

Rockford Sportsman's Club



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Presidents Report April 2016

Winter clean up can use some volunteer hours. The first 20 yards of the North 25/50 range needs to be raked and remove twigs and debris. There are rakes all around the facility on the skeet fields, shoot building and storage sheds.

Another area that needs to be raked is the broken target pieces on the infield of the two skeet fields. To make room for the grass to grow and before it gets too long the clay pieces should be raked west down to the road. Broken target pieces are ok on the road and out of the way for the mower tractor.

Dan Vincent has done some early spring clean up in many of our storage areas. An inventory of the wax and wax stripper in the main building is in an abundant amount. Looks like none of this material will be needed for several years. Donations to the club are always welcome, however check with a board member before doing a donation. We can also provide a tax deductible form to document the items if desired for your records.

The Spring Trap/Skeet/five stand starts March 20 through early June with breaks for Easter and Mothers Day. The pistol league also starts in April on Monday afternoons and the 22/bench rifle on Thursdays. Even if you don't want to be in the league competition there is open shooting within the league times.

Rockford Sportsman's club will host the North Kent Round Robin of six area clubs on July 14 and 17. If you're interested in this trap and skeet event, the first shoot is at Madison Square Sportsman's club on April 21 and 24. The registration cost is \$15 for the season and to shoot one event and an added \$5 to shoot two events. The registration provides a monogrammed tee shirt and a banquet in September. The cost at each club is \$4 for each line. The more club members who shoot the better change we have to be the winner of the travelling trophy.

If you like to shoot 22 pistols or rifles, RSC is hosting the American Marksman competition during April and May. Sign up is on www.ammarksman.com. There is a plan to construct a fence on the berm of the South range to stop clay targets flying into that area. This will keep the area cleaner and provide less temptation to shoot the clays on the ground which is a no-no (Ricochets)

Please refer to inside notice of the **Terry Stuart** Memorial sale on April 9.

Welcome new Members and the entire Club family,

George Mayhak

Please Note - Shooting in Cowboy Area is not permitted. Only special events

Minutes are approved as published.

Notice –Terry Stuart Memorial Gun Sale. Member will receive an email reminder for Saturday April 9th from 10am to 3pm. 35 Handguns, 20 Rifles/Shotguns, Knives, Cases, Holsters, Reloading Equipment and much more.

Ultimate Sport Show, Thursday March 17 at DeVos Place. We will be collecting Food out front all day. Tony Gates will be supporting us on WLAV in person.

Mike made motion to accept new members Bob & Cheryl McDonald, Katherine, Gil Hoard & Brett Laitila and Jerry & Mary Kokx. Seconded by Bill Lane motion carried.

The club is running in the Black. Please see Len for Details

NSSA Tomorrow Wednesday. Winter League Banquet 30th @6pm. Spring League will follow soon after.
5 Stand League also. 5 weeks/\$50 See Dan Vincent for details. Also Triathlon -50 Trap, 50 Skeet and 50 5 Stand.
For \$60 See Dan Vincent

Club house Roof damage with high winds. (\$9325) Repair starts next week.

Keypad installed on 25/50 range. Same code as gate. Need access to light up range.

Rockford Sportsman's Club 22 LR Bench Rifle Series, 90 scored shots

To be held at the North Pistol 25/50 yard range:

Dates: 2d and 4th Thursdays beginning May 12, 2016 through September 22, 2016

1 set unlimited rounds (practice/sighting) 5 minutes (not scored)

3 minutes/set

1 set unlimited rounds (sighting) 5 minutes (not scored)

3 minutes/set

Cost: **RSC Members:** **Non Members:**

\$25.00

\$ 7.00

More Info? Phone: Bob Hann 363-0125

Membership Meeting Minutes Continued

Committee Reports

Cowboy. New Member Demo by Bob Drury. Saturday 1pm April 2 after Regular Shoot.

Pistol. Starts 4/4. See Website

CMP. 3/19 Next match. Poker Shoot was great. (Len)

Hunter Safety class 4/18 4/20 4/23. 50-60 Signed up. See Bill Skalloos

MUCC. (Tim Hall) The Senate working on Tax Exempt, Requirements are 1-open to public 55 or more days a year. 2-Community involvement. 3-Member of MUCC. Bill in Senate to legalize Sound Suppressors. Startup MUCC Magazine again - \$20 in print, Online Free. MUCC to meet at South Kent. Also would like to bring new president to RSC – Ron Burris

Raffle: 50/50. \$17, Phil Harris, Terry King.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02pm.

Board Meeting Minutes

March 15, 2016

Call to order at 7:00 P.M.

Attendees: Ron Dreyer, George Mayhak, Len Laitila, Mike Roche, Steve Gardner, Dan Vincent, Dan Hankinson and Gordon Pickerd.

Absent: Barbara Bough, Bob Drury, Tim Hall, Bill Skalloos, Steve Mitchell

Invocation given by Gordy Pickerd

President's Report: George Mayhak

George gave a report on the AmMarksman, No one has signed up for a time at our club yet. They are on the calendar on Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

*Terry Stuarts Gun show is on the calendar for April 9th from 10:00am – 3:00pm

Vice President's Report: Gordon Pickerd

Gordon gave report on his tractor repair: only had to have clutch adjusted, will be back the first part of next week.

*Ford tractor will go in for maintenance next week for fluid changes and hydraulics fix.

*In contact with Asphalt Company to do driveway, cost may be lower than last year's quote. Getting two quotes done for project.

*Still moving dirt on one and two hundred yard range to put on berm@ two yard range.

