

Rockford Sportsman's Club



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May 2022

April 19, 2022 RSC Board Meeting

Attendees: George Mayhak, John Cordes, Dan Vincent, Jim Thompson, Ryan Cordes, Dan Hankinson, Steve Lomonaco, Karen Kronberg, Jeremy Taylor, Jim Hughes, Tim Hall, Len Laitila, Kevin Kuibiszewski, Bill Skallos

Call to Order- 7:00

Invocation Lead by Tim Hall

Guests: Rick Zimmerman

- Presented bids for termite control.
- Morman was the first contractor we engaged - \$5648 for the same service: \$338 annually for refills. This is what prompted us to engage more bidders.
- Called several contractors & 3 showed up. Have quotes from all 3 contractors
- All contractors quoted the same system & process for pest control.
- Zimmerman Pest - \$3500 for the service: \$350 annually for refills
- Smither - \$2975 for the service: \$475 annually for refills
- Aardvark Pest - \$1478 for the service. Would recommend we use these guys.
- Dan Vincent made the motion to go with Aardvark. John Cordes seconded motion. Motion carried.

Officer Reports:

Chairman of the Board: George Mayhak

- Called meeting to order.

President: Ryan Cordes

- Club clean-up was last week. Had about 18-20 people here to help. Got a lot done with the small turnout though.
- Scott flagged the location for the new 22 Reactive target location. All parties were happy with how it looked.
- Dan Vincent suggested that he place a steel plate at the top of the target to help with deflection.
- Discussed the roof of the shoot building. We are losing shingles & the roof is approaching 30 years old. Have engaged a couple of subs for pricing.
- Asked about a possibility of the Defib. Karen called Rockford ambulance for input. They will get back to her with pricing options.
- Looking into signage for rentals. Also asked who gets the discount for the rental of the building. Policy is for family & extended family members.

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- Bill stated that the renting member should at least attend the event.
- If website changes need to be made, please get information to Ryan so he can get them entered. Looking at updating the contacts on the site, and pictures as well.
- Would be nice to get some pictures of the place when it is fully decorated.

Vice Presidents: Dan Hankinson

- Wondered if we had heard anything from Nick on a trailer.
- All of the steel targets from the cowboy action area are up front. If anyone is interested in the targets, see Dan Hankinson for pricing.
- Tree sale is probably a no-go based on lack of response from the vendor.
- Looking at building a fence to keep targets from flying into the lower pistol range.
- Discussed what to do with the telephone poles that we have. Need to get them installed before they start to rot.

Secretary: Jeremy Taylor

- Would like to get more involved in the building & grounds at the club.
- Would also like to start helping Dan Vincent with the upkeep of the trap & skeet machines.

Membership Secretary: Kevin Kuibiszewski

- Had 8 new folks show up to the new member meeting.
- Karen helped at the meeting & spoke to how the process was very smooth & added that it was nice to have extra people involved to help the process move along smoother.
- Will probably have 6-10 new people to introduce at the next membership meeting.
- Dan Vincent was wondering as to the status of certain members. Kevin confirmed payment.

Treasurer: Jim Hughes

- Confirmed who the people were that were supposed to get checks for the fish.
- January to today cash flow:
- \$33,000 of income
- \$12,644 of expenses.
- SCTP is their own entity and not included in these numbers.

Sergeant of Arms: Dan Vincent

- Wanted to thank everyone for their help on the clean-up day.
- NSSA this coming weekend for 2-day event. Rifle & pistol ranges are closed during those event
- Had winter banquet last week. Will use the leftover food for upcoming events.
- Trap machine has burned out its motor. New motor is ordered & on the way.
- Dan said he will perform the repairs if he can. If needed, he will call Tyler to help out with the repairs.
- Looking into a new trap machine & exploring two options. Machines are \$6000-\$8000 for a new one.
- Looking at getting a wobble machine instead of the doubles machine that we currently have.
- Will have the pricing options to present at budgeting time.

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- Len made a motion allocate funds of around \$600- \$1200 for the repairs of the current trap machine. Second by Dan Hankinson. Motion approved.
- Came up to the clubhouse & found things in the refrigerator that were 2 years outdated. Please remove all of your items when you are done with your events.

Trustee Reports:

Len Laitila

- Had CMP shoot this past Saturday.
- Next shoot is May 7th.
- Fun shoot is in July & hoping for warmer weather.
- August 27th will be the next 3 gun shoot.

Karen Kronberg

- Nothing new to report.

Steve Lomonaco

- Heard back from the DNR and was accepted into the ORV academy.
- Would like to hold ORV classes starting on March 25th , & August 25th 2023. Would like these to be reoccurring weekends every year.
- Hoping to have 20-30 students for each class. Minimum of 15 students for each class.

Tim Hall

- Has the paperwork completed to attend the MUCC convention.
- Will need \$150 total to cover the expenses. Asked if the board will cover Steve's gas to drive to the event. The board asked that he submit his receipts for reimbursement.
- One question is do we want our club information made available to anyone who wants to contact us regarding our proposed resolution. The board answered yes.

Jim Thompson

- Investments made 11.5% last year.
- Last 2 months the investments fell over 8%
- Need to revisit how the money is invested by the advisor.

John Cordes

- Has one application so far for the scholarship. Deadline is May 15th.

Bill Skallos

- 60 people signed for the upcoming April hunter safety class, & 30 for the field day.
- July class has 58 of the 60 spots taken
- September class has 13 so far.
- Said Tuesdays in May, he will be teaching an archery class & will not be at those meetings.

