

Lester Prairie Sportsmen's Club, Inc.

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Sportsmen's Club, Rental, League & Individual Trapshooting

The Lester Prairie Sportsmen's Club has been at its current location since 1967. It is conveniently located 1 mile S.W. of Lester Prairie on McLeod County Road # 1. The facilities open in mid April until mid October, weather permitting.

Club House Rentals: It is an ideal location for your family or company event on a rental basis. Whether it is a family reunion, picnic, anniversaries, birthday, graduation, or company picnic, business meeting, or a customer appreciation event, you need to see what we have. Short term camping is available for self contained units.

Adequate parking space, outdoor area for games, sand volley ball court, many outdoor picnic tables on concrete slabs with electrical outlets, 2 outside sun shades and many shade trees, all for you to enjoy.

The Club House is air-conditioned, many chairs and tables, separate beverage counter, separate area to serve food with counter and coolers, all carpeted, and many windows to north. Plans are to refurbish the inside of the club house soon.

Trapshooting is the principal source of income. This sport starts in mid April and continues to the end of August and is always shot on Wednesday Nights starting at 6:00 PM to 9:30 PM. A major improvement was made last year where the trap machines were replaced with new Pat Traps. Scores improved greatly for all shooters.

League Shooting: 18 weeks of completion with each team consisting of 5 shooters (may have up to 3 subs) shooting in 5 separate classes. Each of the 5 shooters is required to shoot at 25 targets per week. Total scores of the 5 shooters are used. Better teams move back to 27 yard line with the lower scores moving closer to the 16 yard line.

After the first 9 weeks, the best teams move up to the next higher class. At the end of the season, the winners of the first half shoot against the winners of the second half. We are always looking for additional teams—have room for more.

Individual 16 Yard Lewis Class: Individual shooters are required to shoot at 400 targets, with not more than 50 on a given night. Their scores are posted weekly.

After shooting the 400 targets, (can be done in 8 weeks shooting 50 a night) the top scores are put at the top with lower ones below. A trophy is awarded to every 5th shooter. It isn't until the last night that we know who the winners will be.

Individual 16 Yd. Doubles Lewis Class: It is suggested that you use of a double barrel shot gun. Two targets come out of the trap house at one time flying in opposite directions. You will shoot at 25 pair of targets at a time with a total of 250 pair. Trophies are awarded as above.

Practice Shooting: You are all invited to do as much practice shooting as you want. A minimum of 25 targets from any yardage, doubles with 13 pair or 25 pair.

Gun & Snowmobile Training: Watch the Herald Journal for dates of instructions for same

Voting Location for Bergin Township voters the fall of 2008.

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