

Lakeshore  
Conservation Club  
Board of Directors

Tom Longanecker - President  
218-297-4895  
telonganecker@msn.com

Penny Stumvoll - Secretary  
218-851-8688  
contact@lakeshoregunclub.com

Gary McEnelly - Treasurer  
218-821-5965  
gary@lindnermedia.com

John (Jay) Cumming  
262-893-2700  
johnjcumming@gmail.com

David Grell  
218-831-9374  
davidgrellrealtor@gmail.com

Heather Grell  
218-831-9372  
hgrell@gmail.com

Eric Larson  
218-839-4158  
llarson@tds.net

Josh Trepl  
713-870-0253  
Josh.trepl@gmail.com

Tim Osborne  
Range Manager  
612-940-1324  
osbornetim2@gmail.com

Club House  
218-963-4003

Contact any of Us  
with Your  
Ideas and Suggestions!

# Lakeshore News

WINTER 2022 - 2023

## 2022 Club Highlights

### President's Message

Lakeshore Conservation Club has some success stories to brag about and some firsts this year:

Retired board member Tom Schutta brought ATA events to Lakeshore Conservation Club this year. These matches were very well attended and will continue to grow in 2023. Thank you, Tom!!!!

Board and life members David and Heather Grell lead the Clays to End Hunger shooting event again this year. This two-day fundraiser was a total success for our club and the community. Mark your calendar for August 5 & 6, 2023.

Life member Dianne Wade continues to lead and facilitate Ladies Trap Shooting events. Dianne is a great instructor and loves to share her trap shooting knowledge. Tell your friends and sign up for 2023.

Three years ago, club member Jim Anderson suggested that we host a Paralyzed Veterans Shooting fundraiser. In 2022, our club held the third year of this incredible event. Make sure and mark your calendar for Saturday, July 22, 2023.

Board and life member Penny Stumvoll went with an idea for a Wild Game Dinner as a fundraiser. Oh my how this dinner has grown! This is our club's largest event. There are a few tables available for March 19, 2023.

I highlighted the above events and members to point out how one member volunteering or making a suggestion makes a difference. If you have an idea for an event or how our club can partner with an organization, please step up and contact a board member or our club Manager, Tim Osborne. Please consider volunteering to assist at our club's activities.

Many additional events such as the Ted Lundrigan Shoot, night shoots, jackpot shoots, and Christmas ham shoots are some more of this past year's trap shooting activities. Please join us in 2023.

In addition, your club continues to support and host the following Trap and Skeet shooting athletes: Brainerd, Pillager, and Pequot Lakes High Schools, Brainerd Central Lakes College, and Pequot 4-H Youth will all be shooting at Lakeshore Conservation Club in 2023.

Your Board of Directors is currently working on a few projects for 2023: We are applying for several grants for range improvements. We hope to establish a scholarship program. We are working on starting up the small bore (NRL22) competitions.

A very special thank you to Manager Tim Osborne and all the employees. You did an outstanding job serving Lakeshore Conservation Club's membership.

Respectfully, Tom Longanecker - 2022 Board President



The 14-member Fall CLC Trap Team placed 4<sup>th</sup> of 6 teams in the fall season red division (true team scoring of 11) of the Minnesota Collegiate Athletic Conference. At the end of the season they had two shooters in the top 10, Megan Tritz in the women's division and Jacob Dobson in the men's. The entire team then made the trip to Alexandria for the Conference shoot where they placed 15<sup>th</sup> out of 16 teams. High guns for the team at that meet were Kyle Petersen on the men's side breaking 88 birds, and Megan Tritz on the women's side breaking 74 birds.

### RANGE MANAGER TIM OSBORNE

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of our members for a successful 2022 season. My transition to my new job was made easy, and fun, although I still have a lot to learn. I especially want to thank Bob Marquardt for all his support this summer. Our employees, Cameron George, Mason Dixon, Andy Grell, and George Olson all did an outstanding job as well. All the club's volunteers make our shooting events a success, and in that great group two really stand out. Thank you Jay and Dianne for the countless days I depended on your help. I look forward to 2023 and more fun and success for our club. I wish a Blessed Christmas season for all, and look forward to seeing you next year.

### 2022 SUMMER APPRECIATION SHOOT

Throw in some great weather, fabulous people, delicious food, friendly competitions, laughter, extraordinary camaraderie and a lot of shooting and you have yourself a fantastic day!

#### 2022 Winners:

100 Bird: Michael Thompson - 98, Jim Anderson - 94  
50 Bird: Mike Morgan - 48



### BRAINERD HIGH SCHOOL

41 Trap Team Members, 2 Skeet Team Members. The Trap Team placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in Class 5A Conference 3. The team placed 15<sup>th</sup> out of 32 teams at the Trap Shooting Championship. Since practice week 1 thru state, team members earned 2 - 50-straight patches and 12 - 25-straight patches. The Skeet Team finished in 12<sup>th</sup> place in Class 1A Conference 1. This year we had 17 athletes earn a letter! One team member went to the National Shoot in Mason, Mi. Carter Soens, Day 1-90, RR-22 Rank 727/1716.



### PILLAGER HIGH SCHOOL

The team is proud to call Lakeshore Conservation Club our home! We host 50 student athletes during the spring season and 20 for the fall season. We participate in trap, skeet, five stand and sporting clays. Pillager finished 1<sup>st</sup> in Trap, 1<sup>st</sup> in Skeet and 3<sup>rd</sup> in Sporting Clays in our conference. We went on to win the State Championship in Sporting Clays in June. We had three student athletes place in the top ten in Trap, three in Skeet and two in Sporting Clays and one student athlete that made the USA Clay Target All - State Team in all three disciplines. We are so proud of all of our athletes and are grateful to be part of their shooting journey.

## SOME 2022 HIGHLIGHTS

### NIGHT SHOTS

Shooting under the lights has been a huge success. You can see the muzzle flash and watch the dust fly off the birds.

### SIGHT-IN DAYS

We had four nice days for the annual sight-in. Approximately 35 shooters (8 non-members) took the opportunity to practice and check their equipment before hunting. Thank you to all the volunteers that helped those days.

### RIMFIRE RIFLE



Want to join a fun group?

This is an NRL22 style club event with steel targets at 25 to 100 yards. Targets ranged from 1/4" to 6" in diameter. We shoot from various positions and use all kinds of things to shoot from: ladders, benches (not always the top) stools, tires, buckets, bricks... Each stage is different, and each week has something new.