

The Warroad Warriors Trap Club has begun their summer camp. It started on Tuesday July 7 and will continue for 6 weeks, ending on August 11th. This is a perfect time for new athletes to come to the range and get acquainted with the world of trap shooting. As well as a great way for current athletes to keep "in the groove" between the spring & fall seasons. Thanks to generous donations, the summer camp cost was only \$50, which includes their range fees, targets and ammo.



Gun Cleaning Tidbits

Properly cleaning a firearm ensures reliability and prevents rust. The process requires unloading and field-stripping the gun, brushing the barrel with solvent to remove debris, scrubbing internal wear points with an appropriate brush, and lightly applying lubricant.

A complete breakdown of the best practice steps includes:

1. Safety First

- Remove all ammunition from your workspace. Eject the magazine, lock the slide or bolt open, and physically/visually inspect the chamber to ensure it is completely clear.

2. Field Strip

- Disassemble your firearm into its primary components (e.g., slide, frame, barrel, and recoil spring) according to your manufacturer's owner manual.

3. Clean the Barrel (Bore)

- Run a bore patch or a bore snake coated in firearm solvent through the barrel, always moving from the chamber (breech) to the muzzle.
- Scrub the inside of the barrel with a caliber-specific bronze or nylon bore brush in the same chamber-to-muzzle direction.
- Follow up with clean, dry patches until they come out completely free of carbon or fouling.

4. Clean the Action and Frame

- Spray or wipe down the slide, frame, and internal small parts with bore cleaner.
- Use a nylon brush (an old toothbrush works great) to scrub away stubborn carbon buildup on the feed ramp, rails, and around the breach face.
- Wipe all parts down with a clean, lint-free cloth or rag.

5. Lubricate

- Apply a very light coat of high-quality gun oil or grease to the manufacturer's specified friction points and metal-on-metal sliding surfaces.
- Avoid over-lubricating; too much oil will attract dirt and turn into a sticky paste that can cause malfunctions.

6. Reassemble and Function Test

- Put the gun back together.
- Perform a safe function check by dry-firing (if applicable) and test the trigger and safety mechanisms to ensure everything operates smoothly.

Upcoming events:

Monthly WLRSC Meetings Monthly meetings are held on the second Tuesday of every month. Meeting location is at the Warroad Public Safety Building located at 802 Cherne Dr NW in Warroad. Please use south doors. Meetings are open to the public and members are encouraged to attend.

Summer CampTrap Summer camp trap season begins July 7th and runs for 6 weeks, ending on August 11th. Registration starts at 5pm, shoots start at 5:30.

IDPA events will be held on the 3rd Saturday of the month from April to October. Contact wlrscpewpew@gmail.com for more information. Events are also listed on our calendar on our website www.wlrsc.net



2026

July 14– Summer Camp Trap
July 18- IDPA
July 21– Summer Camp Trap
July 28– Summer Camp Trap
July 31– Gracie Woods Event
August 4– Summer Camp Trap
August 11– WLRSC Meeting
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August 15– IDPA

Warroad High School Athletes Deliver Strong Performances at the Alexandria State Qualifying Tournament.

Submitted by WWTC Head Coach Brian Johnston

Warroad High School athletes showcased their skill, consistency, and competitive drive during a recent two-session competition, highlighted by outstanding individual performances and depth throughout the roster. Leading the way was Leif Olafson, who posted the team's high overall score with 94 out of 100 targets. The team received another outstanding performance from Blake Palm, who recorded a team-best score of 48 in Session 2 and finished as the top Junior Varsity athlete for Warroad with 91 total. Palm's performance earned him 3rd place overall in JV Boy's Division. Congratulations, Blake! The Warroad Junior Varsity team also placed 3rd overall in the tournament, highlighting the strength and depth of the program.

Among the Varsity athletes, Easton Pahlen finished with a total score of 90, while Jameson Brown and Grant Lindner each finished with 89. On the girls' side, Emma Lane emerged as the top female performer with a total score of 87 out of 100 targets. Libby Olafson finished with a total score of 84.

Ten athletes finished with total scores of 84 or higher, reflecting the balance and competitiveness of both the Varsity and Junior Varsity teams. The Varsity squad averaged 83.5 out of 100, while the JV athletes averaged 75.2 out of 100.

Top Overall Performers

1. Leif Olafson – 94
2. Blake Palm – 91
3. Easton Pahlen – 90
4. Jameson Brown – 89
5. Grant Lindner – 89
6. Emma Lane – 87
7. Casey Fast – 86
8. Alex Poole – 85
9. Jarret Kimble – 84
10. Libby Olafson – 84



With strong performances from veteran competitors and rising talent alike, the Warroad High School team continues to demonstrate a bright future and a commitment to excellence in competition. The event showcased not only individual achievements but also the overall depth and strength of the Warroad program.

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Warroad Lost River Sportsmen Complex



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Significant Other: _____

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City/St/Zip: _____

Phone No. _____

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(Annual Memberships are per calendar year Jan—Dec)

_____ \$40 Annual Membership (per family)

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(Sponsorships are per calendar year Jan—Dec. and include an annual membership.)

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WHY SHOULD I BECOME A MEMBER??

This beautiful shooting range is run entirely by volunteers and is supported solely through memberships, sponsors, and donations. We currently have annual expenses in excess of \$20,000 to maintain the complex. Some of the expenses include grooming the grounds, insect control, target holders, land lease, insurance, road maintenance, and kids events. This does not include any capital improvements to the facility itself. Memberships help, but only cover approximately 1/3 of the annual maintenance costs.

YOUR MEMBERSHIP IS IMPORTANT TO US!

ARE YOU AN AVID SPORTSMAN? HERE ARE ADDITIONAL WAYS YOU CAN SUPPORT THE RANGE.

_____ **Donation to WLRSC:** These funds will go directly to us to help offset the costs of improving & maintaining the range.

_____ **Donation to WLRSC Foundation:** These funds will be added to our WLRSC Foundation funds to be used for future capital projects and maintenance and are 100% tax deductible.

Just include your desired donation amount along with your membership fees and designate where you would like it to go. We'll do the rest!

Please return top portion with your payment, thank you.

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Hold Harmless and Liability Waiver Agreement

In becoming a WLRSC member with your paid membership fee, and in consideration of being allowed to participate in any activities or events at the Warroad Lost River Sportsmen Complex, I, the undersigned, acknowledge and agree that:

1. I understand the nature of shooting, hunting, and related outdoor activities, and I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activities.
2. I fully understand that these activities involve risks of serious bodily injury, including permanent disability, paralysis, and death, which may be caused by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others, or the conditions in which the activity takes place.
3. I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibility for losses, costs, and damages I incur as a result of my participation or that of my family members.
4. I hereby release, discharge, and covenant not to sue the Warroad Lost River Sportsmen Complex, its officers, directors, volunteers, members, sponsors, agents, and affiliates from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by their negligence or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations.
5. I agree to abide by all posted safety rules and any verbal instructions given by range officers or club personnel.
6. I understand this release shall be binding upon me, my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand this Hold Harmless and Liability Waiver Agreement and agree to be bound by its terms.

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