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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

We're coming up to the busiest time of the year for our shooting ranges. In addition to the basic safety rules, please exercise good range etiquette.

Basic Firearm Safety:

1. Never point a gun - any gun, loaded or unloaded - at anything you're not willing to shoot.
2. Keep your finger off the trigger until your sights are on the target and you're ready to shoot.
3. Know your target and what is beyond it. Know where your shots will land and what they'll touch along the way.



Range Safety / Range Etiquette:

- Make sure your guns are unloaded before you bring them to the range.
- Your guns should be cased, have an Empty Chamber Indicator (i.e., Chamber Flag), or have the action open bringing it to the range and the shooting line.

- Before going downrange, be certain that every person on the firing line has unloaded their guns and has acknowledged that you are going downrange.
- Follow the posted procedures: turn on the Red Lights, take the Orange Flag to post at the 100-yard target stands and place the Orange Pylon on the berm at the 200-Yard target stands.
- When everyone is back behind the firing line, verify that the Orange Flag and Pylon are returned and turn off the Red Lights.
- When anyone goes downrange, unload your gun, open the action or use an Empty Chamber Indicator.
- Do not handle your guns or ammo from the shooting bench when anyone is downrange.

Finally, remember that all shots fired should travel straight down range and impact the earthen berm. Please don't shoot across lanes. If your shots are not hitting the target you're aiming at, and you don't know where your bullet is hitting STOP! Move to a shorter range with a closer target until you can hit what you're aiming at.

Good Luck hunting, and please be safe out there.

Greg Senft
president@yorkiwa.org

MEMBERSHIP

By the time you receive this newsletter you should have received your membership renewal notice. If you haven't received one, please contact me at rwwood.iwla67.membership@gmail.com. Not receiving your membership notice is not an excuse to pay late! I will be onsite to take receipts on Nov 8th from 1 to 3 pm at the clubhouse.

RW Wood, Membership Chair

TROUT COMMITTEE

On October 14 at 10:30 we will receive 10,000 trout fingerlings to raise for next trout season. Anyone wanting to help with the trout program reach out to me at a meeting or at tiglax13@comcast.net and I will put you on our list.

Jerry Lauer
 IWLA 67 Trout Chairman





IWLA #67 is Hosting a Ladies Only First Shots Event

**Saturday, October 31
9:00AM to 12 Noon**

This event is for new shooters of any age who want to try rifle/pistol shooting using rimfire (22LR) ammunition. There will be a variety of rifles/pistols to shoot. We will only be using firearms and ammunition provided through the Club, no personal rifles, pistols, or ammunition should be brought into the range facilities.

The event will start at the Clubhouse for classroom instruction and then move to back shooting bays for the shooting portion of the event. If you have eye and ear protection, please bring it with you. If you don't, we can provide it.

The First Shots program is free, but there is a \$5 fee for lunch. Pizza will be provided back at the Clubhouse after we finish shooting.

This event is for Ladies Only, and limited to 20 active participants.

Minors must be accompanied by an adult.

Registration required! Click the link below.

[Register for First Shots](#)

NEW WEB PAGES FOR CHAPTER SALES

We now have a web page for Chapter sales, member sales and lost and founds.

It is still under construction so check back frequently.

<https://yorkiwl.org/online-store>.

For postings, please send requests to info@yorkiwl.org.

Calling all Party Planners

With suspension of the Juniors Program, we're looking for volunteers to plan and organize the Christmas Party. If you like planning parties please contact us at info@yorkiwl.org



JUNIORS PROGRAM

The Juniors Program is currently suspended until we find a new leader.

If interested please contact Sarah Chenowith
717-841-5136 or chenowithsarah@gmail.com.
Text or email is preferred.



IWLA WORK PARTY

Please come out and help with our
chapter Work Party!
Meet at Clubhouse

Saturday, October 17 9:00AM

Sunday, October 25 1:00PM

Saturday, November 14 9:00AM

Be prepared to work outdoors.

100th ANNIVERSARY T-SHIRTS AND POLO SHIRTS ARE HERE!

- T-Shirts available in military green or black with anniversary art on back and logo on front chest. \$15 each.
- Polo Shirts are dark green with logo on chest. \$25 each.

Available at all membership meetings.



Scholarship Committee

The York Chapter has a Scholarship program open to York County residents, who are studying in the field of ecology! The Scholarship is based on financial need, ability, Grades, etc. Check our website for further details

[Find out more](#)

Monday Night Trap

Casual Trap shooting every Monday evening from
6:00-8:30PM.

Open to the public.
No preregistration required.

