

Rockford Sportsman's Club



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September 2021

CLUB BULLETIN BOARD

Volunteer Needed

The Board is pleased with the Trap & Skeet leagues and would like to see the other leagues become more attractive to Club members and shooters in the in the local area. If you have sales and/or marketing experience and are interested in getting volunteer hours working with Ryan Cordes to brainstorm and implement ideas that will improve interest and visibility of club shooting events contact Ryan.

Ryan Cordes at cordes.ryan@yahoo.com

Treating Gunshot Injuries Class

The club is supporting a free class provided by Gary Dredge, a certified USCCA instructor, in the clubhouse on Monday September 13th at 7 PM. He will be providing an overview and practical exercises in assessment of injuries as well as 'hands on' use of first aid materials treating various types of injuries.

In order to provide adequate time for the 'hands on' training, the class will be limited to 6 to 8 members. If you are interested contact Gary.

Gary Dredge at fireflylodge@yahoo.com

Storage Trailer

In order to keep the grounds in top shape the club needs a large storage trailer, medium size would be OK, to hold some of the target stands used by the club shoots. If you are aware of someone with an unused trailer cheap, (free would be alright) please contact:

Scott Stanley at stanley908@hotmail.com

Volunteer Needed

Rockford Sportsman's Club annually holds the Rimfire Challenge, a Midwest regional competition, and is in need of a leader for next years match. The responsibility starts around February and runs through May. You would be organizing a volunteer team to ensure the competition goes off smoothly and safely. You and/or your volunteers get into scheduling, updating match documents, working with sponsors, computerized data collection and reporting to the RSC board and the Rimfire Challenge Shooting Association.

Past year's leadership has been provided by Steve Gardner. He has offered to support the new leader by sharing his experiences running the match and answering questions to ensure a smooth transition.

Should we be unable to find a volunteer to lead this activity we will not have a 2022 Rimfire Challenge along with the donation it provides for the Grand Rapids Veterans facility.

Please contact Ryan Cordes if you are interested.

Email: cordes.ryan@yahoo.com

Phone: (616) 799-1588

PS. CLUB MINUTES FOR JULY HAVE BEEN REVISED AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE AUGUST NEWSLETTER ON THE CLUB WEB SITE.

Board Meeting Minutes
August 17th, 2021
Called to order at 7:00pm

Attendees: Steven Lomonaco, , Jim Hughes, Steve Mitchell, John Cordes, Bill Skalloos, Kevin Kubiszewski, Karen Kronberg, Len Laitila, Dan Hankinson, Dan Vincent, Jim Tomson, Ryan Cordes,

Invocation was given by Kevin Kubiszewski

Guests: Gorden Pickerd

- Main Entry door has been painted,
- Fence has been replaced between skeet field 1&2
- Proposed Upgrades to the 5-stand field will run around \$5,000(Need new quote for actual Proposal)
- looking at having a time set aside for International Skeet and 5 stand, and will be meeting next week to come up with proposed plan.
- Asking for the club to help with upgrades to the 5-stand field., Dan Vincent made a motion to Help with 50% of the cost up to \$2500, second by Len Laitila motion carried.
Louis and Jerry Skar did a great job on some of the painting that was done around the club.

President's Report: Ryan Cordes

- With the separate night for high skeet and 5 stand will be looking for more people to help pull the lines, having someone running the club house
- We looking at ways to bring new and old shooters back. Looking at ideas on how to promote some of the other shooting activities at RSC.
- Still looking for someone to take the leadership roll for the 2022 RSCA Shoot.
Looking at possibly getting some of the property that is behind the club.

Vice President's Report: Dan Hankinson

- Still preplanning for the chicken shoot in September 18th

Secretary's Report: Steven Lomonaco

2nd of 4 hunter ed class this Saturday August 21st

October class is full, still looking people to help out

Membership Secretary's Report: Kevin Kubiszewski

- One of the Ink Jet printers in the shoot building has died. Dan Vincent made a motion to replace the broken printer with an updated laser printer. Second by Steven Lomonaco, Motion Carried.

Treasurer's Report: Jim Hughes

- Total Revenue \$66,060
- Total Expense \$40,663
- Revenue in excess of Expense \$25,397

Sergeant of Arms Report: Dan Vincent

- The carpet in the club house needs to be cleaned, Motion was made by Dan Vincent to have a professional carpet cleaner come and clean the carpet, seconded by Karan Kronberg, Motion Carried.
 - Many of the deck board in the cowboy action range are rotten. Please stay off stages until this is resolved.
 - Rick Zimmermann is doing a good job on the up keep of the grass.
- Watch out for bees around the club, Bee spray is in the shoot building.

Steve Mitchell

- The investments for the club are doing well.
- Steve Mitchell and George Mayhak met with Matt McIntire with Seamans Mechanical to come up with a HVAC Proposal for the main building.

John Cordes

- Motion by Len Laitila seconded by Bill Skalloos to give Nicolas Molchan the scholarship motion carried by 9-3.
- Going forward, If there are no applicants for the scholarship by May 1st that money will carry over to the following year.

Board Meeting Minutes Continued

Tim Hall

- No report

George Mayhak

- No report

Bill Skallos

- The Michigan DNR has gone to an event management system for the Hunter Ed program.-Many instructors unhappy with the change.

