



IKES NEWS

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Inside: upcoming events, match reports, important reminders and more!

Cornhusker State Games Participant Discounts for Lincoln Ikes Members

The Cornhusker State Games has moved their shooting sports events to the Heartland Public Shooting Park near Grand Island. However, they are offering our Lincoln Ikes members a \$5 discount off registrations. If you are interested, use the code "IKES5" to get this discount.

2025 Membership Renewals & Gate Card Activation

Our 2025 membership renewal notices were mailed out last October and a second notice was sent out in January to those that haven't renewed yet. Thank you to all who have already renewed your memberships. For those of you who still need to renew, you have a couple options:

mail in your renewal application and payment to 10801 S 134th St, Bennet, NE 68317, renew your 2025 membership online by going to our website at www.lincolnikes.com, then click "Member Login", which is on the green ribbon just underneath the large photo up top. By renewing your membership, you have agreed to abide by our range rules established to maintain proper firearm range safety and procedures.

If you have not renewed yet, your gate card has been deactivated. Reactivation of your gate card may take up to a week. Your 2025 range cards are mailed out after we process your renewal applications and payments. If you have any questions regarding your renewal, please contact Natalie or Wes. Thank you!

Please note that the membership dues for 2025 are as follows for REGULAR members (for family, student, and life members, please see your renewal notices for your membership dues total or call our office for these different amounts): \$195 for rifle & pistol range access, \$170 for trap range access, or \$235 for all ranges (rifle/pistol and trap). As always, our memberships run for the full 2025 calendar year (January 1st - December 31st), starting when you renew.

Clubhouse Rentals Available

We have a wonderful clubhouse that we have worked to make various updates. If you are interested in renting our clubhouse and/or bar facilities, please contact our managers to check on its availability. Renters who have been a member for more than six months will receive a reduced rental rate.

Do You Have an Outdoor Photo to Share?

We are always looking for photos of hunting, shooting, fishing, outdoor adventures, conservation and more to share with Ikes members who have similar interests.

Show us what you've been up to and how you've been enjoying the great outdoors! Send to lincikesnews@gmail.com!



Youth Trap Teams Practicing on the Trap Ranges

We currently have six junior and senior high school trap teams that use our trap ranges for their scheduled practice sessions. These begin in February and run through April 30th. Therefore, the trap ranges will be closed for these team practices for the following days during the following times:

Sundays:	12:00 noon – 4:30 p.m. (2 traps only)
Mondays:	3:00 – 6:30 p.m. (all traps)
Tuesdays:	4:00 – 6:30 p.m. (all traps)
Wednesdays:	3:00 – 6:30 p.m. (all traps)
Thursdays:	4:00 – 6:30 p.m. (all traps)
Fridays:	4:30 – 7:00 p.m. (5 traps)
Saturdays:	12:30 – 3:00 p.m. (3 traps)

The following are 2025 ECTC meets held at our Lincoln Ikes and usually run most of the day:

- March 15th
- April 5th
- April 26th

The trap range will be closed during these meets until they are completed. Good luck to all our youth trapshooters!

Volunteers Needed

We need more volunteers during our busy ECTC trap meets as noted above (March 15th, April 5th, and April 26th). If you are willing and available or would just like to discuss this further for more details, please contact our Trap Chairman Dave Tunink at dtunink1971@gmail.com. These trap meets usually require volunteers from 7:00 a.m. until they are finished, which can be mid to late afternoon. Thank you for considering.

Weather / Range Conditions Heads-Up

During the winter months, we try to get the parking lot and the roads leading up to Rifle/Pistol Ranges 1, 2 and 3 plowed as soon as possible. However, when we get a lot of snow or precipitation, all the traps and the cemented areas around the rifle and pistol benches/firing lines can be buried in snow and/or ice. With that in mind, we want all our members to be aware of the following, if you plan on shooting out here after inclement weather:

IF YOU ARE A CURRENT RIFLE/PISTOL MEMBER:

1. You may need to scoop/clear your area first.
2. DO NOT GO OFF ANY TRAILS THAT HAVE NOT ALREADY BEEN PLOWED. We cannot guarantee that someone will be out here to help at certain times.

IF YOU ARE A CURRENT TRAP MEMBER:

1. The area around the traps and the fan may not be cleared.
2. The locks will most likely be frozen. You can hold them in your hands for a while to warm them up if needed.
3. Make sure you warm up the machines PRIOR to arming and starting to throw the rocks.
4. You will have to clear any snow away from the machine and pump PRIOR to running it. With the wind that brings in snow, sometimes snow can get inside the traps.

