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Regular monthly meetings are held the third Monday of each month at 7:00 pm. Remember that you must be present to win the attendance award. A prize raffle and a meal are provided at each Meeting.

#### From the President of The MSA

Any concerns with the club please call Jeff Gearhart @ 717-491-7896, MSA Club President.

#### M S A. Youth Activities

From Youth Chairman Joe Hartman  
The first MSA youth fishing rodeo date is **Sunday April 8<sup>th</sup>** from 1:00 until 3:00.

The second MSA youth fishing rodeo is **Saturday April 28<sup>th</sup>** from 8:00 until 12:00.

The third MSA youth fishing rodeo will be **Saturday May 19<sup>th</sup>** from 8:00 until 12:00. The stream will be closed to the public for these events.

**Note:** Please have all M.S.A. youth have their membership cards with them at all times for these fishing activities. Only one rod per youth please. For more information call Joe @ 717-816-7078.

**Note:** on May 19<sup>th</sup> there is a Youth fishing rodeo sponsored by the Greencastle American Legion at the Legion event grounds. M.S.A. to provide the trout for this event. All area Youth can participate. We will have a ticket stand at this event.

#### Youth Field Day

June 9<sup>th</sup> at Waynesboro Fish & Game from 6:30 am until 4:00 pm. M.S.A. will be operating the trap shoot and providing trout, volunteers needed. Contact Garry Harshman @ 717-597-8385 for details, registration forms are at the Club.

The MSA will be taking trout to the Conococheague creek for the Franklin Learning Center children to fish. Dates and times to be announced later. If anyone would like to help with the children on these days the F.L.C. would greatly appreciate it.

#### Disabled Veterans Fishing Rodeo

May 26<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am until 1:00 pm, Please volunteer to help at this fine event! For more info. Call Brian @ 717-377-2283, or email [odonnell472@gmail.com](mailto:odonnell472@gmail.com)

There are other walk in bingo times planned in the future. Look for advertisement, the activity calendar or the website for dates.

**Thank you** Mike Kulpak for your generous donations!

Activity Calendar on back of  
this newsletter

#### Congratulations

Milford Hornbaker & Harold Leidig  
M.S.A. Sportsmen of the Year

#### Special Thank You

Greencastle American Legion for your continued cooperation with our special events. And to Stitely's Butcher Shop for your generous donation of concession supplies.

#### Antler and Turkey Beard Winners

Antler - Carl Helman  
Turkey Beard - Pat Ruda

#### MSA and the Greencastle American Legion

4<sup>th</sup> Annual Gun and ATV Drawing, Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at the Greencastle American Legion Soccer Grounds, 4775 Williamson Rd. Donation: \$10.00, must be 21 to enter grounds. Food & Refreshments served from 12:00 noon until 4:00, gates open @ 10:30 am. For tickets please contact Jeff Gearhart @ 717-491-7896. Note: these tickets are going fast!

#### MSA Fall Gun Drawing

September 29<sup>th</sup>- More information on this event in the next newsletter.  
**Please note:** Adult members are required to sell 10 of these tickets to remain in good standing within the organization

The Club will be hosting two days of fishing for Nursing Home residents. Providence Place and also the Fulton County nursing home. Dates and times will be announced later. Come on out to help, this is always a rewarding time for everyone! For more information call Jeff Gearhart @ 717-491-7896.

#### Lake fishing rodeo dates

March	25 <sup>th</sup>	8:00	2:00
April	21 <sup>st</sup>	8:00	2:00
April	29 <sup>th</sup>	8:00	2:00
May	12 <sup>th</sup>	8:00	2:00
May	20 <sup>th</sup>	8:00	2:00
June	9 <sup>th</sup>	5:00 pm	11:00 pm

Night rodeo June 9<sup>th</sup> Chicken BBQ for sale at this event

#### Fish Committee Bingo

April 22 - doors open at 11:00, Games start at 1:00, \$20.00 ticket with meal. For tickets or to help contact Lee Kennisnger @ 717-369-3340

#### Attention

All mail correspondence must be addressed to  
MSA P.O. Box 33  
Mercersburg, PA 17236

#### FISH LAKE AND STREAMS

\*REMEMBER that you must purchase a current year lake badge to fish in the lake. Lake Rodeos are listed on the back of this newsletter. The lake fishing fee for rodeos has increased to \$5.00 per rodeo. No fun fishing at the lake when the air temperature is above 75 degrees. Anyone interested in stocking trout will be required to help with other duties pertaining to the fish committee. Call Robert Johnson, Fish Committee Chairman @ 717-328-9835.

#### Fish Committee

Stocking March 31<sup>st</sup>, the first day  
Buck Run (Dickey's Run)  
Sections 1,2 and 3

In season

April 4<sup>th</sup> - Little Cove Cr.  
April 11<sup>th</sup> - Ft. Loudon Legion/  
Men of the Mtn.  
April 18<sup>th</sup> - Metal, Rosenberrys &  
Twin Bridges  
April 25<sup>th</sup> - Buck Run (Dickeys Run)  
section 3 & Markes  
May 2<sup>nd</sup> - Ft. Loudon bridge  
& Fort site  
May 11<sup>th</sup> - Buck Run (Dickeys Run)  
section 1 and Blacks woods

\*Note: Week of dates, stocking might not be occurring on the exact dates listed above

#### Public Kiddies Fishing Rodeo

Is **Saturday June 2<sup>nd</sup>** - starting time is @ 8:00 event is over at 12:00. All area youth can participate.

The MSA will be stocking April 14<sup>th</sup> for Franklin County Head Start, to help call 717-328-9835.

#### Scholarship Awards

Applications are on the bulletin board at the Club House. For more information contact Dave Zeger @ 717-369-3960.

**Fisherman's Breakfast, March 31<sup>st</sup>**  
4:00 am until 8:00 am.

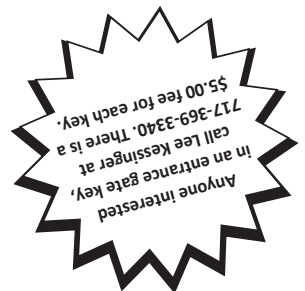
#### Retired MSA Members

Meet the second Monday of each month. Call Merle Pine @ 717-328-2314 for more information.

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# M.S.A. Activities Calendar

March	24th	Bingo 5:00 until 9:00	May	19th	Bingo 5:00 until 9:00
March	25th	Lake Rodeo 8:00 am to 2:00 pm	May	20th	Lake Rodeo 8:00 am to 2:00 pm
March	31st	Fisherman's Breakfast 4:00am to 8:00 am, first day of trout season	May	26th	Disabled Veterans Fishing Rodeo 8:00 to 12:00
April	8th	MSA Youth Fishing Rodeo 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm	June	2nd	Public Youth Fishing Rodeo 8:00 am to 12:00
April	21st	Lake Rodeo 8:00 am to 2:00 pm	June	9th	Lake Rodeo 5:00 pm to 11:00 pm
April	22nd	Fish Committee Bingo 11:00 am to 4:00 pm	June	9th	Youth Field Day Waynesboro Fish and Game 7:00 am to 4:00 pm
April	28th	MSA Youth Fishing Rodeo 8:00 am to 12:00	July	21st	4th Annual Gun Drawing at the Greencastle American Legion Grounds
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May	12th	Lake Rodeo 8:00 am to 2:00 pm			
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May	19th	Greencastle American Legion Youth Fishing Rodeo, MSA to provide trout			



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