PISTOL COMMITTEE

Find out more about all our Shooting Sport Programs.
Check the calendar for dates!

[FIND OUT MORE](#)

2-Gun Action Challenge (2GAC)

1st Sunday of the Month



Photos from the September match.

The last match of the season was held on
Sunday October 4

Stay up to date with the latest event information, details, and discussion:
[PractiScore](#), [Facebook](#), and [Instagram](#)

MULTIGUN

2nd Sunday of the Month





55 shooters came out for the final multigun match of the 2026 season, and what a great day it was! Thank you to everyone who came out and helped make the match such a success.

Congratulations to our winners!



2-Gun Rifle/Pistol: Jeffery Warwick



3-Gun Open: Scott Puglise Sr.



3-Gun Tac Ops: Ben Harris

Chris and Nancy would like to give a huge **thank you to our amazing and dedicated setup crew.** We truly could not do this without you! Your hard work and commitment throughout the season are greatly appreciated.

A special thank you to **Jeffery Warwick** for helping us with pad issues throughout the year. We are especially grateful for your patience, knowledge, and willingness to lend a hand when needed!

And, of course, **thank you to all of the participants** who came out and supported us throughout the season. It was wonderful to see so many familiar faces, along with plenty of new ones!

Thank you all for making the **2026 season a great success.** We're already looking forward to 2027 and hope to see everyone back next year!

See you all in 2027!

USPSA



USPSA had 74 shooters in September and is looking forward to our last match of the season in October with a special guest, Southern Bobby-Q, for an end-of-season meal!

Upcoming Matches:
October 18 (setup October 16)
Follow our Facebook page [HERE](#)

FUNSHOOT

4th Saturday & Sunday



The September Funshoot featured a special attraction. Participants had the opportunity to shoot a pair of .50 BMG's, a Barrett M107A1 semi auto and an AR platform Bolt action. The ears of corn didn't stand a chance!

Upcoming Matches:
Saturday, October 24 & Sunday, October 25
Saturday, November 28 & Sunday, November 29
Signup is up on practiscore.com.

For more info on what we are all about, visit our website at

STEEL CHALLENGE



Steel Challenge Matches are held year-round and we have them on Wednesday too. Steel Challenge is a great introduction to competitive shooting; newcomers are always welcome. Juniors and old folks frequent our events. You will find York SCSA Shooters matches on the York IWLA calendar and on [Practiscore](#) where you can sign up to participate. Our next matches will be held on Sunday August 30 th . Reach out to yorkscsa@gmail.com with questions you may have.

I would like to thank Tom Symonds for photos that help tell the story of a Steel Challenge match. We would also like to thank the York IWLA for their support that allows these matches to happen!

Reach out to yorkscsa@gmail.com with questions you may have.

Don Vetter, Match Director

Upcoming Matches:
Wednesday, October 28, 2026
Sunday, November 1, 2026
Sunday, November 22, 2026
Sunday, December 13, 2026

[More Information](#)

Walnut & Steel
2nd Wednesday of the Month



The interest and attendance for the monthly, mid-week Walnut and Steel match continues to grow. It's a small (14 shooter max), casual vintage rifle match that is as much about shooting the breeze, and engaging in a little banter as it is shooting the target. But, don't confuse casual with shoddy marksmanship. With a total possible score of 300, our shooters generally score in the mid 200s or better, unless they have malfunctions or they're trying a new load or rifle. Here are the scores for the August match and a photo of the pre-match breeze shooting:

Shooter	Division	Score
Howard T	Irons	290
Russ D	Irons	289
Rod N	Irons	288
David J	Irons	273
David B	Irons	279
Dave W	Irons	279
Joe D	Irons	278
Tom W	Irons	277
Gary S	Irons	267
John D	Irons	264
Justin D	Irons	239
James H	Irons	87

It's a great way to justify that milsurp rifle you bought and let waste away in your safe, and meet some good people who share your interest in vintage military rifles. And, for those interested, we generally go out to lunch afterward. We hope to see you out there.

Upcoming Matches:
October 14, 2026
November 11, 2026

CLUBHOUSE RENTAL



We are once again renting the up and downstairs rooms of the clubhouse for gatherings and meetings. The downstairs areas have been all completely renovated, include a full kitchen and reappointed bathrooms. The upstairs meeting room is spacious and has some limited audio visual capability.



We also rent areas of the grounds for private events and functions
Please visit the website rental page at <https://yorkiwa.org/rentals> for more info.

Website

Calendar

Membership

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SEE OUR **NEW WEBSITE** FOR
ALL UP TO DATE EVENTS &
TIMING

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