



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



General Meeting April 3, 2025

Call to Order - 7:30pm Ron Breslawski
Pledge of Allegiance — Moment of Silence — for departed members
Introduction of Guests — None recognized.
Secretary's Report — Dan Carlson — News Notes - available after BOD meeting

Treasurer's Report - Harry Reiter -
Income for the month \$3250.86, big income items St Patty's shoot \$2169.00 and the black box for sporting clays \$702. Expenses for the month are \$6841.53. The big expenses were in building and grounds (dumpsters, porta potty, shed roof, stone, \$4563.64).
St Patty's Day shoot report (105 shooters plus 12 youths), total income \$2169, total expenses \$605, net \$1564.
Motion to approve both reports together by John Lyon, 2nd by Al Castrechino. The motion was approved by vote.
Harry also prepared a budget proposal for the 2025 - '26 fiscal year (July 1 – June 30), He went through the prepared report by accounting line and charted out expenses from the last ten years. Harry distributed copies of both reports and tabled the vote until the end of the meeting. Reminder: Dues are due May 1st!

Committee Reports

Membership — Ron Breslawski — New members — 5 letters sent out

Building, Grounds, Equipment — Clayton Eckerd –
Thanks to the guys that cleaned up Shady Range. The zero turn is at Bentley Brothers for service and repairs. The Kubota tractor rear tires have been loaded.

Range reports & Club Safety — Frank Petricone — Field Captain

Archery — Ready to use – Please move the plastic target covers out of the way before you shoot.

10 Stand — Frank Petricone- Will be setting up shoots in the spring.

Skeet Range — Don Franklin (report submitted to Frank)
- Plenty of birds, machines are working well, no issues.

Clays Course — Frank Petricone - New Station #13, Many of the numbers and orders of the stations will be changed. Be sure to check them out! Will need a work party to move some machines before the Hunters' Tour. There are spare batteries for all the transmitters in the club house. If you plan to do any work on the clays course, please check with Frank first. Skeet, 10 stand or sporting clays.

Shady Range— Clayton Eckerd- Burm needs to be restacked in spring

Trap Range — Frank Petricone- closed for now. The machine is on 10 stand.

Rifle Range — Frank – If you see the target boards blown over, please pick them up.

Club Calendar -Mother's Day shoot - May 10th

Hunter's Tour— Ron Breslawski - April 26th & 27th
Have a food truck coming in for both events. Something different, please consider supporting him.

Preserve Report — Frank – The pheasant pen needs to be cleaned

Adopt A Highway- George Roesse- No report. Looking to host an event in May.

Camp Rushford — Apply when possible- Go to website for information

Monroe County Conservation Council, SCOPE, NYSR&PA, NRA - Chris Wiest – Most concern to us – New laws signed regarding pistol converters (bump stocks and switches, semi to full), how credit card companies track purchases and share data with the state. Will start seeing pop-up signs from the surgeon general about guns being dangerous.

Old Business — Some apparel located in club house on rack for purchase.

-Most up-to-date constitution with recent amendments posted on website.

-Archery shed roof replacement is complete.

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New Business — Ron Breslawski - Potential Gun Raffle – targeting drawing the winning ticket in August with all summer to sell. Will have 1000 tickets to sell, need to sell at least 500 to break even. Anticipate almost \$10,000 in profit if we sell 1000 tickets. Building your dreams gun shop in Kendall is handling the transfers. Discussion was held regarding incentives to draw people in, offering food, swapping work fines. Drawing will be done in order of the list, one at a time. If you don't like what you win, it will be up to the owner if you win the gun or a store credit. Vote held by a show of hands. Unable to count but there were 29 people present and less than 5 had their hands down. Approved by vote.

Budget vote: Motion to approve the budget that Harry proposed earlier in the meeting was made by Clayton, 2nd by Al C. Opportunity for people to ask questions. Approved by vote.

50/50 won by Harry Reiter.

Motion to adjourn by Bill Izyk, 2nd by Clayton Eckerd. Meeting adjourned at 8:17pm.

REFRESHMENTS

Notes and/or Comments: Please wear your name tags to the meetings, Thank you

Upcoming Events: - Hunter's Tour shoot April 26th & 27
Mother's Day shoot May 10th

Board of Directors Meeting April 17, 2025

Call to Order – 7:00 pm, Ed Breslawski

Board members present: Ron Breslawski, Ed Breslawski, Harry Reiter, John Lyon, Clayton Eckerd, Dave Scores, Frank Petricone
Members present:

Secretary's Report – Dan Carlson could not attend. Thanks to Ed Breslawski for taking notes. News Notes – will be published after BOD meeting.

Treasurer's Report - **Harry Reiter** – Income so far in April is \$10,124.91. Expenses so far total \$802.42. The single biggest income item so far was dues and fines (\$9,760.00). The biggest expense item so far was in the building and grounds line (\$329.02).

Membership Report – **Ed Breslawski** - Three potential new members were in attendance: Michael Sengillo, Todd Abbey, Mark Harter. All three introduced themselves. John L. made a motion to accept them all as new members. 2nd by Clayton, motion approved by vote.

Buildings, Grounds, and Equipment – **Clayton Eckerd**- Nothing to report.

Dave Scorse proposed via email that the club purchase a green with white lettering highway sign to display our club address on Walker Lake Ontario Road in compliance with county rules. The signs are \$25.95 on Amazon. Not enough board members weighed in so the issue will need to be discussed at the next general meeting.