We welcome any volunteers who are willing to come clear these areas during these weather conditions. If you are able and interested, please contact the managers.

Monthly Calendars

Included in this newsletter are the calendars for the next two months.

These are as up to date as they can be before publishing; however, we get updates throughout the month.

To get the most up-to-date calendar, please always check the website calendar at <https://lincolnikes.com/news-events/calendar.html>.

MOVING?

You'll save us nearly a dollar if you make sure we have your new address.

Call Wes (402-466-9040) or send an update to:
LIWL, P.O. Box 6755,
Lincoln, NE 68506

LOST & FOUND

Please contact the office if



IHMSA Match Report: IKES

Lincoln, Nebraska

February 16th, 2025

by Chuck Pfitzer

Frigid weather didn't stop the IHMSA shooters Sunday, nor did it affect their scores. Mike Alexander shot a 40/40, giving him the last leg up in AAA Class and moving him up to INT Class for the next match. Good Shooting, Mike. Mike is an avid shooter in many other branches of shooting events, including long range rifle matches. Jeff Shultz took the INT Class with a score of 38/40 and close behind him was Ron TeSelle with a 36/40.

The scores below tell the rest of the story. "Good Shooting" to all the shooters!

Event	Class	Shooter	Pistol	Score
Air Pistol				
UAS	INT	Jeff Shultz	IZH-46 M	38
UAS	INT	Ron TeSelle	LZH-46 M	36
UAS	AAA	Mike Alexander	TAU 7	40 ML
UAS	AA	Randy TeSelle	AV-46 M	34
UAS	AA	Doug Davis	IZH-46 M	22
U	A	Randy TeSelle	IZH-46M	34

Wildflowers of Lincoln Ikes: The Dandelion

by Dan Morgan

This time of year, there are no wildflowers at Izaak's, so I'm choosing some that we all know. And this is one of those flowers people love to hate—the dandelion. These are found in temperate zones around the world, and when you consider how it spreads its seeds in the wind, that makes perfect sense. Its name comes from a French phrase "dent DeLeon," or "lion's tooth," referring to the flower petals. You know that Mexican restaurant in Lincoln D'Leon's? That's it, the lion! I learned in a Boy Scout survival class you can eat the leaves in a salad. Fortunately, I've never been that hungry.



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March 2025						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 MUST PRE-REGISTER BY CALLING 402.474.6555 9:00a: Rifle/Pistol Orientation 10:15a: Trap Orientation (Clubhouse) (Keaschalle) 9a-1p: Club Benchrest 300-Yard (Range 4) (Shultz) 12:30-3p: High School Trap Practice with North Star (Clubhouse & Traps 4-6)
2 9a-1p: Members 300-Yard Range Practice (Lonkooski) 12:00-4:30p: High School Trap Practice (2 Traps)	3 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	4 12noon: Archery Committee Meeting (Clubhouse) 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice(All Traps / Clubhouse)	5 Ash Wednesday 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	6 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	7 4:30-7:00p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	8 9-11a: CMP Rimfire Sporter Rifle (Range 4) (Laesik) 12:30-3p: High School Trap Practice(Clubhouse/Traps 4-6)
9 12:00-4:30p: High School Trap Practice (2 Traps)	10 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 6:30p: Norris Trap Booster Meeting (Clubhouse)	11 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 7:15p: Board of Directors Meeting (Clubhouse)	12 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5:30p-Sunset: Members Range 4 Practice (Bertram)	13 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	14 4:30-7:00p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	15 All Day: ECTC Meet (Ikes Clubhouse & Traps) Pond & Walking Trail Closed during ATA Shoot 9a-2p: Bowling Pin Match (Range 4) (Lonkooski)
16 8a-12noon: IHMSA Indoor Air Pistol Silhouettes (Clubhouse) (TeSells) 12:00-4:30p: High School Trap Practice (2 Traps)	17 St Patrick's Day 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	18 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	19 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5:30p-Sunset: Members Range 4 Practice (Bertram)	20 Start of Spring 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	21 4:30-7:00p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	22 ECTC @ LTS 7a-5p: Project Appliance (Range 4) (Adamson)
23 12:00-4:30p: High School Trap Practice (2 Traps)	24 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	25 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	26 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5:30p-Sunset: Members Range 4 Practice (Bertram) 7p: Rifle/Pistol Committee Meeting (Clubhouse)	27 10a-2p: Tom Shea Clubhouse & Bar Rental 4-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	28 4:30-7:00p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	29 ECTC @ Ashland MUST PRE-REGISTER BY CALLING 402.474.6555 9a: Rifle/Pistol Orientation (Clubhouse) 10-15a: Trap Orientation (Clubhouse) (Keaschalle)
30 12:00-4:30p: High School Trap Practice (2 Traps)	31 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)					



