

The Leicestershire Wildfowlers' Association



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Junior Section

It has been decided at the last council meeting that some juniors will now be expected to pay the £4.00 fee to attend roost shoots during the season. We have decided that a junior who is 15 years and above and holds a current shot gun certificate and takes a place on a shoot list will pay the above fee. A junior who is not yet 15 years old may accompany an adult member on a shoot free of charge (the adult will be expected to pay) in this situation only one gun will be allowed between the junior and accompanying adult as only one space in the wood will be allocated.

If you are still unsure how this is going to work, please speak to me at the next meeting.

Martin Green
Junior Section Chairman

Spring Clay Shoot Results

Held Sunday 27th March 2011, Shangton

Open Competition		
1 st	John Hall	36/40
2 nd	Chris Green	31/40
3 rd	Steve Perkins	29/40
4 th	Martin Green	27/40
	Simon Voss	27/40
5 th	Stefan Allured	26/40
6 th	Andy Bradshaw	23/40

Side by Side		
1 st	Steve Barby	33/40
2 nd	Andy Bradshaw	30/40
3 rd	Dave Flavelle	28/40

Many thanks to those members who helped by trapping and scoring, and particular thanks to Geoff Dilworth for letting us use his land.

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Are there any members who would like to keep their eye in during the close season and form a roving syndicate visiting different clay groups around the county? If you would like to shoot on a Sunday morning and know a clay ground please ring me on:

Telephone: 01455 823393 or Mobile: 07787 077 245.

Mike Wildman
Vice Chairman.

John Kirk and his ESS Barney won both the open and novice water tests held on the 15th of May at Groby, a full report to follow in the next Pintail. Nobody has come forward so far (besides myself) to say they would like to shoot (need about 6) on the proposed game day for dogs (got 2 need about 8) that we would like to run next January the cost to run a dog would be around £25 and to shoot on that day would be around £75 per gun for a 40 to 50 bird day.

I need members to "**CONTACT ME**" as soon as possible either wanting to shoot or run a dog if I still have little or no response by the end of August we will have to shelve the idea for this year.

Don't forget the working test is at Shangton in October and it's never too early to let me know that you will be attending.

John Hall
Gundog Section Chairman.

Show Committee

There are several shows booked for the summer months. Blaston Show on the 26-6-2011 this is an agricultural show. The Quorn Hunt Show on the 3-7-2011, a very informative show and finally Lubenham Scarecrow Show on the 10/11-9-2011 which includes a Gun Dog Scurry. Personally my favourite show.

All the shows are good days out for the members and their families, however we are looking for a few volunteers to help in various areas including setting up the stand, erecting the tent and ferret cage. Also helping throughout the day etc etc. Any amount of help would be greatly appreciated. We would be very interested in any information or photos for the notice boards we display from the members as the current ones are looking a little dated.

We look forward to seeing more of the members attending the shows and supporting the L.W.A.

Pete Marsden
Show Committee Chairman.

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