



Sporting Activities

- Camping: Rustic camp sites with grills and a small pavilion are available for member use.
- Fishing: A 2-acre catch-and-release fishing pond.
- Hiking: An on-site trail that winds through a variety of natural habitats.
- Field Archery: Lighted targets out to 60 yards, a 28-target walking course and a 20-yard indoor range.
- Target Archery: An Olympic style outdoor range with multiple target distances.
- Skeet and Trap: Three combination Skeet and Trap fields and one Trap-only field. Registered competitions are conducted each year.
- Rifle – Pistol: Seventeen positions with targets at 25, 50, 75, and 100 yards.
- Air Gun Facility: Built in 2015, this state-of-the-art facility has 25 positions and has hosted local, regional, sectional, and national championships.

Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., of the Izaak Walton League of America is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation.

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Established 1936



The Izaak Walton 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 spaces;

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

MEMBERSHIP BROCHURE

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The Izaak Walton League of America (IWLA) is for lovers of nature. That type of person abounds in Northern Virginia. It is only natural the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Inc., IWLA (ARL-FX IWLA), is the largest chapter in the country. The 2,200+ members of ARL-FX IWLA, along with the more than 40,000 “Ikes” nationwide, are dedicated to the conservation of America’s soil, air, waters, woodlands, and wildlife and to the enjoyment of the great outdoors and natural resources.



Established in 1936, ARL-FX IWLA has occupied a 100-acre site near Centreville since 1952 and is a regular participant in local conservation activities. ARL-FX IWLA members are stewards of the environment. We strive to promote ethical and responsible use of the land and its resources and to conserve those resources for the public and for future generations.

Members of ARL-FX IWLA support efforts to promote the wise use of our natural resources not only financially, but also by providing opportunities for education and hands-on experience. Members gather for such activities as:

- Stream monitoring
- Adopt-a-Highway program
- Plantings to benefit wildlife
- Conservation clean ups
- Environmental program activities

The legacy ARL-FX IWLA strives to create is a deep appreciation for our natural environment and an increased capacity for the enjoyment of ALL outdoor activities.



Conservation Activities

- Certifying stream monitors in the Virginia DEQ-recognized IWLA Save Our Streams program.
- Participation in the VDOT Adopt-a-Highway program.
- Environmental education through participation in community fairs and environmental events.
- Working with organizations on conservation-related service projects.
- Working to enhance wildlife habitat with maintenance of food plots, nest boxes, butterfly gardens, and natural wildflower meadows.

Community Activities

- Monthly firearms safety courses.
- Annual Christmas party for underprivileged kids.
- Annual Fishing Derby for physically challenged children and adults.
- Awarding \$20,000 per year in college scholarships.
- Annual membership/community picnic.
- “Crush’n Clays” to benefit St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital.