Newsletter of the Cub Run Archers AFIWLA Archery Club



President:

Crab Feast was a huge success. We would like to make it an annual event. FITA shoot was also very successful. A release was found at the Practice range. If you lost one please contact CRA. There will be a general swap meet in Feb. Details forthcoming. Next meeting will be Dec. 2nd.

Tournament Director/Vice President:

We are introducing a new shoot to our schedule this season. It will be a called the Turkey Shoot and will be held in the afternoon on opening day of Turkey season in the spring, consisting of all 3D turkey targets.

Range Captain:

Fred has taken down about 20 dead trees on the range. Rhinehart walls are in at the 20, 30 and 40 yards stations. 50 and 60 yards will be installed soon. The Gazelle skull cap has come in. Many lights have been replaced. Fred would like to call a work party to finish the safety fence by station 16. Fred wants to redo the outdoor lighting on the practice range as an eagle scout project. Fred outlined a plan to rebuild the Red Shed.

Social Director:

Christmas Luncheon Dec. 2nd after the meeting. Motion to provide \$250 for food. Approved.

AFC Archery Director:

IWLA is building a new parking lot for the Air Rifle range. Dr. Ed, Director of RP has passed.

New Business:

Many thanks to Fran Stites for her service as web master. Due to personal commitments, she is no longer able to continue in this capacity. Justice Percell has volunteered to take over.

Bob Walla has offered 3 security cameras and one outdoor housing unit for CRA use if someone wants to install them.

Dan Roberts has donated a new printer to the Indoor Range.

Bob W. would like to make room in the connex to store folding chairs.

We need volunteers for the December 8th Childrens Christmas party.

Marvin makes a motion to offer \$100 for an Apple Arrow Saw. Approved.

Smitty makes a motion to donate \$200 to Hunters for the Hungry. Approved.



2019–2020 Terrestrial Wildlife Regulation Review & Amendment Process



Public Scoping Period

Please offer your ideas on changes to hunting, trapping, or other wildlife regulations that you would like to see for the 2019–2020 seasons. We are interested in understanding the values and concerns behind your recommended changes to our hunting, trapping, and wildlife laws. This information will help the Department determine the best course of action to address potential regulation changes. Comments will be accepted until December 14, 2018. Learn more about the 2019 Hunting & Trapping Regulatory Cycle Timeline.

https://www.dgif.virginia.gov/regulations/2019-2020-terrestrial-wildlife-scoping-

period/?utm_source=mailchimp&utm_medium=email&utm_content=nftf_h unting_november2018



IBO IMPORTANT RULE CHANGES FOR 2019

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The IBO has made changes to the MBO Male Bowhunter Open. Archers will be shooting at the **"Green"**Stakes rather then the **"Blue"** Stakes. For more details, under 'Document Library'>All Files>General>and arrow down to **'IBO Rule Changes for 2019.'** Under V. Shooting Classes, No. 5 Bowhunter Open (MBO) and it's highlighted in 'Yellow.'

https://virginiabowhunters.com/doc/allfiles/general/725-ibo-rule-changes-for-2019/file

Virginia Elk Restoration





Above: GPS/radio collars help VDGIF staff keep track of elk movements.

Snapshot

Between 2012 and 2014, a total of 71 elk were relocated into Buchanan County, Virginia, from southeast Kentucky, plus 4 additional calves born in quarantine. By September 2015, Virginia's restored elk herd was estimated at 120 individuals.

Since their release, the elk have largely stayed close to the release site.

During aerial surveys completed in 2014, two herds of non-translocated elk were seen in Wise County (a herd of twelve and a herd of four). These elk were likely natural immigrants from Kentucky. Elk that are not part of the restoration effort have also been spotted in Wise, Buchanan, Dickenson, Russell, Lee, Tazewell, Bland, Scott, and Washington counties

VDGIF is currently developing a new Elk Management Plan to guide management actions related to the growing elk herd, and is seeking public comment through December 5, 2018. .

Check back for updates!