Len Laitila

- CMP shoot this upcoming Saturday August 21st

Jim Tomson

- No Report

Karan Kronberg

- Looking at making a full schedule for the full year.

Meeting adjourned 8:45pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Steven Lomonaco Secretary

Membership Meeting Minutes

August 3RD 2021

Call to order at 7:15pm

Meeting was called to order by Ryan Cordes

Invocation was given by Kevin Kubiszewski

Motion to approve the July Minutes may by Ryan Cordes; No Second due to errors in minutes. Motion Failed. Minutes will be revised and sent out with the September Newsletter.

President's Report: Ryan Cordes

- Moving sight in days to October 30th and 31st and November 6th and 7th due to a Monday opener and low turn out in years prior.
- Backer boards need to be picked up when replaced. Please take them to the dumpster or burn pile.
- If you see someone who is leaving trash around stop them and ask them to pick it up.
Take someone new out and teach them about our sport.

Vice President's Report: Dan Hankinson

- Chicken shoot September 18th, .22lr will be for 12 and under, trap and skeet
- Looking for some people to clean up the cowboy action area, looking at major clean up come spring.

Chairman's Report: George Mayhak

- No report

Secretary's Report: Steven Lomonaco

- August class is full still looking for help for that class, October class is just about full

Membership Secretary's report: Kevin Kubiszewski

- New Members:
 - Gerry Ludwig
 - Mark Rodebeck
 - David Jeltema
 - Benjamin Joseph
 - Brian Schmock
 - Jeffrey Shaffer
- Motion made by Kevin Kubiszewski second by Terry King: Motion Carried

Member Meeting Minutes Continued

Sergeant of Arms Report: Dan Vincent

- If you see the trash cans full, please dump them
- If you see stuff laying around please pick it up
- The new lights are done and working, the old telephone pole is now gone
- Stumps from the trees that were removed will be taken care of soon

Committee Reports

NSSA- Summertime 500 was July 17-18, Had 11 Shooters. Next NSSA shoot will be 8/4

Skeet and Trap- Continue to have a loyal following even without league shooting, Targets were delivered the end of July. John Stotz brought an off road forklift and targets were moved to the pavilion and pole barn.

SCTP- finished up the year at the nationals, college kids took first place, JV took 2nd for the international, won first squad trophy,

Rimfire Bench Rest- still shooting

CMP- No Report

Well-armed women- Meet every 3rd Sunday of the month for the ladies by the ladies, open to the public first visit is free.

Hunter Safety- September class is full and will be the last class of the year.

Defensive pistol- Next shoot Wednesday 8/11/21 shoot start at 6pm

MUCC- Convention is in September

22 Reactive Target Competition- See Scott Stanley for any info, still shooting twice a month

Rimfire challenge-Needs a new chair person otherwise we will not be hosting RSCA shoot in 2022. \$800 going to the Vets home from 2021 Shoot.

Sunshine- John Stokes memorial, Robbie, Bob Holtman needs a complete shoulder replacement

Food and Beverage-No Report

Sportsman's Against Hunger-September will be the last month and goes to God's Kitchen

Building and Grounds- need a few fences repaired have 2 people willing to work on these, the shoot building needs some outdoor work done

Apparel- No Report

Marketing- No Report

Safety Updates- No Updates

Deer/Fish/Turkey- No Report

Old business- No Old Business

New business- No New Business

50/50 Raffle-

- Gordon Pickerd
- Terry King

Meeting adjourned at 7:52 pm

Respectfully submitted

Steven Lomonaco Secretary

Calendar

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

For calendar additions or changes contact: Dan Vincent

The Rockford Sportsman's Club

Sep 2021 (Eastern Time - New York)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29 Coin Show 9-3Pm 10am - Trap & Skeet	30 5pm - Trap & Skeet	31 DHS - North Pistol	1 DHS- North Pistol NSSA	2 5pm - Trap & Skeet	3	4
5 10am - Trap & Skeet	6 5pm - Trap & Skeet	7 DHS- North Pistol 7:15pm -	8 Defensive pistol 4-	9 Bench rifle summer 5pm - Trap & Skeet	10	11 CMP 100/200 yard Karon Kronburg
12 10am - Trap & Skeet	13 Treatment for gun 5pm - Trap & Skeet	14 22 RTC Set up 5:30 Membership Skeet and Trap	15	16 5pm - Trap & Skeet	17	18 1st Annual Chicken Karon Kronburg
19 Well Armed Woman 10am - Trap & Skeet	20 5pm - Hunter Safety 5pm - Trap & Skeet	21 7pm - RSC Board	22 5pm - Hunter Safety	23 Bench rifle summer 5pm - Trap & Skeet	24	25 9am - Hunter
26 10am - Trap & Skeet	27 5pm - Trap & Skeet	28 22 RTC Set up @ 5: Skeet and Trap	29 Defensive pistol 4-	30 5pm - Trap & Skeet	1	2 Hunters Safety field

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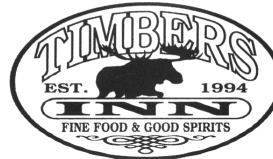
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