Meeting Adjourned 8:17 PM
Submitted by Jeremy Taylor

Membership Meeting Minutes

April 5th , 2022

Call to order at 7:15pm

Meeting was called to order by Ryan Cordes

Invocation was given by Tim Hall.

Guest:

- Jake Brunette visiting to become a member.
- Bill Voss visiting to possibly re-join
- Jack Grand visiting to possibly join
- Keith Toro visiting to possibly join.

Motion to approve the minutes from March was made by Ryan Cordes and seconded by Gordon Pickerd. Motion carried.

President's Report: Ryan Cordes

- Workday this coming Saturday April 9th. All are welcome to help out.
- Garden bed signups needed to help spruce up the place
- Round Robin starts this month at Madison. Dates are April 21st & 24th. Come support RSC.

Vice President's Report: Dan Hankinson

- July 7th & 10th we will be hosting the Round Robin. Need volunteers to help pull lines.
- Haven't heard back on the tree sale for this year.

Chairman's Report: George Mayhak

- Not present.

Secretary's Report: Jeremy Taylor

- Received thank you card from Tom & Kathy Wachter thanking us for the bouquet that was sent for Janice Wachter.

Membership Secretary's report: Kevin Kubiszewski

- New Members:
 - o William Voss
 - o Keith Toro
 - o Jack Grant
- Motion made to accept new members Kevin Kubiszewski , Second by Steve Lomonaco. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Jim Hughes

- Total revenue: \$25,900
- Total expense: \$11,983
- Net revenue: \$13,988 thus far this year.

Sergeant of Arms Report: Dan Vincent

- Wanted to thank everyone for helping to keep the sidewalks clear of snow this winter.
- DO NOT shoot clay targets on 25 yard range. If caught, you will be asked to leave.

Committee Reports

- **NSSA-** Shooting tomorrow
- **Skeet and Trap-** still shooting Sunday, Monday and Thursday always looking for help pulling lines, 5 stand is open on Sundays.
- Spring league started last Sunday. All are welcome to come shoot.
- NSSA event coming up on April 23rd & 24th. Can always use experienced help pulling lines. See Dan Vincent if you're interested.
- **SCTP-** First shoot in 2 weeks. Looking forward to a good safe season.
- **Rimfire Bench Rest-** First shoot on the 28th. Come out & give it a try if you're interested.
- **CMP-** Next match is on the 16th. Come out & give it a try. All are welcome.
- **Armed Women of America:**
 - Typically the 3rd Sunday of the month in the shoot building from 6-9pm. Meeting is moved to the 24th this month due to Easter.
- **Hunter Safety:**
 - Next class is the last week in April. Class is full with 60 kids. Always looking for new instructors if anyone is interested.
 - July class is 2/3 full, but there are still spots available.
- **Defensive pistol:** April 20th is the first date. Shooting starts at 6:00. Show up early to signed up.
- **MUCC:**
 - Tim Hall & Steve Lomonaco will be representing the club at the annual convention in June.
 - Will have the list of resolutions to be passed for everyone to look at in May meeting.
- **22 Reactive Target Competition-**
 - If you see any new targets outside of the normal shooting area, DO NOT SHOOT at them. These are for competition use only, and are only to be utilized during a controlled event.
- **Rimfire challenge:** No Rimfire challenge this year, and the MI state championship match is being picked up by South Kent Sportsman's club in Door.
- **Sunshine:**
 - Bernie Lawton was diagnosed with Brain Cancer. Please keep him in your prayers.
 - Don Yokom is continuing to recover at home from COVID & Pneumonia
- **Sportsman's Against Hunger-** Sport show was a success. Collected a truck load of food totaling approximately 7500 pounds. Thanks to everyone who came out.
- **Building and Grounds-**
 - Still working on improvements to the shoot building.
 - 4 bids received for the termite problem. Will be presenting to the board for approval.
- **Deer/Fish/Turkey-**
 - Joe Schwark - Crappie
 - Joe Schwark - Bluegill
 - Tom Mroczkowski - Steelhead
 - Don Boezwinkle - Northern Pike

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- **Food and Beverage, Apparel, Marketing, Safety Updates-** No Report
- **Old business-** No Report
- **New business:**
 - Wondering if we will have another chicken shoot. Dan said it is yet TBD, but would be in the fall again if we did.

50/50 Raffle- \$51 / 2 times

- Jake Burnette
- Jerry Ludwig

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm

Respectfully submitted
Jeremy Taylor - 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

May 2022 (Eastern Time - New York)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Spring League 10am - Trap & Skeet	2 Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	3 7:15pm -	4 NSSA	5 Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	6 Rockford RACE (7 CMP 100/200 10-
8 10am - Trap & Skeet	9 Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	10 New Membership	11	12 Bench rifle 22lr Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	13	14 Defensive Pistol Loins Club main
15 Spring League Well Armed Woman 10am - Trap & Skeet	16 Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	17 7pm - RSC Board	18	19 Brian Weston Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	20 Bouwkamp wedding	21 Deneen Bouwkamp
22 SCTP practice 3- Spring League 10am - Trap & Skeet	23 Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	24 22 RTC Set up @ 5:	25 Defensive Pistol	26 Bench rifle 22lr Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	27	28 Jodi Shine RTC 100yd 25yd
29 SCTP practice 3- 10am - Trap & Skeet	30 5pm - Trap & Skeet	31	1 NSSA	2 Spring League (430- 5pm - Trap & Skeet	3	4 CMP 100/200 yard

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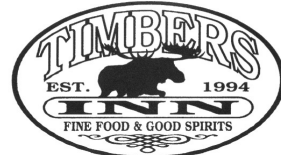
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