For Dead Elk - Please Call (804) 367-0044

When to call: To report *any* dead elk killed by a hunter, vehicular accident, or unknown cause(s). This number is NOT for checking elk or other game but is for scheduling the collection of biological samples.



When calling: please leave your name, your contact info (phone number(s) where you can be reached), location of the elk, manner of death (if known), and the date.

Where are Elk Found in Virginia?

Elk have been seen periodically wandering into Virginia from Kentucky since the 1990s, with counties on the border reporting occasional sightings. Virginia's own restoration efforts have resulted in an elk herd currently found mostly in Buchanan County.

Nuisance Elk

Elk are like other large mammals in that they can cause damage to property or even injure people.

Elk Herd Health

All elk were quarantined in Kentucky and tested for a variety of diseases prior to being moved to Virginia. VDGIF is continuing to monitor herd health. For more information on elk health exams prior to translocation, or for more information on ongoing monitoring, please check out the following links:

Virginia's Elk Management Plan

https://www.dgif.virginia.gov/wildlife/elk/elk-management-plan/

 $\underline{https://virginiabowhunters.com/doc/allfiles/vba-flight-newsletters/724-vba-flight-2018-vol-61-no-04-fall}$

Fight No. 4 Fall 2018 Volume 61



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Cole Hensley taken with a cross bow with proud POP POP Reese Hensley - Massanutten Archery Club

There are no more VBA Shoots until January 2019

Tuesday, January 01, 2019 12:00am

New Year's Day - Be Safe & Enjoy w/Family &

Friends - Tuesday

Sunday, January 13, 2019 09:00am

Belvoir Bowhunters Indoor

Saturday, January 19,

Dixie Bowmen 3-D Trophy Shoot

2019 08:00am -

05:00pm

Saturday, January 19,

Sherwood Archers 3-D Shoot

2019 09:00am -

02:00pm

Saturday, January 19, Dixie Bowmen 3-D Trophy Shoot 2019 - Sunday, January

20, 2019 - Sunday, 3a

10:00am - 02:00pm

VBA Quarterly Meeting in January

Saturday, January 19, 2019 - Sunday, January 20, 2019

02:00pm

Saturday, January 26, 2019

Staunton River Archery Club Two Day Shoot

- Sunday, January 27, 2019

09:00am - 11:00am



November 2018

The Busybody



Activities At The Cub Run Archers Clubhouse

Sunday, December 2

11:00am

CRA Meeting

WhenSun, December 2, 11am – 12pm more details» copy to my calendar

Monday, December 24

6:00pm

Suburban Whitetail Board

WhenMon, December 24, 6pm - 10pm

WhereCRA Clubhouse (map)

more details» copy to my calendar

Sunday, January 6, 2019

11:00am

CRA Meeting

WhenSun, January 6, 2019, 11am - 12pm

more details» copy to my calendar

Monday, January 28, 2019

6:00pm

Suburban Whitetail Board

Sunday, February 3, 2019

11:00am

CRA Meeting

Monday, February 25, 2019

6:00pm

Suburban Whitetail Board

Sunday, March 3, 2019

11:00am

CRA Meeting



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Indoor Archery:

Byron Kissane

3-D Director:

Ryan Johnson

Youth Public Relations:

Jim Smith

Social Director:

Terri Perry

VBA Representative:

Red Bourdage

The Back Porch



Danny Dupree

November 28 at 11:08 AM

I've been hunting since I was 7 and hunting out of lock-ons since my teens. I'v always used safety belt to hang stands but never used a harness or life line while hunting. And before anyone says well that's just stupid. I already know that. I'm posting this in hopes that it may get others who like myself thought they never needed one and to change their mind. My son and I were discussing how we need to start using one this yr.

Well thankfully he's smarter than I am and decided to get one. On Monday by the way was the first time he used it.It saved him from serious bodily injury or even death. Strap broke on his ladder and this happened which left him hanging from his life line. Trust me I'll be using one from now on and you should to Stay safe.....