



He is richest who is content with the least, for content is the wealth of nature.
Socrates

Ottawa Sportsmen's Club

"The purpose of this club shall be:
To further and advance the quality of the environment and promote conservation of our natural resources.
To perpetuate and conserve fish, wildlife, mineral, air, water, forest, and land resources.
To encourage multiple use of our forest and land resources.
To promote conservation education programs.
To protect and defend the right of our citizens to own, keep and bear arms."

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Calendar of Events for February 2014

Feb 24 Mon Board Meeting 7:30 pm

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Mar 02 Sun U.P. Muzzleloader Shoot 11:00 am

Call Jerald Glisson
(906) 338-2822

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Mar 03 Mon Membership Meeting 7:30 pm



Time to renew your Dues!

It's that time of year again! Time to renew your dues. Be sure and add your current e-mail address to insure you get the monthly online Newsletter!

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Rifle - members only raffle

Member's Only Raffle - Winchester Featherweight .308 Brand new in the box...



2014 OSC MEMBERS ONLY RIFLE RAFFLE	
.308 caliber Winchester Featherweight Rifle	
NAME _____	
PHONE _____	
TICKETS: \$5.00 each or 6 tickets for \$25.00	
DRAWING: Saturday, April 12, 2014	

Tickets are \$5 per ticket or \$25 for 6. Your participation in this raffle helps fund OSC's maintenance projects, as well as many of OSC's activities throughout the year.

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Looking for Ladies

THERE is STILL time to sign up!!

Ladies interested in attending a Basic Pistol 101 class please contact - Ken Snyder at ottawa_sportsmens_club@yahoo.com

We have had a LOT of interest shown for this class. We are currently getting feed back as to what time of year, week and time of day works the best for the ladies - please send us your feed back! Classes will be open to members and non-members both.

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Cookbooks

For those that have expressed interest in getting the Club Cook Book - we are planning on having a small run of 150 printed. They will be \$10 a piece and at the Club house.



There are so many area's that OSC needs help. There are new programs we could implement with the help of our members. If you have the time and would like to help out or just have a suggestion for something new - just drop us a line!



All weekly scheduled range events are closed until spring.



Recipe: A series of step-by-step instructions for preparing ingredients you forgot to buy, in utensils you don't own, to make a dish the family won't eat.



The ice is almost a foot thick and the perch are biting. There have also been reports of lake trout being caught. As always, the <http://www.michigan.org/fishing> web site has good information on how to ice fish, safety tips, rules, regulations, and where to find fish.

Perch are sometimes called poor man's shrimp. Simply boil the fillets just a minute or 2 until the flesh is white and cooked through (do not overcook or the meat can get tough). Chill the perch fillets and serve as you would a shrimp cocktail – with some fresh lemon wedges and cocktail sauce.

Oven Fried Perch

This is an epic year for ice fishing! The ice is thick and the perch are abundant. Here is an easy recipe to oven "fry" your perch fillets.

Ingredients

1 pound Perch fillets
2 tablespoons grated Parmesan Cheese
1/2 cup dry bread crumbs
1 tablespoon butter, melted
1/4 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon thyme

Directions

Combine bread crumbs, Parmesan cheese, and thyme, plus salt and pepper to taste, in a shallow pan or plate. Dip perch fillets in milk then coat perch fillets with bread crumb mixture. Lay in single layer on greased shallow baking pan.

Drizzle with melted butter. Bake in oven at 400 degrees for 12 minutes per inch of thickness of the fish measured at the thickest part or until perch flakes easily with a fork.

Serves 4 with only 200 calories per serving and 5 grams of fat, but 110g of cholesterol.

Have a favorite wild game recipe? Just send it to me at : OSCNewsletter@aol.com

Crossword Puzzle

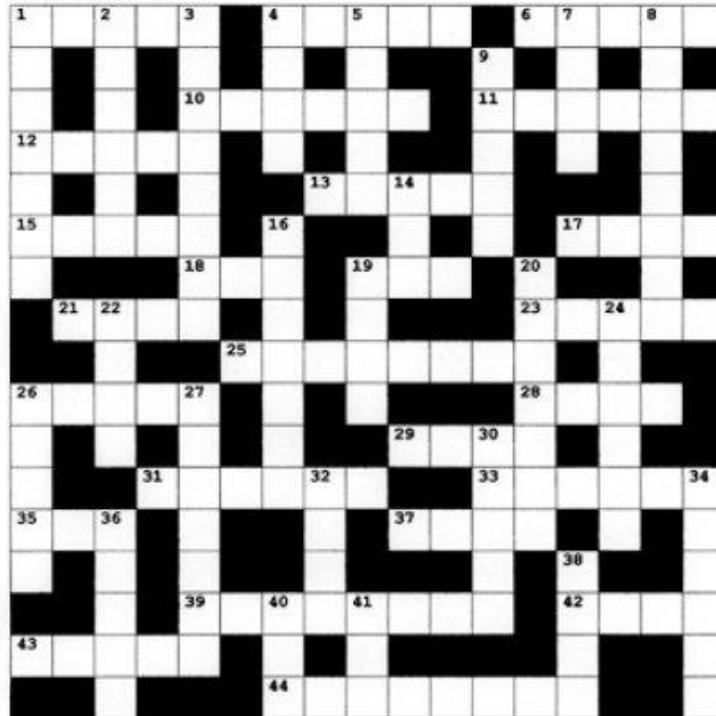
GUNS & AMMO

ACROSS

- 1 Term refers to firing on a range
 4 A hunter's camo
 6 First ignition for firing guns used this
 10 The rearward thrust from firing a gun
 11 This strikes the firing pin
 12 Term identifying bore diameter
 13 The forward portion of a bullet
 15 Act of throwing out empty cartridge case
 17 Device for holding the cartridges
 18 This number is identifying code
 19 This seals the powder gas behind charge
 21 A range target disc, bird
 23 A silhouette used on a target range
 25 A position of firing
 26 Firing practise area
 28 Part of gun that rests against shoulder
 29 Calibration reading on gun sight
 31 Position of body when firing
 33 The bowhunter's ammo
 35 A Rifle Association
 37 Term describes most shots by a novice
 39 The target range disc
 42 A type of rear gun sight
 43 Sideways motion of a charge
 44 Excellent shooters earn this title

DOWN

- 1 Squeeze it slowly
 2 of angle is an angular unit
 3 Aim thus at a still target
 4 Make mechanism ready



- 5 Tie-breaking ring on rifle targets
 7 The shot charge
 8 Act of stunning an animal
 9 This piece is on side of the buttstock
 14 International Skeet Association
 16 A deerhunter's tree stand position
 19 This has a bearing on line of trajectory
 20 This term refers to a .30-caliber
 22 Describes the trapgun barrel
 24 Moving parts of a gun
 26 A single complete loaded cartridge
 27 To remove a fired case from the chamber
 30 A hunter's style of shooting
 32 Trapshooter target is this pigeon
 34 Sighting piece, there are many types
 36 Firing pin crushes against this
 38 A type of rear sight
 40 To sight on a target
 41 Browning Automatic Rifle

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Today's Funny



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