BLACKWOLF WILDLIFE ASSOCIATION

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NEWSLETTER - AUGUST 10, 2000

WILDLIFE POTLUCK DINNER & FALL MEETING

Thursday, September 7th, at 6 p.m. at our cottage. Please call and let us know whether you will be bringing meat, vegetable, salad, appetizer, or dessert. Remember to bring your own drinks. Spouses are welcome and expected, but this is not an event for children. (Phone 688-5123)

WORK PROJECTS

- 1. Building a 16-foot dock for our large pond on Van Dyne Creek. BWWA will supply the material. Present dock will be removed.
- 2. Duck Blind on Lake Winnebago or nearby.
- 3. Cutting up several large willows and dead trees. Call if you have time!

JUSTINE'S HEALTH

Jess has completed her stem cell transplant at Madison, and her recent tests show the transplant was very successful. She is now starting to resume normal activity and is back home at our house.

POND

Fishing continues to be very good. New rocks have been placed along the edge. We will be installing a well and pump shortly so we can keep the pond full. For the past three years we have been renting a pump and taking water from the nearby ditch.

Thanks to Dennis Price we now have a boat for use on our sporting clay course. This course is to be used by reservation only and training is required if you want to use it. To date. Mark Wiechman is the

PHEASANT OPENING & RELEASES

Release this year: September 30 – October 21 – November 11 9 a.m. at the farm.

SPORTING CLAYS

member to receive this authorization. A picture of Mark on the course is shown belo						

NEW MEMBER WELCOME

Mike Pfeilstiffer, Rodger Manock, Dave Barter, and Jeff Kippa are our new members.

WERNER MARSH AREA

We will <u>not</u> be leasing the Werner Marsh Area anymore. Please make sure you stay out of their 10 acres on the southern end of our property.

ANNUAL DUES

Many thanks for those of you who have paid this year's dues. For those that have not, please do so. They are due <u>prior</u> to April 1st of each year. If for some reason you will not be joining us, please let me know. Thanks!

TRAILS

All of the trails are mowed and ready for use. We have a new trail starting in the woods by our house, which runs along both channels ending up by our boathouse.

NEW DOCK

Thanks to Dennis Eckstein, we now have a dock on the channel 500 feet north of our home. You can use it for fishing or spearing carp.

COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS

Your comments would be appreciated regarding having our dues on a two-tier basis. Those members assisting on work projects one day per year would pay the normal dues. All others would be at a premium to the regular dues. Please let me know.

BOUNTY

Clarence Rennert is the only person authorized to trap, and he is having a good year. We are seeing a lot of fox and especially raccoons.

ORDERING PHEASANTS

Remember the three-bird minimum per release. Cost is \$10 per rooster and the special release cost is \$13. Let me know your plans at our dinner meeting, call anytime, or return your order form.