Frank Petricone - Chad Scores and Tom Puppattelli cleaned the club house, swept floors, mopped, cleaned bathrooms, swept out the barn, re-did all the target frames, and raked leaves on Shady range. Thank you, Gentlemen! If you use club equipment, please clean it or at least hose it off when you are done.

Crushed stone for clays course & driveway has been delivered. The back curve in the road leading out to the chalet has been squared up and levelled.

Ranges – Field Captain- **Frank Petricone**

Archery – Ready to use.

Ten Stand – Dave Scorse proposed via email that he be allowed to spend money (up to \$300) to add two machine covers on the ten stand and replace boards on top. The board voted by email and no one opposed the motion (recorded on April 16, 2025). Dave and his brother Jim have built new trap covers for the two stationary machines on each end of the stand. They are continuing the work on the railing and replacing boards on the upper level.

Skeet Range – Ready to use.

Sporting Clay's course – New stone has been spread throughout the course to fill in low spots. The stations have all been re-numbered after the addition of the newest station. #13 is installed and fully operational. Frank will swap out all the batteries this week so we are ready for the Hunter's tour on 4/26.

Trap range – Frank Petricone – no report. The machine is in front of the 10-stand. It will get moved when the ground dries out. This is the oldest machine on the club property.

Does the membership want to maintain the trap field?

Rifle Range – Many of the target stands have been replaced.

Shady Range – New backers and silhouettes have been made and placed in the shed.

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Club Safety and Security – No report

Preserve – No report.

Misc Reports - No reports.

Club Calendar – Hunter's Tour –April 26th & 27th.

May 10th, Mother's Day shoot.

Old Business – Barn addition – Dave Scores got a price for the lean-to addition to the barn. The BOD will bring a motion to the general membership meeting to spend \$25,000 on the project.

New Business – Dave Scores – The Carpenters Union would like to have a sporting clays event at our club in September. No details yet.

Member Appreciation Day – Discussion was held regarding moving the Member Appreciation Day into September since August is still a very busy vacation season. Other food options were also discussed. No decisions were made. The topic was tabled for future meetings.

Range flag – The Breslawski's will be bringing a lift over to the club so they can repair the pulley system at the top of the flagpole. Also discussed buying a lighter, maybe smaller flag that won't be pulled down by gravity or the wind.

REMINDER: If someone has signed in below you in the club book and has not signed out, please leave the flag up. Check the book! The last person to leave the property should lower the flag.

Motion to adjourn by Dave Scorse, 2nd by John Lyon, approved by vote. Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm.



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:

Contact Frank Petricone for more information

Hunter's Tour:

See www.hunterstour.org for complete schedule

Mother's Day shoot: [flyer](#)

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Mother's Day Shoot

Saturday May 10, 2025



- **ALL MOTHERS SHOOT FREE!**
- 50 Sporting Clays Targets
- Registration Starts 8:00 AM
- First Squad Out At 8:30 AM
- Last Squad Out At 1:30 PM
- \$20 Per Round
- Free For Shooters 17 And Under When Accompanied By An Adult
- Liability Waiver Required If Not Already On File



Featuring Sammies-n-Sweets Catering



Set May 10th 2025 8:00am

- *Any sandwich, one side, sides/salad \$15
- *Any sandwich, one side, dessert, soda/water \$18
- *RED OBER PRIME STEAK w/sides/salad \$18
- *PULLED PORK BBQ \$10
- *MACARONI n CHEESE \$9 sides w/sides \$12
- *MACARONI SALAD \$4 sides
- *CHIPS \$1 sides
- *CHEESY EGGERS CHEESECAKE slices \$7ea
- *CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE/BROWNIE \$4ea
- *SODA/WATER \$3ea

Safety First

Eye & Ear Protection Is Required
Maximum Shot Size 7 1/2



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Officers & Coordinators

President	Ron Breslawski	964-2217
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VP2 Communication	Dave Scorse	370-3907
Treasurer	Harry Reiter	392-7986
Secretary	Dan Carlson	509-4793
Director (1 st yr)	Clayton Eckerd	734-8211
Director (2 nd yr)	John Lyon	727-2535
Director (3 rd yr)	Al Castrechino	330-8562
Field Captain	Frank Petricone	456-8824
Sporting Clays	Frank Petricone	456-8824
Preserve	David Isaac	638-5305
Bldg & Grounds	Clayton Eckerd	734-8211
10 Stand	Frank Petricone	456-8824
Skeet	Don Franklin	727-0478
Rifle Range	Tom Sime	747-7247
Archery	Dan Spencer	352-8706
Hunters Tour	Dan Sperr	749-1416
Hunter Safety	Doug Rivais	964-5208
Adopt-a-Highway	George Roese	301-8035
NewsNotes	Jeff Baugher	227-8797
MCCC Delegates	Jim Nichols	429-7899
	Chris Wiest	637-0579
Camp Rushford	John Wise	259-9160
Kitchen	John Lyon	727-2535
Quartermaster	Doug Baker	880-2895
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Websites worth visiting

North Star: www.northstarsportsmansclub.org

NYS Pistol Permit Renewal: [NYS troopers site](#)

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

NYS Conservation Council: www.nyscc.com

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

Handgun reciprocity info: www.usacarry.com

www.keepandbeararms.com

www.gunweek.com

www.womensshooters.com

www.ussportsmen.org

www.saf.org