



Wheelin' Team 457 News

"and this is how we ROLL..."

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Wheelin Team 457 wishes to express our heartfelt condolences to the family of our friend Roger McCarville. Roger was more than a friend, team mate, mentor, advocate, supporter and joker, he was family and we will miss him dearly!

"a few words from our President"

Razor.....Ray Brown

Hey friends, as usual we got it going on in all kinds of directions. One area that I have been working on for a year and a half, is Muskie fishing finally got the pieces all put together. On the 19th of Aug. Rodney Jones and myself took what I hope was the team's First of many a fishing trip to the St. Claire River. We hooked up with members of the Mi. Ontario Muskie Club and we were hosted to a great day. We had four of their members and a writer from Woods N Water News. These guys took care of us in a spectacular way and the Club even purchased our Canadian license. The boat was a 41 footer and we were able catch, and of course release four Muskie. We have been invited to go back in October, which brings me to this..... if you wish to go you need to contact me A.S.A.P. so we can start making arrangements. We left home at 5:45 in the morning and fished from 7:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m. After pictures and many thank-yous we made it home around 6:00 in the evening.

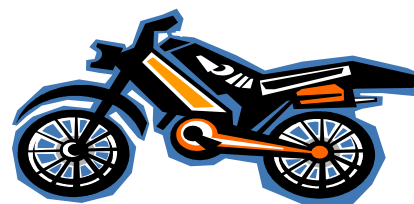
Saturday August 22nd, Washakie Golf Tournament was picture perfect; the 18 holes were beautiful, complete with great prizes, good food and friends. Special Thanks to all the Sponsors and Dave and Carol Clemens and the 14 teams who participated. We got with Laura and set our date for next year which will be Saturday August 7th. This is a great fund raiser for the Team and raises much awareness for us.

Tammy and I have been hitting the gym hard and we are learning a lot from Robin and Imlay City Fitness. If you want to get stronger, fit and feel better we know we can help.

Special points of interest:	
Woods N Water Show	
Sept. 11 -13th Imlay City	
Breakfast at Applebee's	
Sept. 27th	
Now is the time to get that	
Flu Shot	
Buck Pole at Ray C's	
November 15th	

Wheelin' Team 457 Raffle

Hurry! Tickets on Sale NOW!



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Please help us sell tickets on the Kawasaki 110 we will give it away November. 15th. Special Thanks!!! to a special lady Laney Schmidt. Laney one of our teammates. Laney made us a handmade quilt that is on our raffle ticket and she has been selling like crazy for us. Thanks to Nick from Vanco Steel for donating a platform for our Buck Pole and to Mitch Oliver for wood for hunting blinds. Thanks to our Friends of the N.R.A. for the disabled shooting services grant. We know we were in the running with a lot of other folks and want to express our Thanks for the consideration of this grant. We were also awarded a grant from the Filippis Foundation and I want to commend our Volunteers and Chairs that attended that presentation at the Lapeer Office. Manager Bill Vanpelt said, "We put on a great luncheon and the office staff appreciated it" Good luck to the goose and bear hunters. Stay healthy and keep on Rollin.....Ray

Newsletter & Website

Tammy Chisholm

We are always looking for suggestions, pictures and great stories for our newsletter and website. Contact me at (810) 793-8172 or e-mail aattack@juno.com for additional information.

Have you been to our website? **www.wheelinteam457.net**



Track & Field Corner

Tammy Chisholm

As the leaves change and fall is upon us again, it's nice to look back on our team's accomplishments since June. Wheelin Team 457 once again dominated the very wet Thunder in the Valley Games. We brought home the large team trophy and broke more National Records. Scot Severn was named the Most Valuable Male Athlete, Tammy Chisholm Most Valuable Female Athlete and Angeline LeVasseur Most Valuable Female Junior Athlete. In July our team veterans Ray, Scot, Gary, Mike, and Tom participated in the National Veterans Wheelchair games in Spokane Washington bring home even more medals. I'm sure looking forward to the 2010 games!

