

District 3 Fall Newsletter

August 2015

Hello Members,

Summer is quickly passing us by, and with it comes the county fairs and several upcoming district events. Our district scholarship for 2015 is also underway, and you will find an application and rules in with this newsletter. Just like last year, we will offer a first and second place in our scholarship. If you have college aged students, are one yourself, or have a family relative or friend you could sponsor, have them enter and have a chance at winning one of the scholarships. Rules and deadlines are listed on the application form.

At the 4 county fairs this year, we have a booth set up and are selling raffle tickets for Henry Golden Boy rifles. Make sure you stop in and pick up some tickets to take a chance at one of the rifles. The fairs last through the month of August and as always we can use some help to man the booth. Give me a call if you're interested and we can schedule you in for an evening or two.

Our district pig roast / picnic, will be held on Saturday, August 29, at the Cedar Creek Park in Rostraver and begins at 2:00. The park is located near the intersection of I-70 and Rt. 51. The district provides the pig and soft drinks, members are asked to bring a side dish or dessert. It really is a nice time for members and their families, and I wish more would attend. Rachel Bergman has once again taken over arranging for how many are attending and what they are bringing. You can reach Rachel at home 724-872-2084, or at work 724-594-5543. Hope to see you all at the picnic.

Our Trapper's school will be held at the Youngwood Sportsmen Club on Saturday, September 19, beginning at 9:00. We ask that you pre-register so we will know how many are coming and to plan for lunch. Class is free and lunch is provided. If you or anyone you know is interested in coming to the class, give me a call to register.

Our fall rendezvous will be held on October 11, at the Washington County Fairgrounds 4H building. This is a great place to pick up all of your last minute supplies for the fast approaching season. Stop in and say hi, we'll have some food and a couple demos available. Rondy starts at 9:00 and usually lasts until early afternoon.

Our fur sale is scheduled for Sunday, January 31, also at the Washington Fairgrounds. Same as last year, the district will charge a 4% commission on fur sales.

Hope to see you at one of our district events,

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