November 2013 NewsNotes



North Star Sportsman's Club PO Box 212 Hilton, NY 14468



Board of Directors Meeting October 17, 2013

Called to order by President, Pete McCann at 7:03 pm.

Officers Present: Rich Breslawski, Jeff Baugher, Frank Petricone, Pete McCann, Christine Grove, Rick Sherman and Greg Beyler.

Also present: Ron Breslawski, Ed Breslawski, Jim Rabjohn, Tim Daily.

Treasurer's Report: Pete McCann reported for Nick Hardie

As of time of meeting: Income \$865 Expenses \$1,119 Negative Net, -\$254

Major items of expense were payment on new mower; stock kitchen; pay for shooting benches and chairs in rifle range.

Membership: Pete McCann reported for Eric Schramm

Ron Breslawski appeared before the Board, and offered his services to take over the Membership position on the Board of Directors; since Eric has resigned. Ron would finish out Eric's current year term; then we will see what happens at upcoming elections for next year. The Board approved this, and Pete will bring up before the general members at the next general meeting.

Pete McCann submitted his application for Life Membership. This was accepted by the Board. Some openings will be coming available for new members.

Buildings and Grounds: Rich Breslawski and Jim Rabjohn

We now have four benches in the back.

The Club light at the road needs to be fixed. This is something the town will do. Rich and Jim will report this and have fixed.

Rich will take inventory on fuel tanks for what will be needed for the winter.

Greg Beyler offered to take care of moving the stove in the Clubhouse, for when the new roof goes on.

Ranges: Frank Petricone

All ranges in good condition. Members have been taking good care of our club property – traps are being covered up after use; Archery range looks good.

Safety procedures are being followed!

Club Calendar - Hangover Shoot will be January 1st.

New Business: Pete McCann

We talked about Officers for next year. Members have shown interest in some of the position on the Board. Positions that will become open on the Board for fiscal year 2014-2015, which will be voted on in January, will be: President, First VP, Second VP, Treasurer, Secretary, one Director position, and a Field Captain.

General Meeting November 7, 2013

Called to order by President, Pete McCann, at 7:33 pm;

followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, led by Jeff Baugher, with a moment of silence for Mike Ferris who is recovering from a recent lung transplant; Bill McDonald who is still mending from a serious auto accident; and Steve Baase father passed away.

Members Present: Nick Hardie, Greg Pasinksi, Greg Lessord, Keith Bowers, Lorie Bowers, Tom O'Brien, Al Castrechino, Rich Breslawski, Jeff Baugher, Harry Reiter, Buz Bauman, Jim Priestley, Tom Castellana, Larry Conn, Paul Russo, Frank Petricone, Jim Rabjohn, Paul Drake, Jim Sperr, Dave Scorse, Dan Mikel, Tim Daily, Joe Romanczyk, John Lyon, Mike Kirchgessner, Frank Castrechino, Ed Breslawski, Ron Breslawski, David Beehner, Rick Sherman, Christine Grove, Pete McCann.

Treasurer's Report: Nick Hardie

Transactions as of Nov. 7:

Income \$1,680 Expenses \$1,939

October Net -\$259

Major items of expense, in addition to Board notes, were replace auto trap cables and parts; purchase targets. Major items of income were Preserve dues and black box. Fay Knapp returned some cans for the club. Thank you!

Membership: Pete McCann and Ron Breslawski

Pete announced that Ron has offered to fill in as the Membership chair until the end of Eric's term. The members present at the meeting approved this.

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Buildings and Grounds: Rich Breslawski and Jim Rabjohn

The club light is now fixed at the road! We are good on propane; we will need to fill the fuel tanks for winter.

Range Reports: Frank Petricone

... i.e. safety, traps left on, negligent use, etc. Frank's phone # is on the back of this newsletter. Frank will again, for the 3rd year, run the Winter Rifle league. Cost will be the same this year, \$20; guests can shoot for \$25. Frank will post the rules in the clubhouse. If you are interested in getting involved this year, please

If there are ever any issues on the ranges, please call Frank

contact Frank to sign up. The league begins in January. This will still be 100 yard shoots; but Frank is offering longer range shoots to members who request it.

