

# OTTAWA SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

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## *Conservation Pledge*

*I give my pledge as an American to save and faithfully to defend from waste the natural resources of my country, its air, soil and minerals, its forests, waters and wildlife*

## Announcements for April-June 2016

Highway M-38 Clean-Up Now on Saturday, April 30: Substantial snowfall in early April prompted MDOT to delay its Adopt-A-Highway trash pick-up dates. Consequently, OSC's clean-up of our 2-mile segment of State Highway M38 has been changed to Saturday, April 30, beginning at 9:00 AM.

There will be a Hunter Safety Instructor Workshop held at the Ottawa Sportsman's Club on Thursday, May 12th from 6-9pm. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Instructors are required to attend a workshop every 3 years to remain current. RSVP to Mike Roth if you plan to attend at 524-7671 or e-mail [kbaviation@up.net](mailto:kbaviation@up.net).

Wild Game Feed and Junior Pistol Team Fundraiser, Saturday, May 7, 5:00 PM: This combination event will feature food (bring a dish to pass – wild game or otherwise), a members-only raffle drawing for a Ruger AR rifle in .223 caliber, and – to benefit the OSC Junior Pistol Team's trip to the national matches at Camp Perry, Ohio – a members-only raffle for a Springfield 45 XDS pistol, 50/50 raffles every half hour, and a donation basket. We will hear remarks from coach Bob Gardner or a member of the team. Finally, there will be an OSC "special interest fair", during which you can chat with our special-interest members and view their equipment. See gun builders' long-distance rifles and cartridge handloading equipment, muzzleloaders from traditional flintlocks to inline models, "almost antique" backpacking gear still in service, and our club's 6-place canoe trailer and some of our 8 canoes that we loan out at no charge.

Clubhouse and Grounds Clean-up, Saturday, May 14, 9:00 AM.

Shooting Sports Summer Camp, Monday-Friday, June 13-17: Mark Wuori (906-228-5471 or [mwuori@mqtcty.org](mailto:mwuori@mqtcty.org)) will once again serve as head coach. Bob Gardner (906-338-2834 or [rgardner@up.net](mailto:rgardner@up.net)) is in charge of publicity and local arrangements. YOU can help by urging young people to sign up and providing a lunch for the coaches.

Check the OSC calendar of events on our website, [www.ottawasportsmen.org](http://www.ottawasportsmen.org).

--Rob Aho, OSC President