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As the first month of 2020 has already passed and we've marched through much of February by the time this hits the presses, I hope many of you have made it out to ice fish (or even just fish from shore or a boat in some places, given our temperature swings example the near 70 degree weather the weekend of January 11-12th) or off to rabbit hunting here or places North.

MARCH GAME SUPPER:

The Game Supper is fast approaching. Keep the date in mind (14th) and be sure if you have any meat to donate for the event you let John (Fig) know so he can work on his creative culinary skills to determine potentially new dishes for this year. We are always looking for donations of our 'standard fare' meats such as venison, duck, geese, bear, rabbit, turkey, pheasant – and if you have any other game meats to donate they are always welcome! Our usual sources for pheasant and rabbit are not available this year – so we have some potential holes to fill. If you have meat to donate, you can come to a club meeting, contact Fig direct, or drop it off the Tuesday before the supper at the Sportsman's Club ~6pm. Also, if you can help us out the week of the event as well, we will be at the club each evening, Wednesday – Friday at 6pm, please let Fig know.

Tickets will be available in February at the meeting; be sure to secure yours once available as we typically sell out on this event quickly (and as it's an all indoor event, seats are limited – only 150 tickets will be sold).

MARCH YOUTH TURKEY HUNT TRAINING:

Pre-hunt Workshop will be March 29th at 8:30am at the Barre Sportsman's Club. Please register with Ruth French at 978-939-8946, or email wehunt2@comcast.net. Program is open to all youths ages 12-17. A hunter safety certificate is required to attend the training. Mentors are needed for the youth; a mentor can be any adult over 18 with a valid hunting license and valid turkey permit. When registering to the workshop, please advise if you have a mentor, or will need one (this is to assure everyone who needs a mentor gets one). The mentored youth turkey hunt day is April 25th – with newly expanded hours this year (please see MA Fish & Game site for official details). All hunters, mentors & parents are encouraged to come to the club after their hunt for weigh in, pictures, etc. in April. Any questions, please contact Rick or Ruth French at 978-939-8946.

WCLSC NEWSLETTER CONTENT:

If you have any ideas/thoughts/suggestions for the newsletter, don't hesitate to let me (Meridith) know as I'm open for suggestions.

Have a fabulous March – hope to see you at the Game Supper!!

Outdoor Sporting Functions 2019 Season

All weekly sporting groups are done for the season. Details will follow in the Spring with start dates, times and points of contact (look for updates in March/April time frame depending on Mother Nature’s weather whims).

**BARRE SPORTSMAN’S CLUB
2020 EVENT & FUNCTION CALENDAR**

NOTE: The dates or information in italic have NOT been confirmed by the POC

MARCH

Monday, 2nd – BOD @ 7:30pm
Thursday, 5th - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM
Monday – Friday, 9th – 13th – Meat drop off (Monday) & Game Supper prep Tues – Fri
Saturday, 14th - Game Supper, 5:00pm, POC: John (Fig) Neri
Pending details – Youth Turkey Hunt Training Course, POC’s: Rick French & Pepper Cooley

APRIL

1st of month - ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES BECOME PAYABLE
Thursday, 2nd - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM
Monday, 6th - BOD Meeting @ 7:30pm
Saturday, 11th – Spring Club Cleanup Day @ 9am (weather permitting)
Pending details - Youth Turkey Hunt, POC’s: Rick French & Pepper Cooley
Pending details - Ham/Meat Shoot Sunday @ 10:00AM, POC: Janet Pierce

MAY

Monday, 4th – BOD @ 7:30pm
Thursday, 7th - Club Meeting @ 7:30pm
Sunday, 17th Sportsman’s Challenge, All Day, POC: NEED POC (date to be confirmed by all Clubs – Hubbardston hosts)
Sunday, 31st - **REMINDER: DEADLINE FOR MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL (61-day grace period April 1-May 31)**

 **AVOID LAPSE IN YOUR CURRENT MEMBERSHIP** 

JUNE

Monday, 1st – BOD Meeting @ 7:30pm
Thursday, 4th - Club Meeting @ 7:30pm

JULY

Typically, No Club Meeting based on 4th vacation schedules etc.
Monday, 6th - BOD Meeting 7:30pm
Friday, 10th – Vintagers (tentative, pending their schedule)

AUGUST

Monday, 3rd – BOD Meeting @ 7:30pm
Thursday, 6th - Club Meeting @ 7:30pm

SEPTEMBER

Thursday, 3rd - Club Meeting @ 7:30pm ... Annual Installation of Club Officers
Monday, 7th - BOD Meeting @ 7:30pm
Saturday, 12th - Fall Club Grounds Spruce-Up, 8am start (prep for Clambake as well)
Sunday, 13th - Clambake, 11:00AM, POC: John (Fig) Neri
Pending date – last Saturday Sept - Massachusetts Youth Deer Hunt (time TBA), POC: Rick French
Friends of the NRA Banquet (details when they become available)

OCTOBER

Thursday, 3rd - Club Meeting @ 7:30pm

Saturday, 3rd – Fall Hunter’s Kickoff @ 5pm (setup Friday evening, Saturday morning), POC’s: Rob Deschenes & Meridith Young

Monday, 5th - BOD Meeting @ 7:30pm

Saturday, 24th - Youth Pheasant Hunt, 9:00am, POC: Mike Wood

NOVEMBER

Monday, 2nd – BOD Meeting @ 7:30pm

Thursday, 5th - Club Meeting @ 7:30pm

Sunday, 14th - Turkey Shoot, 10:00am, POC: Janet Pierce

DECEMBER

NO Club Meeting this month, resume in January 2021

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Sunday, 6th - Children’s Christmas Party, 12:00PM, POC: Dave Fleming