

APPLICATION

(PLEASE PRINT)

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Application Date _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

Have you ever been convicted of a game violation? ___yes ___no

Have you ever been cited for a conversation violation? ___yes ___no

If yes, what year and violation were you sited? _____

Are you a member of the National Rifle Association? ___yes ___no

What areas interest you? ___ Archery ___ Hand Guns ___ Rifle /Shotgun
___ Black Powder ___ Trap Shooting ___ Sporting Clays ___ Camping ___ Fishing
___ Hunter Safety Education ___ Other _____

Skills or talents related to the club? _____

Profession _____

Current members you know _____

Members work together on club improvements, activities, and fundraising events.

To become more acquainted with the club, new members are asked to volunteer 6 hours their first year. Please choose any number of our major events you would like to help:

Pancake Breakfast: ___ Memorial Weekend ___ 4th of July Weekend ___ Labor Day Weekend
___ Clean Up Day (May) ___ Steak Dinner (August) ___ Wild Game Dinner \Auction (December)
___ Pig Roast (September) ___ Hunter Safety Instructor ___ Trap Shoot Worker
___ Sporting Clay Worker ___ Archery Range Worker ___ Site In Days (November)
___ Indoor Projects ___ Outdoor Projects

Member dues are \$55.00 per year (Member dues include spouse and minor children)

Send applications and check to: Attn: Barb Rice

Mecosta County Rod & Gun Club

P.O. Box 164

Mecosta, MI 49332

YOUR MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES

Newsletter

Camping

Picnic Area

Access to Private Thompson Lake

Use of Club Boats

Club House Rental

Free Sight-in Days

Use of 100 yd. Rifle Range

50 yd. Pistol Range

Shotgun Range w/Hand Thrower

Educational Programs

High School Trap

Trapping Seminar

SPORTING ACTIVITIES

Sporting Clays - Weekly

Trap Shooting - Weekly

Egg Shoot - Monthly

SOCIAL EVENTS

Pancake Breakfasts

Steak Dinner

Pig Roast

Wild Game Dinner & Auction

Annual Meeting

EDUCATION

Hunter Safety

Over 10,000 young hunters as well as many adults have participated in the three day class to obtain their Hunter Safety certificate.

This program is DNR approved and a requirement for youth prior to purchasing their first Michigan hunting license.

Many states require a Hunter Safety certificate to purchase an out of state hunting license.

This course educates students on hunter safety, ethics, and good sportsmanship. Additionally, students will receive hands-on experience shooting shotgun, .22 caliber rifle, muzzleloader, and compound bow as well as the safety and handling.

Students must be in attendance all three days to receive their Hunter Safety Certificate.

Our program is free of charge to all students and we encourage adults to attend with their children.

Membership to our club is for the whole family - father, mother, and children who have not graduated from high school.

Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

EDUCATION

Youth Shooting Program:

Students are introduced and taught shooting skills in .22 caliber rifles, shotguns, and in shotgun shell reloading.

The focus of this program is to prepare students for the proper handling of these firearms and for state competition.

Special emphasis is placed on proper safety procedures and safety equipment used when shooting.

This program meets NRA and Michigan United Conservation Club (MUCC) shooting prerequisites for entering state competition.

Ages 11-17 are welcome to participate. See our website calendar or newsletter for dates and times.

Sponsorship Programs:

Our club provides the monthly the magazine, TRACKS, to 5th grade students in area county schools. This magazine is published by the Michigan United Conservation Club (MUCC)

Our club also awards a number of full scholarships to the Michigan United Conservation Club's Youth Conservation Summer Camp. Members children or grand children are considered first.

Club Officers

President: Randy Rice
231-592-1301 - Home
231-349-0449 - Cell

Vice President: Bruce Szczepaniak
231-796-5302 - Home
231-250-7182 - Cell

Secretary: Larry Bajor
231-629-8050 - Home

Treasurer: Joe Spedowski
231-796-2565 - Home
231-250-4066—Cell

Membership Secretary: Barb Rice
231-592-1300 - Home

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Club Pledge

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