



BERLIN CONSERVATION CLUB

May/June 2024

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Calendar of Events

May 2nd: Summer Trap League Practice & Registration 5-9pm
May 4th: CWYTL 9-12; Ranges closed 9-12:30
May 5th: **Sporting Clays #1**; All Shooting Ranges closed; Open shooting 9-noon; No Skeet
May 7th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9; **ATA Big 50**;
Ranges closed all day
May 9th: Summer Trap League Wk #1; Ranges Closed All Day
May 11th: CWYTL Fun Day 9-12; Ranges closed 9-12:30
May 12th: Open Shooting 9-noon
May 13th: **Board of Directors Mtg 6:30PM**
May 14th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9; **ATA Big 50**
May 16th: Summer Trap League Wk #2; Ranges Close 4:00PM
May 18th: **3-D Archery Shoot #1- Reg starts 8 AM**
May 19th: 3-D Archery Shoot #1; Open Shooting 9-noon;
ATA Marathon Shoot
May 21st: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9; **ATA Big 50**
May 23rd: Summer Trap League Wk #3; Ranges close at 4 PM
May 26th: Open Shooting 9-noon
May 28th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9; **ATA Big 50**
May 29th: Summer 3-D Archery League 4PM
May 30th: Summer Trap League Wk #4; Ranges close at 4PM
June 2nd: **Sporting Clays #2**; All Shooting Ranges closed;
Open shooting 9-noon; No Skeet
June 4th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9
June 5th: Summer 3-D Archery League
June 6th: Summer Trap League Wk #5; Ranges close at 4PM
June 9th: Open Shooting 9-noon
June 10th: **Board of Directors Mtg 6:30PM**
June 11th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9; **ATA Big 50**; Ranges
Closed All Day
June 12th: Summer 3-D Archery League
June 13th: Summer Trap League Wk#6; Ranges close at 4PM
June 15th: **3-D Archery Shoot #2- Reg starts 8 AM**
June 16th: **3-D Archery Shoot #2**; Open Shooting 9-noon
June 18th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9
June 19th: Summer 3-D Archery League
June 20th: Summer Trap League Wk#7; Ranges close 4PM
June 23rd: Open Shooting 9-noon
June 25th: Open shooting & 5-Stand 5-9; **ATA Big 50**
June 26th: Summer 3-D Archery League
June 27th: Summer Trap League Wk#8; Ranges close at 4PM
June 30th: Open Shooting 9-noon

4th of July-Club Closed
No Summer Trap League

President's Page

Hello all, I hope everyone had a great winter season and is ready to get back on the trap line this spring. Our Saturday youth league and the BCC High School Trap Team are both well into their seasons and doing extremely well!! Fundraising events for these athletes have been very supported by all of our members. Thank you to all who have participated in these events. These kids are our future and with our guidance we can be sure BCC will be in good hands for many years to come.

Our summer league is just getting under way. Even if you are not on a trap team, come down on Thursday evenings and join the fun. Hunt and cover and Annie Oakley are always available for you to shoot.

The BCC banquet was another huge success. I would like to thank the committee and all the volunteers that put in endless hours of work to ensure everyone had a great time. New record attendance the past two years is proof we are heading in the right direction!

Lastly, I'd like to thank the membership for trusting the Board of Directors to help lead our club into the future. Feel free to voice any ideas or concerns to the Directors. If we all keep this approach BCC will stay strong for years to come.

Respectfully,
Don Konen - President

Help Wanted & Needed!!!!

Friday Morning Clean-Up Crew is looking for help. Hours go toward earning shooting cards or pheasants. Inside & Outside crews. For more information contact Bob Pribnow at 920-290-5035.

Come down and lend a hand, with coffee and donuts and a lot of good conversation after work is done.

Summer Trap League

Sunny skies & 70 degrees are on the way...Thursday Night Summer Trap League is too. Practice/Registration will be on May 2nd with the first official week of league on May 9th. The league will run 12-weeks and will end on August 1st. We will have a make-up week on August 8th along with the Mega Annie Oakley. League Shoot-offs and the Super Annie Oakley Qualifiers Shoot-off will be held on August 15th. This year's "Theme Nights": Week #5 will be "Neon Night" & we'll bring back "Hawaiian Night" on Week #10. You MUST be a BCC member at the time of registration – this includes any subs you may have on your team. League Fees will be \$425 per 5-person team (\$80 per shooter) plus a \$25 Team Sponsor Fee. Check out the BCC website for the registration forms and rules or pick them up at the club. If you have any questions, please contact our Thursday Night Trap League President, Liza Fritz @ 920-295-7427 or lizaafritz@netscape.net.

**\$\$\$ Get your team Signed-up by May 2nd & be entered to win \$\$\$
\$50 BCC Gift Certificate**

Together, we make this a great league.

