

Ellwood/Wampum Rod & Gun Club

2026 Newsletter

Gun Show

Our Gun Show will be **Saturday, March 7**, at the Chewton V.F.D. Hall, 196 Alice St., Wampum, PA. Doors open at 9:00 A.M.; the show ends at 4:00 P.M. Admission is \$5.00, kids under 12 are free and free parking. Food and refreshments will be available. There will be raffles and a Club Bargain Table. 8' vendor tables available for \$25 each. Vendors are to contact Kerry Carlo at 724-674-1808.

Annual Banquet

The Annual Banquet will be held on **Saturday, March 14**, at the Chewton V.F.D. Hall, 196 Alice St. Wampum, PA. The doors will open at 4:30 P.M. and dinner will be served at 6:00 P.M. The buffet dinner will cost \$20 @ person. Reservations are due by Wednesday, March 4. Checks should be payable to "Ellwood/Wampum Rod & Gun Club" and mailed to P.O. Box 442, Ellwood City, PA 16117. Admission tickets will be picked up at the door.

Spring/Fall Turkey Shoots

Spring Turkey shoots will be on **Tuesdays, March 3 - April 28**, at the clubhouse. Sign-ups begin at 6:00 P.M. and shooting begins at 6:30 P.M. A "Youth Shoot" will be held if enough youth participate with a parent or legal guardian present to supervise them. Fall Shoots will be held **September 1 - November 24**

Trap Shoots

Spring Trap Shoots will be on Tuesdays starting **May 5 - August 25**, at the clubhouse. Shooting starts at 6:00 P.M. Fall Shoot dates will be determined.

15th Annual "Kenneth Bleakney & Carl Custozzo Youth Fishing Derby"

The 2026 Youth Fishing Derby will be held at the club on **Saturday, April 11**, starting at 8:00 A.M.

Annual Picnic

Our Annual Picnic will be held on **Sunday, August 9**, at the Clubhouse. Hamburgers, hotdogs and drinks will be provided by the club. All members and their families are welcome and may bring a dish to share.

****Please note all dates are subject to change. Refer to our Facebook page and/or our website at ellwoodwampumrodandgunclub.com***

2026 Club Officers

President	Kerry Hart
1st Vice President	Tim Kelly
2nd Vice President	Bill Ely
Secretary	Russ Parker
Treasurer	Larry Baker
Sargent of Arms	Ray Rava
NRA Exec. Officer	Paul Aiken
Range Safety Officer	Kerry Carlo

Club Directors

Kelly Allen	Lucy Allen
Dick Bayer	Bill Boots
Carol Dambach	Jim Dambach
Carl Jaskolka	Vince Jeannette
Paul Lightner	Mark Linville
Frank McCowin	Jerry Sadler
Ken Shoaf Sr	Ron Surma
John Wilmes	

Club Meetings:

Membership/Directors Meetings: Held the second Monday of each month at 7:00 P.M.

Memberships

Regular membership (18 to 64 years old)	\$40.00
Family membership (adult/spouse & children under age 18)	\$55.00
Senior membership (65 years & older)	\$20.00
Lifetime membership (55+ years old, with 10 years PRIOR paid dues)	\$400.00
Senior Lifetime membership (65 years & older)	\$200.00
Rifle range gate key (18 years & older):	\$10.00

A "New Member Initiation Fee" of \$10 will be assessed to all new Regular and Senior members. Current Regular and Senior members must renew their membership by January 31st of each year to avoid paying the "lapsed fee".

All new applicants for membership must be a member of the National Rifle Association (N.R.A.) or join the N.R.A. at the time of application and keep their N.R.A. membership current. When renewing your membership, you MUST show your current NRA membership card.

Current members who are actively serving in the military will be considered to have all privileges of a continued membership. Annual dues will be suspended.

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