

ST. JOE VALLEY CONSERVATION CLUB

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2023 HANDICAP WINTER LEAGUE (11/19/22)

- 1) **Leagues are open to everyone:** club membership is not required.
- 2) The Winter League will consist of the following leagues:

5 Stand	---	3 member Handicapped Teams
Trap	---	5 member Handicapped Teams
Skeet	---	5 member Handicapped Teams
- 3) Full team signup is unnecessary; we will form teams from individual shooters.
- 4) Each League consists of 325 targets, to be shot over a 13 week period, see attached schedule.
- 5) **League Days and Hours**, starting December 10 thru April 2:
 - a. Wednesday 10 am to 4 pm Trap & Skeet
 - b. Saturday 10 am to 4 pm Trap, Skeet and 5 Stand
 - c. Sunday 11 am to 4 pm Trap, Skeet and 5 Stand
- 6) The last date to sign up and start shooting any league is **Sunday January 29**.
Each shooter must have 4 rounds complete by this date.
- 7) **Shooting ahead is allowed**, but scores cannot fall behind after January 29.
- 8) **If a shooter falls behind** after January 29:
 - a. **Individual Lewis Class Scores:** A blank score will be posted for each week missed.
 - b. **Handicap Team Scores:** The shooter's average, less 2 points, will be posted for each week missed, as long as the league is fully paid.
 - c. missed, as long as the league is fully paid.
 - d. **Handicap League Championships:** Individual competition will be based on your league ending handicap.
- 9) **Weather related club closure:** If the club is closed due to extreme weather, any shooter that falls behind for that week will be allowed to make up the score the following week only. Please check our web site for closures (www.stjoevalleytrapandskeet.com).
- 10) Shooters may participate in multiple leagues and with multiple teams.
- 11) Shooters switching to a smaller gauge gun during league, the smaller gauge must be continued for the remainder of the league and also the League Championship.

- 12) Team Standings will be posted each week in the Club House starting February 6, and also on the web site (www.stioevalleytrapandskeet.com).
- 13) **\$50 League Fee includes**; \$20 paid out to teams, \$10 paid out to Lewis Class divisions, \$10 paid out to Championship, \$5 for drawings and \$5 for misc.
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| Trap League | \$50 entry fee + 13 weeks of targets @ \$8 = \$154 |
| Skeet League | \$50 entry fee + 13 weeks of targets @ \$8 = \$154 |
| 5 Stand League | \$50 entry fee + 13 weeks of targets @ \$8 = \$154 |
- 14) League "Fee" must be paid at the start of each League. Target fees may be paid weekly.

2023 Awards

To Be decided by board

Handicap Team Awards: Pay-Outs are approximately 1 of every 3 teams.

8-10 teams (3 places), 11-13 teams (4 places), 14-16 teams (5) places, 17+ (6) places

Individual Lewis Class Awards: Pay-Outs are approximately 1 of every 3 individuals.

High-Over-All score and 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each Class division, with 5 divisions maximum per league

Handicap Championship Awards: 1st, 2nd and 3rd places based on the following;

- **Trap and Skeet Championships:** each event will consist of 100 targets (5 Stand - 50 targets).
- Cost of targets will be \$25 for each Championship (\$15 for 5 Stand).
- Shooters will use their league ending handicap plus actual score (score of 100 maximum) (50 for 5 Stand).
- Each shooter with a score of 100 or (50 for 5 Stand) will proceed to another round of targets.
- Shoot off rounds are as follows:

Shooters original league ending (individual) handicap is cut in half, then added to the actual score of each additional shoot-off round until a winner is determined (a shoot off score of 25 is the highest score possible). In the case of continued ties the handicap will be cut in half again for each addition shoot off round required.

2023 WINTER LEAGUE INSTRUCTIONS

- 1) All shooters (practice or league) must check in at the counter for field assignment before going to the fields.
- 2) Practice shooters may fill out partial league squads when openings are available.
- 3) Practice shooters will not turn in practice scores to prevent scoring confusion.
- 4) Squads will shoot two rounds maximum (50 targets), before returning to the club house for additional squadding.
- 5) Skeet squads will pull and score their own rounds.
- 6) Trap squads will choose/volunteer to be a scorer. Volunteer to score a squad before or after your squad.
- 7) Each squad should turn in, an accurate, legible and complete score sheet.
- 8) Each shooter should verify the accuracy of his or her score.
- 9) Each score sheet must include the following information before turning in:

Name First & Last Date & Squad# Week Number (1-13) for each shooter.

SAFETY FIRST!!!

No Loaded Guns anywhere except on the shooting station

No closed Guns anywhere except on the shooting station

Always keep your gun pointed in a safe direction

Load only 1 shell at a time except for Doubles

Eye and Ear Protection Required on fields

Shooters may furnish their own ammunition, as noted

Lead shot only, no shot larger than 7 1/2 or heavier than 1 1/8 oz.

No alcohol or Drugs allowed at anytime

St. Joe Valley Conservation Club is not responsible or accidents or loss of equipment

Winter League Dates for 2023

(Dates to be approved by board)

Early Start	Dec	10	Sat
Early Start	Dec	17	Sat
Early Start	Dec	31	Sat
Week #1	Jan	4,7,8	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #2	Jan	11,14,15	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #3	Jan	18,21,22	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #4	Jan	25,28,29	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #5	Feb	1,4,5	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #6	Feb	8,11,12	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #7	Feb	15,18,19	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #8	Feb	22,25,26	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #9	Mar	1,4,5	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #10	Mar	8,11,12	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #11	Mar	15,18,19	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #12	Mar	22,25,26	Wed, Sat, Sun
Week #13	Mar/April	29, 1,2	Wed, Sat, Sun
Skeet Championship	April	15th	Sat 10 am
Trap Championship	April	16th	Sun 10 am
5-Stand Championship	April	16th	Sun 10 am

Management reserves the right to make program changes if needed!