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QUAKERTOWN, PA 18951



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PRESIDENT: Carl Lewis

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MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT: Carl Lewis

President's report: Your club is moving forward with many changes which everyone will benefit from. The Fall Trout stocking will be November 6th at 10AM. Please come out and stock the trout. Most importantly come out and volunteer to help make your club a better place.

FROM VP & CHAIRMAN: Walt Sinnwell

Firewood for sale \$150.00 a cord while it lasts.

Members should be sure to check their tree stands, not only should you worry about tree you are placing in but look around and make sure surrounding trees.



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Financial Membership Secretary: Alicia Holzer

Membership renewal invoices will be mailed or emailed no later than October 31, 2025. Dues for 2026 will be \$70 for Adults to help offset rising costs of essential needs and services. Members can take advantage of our onsite drop box for cash or check payments. Checks or money orders can also be mailed to Great Swamp Fish & Game PO Box 30 Sellersville, PA 18960. Members can now make credit & debit card payments online with the new website. Please feel free to contact me at 215-538-2754 or by email at AliciaHolzer@comcast.net with any questions or problems.

Archery, Pistol & Rifle Ranges: Mike Holzer

With Archery season quickly approaching, we're proud to announce the construction of our new broadhead range, located just before the pistol range. In addition, there is parking for one vehicle and a bow stand set at 20 yards. Just a reminder going into fall, the pistol & rifle range hours will change to 9AM until 4PM starting November 1st. Paper targets and push pins are available at both ranges for your convenience and members are responsible for clean up of spent casings and removal of used targets.

JUNIOR MEMBER UPDATE: Our next event will be the 2025 KID's Christmas Party. Please see the enclosed flyer for all the details. We will be listing all future KID's day events for 2026 on the Website when dates are available.

<u>IT'S BINGO TIME !!!!!</u> Join us any SATURDAY evening for fun and \$\$\$\$ There's always plenty of action with multiple games and prizes. Tony Kulp and his Crew are always at the ready with your favorite food and refreshments. Please put suggestions for food or snacks in the suggestion box. Please leave a donation in coffee donation jar.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR BINGO CHAIRWOMAN Michele Cutillo

Bingo for 2025 was a LARGE SUCCESS both for the club and players. Sales were comparable to 2024. The diversity of bingo games and large payouts has seen the average spending per player per night increasing substantially.

Without Bingo, Club DUES would increase significantly. With that said we continue to look for support to assist in running bingo on Saturday evenings. Several new members have been supporting bingo once every 4 to 6 weeks, which has greatly helped the base staff have a Saturday night off. We still need HELP to fill out the calendar. All helpers at bingo receive a small stipend of \$40 for the evening of support. Hopefully more club members can find time to support bingo at least one Saturday in a year. Many supporters bring children for the night. There is plenty to do for all ages.

I personally want to THANK all of the folks supporting BINGO on a weekly and monthly basis, the CALLERS, REGISTER workers and FLOOR workers for their continued support.

Lori Miller, our APPAREL and Promotional Items chairperson, has many items available for purchase at the GENERAL Meetings, and most events. Help promote GSFG by **proudly displaying our colors and logo!**

UPCOMING EVENTS: Please review the calendar on the Website

Here are a few notable items:

*Nomination of OFFICERS and DIRECTORS at the September and October General

Meetings. Directors whose term expires Dec 2025: Brian Bloome, Kevin Freed,

Tony Kulp, Jim Leberknight, and Dean Yeakel.

OFFICERS: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Membership Secretary

- *Election of OFFICERS and DIRECTORS at the NOVEMBER General Mtg. Members must have their card with them in order to vote.
- *Children's Christmas Party 7 December 1PM

GROUNDS UPDATE: Chris Clemens

We can always use help on Workdays to keep the grounds cut, trimmed and presentable. Get with Chris Clemens or come up on work day and sign in 8 AM.



FISH & PONDS UPDATE: Dean Yeakel & Troy Battistoni

Winter stocking for ICE FISHING will be closer to Christmas. Due to our failing pond aeration system, the club members voted to have Aqua Link build & install a new aeriation system for our ponds.

This should be accomplished in the near future.

TILL NEXT TIME "ENJOY YOUR FALL LEAVES, PUMPKINS AND OF COURSE <u>HUNTING!</u>
REMINDER*** - YOUR 2026 RENEWAL IS DUE BY 31 DECEMBER 2025***