Rockford Sportsman's Club



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September 2025

Rockford Sportsman's Club Board Meeting August 19th, 2025

Attendees: Ryan Cordes, Dan Hankinson, Jon Stotz, John Cordes, Dan Vincent, Jim Thomson, Mike DeGroot.

Call to Order 7pm
Invocation given by Mike Degroot

Guests: Steven Lomonaco

BOARD REPORT

Presidents Report-Ryan Cordes

- Tom can no longer do Sportsman Against Hunger. Do we want to proceed with Sportsman Against Hunger?
- Talking about promoting deer to Barbs to keep it local. Barbs takes it to North Kent Connect. Dan Hankinson will contact Barbs.
- Neon Nights- We had a decrease of shooters last year. How often do we want to do it? Ryan will
 make a rough schedule.
- Did cash drive for vets fishing contest. It did not happen. We have about \$800 to use for the Vets. John Cordes will reach out to the Vets home to see what we can do.
- Vince Ferrarese and Ron Dreyer approached Ryan with an idea of a mentorship program.
 (Shooting, Reloading) We are going to pursue what this would involve.
- Ryan has been approached about a bunch of projects that he would like to see done.
- Motion by Dan Vincent to have the Flat Concrete work (ramp and sidewalks poured). Second by Mike DeGroot. Motioned passed at \$5000 cap.
- Donating memberships for fundraisers/ charities.

Vice Presidents Report- Dan Hankinson

Blue Star Mothers auction Sept 20th silent auction in Nunica. Flyer is in the shoot building.

Secretary Report- Matt Day

No Report

Sergeant at Arms Report- Dan Vincent

- NO SHOOTING RIFLES CARTRIDGES IN THE SHOUTH RANGE!
- Please do not staple targets to the main frames.
- Field 3 needed switches.

Board Meeting Minutes Continued

Membership Secretary Report- Kevin Kubiszewski

- Absent Steve reporting for him
- 2 new candidates for new membership.

Treasurer Report- Ojan Negahban

- Motion by Ryan Cordes to transfer 90K from independent to fidelity. To be reviewed quarterly Second by Matt Day. Motion Passed.
- The board is open to holiday parties but need people to lead it.
- July Income- \$5,756
- July Expenses- \$1,596.05
- July Net Income- \$4,195
- YTD -\$14,000

Board Chairman- George Mahak

TRUSTEE REPORT

Jon Stotz- No report

John Cordes- No report

Jim Thomson- No report

BJ Blake- Absent

Michael DeGroot- Mike is working on the down tree. Complaints about rentals with pins on the walls. What if we had picture boards available. Make fancy cork boards for people to put up pictures if needed.

Karen Kronberg- Absent

Steve- Hunter safety has 5 spots remaining for sept class. Oct class goes live Sept 1st.

- DNR brought back orange guns, and they are \$3000 for a 5-gun set. We need more research before buying the set.
- MUCC has the intent to open coyote season to year-round.
- MUCC is doing a Superbowl Raffle. \$100 a ticket.

New Business:

None

Meeting Adjourned at 8:28pm

Respectfully Submitted, Matthew Day, RSC Secretary

Membership Meeting Minutes August 5th, 2025 Call to order at 7:15pm

Meeting was called to order by Club President Ryan Cordes Invocation was given by Kevin Kubiszewski Guest: Pat Lomonaco

Motion to Approve the July 2025 Minutes. Second by Dan Vincent Motion Approved

BOARD REPORT

President's Report: Ryan Cordes

- Thank you to everyone that has come and cleaned up.
- Tree that fell along the road. Mike Degroot will take care of it.
- Complaints of rifle and pistol ranges being closed during registered NSSA shoots. Will continue to keep them closed. 14 hours of shut down we profited \$1600 in NSSA.
- Postponing dues increase.
- The board has opted to go to a virtual newsletter going forward.

Vice President's Report: Dan Hankinson

- Anyone that has turned in invoices last month and did not clearly spell their name out, please get ahold of Ryan and Dan if you have not been paid. They will take care of it.
- August 16th 5-9pm will be a celebration of life for Bill Ratliff.

Chairman's Report: George Mayhak

 The board has been going over all the discussion items and working on what direction they want to go.

Secretary's Report: Matt Day

No Report

Membership Secretary's Report: Kevin Kubiszewski

- Please welcome the 5 new members.
 - ♦ Mark Vandersteeg
 - Jaron Buschert
 - ♦ Charles Lake
 - ♦. Matthew Barr
 - ♦ Scott Alferink

Motion to approve new members by Kevin Kubiszewski. Second by Gordy Pickerd. Motion approved.

Treasurer's Report: Ojan Negahban

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Sergeant of Arms Report: Dan Vincent

- Thank Lou Skar for taking over the mowing.
- Members make sure to pay your dues the gate combo changes and you don't get the new combo until you pay your dues.
- The gate was left open 5 times in one week.

Membership Meeting Minutes Continued

COMMITTEE REPORT

SCTP - No Report

NSSA- Dan Vincent

50 bird events on Wednesday 8/6

Skeet/Trap- Dan Vincent

Anyone wanting to try skeet or trap please join us on Sunday, Monday and Thursday

CMP (Civilian Marksmanship Program)- Steve Gardner

Next shoot is the start of fall and winter league on August 23rd from 10am-2pm.

Armed Women of America- Karen Kronberg

Next meeting is on August 17th from 4:30pm to 8pm

Hunter Safety- Steven Lomonaco

- July hunter safety was 64 students.
- September traditional class is half full. Get signed up now.
- October 11th is a field day for students that have taken the class online. Sign up will go live on Labor Day.

ORV- Steve Lomonaco - No Report

Defensive Pistol

Next match is Saturday 8/9 with 9:30am safety meeting.

MUCC- Tim Hall, Steve Lomonaco

- The charity shoot is Friday 8/8 at multi lakes.
- Region 5 meeting being planned.

22 Bench & Reactive Target Shooting (rimfire)

Check the calendar for the shoots.

Sunshine

One of Tim Halls grandsons passed away. Keep them in your thoughts.

Sportsman's Against Hunger- Tom Mroczkowski

Tom is stepping down and we need someone else to take over this position.

Building and Grounds

Thank you for keeping up the mowing and weed whacking.

RSC Apparel - No Report

Marketing - No Report

Safety Updates - No Report

Deer, Fish, Turkey

Bring pictures of fish for October.

Old business - No Report

Membership Meeting Minutes Continued

New business

- Guess speaker- Pat Lomonaco- Blue Star Mothers
- Blue star mothers are mothers of sons and daughters that serve or have served in the military.
- Get together to show support for each other.
- It started 83 years ago.
- Work closely with veterans' groups.
- Fishing charter raffle tickets are available.

50/50 Raffle (\$23x2)

- Don Yokom
- Kim Quist

Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm

Respectfully submitted, Matthew Day, RSC Secretary

Calendar

Please check website for latest changes http://www.rockfordsportsmansclub.com/ For calendar additions or changes contact: Dan Vincent

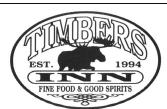
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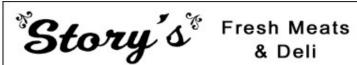
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