



**WAUSAU**  
**SKEET & TRAP**  
**CLUB**  
5-STAND & SPORTING CLAYS

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## NEWS AND VIEWS

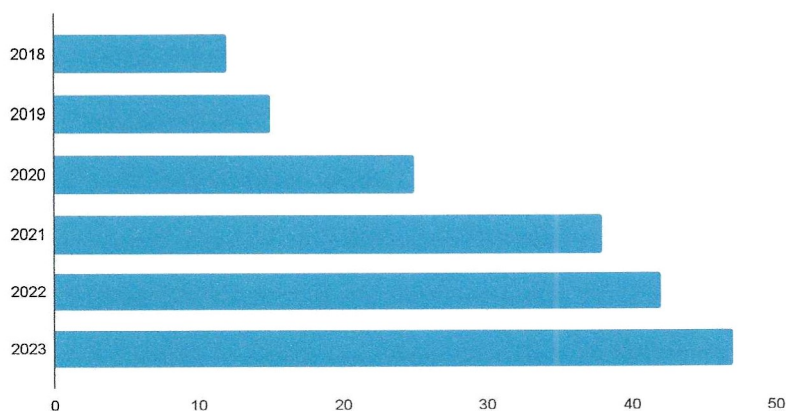
### Spring 2024 Youth Trap – Call for students and adult volunteers

We are hosting an orientation/registration session for our spring 2024 Youth Trap program on Tuesday, February 27 from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm. If you know of a 6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade Wausau area student interested in clay target sports, please encourage them to attend this meeting. Details on our youth trap program can be found on the Youth Page of our website, [www.WausauSkeetandTrapClub.com](http://www.WausauSkeetandTrapClub.com).

We are also looking for a few more adult volunteers to either help with the administration of our youth trap program or to become a certified coach. Please contact Head Coach Andy Woodward at 715-574-2042 or Assistant Coach Tim Kuski at 715-571-4551 for additional details.

Check out the graph below to see the growth of this program over past years. . . . And, it's why a little more help is needed!

Number of SCTP Youth



### Help Needed!

If you are able, we could use your help:

- Snow Removal Team
- Saturday shooting; Curmudgeon 5-Stand Shoots

Ideas, questions or concerns? Contact President, Kevin Sasman at 715-571-2159.

## Winter Saturday Hours

As a reminder, the Club is open the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month January – March from 10:00AM – 2:00PM for Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand. If extreme weather conditions are prevalent we may choose to not open. Please check the Club calendar if in doubt. ([www.wausauskeetandtrapclub.com](http://www.wausauskeetandtrapclub.com))

Open Saturdays are:

- January 27 **NOTE: January 13 cancelled due to forecasted inclement weather.**
- February 10 and 24
- March 9 and 23

## Sporting Clays Road Improvements

This past November the first stretch of mesh stabilizer on the sporting clays road was installed due to continuous issues with road washouts during heavy rain events. It is roughly 9' wide by 75' long and runs from approximately Station 2 to Station 4. We plan to test its effectiveness by getting through a few heavy rain events. We would then install additional stabilizer on other impacted road sections. Our thanks to volunteers Ken Schmirler, Darrin Stanke, Matt Nelson, Kevin Sasman and especially Ray Younger for the use and operation of his skid-steer. Also many thanks to the volunteers who have maintained the road the past few years - it's not been an easy task! We are hopeful this effort will eliminate much of the ongoing maintenance and make it a safer environment for our sporting clays shooters.

### Process:

- Scrape off all existing loose gravel
- Layout and anchor 9' x 17' sections of mesh stabilizer
- Fill stabilizer with road base and compact