Find us on the Web at www.wheelinteam457.net



Ray C's EXTREME Lapeer

Annual BUCK POLE November 15th



Supporting Wheelin Team 457

DMC **Rehabilitation Institute** **of Michigan**

June 30, 2009

Dear Ray and Wheelin' Team 457

On behalf of the Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan I would like to thank you and your members for all of the assistance you've given us this year. In May I had the pleasure of bringing one of my clients involved in out-patient rehabilitation to a Wheelin' Team meeting and all of the members present were so gracious and welcoming. My client was able to learn how to use the air rifles and now has a greater sense of hope that he will return to his hunting and fishing interests in the very near future. It seemed like everyone we met had a positive tale to tell and your sponsors were awesome.

At the Thunder in the Valley Games in Saginaw both Ray and Scott were incredibly helpful to our SportsAbility participants with coaching tips, lending equipment and giving our team members so much encouragement (even though we were "technically" competing!!) The expertise is much appreciated and we've already learned so much from you.

Thank you, again, for your dedication, fellowship and encouragement – you set a terrific example for all of us and we truly appreciate you.

Sincerely,

Sue Boeve, Sr. CTRS, ATRIC
Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan-Novi Center
SportsAbility Supervisor

TEAM



- *Congrats to John and Sherry Lee on their NEW Home!*
- *Congrats to Gary Grube & family on their NEW Home!*
- *Congrats to Angeline Thunder in the Valley's Rising Star Award!*

Golf Tournament Notes...

Tammy Chisholm

The Annual Wheelin Team 457 Golf Tournament took place on Saturday August 22nd. Fifteen teams gathered early at the gorgeous Washakie Golf & RV Resort for what turned out to be a beautiful day of golf, fun and delicious food. The gang at Washakie Golf & RV Resort went out of their way to make everyone feel welcome and the course was very challenging for this novice golfer, just ask my Wright & Filippis team mates. As always, Dave and Carol Clemens and many volunteers planned an amazing event with over 40 T-Box sponsors! And did I mention the FOOD? Bob from Bryan's Market once again provided food from donuts to steaks that would melt in your mouth. It was another day of golf fun and laughter for all.....I would like to share a story if I may.....it was at one of these events that I met my dear friend Roger McCarville many years ago, My son Cody then 12 years old was a caddy for Roger for the day. At the end of the day Cody, ask if he could borrow \$20 to pay Roger and Tony Sr. because they had made some kind of bet. Cody gave the \$20 to Roger and Roger then with a grin gave him back the money and tickets to a Tigers Baseball game, you should have seen the look on my kid's face. From that moment on every time I saw Roger the first thing he would ask was "how's my buddy Cody?"

Notes....from the Director of Hunting & Archery

John Stockdale

Since our Spring Turkey Hunt, Wheelin Team 457 has moved into archery season with a 3D Shoot at Kevin McCrory's on June 27th. Overcast skies kept a few from attending the shoot with 20 - 3D target set throughout the wooded property but the amount of volunteers and youth it was a nice warm up to archery season. Everyone took a shot at the Official Wheelchair Target set at 80 yards to test their skills, the bulls eye heart is still intact...A special thank you to Kevin for the use of his property and time. August 10th Lapeer County Sportsman's Club hosted an indoor archery shoot and 5-stand shoot in the newly built enclosed building. Attendance was down due to an all day rain but those that participated enjoyed the event and a special thanks to the LCSC for their hospitality. September 11-13, Woods n Waters Weekend. Our booth will again with appreciation be with Ray C's of Lapeer. Be sure to come out and show your support! Watch for flyers coming soon regarding the standing vehicle hunt. Due to increased participation, please be sure to RSBP by September 25. Any questions or if you would like to volunteer please contact John Stockdale or Dave



Huntin' the Truth Ministries

James Hampton

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2009 Calendar

Come Roll with Us!