Secretary's Report: Absent

Membership Secretary's Report: Mike Roche

New member, Gilbert Hoard, Benjamin Williams and Dave & Lorraine Hemmerly. Motion made by Mike to accept them as associate members, Second by Steve Gardner. Motion carried.

Board Meeting Minutes
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Treasurer's Report: Len Laitila
RSC is running in the Black.

Sergeant of Arms Report: Dan Vincent

Law enforcement time on the range need to be limited to either 10-1 or 10-2. After a discussion, Len made a motion that we limit Law Enforcement to the time of 10:00am – 1:00pm, second by Steve G. Motion carried.

I will talk to Terry Eicholtz about finishing the locks on the kitchen cabinets.

Will be getting combo locks for the door and large cabinet in back room in main building.

Rental rates, talked about raising the rates for everyone. Tabled until April board meeting.

Talked about wireless system for the 5 stand, so it can be run by one person. Tabled until April board meeting.

Winter banquet March 30th, Main club house.

Trustee Reports

Steve Gardner

CMP soot Saturday March 16, 2016, 10:00am – 2:00pm.

*Cmp opening up for modern rifles with 4 power optics (Ar's ext)

*NSSF rim fire shoot is May 14th 2016. Dotation's are down so far.

Dan Hankinson

Tree giveaway this year is May 14th 2016.

Meeting adjourned 8:00pm.

Minutes recorded By Dan Vincent

Trap and Skeet - PUBLIC WELCOME

Spring League 2016 League

Begins March 20, 2016 Sundays 10-2

Mon. Thurs 5-9 p.m.

250 Bird Events

11115 Northland Drive

Between 13 14 Mile Roads

www.RockfordSportsmansClub.com

Contacts: Dan 490-4067 George 540-3313



Terry Stuart Memorial Gun Sale

THIS IS A PRIVIATE COLLECTION

Open to RSC Members and Non-Members

Date: April 9, 2016 - SATURDAY

Time: 10am TO 3pm

**Where: Rockford Sportsman's Club
11115 Northland Drive NE
Rockford, MI 49341**

Numerous Handguns, Rifles. & Shotguns

Reloading Equipment - Dillon & MEC

Reloading Supplies - powder, shot, hulls, bullets, cases

Ammunition - new & reloads

Holsters - Cowboy & Concealment

Knives

Pistol Cases

Contact Information:

Jim Jones

JimJonesSAFE@gmail.com

New Member Cowboy Shoot

Bob Drury, long-time RSC member and Cowboy has offered to hold a new member demonstration/clinic/orientation for members who would like to experience the fast paced shooting experience unique to our club – called Cowboy Action Shoot.

New members (who joined 1/1/15 to present) are welcome to participate (free of charge) at the event beginning at 1:00 pm on Saturday April 2, 2016 at Cowboy Action Bowls located between 100 and 200 yard targets. Bob will provide guns and ammunition to participants.

As always, the Cowboys meet on the first Saturday of each month at 10:00 am to hold Cowboy Action Shoots. Those events are open to all - **members and the general public** - for viewing.

New members interested in the orientation shoot later in the day, should show up early and watch the morning shoot. See you then!

Eye/Hearing protection required

Calendar

Please check website for latest changes <http://www.rockfordsportsmansclub.com/>

Calendar and website Changes Dan Vincent, Steve Mitchell or Mike Roche

Web Design—Jim Ruder

The Rockford Sportsman's Club

Apr 2016 (Eastern Time)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27 10am - Trap & Skeet 2pm - NO Easter day	28 4pm - Skeet/Trap 5pm - Trap & Skeet	29 1pm - AmMarksman	30 Rockford Public 8am - Range 4pm - Winter	31 Skeet/Trap Spring 5pm - Trap & Skeet	1 1pm - AmMarksman	2 Cowboy Action 1pm - Gary Dredge
3 Glen VanOrman 12 - 10am - Trap & Skeet 2pm - Skeet/Trap	4 Pistol League 25/50 4pm - Skeet/Trap 5pm - Trap & Skeet	5 1pm - AmMarksman 7:15pm - General	6 NSSA 8am - Range	7 Skeet/Trap Spring 5pm - Trap & Skeet	8 1pm - AmMarksman	9 Terry Stuart Gun 9am - CMP - 100/200
10 Donna Briggs 10am - NO Trap &	11 Pistol League 25/50 4pm - Skeet/Trap 5pm - Trap & Skeet	12 1pm - AmMarksman	13 8am - Range 4:30pm - Def Pistol	14 Skeet/Trap Spring 5pm - Trap & Skeet	15 1pm - AmMarksman	16 NSSA Springtime
17 NSSA Springtime 10am - Trap & Skeet 2pm - Skeet/Trap	18 Hunters Saffey Pistol League 25/50 4pm - Skeet/Trap 5pm - Trap & Skeet	19 1pm - AmMarksman 7pm - RSC Board	20 Hunters saffey 8am - Old Coot 8am - Range	21 Skeet/Trap Spring 10am - MSP ES 4pm - Bench Rifle 5pm - Trap & Skeet	22 1pm - AmMarksman	23 Hunters saffey
24 Coin Show 7-5 Main 10am - Trap & Skeet 2pm - Skeet/Trap	25 Pistol League 25/50 4pm - Skeet/Trap 5pm - Trap & Skeet	26 1pm - AmMarksman	27 8am - Range	28 Skeet/Trap Spring 5pm - Trap & Skeet	29 1pm - AmMarksman	30 8:30am - Def Pistol

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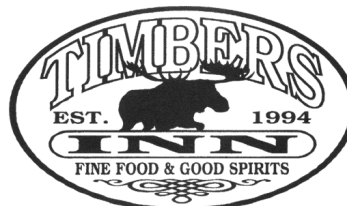
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