

Centerline Monthly



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Next board meeting: Tuesday, December 6 at 7pm. Open to all.

Somebody a member not getting their news letter...let Judy know! 269-763-2079

Winter Trap & Skeet leagues forming now, call Judy at 269-763-2079 and leave name, number & league interested in. Sign-up sheets in club house.

Turkey Shoot-Dec 10th Open to the public. Lots of shooting, fun & prizes. Bring someone new! Call Judy at 269-763-2079 for details.

Please e-mail Centerline at alassen@comcast.net if you would be happy receiving an electronic copy of the newsletter. This is a great way to help save on costs!

Over \$9000 Raised

Thanks to the generous contributions by members, a total of \$7700 was generated from the letter that was sent. An addition \$1300 was collected at the meeting and next day. Grand total including the raffle was **\$9401**.

Fantastic...thank you all!!

New Board of Directors Elected

On Saturday, October 22, Centerline had a general membership meeting to discuss the general state of the club. Phil Hornburger presided over the meeting which lasted approximately two hours.

There was a verity of topics discussed such club finances, dues increase, web site, pro shop ,etc. Many great ideas and suggestions were brought up. The general consensus was how to grow the membership and increase revenue for the club.

The rest of the meeting focused on volunteers for chairpersons for committees and the nominations for new board members.

Special thanks to Jeff Travis for donating a .22 rifle, and to whoever donated the knife for the fund raising raffle. The club generated \$401. Tony Galich won the knife and the person who won the rifle donated it right back to the

Board of Directors elects new officers

The newly elected board members and the current board members nominated and elected new officers at the October 22nd meeting. The new officers are President: Al Lassen; Sectary: Chris Jones; and Judy Robinson as Treasurer. Craig Jones returned as vice president.



New Board of Directors (names not in order): Craig Jones, John Townsend, Barb Townsend, Russ Jones, Todd Dadow, Harold Collier, Phil Hornberger, Barry Salszger, Al Lassen, Paul Rose, Madolyn Richardson, Christina Jones, Paul Earl, Nick Maricic, Judy Robinson, Luchio Pellin, & David Richardson

club. The meeting concluded with the current board members meeting with the new board nominees to form the new board and elect the officers.

Special Thanks to Ron Underdanl and Ron Thornhill for removing trash from the sporting clays range on Sunday October 23.

Tony Moves On

Tony Galich's last day was 10/22.. He was the club manager for 4 years. He ran the whole show, above and beyond the call of duty. Job well done. Thank Tony the next time you see him for his many years of service.



New Officers: L-R: Chris Jones, Secretary, Judy Robinson, Treasurer; Craig Jones, Vice President, and Al Lassen, President.



Meet Judy Robinson: New Club Manager

Centerline welcomes new club manager Judy Robinson. Judy follows in the footsteps of Tony Galich, Club Manger since 2001. A real estate broker, Judy brings experience in volunteer management, event planning, public relations, marketing and fund raising. About her new position Judy says, "I am excited about Centerline's potential and really excited about getting to know Centerline's members as well as bringing in some new ones. I want to make sure everyone in Calhoun County and beyond has heard about that Centerline, and that it really is the finest family sport shooting facility in Michigan." Centerline's hours are Saturday and Sunday 10 AM 'til Dusk through the winter. We encourage you to drop by the club house and introduce yourself to Judy, she wants to meet you. Also, please take time to send her an e-mail at CenterlineManager@comcast.net to say welcome, ask questions, or share your ideas and thoughts about Centerline.



YOUR AD HERE! Want to advertise your company or sell one of those guns you no longer want (or wife found out about) or just want to sponsor future news letters to help to defray costs.

Contact Al Lassen at 269-209-8181; e-mail alassen@comcast.net or call Judy Robinson at the club during business hours or e-mail CenterlineManager@comcast.net



Hi, my name is Al Lassen and I am honored to serve as your new president. I am encouraged that with our new and existing board members that we can grow our membership and increase revenue which will ensure the success of the club. However, the

board of directors and I are but a small percentage of the total membership. I heard a lot of great ideas discussed at the October members meeting, but none of them will work unless you become involved. Large tasks become small when divided among several people.... "Many hands make for light work." With everybody's help, we can continue to make Centerline the greatest club in Michigan and ensure the club is here for future generations of sport shooting enthusiast. Remember, this is your club! Please feel free to contact me at 269-209-8181 or e-mail me at alassen@comcast.net with any ideas or suggestions. I look forward to hearing from you all. Remember, the next board meeting is Tuesday, December 6 at 7:00 pm. All members are invited. **Keep Shoot'in!**

A word from the President

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