



Nitro Express

The Official Newsletter of Watauga Gun Club

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Club Meeting: 2/10/05

Pretty days in February - boats pushing pickups around, motorcycles dragging their riders out, work lost due to lack of interest and Valentines Day around the corner. Winter cannot last forever!

At the next club meeting, February 10, 2005: Discussion on what needs to be done for the work day on Saturday, the 12th. A good opportunity to get your work cards current. Hope it's a good day to be out.

Also for discussion will be a proposal for a Junior Safety Class with the High School students after school project. New member, Bryan Wood, is trying to get this started. The executive committee had a planning session with him on Monday night and we're looking for input on the matter.

The executive committee discussed the welfare of the club road from the gate in. The riverbank is in dire need of shoring. Another big storm or two could wipe it out. Drainage of berm one was also discussed.

Our treasurer reported that dues are coming in steadily. Member have until the March meeting to get paid up before the gate code is changed.

CLUB MATCHES

The Range Officer reports that the January club shoot went well and had twenty shooters. This month's match is .22 Target Pistol in the Quonset hut.

Course of fire: 50 feet; any sights; B-2 Slow Fire and B-3 Timed and Rapid Fire targets; 10

shots in 10 minutes (Slow); 2 five round strings, 20 seconds per string (Timed); 2 five round strings, 10 seconds per string; standing, offhand position.

Results of the January Club Match, .22 Revolver.

1	Gary Hoyle	96	4x
2	Sandy Hoyle	86	
3	Ted Greene	84	Assisted
4	Doug Merkel	81	2x
5	David Bowers	80	
6	Henry Glenn	77	
7	Ben Bosworth	76	1x
8	Brandon Harrison	76	
9	Jonathan Greene	75	
10	Bob Trivett	73	
11	Charles Harmon	72	
12	Bryan Wood	71	
13	David Williams	61	1x
14	Tom Bennett	39	1x
15	Wayne Green	36	
16	Tom Love	34	
17	Morgan Shaw	33	

Wrong Gun:

James Henson	69	1x
Youth: Jacob Greer	73	
Hunter Greer	25	

SCHUTZEN VEREIN

The club has received a shipment of targets for the club matches SO Schutzen Verein is ready to go again now that we have targets. Contact Wayne Green or Michael Testerman or Gary Hoyle. This is .22 rimfire in the Quonset hut; any rifle or pistol. A NRA badge is possible, so come out and have fun.

IDPA

IDPA had forty-nine shooters for their Winter Pistol Frolic in January. A large time and a beautiful day. Several new shooters were in attendance also. There will be a Safety Officers Class offered on February 19th to get the new season started.

TRAP

The ATA shooters have been reloading and recuperating or going off of the mountain to shoot. They had a great season last year and are looking for the same in 2005. The scheduled Trap Clinic has filled up. Look for a pretty Sunday afternoon and come out and shoot some clay targets. League shoots and summer schedule starts in April.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Raffle tickets for rifle range improvements are on sale. Six tickets for \$5 gives the ticket holder a chance at \$300 at the club meeting in April. Help us sell these and support your club!

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