

New Leaders Training was held at the MCO Central Office on December 12, 2023. 40 new chapter officials attended training presented by the MCO Legal Team.



MCO Crisis Fund Gun Raffle - Winners were drawn during the Executive Council Meeting held at MCO Central Office on December 13, 2023. Congratulations to all the winners!

The gun raffle supports the MCO Crisis Fund, which helps MCO members facing a catastrophe. Thank you to everyone who purchased a ticket to support the MCO Crisis Fund!

- 1st Place - Jake Patterson - ICF - \$1,000 Cash
- 2nd Place - Roger Tedders - JCS - TenPoint Titan M1 Crossbow
- 3rd Place - Michael Hull - LCF - Ruger American Predator (6.5 Creedmoor)
- 4th Place - Bryan Prohaska - SLF - Henry Golden Boy (.22 LR)
- 5th Place - Robert Marsh - NCF - Ruger American - Ranch (.450)
- 6th Place - Tom Myers - STF - Ruger American - Ranch (.350)
- 7th Place - Kenneth Ford - TCF - Smith & Wesson M&P 15-22 Sport (.22LR)
- 8th Place - Douglas Roderick - LRF - AR/Del-Ton Inc Echo
- 9th Place - Dale Miller - MTU - Ruger 10-22 Carbine (22 LR)
- 10th Place - Troy Pawson - SMT - RTIC 20 Quart Cooler

Big Buck Contest - Congratulations to the 2023 Big Buck Contest Winners! Thank you to all who participated.



- 1st Place - Todd Mrowca, RGC - Score: 138.25
- 2nd Place: Adam Baitinger, ICF – Score: 134.5
- 3rd Place: John Hess, TCF – Score: 126.5
- Gun Raffle Winner: Robert Harden, SMT

Executive Council - Chapter presidents from across the state gathered at the MCO Central Office on December 13, 2023 for an Executive Council meeting. In addition to meeting and discussing statewide issues, officials attended



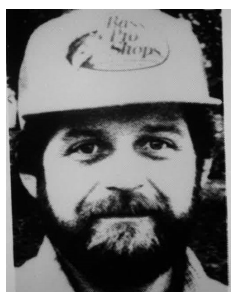
the Civil Service Commission Meeting where the Impasse Panel recommendations

were unanimously approved by the Commission. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

The **2024 Closer to Home List** has been finalized. To view the list and to read more about the Closer to Home Transfer List, please click [HERE](#).

The **Exchange Transfer List** was cleared January 4, 2024. Many people leave the Department or get a transfer without notifying MCO to remove their name from the list. Clearing the list once a year means the list is more useful and effective. If you would like your name added to the list, email [Adam Earley](#). Click [HERE](#) for more information about the Exchange Transfer List.

December 27, 1987 - Jack Budd was murdered at the former State Prison of Southern Michigan in Jackson.



An inmate, armed with a weapon, came out of a shower area and stabbed Budd. Budd and other officers subdued the inmate. Budd passed away an hour later at a hospital.

His killer was sentenced to 80-120 years in prison. He is also serving two life sentences.

Budd left behind a wife and son. He and the three other Michigan corrections officers killed in the line of duty are honored on MCO's Fallen Officers Memorial.

Rest in peace, Officer Budd.