



April 2020

- B.O.D. Meeting Mon., 4-6, 7 pm.
- Charity Committee Meeting Mon., 4-13, 7 pm.
- Membership Meeting Mon., 4-13, 7:30 pm..
- There is a major covid-19 concern at press time. The March steak dinner was cancelled. The mar.20th fundraiser at Wright's Farm for the three 2nd amendment groups has been rescheduled to May 15th. Stand by for e blasts concerning club activities.
- Presidential Primary Election Day is Tue., April 28th. Polls open at 7am.
- Steel plate shoot April 5th, 10 am pistol pits
- 3-Gun shoot April 19th. Sign up at 9 am. Pistol pits closed Sat., April 18th at noon until Sun., Apr 19th at 5 pm.
- Sporting Clays reopens Sun., April 5th, 10 am, and will shoot every Sun. through October.
- 3-D Archery will have a shoot every Sun. at 8 am starting April 26th.
- Pistol Pit #4 will be open soon for the membership for tactical shotgun and rifle. You must go through a qualification with Tim Burdick for times and target requirements.
- April is the month for annual Boy scout campouts by local troops. They will be on the grounds on the follow days: Troop 6, April 17th, 18th, and 19th. Troop 1 on the 24th, 25th, and 26th. With so many kids around, please keep the speed down and keep an extra eye out for them!
- Tue. Nite bullseye league ends on April 21st.
- Steak supper Sat., 4-25 5:30 pm. Note: this is two weeks later than normal, but is not a mis-print.
- 14 new members joined at the Mar. meeting. Total membership is being counted during renewal time.
- Hall rentals in Apr.: 4-4, 4-10, 4-11, 4-18, 4-25.
- **From B.O.D.:** \$3900 Sporting Clays budget passed by the membership.
- **Also from B.O.D.:** People are booking events by putting them on the big calendar by the bar. This must stop immediately. All events **MUST** go through the Caretaker/events coordinator!! During a scheduled event when a bartender is on duty, no other person is to be behind the bar. This includes club members. That is why the keys and log books were moved to the right of the bar.
- Also, please do not go upstairs and knock on the caretaker's private residence door. The club phone (568-7171) is now linked directly to her cell phone. Please communicate with her in this manner.
- **VERY IMPORTANT:** People continue to go upstairs and knock on the caretaker's door; and now they are climbing up to the porch and banging on the glass door. See the above paragraph and cease and desist from this behavior. Respect her day (s) off !! This has been mentioned at 3 consecutive club meetings and the board **WILL** take action in the future!
- **NEW PROBLEM:** Members have been seen handing their key cards to guests to go to the clubhouse unattended. This is a violation of stated club policy. Every guest **MUST** be escorted anywhere on club property!
- **ANOTHER NEW PROBLEM:** It has been reported that members who bring guests are occupying more than one lane at the range! A lane is defined as your outstretched arms plus 6 inches. Once again, members and guests cannot shoot in unison. You must shoot one at a time in one lane only! **PLEASE COMPLY WITH THIS STATED CLUB RULE!!**
- **Pistol pits:** Many broken plates are being left on the ground near the backstop. Please place broken plates on the table near the main building so they can be repaired on a timely basis.
- At press time, the Legislature has heard many anti-gun bills. Hopefully when this newsletter is distributed the bills will be "held for further study", but don't count on it! Stand by for alerts and requests for attendance at rallies at the State House.
- We will be voting 3 times in 2020. Tue., April 28th is the R.I. Presidential Primary. Tue., Sept 8th is the state wide primary. The most important election for a gun owner or hunter is Tue., Nov 3rd.
- **Unless otherwise advised, the following are repeat events:**
- Beginner's skeet Fri. 6 to 8 pm.
- Trap Tues. 10am to 2 pm, Wed. nite 6 to 9 pm. Sat. 10am to 2 pm, year round.
- Skeet Tues. 10am to 2 pm, Thur. 6 to 9 pm Sat, 10 am to 2 pm
- Juniors Thur. 7 to 9 pm
- Sporting Clays will reopen on April 5th and shoot every Sun. until October, starting at 10 am.
- Northern R.I. Well Armed Women meet 3rd Mon of the month at different ranges every month.
- 3-D Archery will have a shoot every Sun. starting April 26th at 8 am.