



NEWSLETTER

Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, 7:30 p.m.

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The August meeting of the Bloomer Rod and Gun Club will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 9, at the Clubhouse at 7:30 p.m. On deck for the lunch program will be Dan Stolt, Dennis Nelson, and John Sykora.

GOINGS ON

Well, this meeting kind of snuck up on me. A number of events will be done before this gets out...the fair booth, done; the NSSF-Ruger Steel Match, done. There are a couple of events still coming up. The summer 3-D Archery Match will be held on Saturday and Sunday, August 13-14. Help will be needed on Thursday afternoon for setting up the course. Also, help will be needed on Sunday afternoon when the show is over. If you can help out, give a call to Don Lang at 715.404.5627 or Mark Petska at 715.933.2167 Help will be needed in the kitchen on both days to set up lunches.

GONE TO THE DOGS

Coming up on August 27 will be the 2nd annual Shed Dog competition. This will be an all-day event and will start at 8 a.m. It will run until all dogs have run the course. It is spectator friendly, so if you are curious as to what it's all about, come out and see for yourself. There were already dogs registered in July, so it should prove to be a busy time. Lunch will be available on the grounds. Come on out for a look. Some help will be needed in the kitchen. If you can help, or if you want more

information, contact John or Brittany Beyer at 715.568.3329. You could also contact Randy Yeakey at 715.827.1485. Competition dogs must be registered and there is an entry fee. Spectators are free. Come on out and learn about this sport.

RAMBLING

July has been a fast-paced month and it slid by rather quickly. Once past the 4th the summer just evaporates. I just went through a week's junk mail and there were 11 requests for money. Most requests were politically motivated. Paging through a few items there are a couple of interesting things. Have you ever heard of a government DOJ Booklet Investigating "Terrorism and Criminal Extremism"? Anyone considered a Christian patriot, a constitutionalist, who has studied first aid and edible plants, or considered a "teapartyer" could be on this terrorist and subversive list.

I just ran across an ad wanting to buy "LEGAL" assault rifles. They "will pay up to \$25,000 for AK 47s, up to \$26,000 for M16s". That's probably for "like-new" condition. If you don't like assault rifles, don't buy them. If you don't like rifles that look like assault rifles, don't buy them either. Like it or not, the most popular design for rifle platforms is the AR style, and it is available in many hunting calibers today—all based on the AR

platform which is now over 50 years old.

PHEASANTS

Don't forget the mentored pheasant project coming up September 9 and 10. Contact Bill Kellerman. You can reach him at 715.723.8782.

FAIR BOOTH

The door prizes will be available at the August Rod and Gun Club meeting on the 9th. Winners will be contacted. Our Rod and Gun sign from the fair booth is missing. If you know what happened to it, let us know. It was there for over 20 years.

JULY 2016

Due to all of the events, storms, and whatever, this newsletter is a little short. Remember, if you have stories or events to post in the newsletter, let me know two weeks ahead. Call Clyde Allison at 715.568.5028

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