September 2009

		1 Goose Hunt	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11 Wood N Waters	12 Woods N Waters
13 Woods N Waters	14	15 Air Rifle	16	17	18	19 Victory Party
20	21	22 Air Rifle	23	24	25	26
27 Applebee's Pancake Fundraiser	28	29 Air Rifle	30			

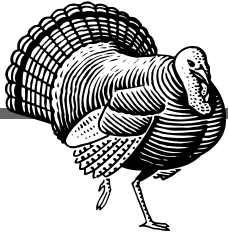
October 2009

				1	2	3 Deer Hunt
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 Air Rifle	14	15	16 Disability Deer Hunt	17 Disability Deer Hunt
18 Disability Deer Hunt & Family Dinner	19	20 Air Rifle	21	22	23	24

25	26	27 Air Rifle	28	29	30	31
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November 2009

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 Air Rifle	11	12 Hall of FameTroy Marriott	13 Night before the Hunt Party Dale Woods 6 to 10	14
15 Buck Pole Ray C's	16	17 Air Rifle	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 Air Rifle	25	26	27	28



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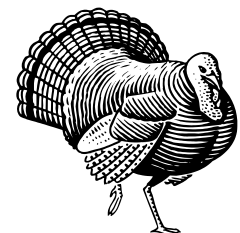
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Wheelin' Team 457

Thanks its Sponsors

Sponsor Highlight

Mary Jane Holcomb is one of our Volunteers that have always chosen to stay out of the limelight. If our team had to point her out most would not even know who she is. The service that Mary Jane provides us is a valuable one indeed. She takes care of all our special clothing needs. We hope this Newsletter can enlighten you to the many things that it takes to keep the Team Rollin and clothing is always an issue. Varied disabilities require, things like Velcro instead of buttons, or fitting one properly when stores can't or will not provide us proper sizes. That is when Mary Jane takes over in a very compassionate yet professional way. She always follows up on her work and has a real concern for us. So when you get to Heaven and you get your robe and wings, rest assured they will have been sewn by

**the likes of
Mary Jane.
Wheelin
Team 457
is truly
blessed to
have**

Mitch Oliver

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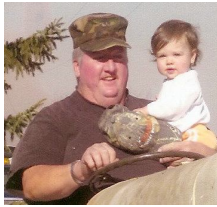
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Big Guy Bites

from the Kitchen of
Kenny Bristol



5 Minute Chocolate Cake

4 TBS. Flour
4 TBS. Sugar
2 TBS. Cocoa
1 Egg
3 TBS. Milk
3 TBS. Oil
3 TBS. Choc. Chips
Splash of Vanilla Extract

In microwave safe cup mix up dry ingredients, add the egg and mix, add milk and oil mix well, add choc. chip and vanilla mix again. Microwave 3 min. on high. Its ok if it rising over the rim. **Careful it will be hot!**

Wheelin Team 457 wishes to THANK our VOLUNTEERS

INFORMATION

How can you HELP?

Wheelin Team 457 is a 501-3C non-profit organization and depends on our volunteers, sponsors, grants, fund raising, and private donations.

Got Time? *We can always use volunteers. Contact Ray Brown or any Wheelin Team 457 Member*

Got Land? *Donate your land for a Hunt or event. Contact John Stockdale or Jeff Dewitte.*

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Check out this Michigan based company and website:

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George Ranville Executive Director

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Want to Support the Team, event or an Athlete? Contact Ray Brown for information

Want to be a Wheelin Team Sponsor? Contact Ray Brown for information

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Watch our website for these dates.....

Fall Turkey Hunt

Wheelin Team Up-Down Shoot

Wheelin Team Christmas Party

Applebee's Breakfast With Santa

How do I become a Wheelin Team 457 member?

We are always looking for new team members. Contact Ray Brown or any Wheelin Team 457 Member

****SEE contact information**

Brain Teasers

- 1. Why are 2007 pennies worth more than 2006 pennies?**
- 2. What is full of holes but still holds water?**
- 3. What can run but never walks, has a mouth but never talks, has a head but never weeps, and has a bed but never sleeps?**

*(*answers below)*

- 1. one more penny 2. a sponge 3. a river**



Come Roll With US!

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