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April 2025						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 10a-1p: Members 300-Yard Practice (Dewey) 12noon: Archery Committee Meeting (Clubhouse) 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	2 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5:30p-Sunset: Members Range 4 Practice (Bertram)	3 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	4 4:30-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	5 All Day: ECTC Meet (Ikes Clubhouse & Traps) Pond & Walking Trail Closed during ATA Shoot 9a-1p: Club Benchrest 300-Yard (Range 4) (Shultz)
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13 8a-12noon: IHMSA Indoor Air Pistol Silhouettes (Clubhouse) (TeSelle) 12-4:30p: High School Trap Practice (2 Traps) 1-5p: IHMSA Handgun (Range 4) (TeSelle)	14 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 6:30p: Norris Trap Booster Meeting (Clubhouse) (Hennecke)	15 Tax Day (Taxes Due) 10a-1p: Members 300-Yard Practice (Dewey) 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	16 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5:30p-Sunset: Members Range 4 Practice (Bertram)	17 Holy Thursday 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	18 Good Friday 4:30-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	19 ECTC @ Ashland 9a-2p: Bowling Pin Match (Range 4) (Lonkoski)
20 Easter	21 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	22 Earth Day 10a-1p: Members 300-Yard Practice (Winchester) 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5-7p: Archery Range Closed for Training Activity (blind, saddles, stands)	23 Administrative Professionals 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse) 5-7p: Archery Range Closed for Training Activity (blind, saddles, stands) 5:30p-Sunset: Members Range 4 Practice (Bertram)	24 3-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (All Traps & Clubhouse)	25 Arbor Day NBRSA Range Set Up Day (Range 4) (Shultz) 4:30-6:30p: High School Trap Practice (4 Traps)	26 All Day: All Conferences ECTC Meet (Ikes Clubhouse & Traps) Pond & Walking Trail Closed during ATA Shoot 7a-5p: Project Appliance (Range 1) (Adamson) 8a-6p: NBRSA Benchrest Match (Range 4) (Shultz)
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2025 LINCOLN IKES TRAP LEAGUES

Teams can submit their rosters by either email or USPS (no team meeting). Sponsor fees to be paid at that time or the first night of league. Please provide your team's name two weeks prior to the first night of league.

Summer League Schedule: Thursdays, May 8th – August 21st
(rain-out makeup date on August 28th if needed).
15-Week Season
No league on July 3rd.

Fall League Schedule: Thursdays, September 4th – October 23rd
8-Week Season

League Fees:

Season Sponsor Fees: \$85 per team for the Summer League
\$40 for the Fall League
Teams that are entirely youth shooters will be charged \$50 and \$25 respectively.

Cost per Round of Targets: \$8

During the Summer Trap League season, shooting typically starts at 6:30 p.m. and ends around 9:00-9:30 p.m. The team that shoots at 6:30 p.m. one week will shoot at 7:00 p.m. the next week. Only the team members on the roster are allowed to shoot. Scores the first two weeks of the Summer League along with team's shooting ability in the past will be used to classify (AAA, AA, A, B, etc.). The first round will be from the 16-yard line and based on the team score, a handicap yardage will be assigned. Teams will be assigned on who they are competing against which will change every week.

One point will be assigned for the 16-yard, handicap and overall scores for a potential total of 3 points. All ties will split the point - giving both teams ½ the point. Team members need to have a minimum of one round of 16-yard targets and one round of handicaps during the first two weeks of qualifications. The Fall League will use the Lewis system to establish points with teams shooting at the same time each week.

Questions? Please contact Dave Tunink
at 402.430.1759 or dtunink1971@gmail.com .
Mailing to 600 Danville Drive, Lincoln 68510





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TRAP LEAGUE REGISTRATION

Sponsor Fees: Summer League \$85.00 Date Paid: _____
 Fall League \$40.00

Weekly Team Shooting Fee: Teams that are entirely youth shooters will be charged a sponsor fee of \$50 & \$25 respectively.
 \$80.00

TEAM NAME: _____ **TEAM SPONSOR:** _____

Team Captain: _____ Telephone: _____

Street Address: _____ Email: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

Assistant Captain: _____ Email: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

TEAM MEMBERS

AVG	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	TELEPHONE
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