We look forward to seeing everyone soon!

Sporting Clays

As with every year for our Sporting Clays events, they will be held the 1st Sunday of the months of May, June, July, & August. The first 3 events are 50 birds and the 4th event is a 100 bird. Only the 4th event has a rain date. In order to qualify for the added money, you must shoot at least 2 of the events. Come out and join Joe and JD and the rest of the volunteers for 4 fun days of shooting.

3-D Archery Shoots

The 3-D Archery Shoots have been scheduled for May 18th & 19th, June 15th & 16th, July 13th & 14th, and August 24th & 25th. Course opens at 8:00 AM and closes at 3:00 PM. Come and shoot. You will find an improved course and new targets. Contact Rick Reyes at 920-229-5332 for more information. Also, he can use help in setting up the courses. Contact Rick to volunteer your time and earn pheasants or shooting cards.

3-D Archery League

The 3-D Summer archery league will be on Wednesday evenings starting on May 29th at 4:00 PM. This is an 8 week league. Contact Rick Reyes at 920-229-5332 for more information.

Tuesday Evenings

The club is now open on Tuesday evenings from 5-9. Come down and shoot some trap, skeet, or try out JD's 5-Stand. JD lays awake many nights dreaming about the set-up for the next week's course. If you have never shot 5-Stand before come down and watch for awhile, and then give it a try. They are located out in the woods past tray 6.

33rd Annual Banquet

Our 33rd Annual Banquet was a huge success. If you missed attending the banquet this year, please mark your calendars for March 1, 2025 for the 34th Annual Banquet. Remember this banquet is the biggest fundraiser for our club and needs your support. It takes many hours to put on such a great banquet. Getting donations, buying door prizes and raffle prizes, getting everything organized, setting up on that Saturday morning, and then of course running the booths at the banquet. Please think about pitching in for next year's banquet. Contact

Banquet Chairperson, Don Metzger or ticket chairperson, Dave Polzin for more information. Their phone numbers are listed under the Board of Directors.

We would also like to thank all those individuals and companies that donated to our banquet. Please support these people and companies. Please consider making a donation to the 2025 Banquet.

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Pheasant Farm

A few work days have already been held at the pheasant farm, with more work days coming. Due to the past winter storm, more damage has occurred. We have had crews out patching the netting and replacing poles. The chicks will be arriving on June 17th and we need to be sure the broader houses and pens are in great shape.

Watch for when Blinder Day will be held. The date will be posted at the club, on the website, and on Facebook. The date is usually 5-6 weeks after the chicks arrive.

We want to thank the volunteers who gave their time to come out to the pheasant farm to do net repair.

Newsletter Ads & Membership Renewal

We would like to thank all the individuals and companies that either renewed their ads or took out a new ad for our newsletter. With your support we are able to continue sending out the news of our club to all our members.

I want to also remind all those members who have not yet renewed their memberships for 2024 that if you have not renewed your membership, this will be the last printed newsletter you will receive until you do renew.

Wood Duck Houses

Reminder: We have Wood Duck houses, Wren Houses, and Blue Bird Houses for sale. Wood Duck houses are \$20.00. Wren and Blue bird houses are \$10.00 each. Now is the time of year to get your Wood Duck houses up. Available when the clubhouse is open.

Volunteers

Volunteers are welcome at all events that are held at the club. You can help set up, score, sell food, clean up, plus many more things that are happening. We have work days at the pheasant farm and work days at the club. Volunteers are rewarded with their choice of earning shooting cards or pheasants. Please consider donating a few hours of your time to help the club look great and all the events run smoothly. Contact any board member for more information.

Memberships

When applying for membership, please read the entire waiver below, sign it, and include it with the completed application form below. Failure to include this signed waiver will result in your application being refused until receipt of a signed waiver. Mail application and fee to: Berlin Conservation Club, PO Box 303, Berlin, WI 54923.

The participant, in consideration of the acceptance of participant's application to participate in the event or events conducted under the auspices of the Berlin Conservation Club, W898 Whiteridge Road, Berlin, Wisconsin, does hereby release and discharge said Club sponsoring said event and assumes all risk of personal injury of the participant whether due to negligence of the participant or other participants, officers, or member of said Club and this release shall be binding upon the participant, his/her heirs, executors, and administrators or assigns. All club rules are available at the clubhouse or online at www.berlincc.org. I have read and understand the waiver for this membership application.

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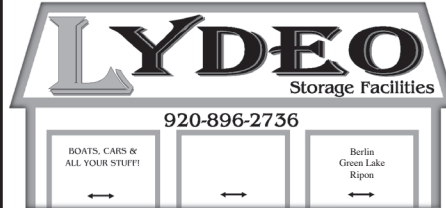


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