

SPRING NEWSLETTER

Storm Update

<i>Storm Arrives</i>	3/7
<i>Poles are toppled</i>	3/8
<i>Meeting Canceled</i>	3/8
<i>Trap Machines Saved</i>	3/9
<i>Generators set up</i>	3/9
<i>Repairs Started</i>	3/14
<i>Light On</i>	3/17

Back on Schedule

- IPL Sunday 3-19 Range Open
- Trap Banquet for Winter League will be at Wood and Brook on Sunday 3/19
- NFPL Monday 3-20
- Archery Tuesday 3-21
- Informal Pistol Wednesday 3-22
- Archery Thursday 3-24
- JOAD Saturday

WINTER STORM REPORT

Eighty mile per hour winds blew off some shingles knocked down some trees and took down three electrical poles that feed our club. As they fell, they ripped out the service connections to the building. No Electricity shut us down and presented several other problems. The Trap Houses are below ground and require sump pumps to keep the dry. Plumbing to the Club House needed heat to keep from freezing. Repairs to the electric panel and service feed needed to be completed and the roof needed repair.

Don Langewicz and Gary Wessel took charge, Tom Gursitz and his son Richard cut down the cracked maple next to the new garage. Tom and his son also pumped out the trap houses with their gas operated pump. They also removed our trap machines from the two flooded houses. Gary Wessel worked tirelessly calling our insurance company, NYSEG, Verizon, several electrical contractors, roofers and spent many hours over several days waiting



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for contractors. He also set up the generators filling the tanks and babysitting our mess.

Loren Prucnal and Fred Weimer took shifts with Gary ensuring the generator was filled and running. Dennis Schultz got us a roofer quickly when soonest one would fix the roof was 2 weeks out. Dennis and Larry Isham supplied the genera-

tors for the club. By Friday, the lights were back on. This club over the years has bonded together to bring us to place we see today.

This recent incident was handled swiftly and professionally and is a testament to the members of Allied. Give them all a job well done when you see them.

OTHER STORM RELATED ITEMS

Wood and Brook offered us their clubhouse and trap fields for our trap banquet. Jim Curtis and Brian Kilianski worked it out. Allied is having their banquet this Sunday at our

brother club Wood and Brook. Beginning at noon. Terry Busczak use the down time to improve the lighting on the range with LED Lighting. This will provide outstanding clarity of the targets. The club also

see a significant savings over one year of billing. Once again, when you see these people. Give them a well deserved thank you.

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CLUB BUSINESS NEW AND OLD!

Here are some reminders since the February and march meetings were cancelled due to weather.

The Annual Gun Raffle is quickly approaching.

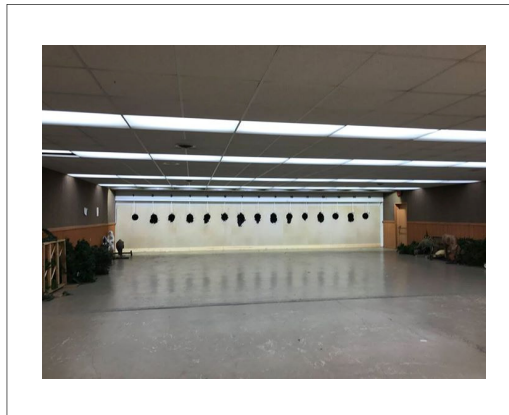
Chinese Auction

We need donations and helpers for the Chinese Auction..

Contact Sue Wessel or Carol Schultz

If you have unsold tickets contact Gary Wessel as he has people looking for tickets. We need your tickets sold turned in ASAP. You can drop them in the safe, or mail in to PO Box 24 Alden NY 14004

The GREEN New Zero Turn Mower Raffle tickets need to be turned in also, You can



THE NEW LIGHTS IN THE RANGE MAKE A HUGE DIFFERENCE

mail in the stubs with a check to the PO Box If you wish.

SPRING TRAP starts on April 2nd. Sunday shooting hours 11 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. last sign up. Tuesday and Wednesday shooting hours 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

12 scores in 10 weeks.

SPONSORS & SUPPORTERS

We have published our 2017 Sponsors on the web site and in the booklet. Take a look at them and patronize them if possible.

Elections are due but due to the weather delays standby for further communication.

IMPORTANT DATES TO RE-MEMBER!

Gun Raffle April 22nd
ATA Shoot #1 May 21st
Chicken Barbeque June 4th
Work hours deadline June 30th