@zoho.com or visit <https://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/bullseye-pistol/>.



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Air Range Raffle Drawing in Support of the Chapter Youth Air Gun Shooting Program



100 Ticket Raffle!!

1st Prize: Ruger Combo—Mark IV Pistol + 10/22 Rifle

2nd Prize: Vortex Binoculars



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(MSRP: \$650)



(MSRP: \$689)



Raffle Ticket Price: \$20

Raffle drawn at 100th ticket—need not be present to win

Buy tickets online at: <http://afc-iwla-sillsairrange.org>

Proceeds benefit Youth Air Gun programs—Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Izaak Walton League of America

This is a private sale (raffle)—winner must be eligible to purchase

The MidwayUSA Foundation is a 501(c)(3) public charity working to sustain and grow the shooting sports industry by providing long-term funding to youth shooting teams. See <https://www.midwayusafoundation.org> for more information.

Animal Protection



The Chapter grounds are considered a wildlife sanctuary and hunting is strictly prohibited. All animals are protected and are not to be harmed in any way. Anyone found to be harming wildlife on the Chapter grounds will be brought before the Board of Directors for disciplinary action.

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 (arlfxnewsletter@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.

Donate to Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Using AmazonSmile

Chapter members are reminded they can donate to the chapter by registering and using AmazonSmile at www.smile.amazon.com when they shop on Amazon. Amazon will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the chapter. Our chapter is listed with AmazonSmile as **Izaak Walton League of America Arlington-Fairfax Chapter**.

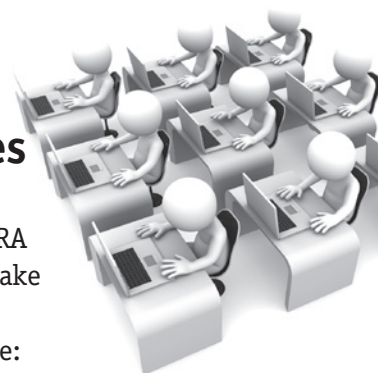
Click <http://smile.amazon.com/about> for program details.



Education & Training NRA Course Updates

The 2021 Education & Training schedule for NRA courses are available. Make sure you check out the schedule on the Web site:

<http://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/education-and-training-2/>



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The Izaak Walton League of America

Web Links

Check out the IWLA Web site: <https://www.iwla.org>

Check out the Virginia Division Web site: <http://va-iwla.org/>



REMEMBER

Speed limit is 10 mph on the ARL-FX IWLA property!

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA, Calendars

For current Chapter calendars and event times, go to the Chapter Web site under the Calendar tab—<https://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org>.

FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL & MAY

| Event | Time | Facility |
|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| Field Archery Dinner | Every Tuesday | AC |
| Cub Run Archers Meeting | 1st Sunday of each month | AC |
| Board of Directors' Meeting | 1st Tuesday of each month | FH |
| Youth Chapter BoD Meeting | 2nd Tuesday of each month | FH |
| Service Rifle Matches | 2nd Thursday of each month | RP |
| General Membership Meeting | 3rd Tuesday of each month | FH |
| Bull Run Muzzle Loaders | 3rd Sunday of each month | RP |
| Regular Open Air Range | Mondays & Fridays | AR |
| Open Air Range (Members Practice) | Sundays | AR |
| Bullseye Match | 1st Sunday (March–July) | RP |
| New Member Orientation | Saturday, May 1 | FH |
| Annual Picnic & Fishing Derby for Children & Adults with Disabilities | Saturday, May 1, 2021 CANCELLED | LP |
| George Mason Trap Open | Sunday, May 2 | ST |
| 101 Archery Class | Sunday, May 16 | FA |
| NRA Women on Target | Saturday, May 22 | Chapter |
| John Lynn Memorial Trap Shoot | Sunday, May 23 | ST |
| Memorial Day Open Skeet Shoot | May 28–30 | ST |
| Rifle-Pistol Short Range Day | Sunday, May 30 | RP |
| New Member Orientation | Saturday, June 5 | FH |
| 23rd Annual St. Jude Crush'n Clays Event | Saturday, June 12th | ST |
| IWLA VA Division Meeting | Saturday, June 19 | Christiansburg-Montgomery Chapter |
| New Member Orientation | Saturday, July 3 | FH |
| ARL-FX Chapter Elections | July 10–11 & July 17–18 | FH |
| IWLA National Convention | July 21–23 | Nebraska Division |
| Newsletter Mailing Party | Tuesday, July 27 | FH |
| Ed. & Trng. NRA Courses | Various Dates | <i>See Web site</i> |

