



THE SPORTSMAN

The Oldest Sportsmen's Club in Washington State!

BREMERTON SPORTSMEN'S CLUB NEWSLETTER 2026 JUNE/JULY/AUGUST EDITION

Conservation Pledge:

*I give my pledge as an American to save and faithfully to defend
from waste the natural resources of my country
– it's air, soil and minerals; it's forests, waters and wildlife.*

President: Vacant, **Vice President:** Bob Overly, **Secretary:** Ron Flerx, **Treasurer:** John McIntosh
Trustees: Pos 1. Jack Gaudette (term expires 2027), Pos 2. Trevor Guyton (term expires 2028),
Pos 3. Carl Peterson (term expires 2027), Pos 4. Steve Christensen (term expires 2028)
| **Membership Chairperson:** Vacant | **Newsletter Editor:** Ron Flerx

Message from the BSC Secretary / Newsletter Editor

As I put together this June/July/August newsletter I wish you the best and hope all of you are enjoying summer. During May I chose not to put out a newsletter, this was intentional for determining if anyone would generate a question to why they had not received a newsletter. Currently I have not received inquires or questions. Not being negative, but my suspicions are not many are reading this publication.

From the Bremerton Trap and Skeet Newsletter:

BST - President Mike Luecht passed away suddenly in late May. Mike served as president of the Bremerton Trap and Skeet Club and was a dedicated, longtime champion of Ducks Unlimited. Also, the Bremerton Trap and Skeet grounds keeper Mike Stevens passed in early June.

Membership:

I'm happy to report we now have 26 active combination single and family memberships for 2026. Our newest member is Jim Nelson who signed up at the May general meeting. Thank you, Bob Overly, for inviting Jim to our BSC meeting.

For those who haven't renewed your membership, please consider doing so now. The easiest way to renew is on our website www.bremertonsportsmensclub.org or send your membership dues to: **Bremerton Sportsmen's Club at P.O. Box 522, Bremerton WA. 98337**

Also, if you plan on attending the general meeting, membership can be renewed at the meeting with cash or check. Bremerton Sportsmen's Club – General Meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday of every month, except for October when no meeting is held. **Meetings are held at the Bremerton Trap and Skeet Club Facility, 7553 State Hwy 3, Bremerton WA. Potluck at 6:00 and Meeting starts at 7:00.**

Our club did not have a meeting this month (June). We agreed that with Bob Overly on vacation and traveling, there was no need that the club have a general meeting. BSC will have a general meeting on July 28th. This will be an important meeting as we will be wrapping up the planning for our annual picnic being held on Saturday August 15th. Special thank you goes to Christine Willis for her picnic coordination efforts.

Reprint / Reminder - BSC Bylaws Review and Update

It has been decided it is now time to consider updating our current By-Laws which were last updated in 2018. All active members are invited to participate in this process. We need your input helping with this process. Each of you have been sent a copy of the current By-Laws. Mark them up with suggestive changes and present them to the board.

News You Can Use:

Need to restock your tackle box? Stop by the New2You! Vintage Store 1743 Village Lane, MH District at Mile Hill in Port Orchard. Also, if you are an antique collector, there are plenty of antiques to browse. Please support those who are supporting the Bremerton Sportsmen's Club.

JULY HAPPENINGS:

July 2nd:

Olympia – The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife has announced that summer crab fishing seasons will get underway July 2nd. Summer seasons for the upcoming fishery are also posted on WDFW's recreational crab seasons and areas webpage.

July 26th – August 1st:

Washington State Youth Conservation - Boys Camp. Our club has agreed to sponsor four youth this year. Those wishing to attend camp must reach out to the Board of Officers or Trustees and are required to fill out the BSC Sponsorship Form and submit it to Secretary Ron Flerx. For WSYCC information go to www.wsycc.org.

July 28th:

Bremerton Sportsmen's Club general meeting

AUGUST HAPPENINGS:

August 2nd – August 8th:

Washington State Youth Conservation - Girls Camp.

August 15th: BSC's Annual Picnic.

The picnic will be held at Otto Jarstad Park 4230 W Belfair Valley Road in Gorst Washington. Members and guest should plan on showing up starting at 11:30. This is a Potluck picnic. BSC will provide refreshments, hotdogs and burgers.

Picnic Raffle? Yes – There will be a raffle!



EASY ORANGE JUICE CHICKEN MARINADE (GRILLED ORANGE CHICKEN THIGHS)

INGREDIENTS

- 1 cup 100% orange juice
- ½ cup soy sauce or coconut aminos
- 2 tablespoon olive oil
- ½ onion, sliced thin
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 tablespoon dried rosemary
- ½ tablespoon dried oregano
- ½ teaspoon garlic salt
- 2 pounds boneless, skinless chicken thighs

DIRECTIONS FOR GRILLING:

1. Combine all ingredients except for the chicken in a medium size bowl and mix together.
2. Add chicken and toss to coat. Cover the bowl and allow chicken to marinate for at least four hours or overnight.
3. Preheat the grill to 400 degrees.
4. Place chicken directly on the grill and grill for approximately 6-8 minutes per side until cooked fully and the meat thermometer reads 165 degrees F.
5. Remove the chicken from the grill and let rest for a few minutes before slicing.

DIRECTIONS FOR OVEN BAKE:

1. Heat Oven to 400-degree F.
2. Brown thighs in a skillet, once browned
3. Bake until internal temperature reaches 165 degrees F. (15 to 20 minutes)