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Upcoming Jackson County Outdoor Club Meetings:

- June 7, 2022 7PM General Membership & Board Mtg
- July 5, 2022 7PM Board Mtg only—Members welcome!
- August 2, 2022 7PM Board Mtg only—Members welcome!

News from the President

Well, warmer weather has finally arrived. No mushrooms found by me, a sad thing. I hear turkeys gobbling almost every morning. Baby fawns should begin to appear very soon. I see a lot of boats on area lakes fishing. Check out our FB page, a Georgia state record Red-breasted sunfish was caught on May 7th. The fish weighed in at one pound twelve ounces. Get outside and enjoy the warmer weather.

The main banquet hall floors will be stripped and waxed the week of May 23rd. The board approved purchasing 64 yards of 22a road gravel for the lower parking lot at a cost of \$1200. The gravel will be delivered and spread as soon as the rains stop. Clubhouse rentals have increased significantly. The grounds crew has begun mowing and trimming. If you wish to help show up at the club pole barn around 8am any Wednesday morning.

Your club is hosting a pancake and sausage breakfast on the "second" Sunday of each month beginning at 8am and serving until 11am. Great food and conversation. Trap shooting on Wednesdays at 5pm is going great. Join us for some fun and the smell of burnt gun powder. Adults \$5 youths 17 and under \$3, bring your own ammo. The outdoor 3D archery range is available

for use to members. No archery events in June.

A note: outside electrical outlets near the "primitive" camping area are being disabled, if you camp there will be no electric/ water available. Camping rules are being compiled and will be posted on the archery storage shed. If you camp you "must" sign in and sign out. If rules are not obeyed camping may be abolished.

New outside decks are being installed on the modular rental property. Our properties are in good condition at present. Please remember to drive 15mph, or less, when entering/ leaving the club. Traffic can be very heavy during events and clubhouse rentals and our neighbors appreciate not having a lot of dust. New Rental and Clubhouse director mark Baldwin is doing a fantastic job keeping the club's properties in great shape, thank you.

The Region & MUCC meeting at your club was well attended. Lunch of pulled pork, baked beans, vegetables and fruit, and cookies were delicious. The proposals to be presented at the June MUCC convention in Lansing were presented and discussed. Max and Tammy Mcfeters will represent our club and have voting privileges.

**CONTACTING THE
CLUB:**

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CORRESPONDENCE
INCLUDING
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Social Media

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erty Mngmt & Clubhouse

From the President continued...

Remember, the June 7th membership meeting. As always, the July and August meetings will be board meetings only. Members are welcome to attend. Enjoy your summer !

Richard Alan Griggs, President

Board Meeting Notes

The May General Membership (with 31 attendees) and Board meetings were held at the clubhouse on Tuesday, May 3rd. The following actions were discussed or taken:



- Six new members attended and were approved.
- Installing a gate at the boat launch was discussed. Costs are being investigated.
- The Board approved a memorial 3D archery shoot in honor of Jamie McKibben on August 28th. Proceeds will be used to purchase local youth hunting licenses.
- \$750 was turned in for rentals. Fifteen rentals are currently scheduled for 2022.
- \$220 was turned in for the April 16th hunter safety range/field day. A tentative date of August 20th has been scheduled for the next hunter safety range/field day.
- Back stops have been rebuilt on both ranges.
- McGowan Electric will be doing lighting meter readings in the clubhouse for possible change to an all LED format.
- The dock is missing a support which will be repaired, weather permitting, in the next week or so.
- \$2,000 was authorized to replace the decks on the modular rental house.
- \$895 was authorized to have the clubhouse floors stripped and waxed.
- \$1,200 was authorized to have 40 yards of gravel delivered.
- \$160 was authorized for a new tractor battery.
- \$100 petty cash was authorized for trap.
- Purchase of 12 additional folding chairs was authorized.
- Rules for camping are being created.

**June 21st Summer
Begins**



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Upcoming June JCOC Events & Activities



Trap Shooting

Trap shooting is in full swing on Wednesday's at 5 PM and continues every Wednesday through October. Cost is \$5 for "ALL" adults and \$3 for youths seventeen and under.

~RIFLE & PISTOL RANGES WILL BE CLOSED DURING TRAP~~

Pancake Breakfast at JCOC

Come celebrate Father's Day a week early with us!!

June 12th | 8:00 a.m. until 11:00-ish

All you can eat pancakes, 2 sausage links with coffee. \$6 Adult/\$4 kids 12 under. We have milk, OJ and 2 sausage for add'l \$1 each.

Members come out for a visit and get to know each other. Public is welcome — Second Sunday of each month. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Members don't forget to volunteer to work breakfast for one month!! Any questions, call the Club at 517.764.3415



Free Fishing Weekend is June 11-12, 2022

All fishing license fees will be waived for two days. Residents and out-of-state visitors may enjoy fishing on both inland and Great Lakes' waters for all species of fish. All fishing regulations will still apply.

A Recreation Passport will NOT be required for entry into state parks and boating access sites during Free Fishing Weekends.

Free Fishing Weekend on June 11 & 12, 2022 is held in conjunction with "Three Free" weekend, where residents and nonresidents can grab a fishing rod, ride the off-road trails and visit state parks and boating access sites - all free of charge. During Free ORV Weekend, Michigan residents and visitors legally can ride without buying an ORV license or trail permit. All other ORV rules and laws still apply. For more information about Free ORV Weekends, visit [Michigan.gov/ORVInfo](https://www.michigan.gov/ORVInfo).



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REMINDER — Range use is from Sunrise to Sunset, NO shooting after Sunset! NO shooting on Sunday until noon. Be sure to sign-in at the gate and have your club membership card handy as you may be asked to provide it! Members are allowed to bring the same guest(s) up to 3 times per year for a non-club activity @ \$5.00 per visit per guest.