AC=Archery Club House, **AF**=Athletic Field, **AR**=Air Range, **Camp**=Camp Sites, **FA**=Field Archery, **FH**=Field House, **LP**=Large Pavilion, **RP**=Rifle-Pistol, **SP**=Small Pavilion, **ST**=Skeet & Trap, **TA**=Target Archers

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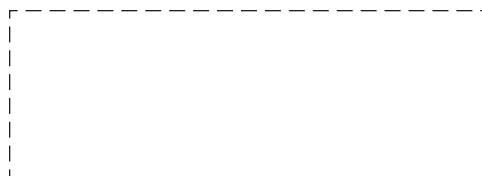
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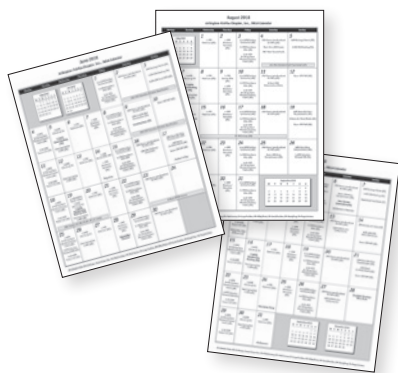
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For current Chapter calenders, go to the Chapter Web site under *Calender*. Also, look out for the Chapter Monthly E-Blast on Chapter Updates!

<https://wp.arlingtonfairfax-iwla.org/chapter-calendars/>

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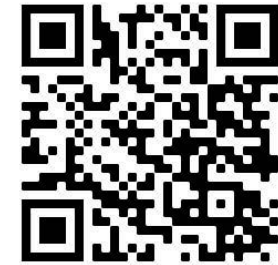
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Event T-Shirt to First 100 Entrants

Includes:
Main event ammunition, loaner shotguns, targets, clinic, lunch, and awards

ENTRY LEVELS

Individual Participant **\$70***
*\$75 after May 20th

Team Sponsorship **\$250**
One 4-person team

Patron Sponsor **\$750**
One 4-person team
- Sponsor sign at field house
- Appreciation plaque

Saturday, June 12, 2021

Check In
Begins 8 a.m.

Shooting Clinic
8:30 a.m. – 9 a.m.

16-Yard Event
1st Flight – 9 a.m.
2nd Flight – 10 a.m.
3rd Flight – 11 a.m.
4th Flight – 12 p.m.

Lunch
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Handicap Event
1st Flight – 1 p.m.
2nd Flight – 2 p.m.
3rd Flight – 3 p.m.
4th Flight – 4 p.m.

Annie Oakley Side Event
Continuous throughout the day

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.
1st left into IWLA entrance

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| OPTION | ENTRY | TOTAL |
|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| Patron | \$750 | \$ |
| Team | \$250 | \$ |
| Individual | \$70* | \$ |
| * After 5/20 | \$75 | \$ |
| | TOTAL | \$ |

| Preference | Flight Sequence |
|------------|------------------|
| | 9 a.m. & 1 p.m. |
| | 10 a.m. & 2 p.m. |
| | 11 a.m. & 3 p.m. |
| | 12 a.m. & 4 p.m. |

Flight sequence (state preference, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th). You will be notified only if your first preference is not available. First come, first served. (Example: Squad shooting 16-yard targets at 9:30 a.m. will shoot handicap targets at 1 p.m. and so forth.)

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