Preserve Report: Keith Bowers reported for Jerry Mostek

The weekend of Nov. 9, was the last release of birds. There was an abundance of birds this year. If anyone is interested in joining the Preserve next year ... Keith and Jerry are offering to do a shoot in January, using the leftover birds from this year, so you can see how it works.

Monroe County Conservation/ SCOPE report: Chris Wiest

There is a 'Guide to NYS Safe Act' on the SCOPE website. It makes for interesting reading!

New Business: Pete McCann

Pete noted to the members present that all Officer/ Board positions will be available for next year, except for 2nd and 3rd term Captains. Pete passed around a 'sign up' sheet for anyone who might be interested in these positions. If you are interested in any of these positions, and you weren't at the last meeting to sign up as interested, please contact a Board member.

50/50: Paul Neefe, Jr.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:14 pm





New Year's Day Shoot

(Also known as the "Hangover Shoot")

Wednesday January 1, 2014

Sign-up starts at 8:00am & Shooting starts at 8:30am

\$20.00 Shoot & Food

(Youth 16 and under \$10)
50 Targets, Spit-Roasted Beef served after 11:00am
Salad, Potatoes etc.
Hot Dog or Hamburger served before 11:00 am
\$20 includes Food

Shoot Only - \$15.00

10-Stand available at member's price



Upcoming Events

Clubhouse reservations: Reservation forms can be found at the clubhouse or on our website under "Calendar of Events".

Board of Directors Meeting

Third Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM

General Member Meeting

First Thursday of the month at 7:30 PM

Al Z. Heimers League Sporting Clays Fun Shoot

Tuesday Mornings @ 9:00 AM

Relaxed Shooters Only, any age, just show up. Come out & have fun - We're looking for shooters

Regular Group Shoot

Saturday Mornings @ 9:00 AM

Ten Stand Shoots:

Will start up again next summer.

Hunter's Tour dates:

Stay tuned for 2014 dates

Hangover Shoot:

Wednesday, January 1, 2014

Officers & Coordinators

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President	Pete McCann	392-3775
VP1 Membership	Eric Schramm	227-6635
VP2 Communication	Jeff Baugher	227-8797
Treasurer	Nick Hardie	392-2816
Secretary	Christine Grove	768-4223
Director (3 rd yr)	Rick Sherman	330-2515
Director (1 st yr)	Rich Breslawski	831-0643
Director (2 nd yr)	Greg Beyler	442-8143
Field Captain	Frank Petricone	456-8824
Sporting Clays	Jim Butlin	392-6136
Preserve	Jerry Mostek	967-6160
	David Isaac	638-5305
Grounds	Jim Rabjohn	964-8923
Vehicles & Equipmt	Jim Rabjohn	964-8923
10 Stand	Jay Giese	659-8655
Skeet	Tim Daily	392-7145
Rifle Range	Greg Beyler	442-8143
Archery	Bill Plews	637-3665
	Dan Spencer	352-8706
Hunters Tour	Allan Rice	755-1085
Hunter Safety	Doug Rivais	964-5208
Adopt-a-Highway	Steve Baase	964-8380
NewsNotes	Jeff Baugher	227-8797
Fold & Staple Walt & Cindi Slowig 621-5915		621-5915
MCCC Delegates	Jim Nichols	429-7899
	Chris Wiest	637-0579
Kitchen	John Lyon	727-2535
Quartermaster	Dave Beehner	721-7554
Key Card issues	Jeff Baugher	227-8797
NSSC database	Marty Barry	659-8677
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Webmaster Je	ff Baugher	227-8797
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Websites worth visiting

North Star: www.northstarsportsmansclub.org

NRA: www.nra.org

LPWA: www.lakeplainswaterfowl.homestead.com

SCOPE: www.scopeny.org

NYS Rifle & Pistol Assn: www.nysrpa.org

Hunters Tour: www.hunterstour.org

DEC/Camp Rushford: www.dec.ny.gov/education/29.html

www.keepandbeararms.com

www.gunweek.com

www.womenshooters.com

www.ussportsmen.org

www.saf.org