



WRPC News

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Another One In The Books

by Ron Pesta

Thank you...to the weather guessers on getting the forecast right and doing a sundance or whatever it took to provide a great day for our picnic and gun raffle.

Thank you...to our Club members who followed directions and bought, sold (or both) raffle tickets in order to help make our annual fundraiser a success. A big thank you to those members who did that and asked for more tickets to sell!

Thank you...to those Club members who volunteered to help sell raffle tickets at our "corporate venues." A big thank you to Greg Tackett who in his second year heads up this evolution...another fine job!

Thank you...to our Club members who volunteered to help setup for the picnic and those who helped out during picnic and raffle cooking, cleaning, handling the beer and soda, ticket sales (50-50, side raffle, door prizes, and raffle).

The lucky winners are -

- M1 Garand..... Angela DeRuyter*
- Colt Gold Cup .45 ACP John Penkitis
- M1 Carbine Cliff Patridge
- Weatherby .270 James Abraham
- Ruger SR 1911 .45 ACP Mark Lipa
- Ruger Blackhawk .357/9mm..... Thomas Acquilano*
- Henry .45-70 Tim Hopkins
- Ruger .22/.22mag Ross Phippen*
- Remington 870 12 ga Kevin Ergill
- Stoeger 20 ga Todd Kelly
- Bull Dog .44 Nick Leary
- Henry Golden Boy .22 Jeremy McCathy
- Ruger 10/.22 Takedown..... Joe Zaparzynski
- Air Rifle Steven Dickerman
- Hornady Press Wayne Balistren
- Crossbow Jesse Janas
- Gun Safe Stanley Britton Jr.

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Those winners marked with an asterisk (*) opted for the cash so we will be raffling those two guns (perhaps more depending on NIICS) at our August Club meeting. So if you're interested, you should attend that meeting.

YOU, the Club members, are the people who make this fundraiser (our only fundraiser) a success year after year. Those of you who do not buy or sell the tickets are hurting the Club. You use the facilities but don't contribute to any possible enhancements we may be involved in. Your dues don't cover all the bills and improvements here at WRPC. Those of you who did not turn in any tickets/stubs will find that \$50 amount added to your dues. Remember, all were informed of being responsible for the tickets in the letter that accompanied the tickets and in subsequent emails.

Our July meeting agenda will contain an item for holding our raffle next year and where to hold it, if approved. Also, if approved a raffle committee will be formed for selecting the items.

Top Sellers

by Ron Pesta

The following Club members went above and beyond in ticket sales -

Mark DeRuyter	167 sets
Jim Schmit	85 sets
Bill Ross	66 sets 3 sgls
Jim Daddona	64 sets
Ron Pesta	63 sets 1 sgl
Matt Ferrara	50 sets
Jason French.....	50 sets
Matt Yuhas	50 sets
Dave Lockett	35 sets
John Henninger	25 sets
Steve Leven	25 sets
Jeff Moonneyhan	25 sets
Karen Tackett	23 sets
Don Valerio	20 sets
Van Delinder	20 sets

Kris Whiteleather	20 sets
John Oughterson	20 sets

A BIG THANK YOU on behalf of WRPC!!

Those listed will receive a check in the amount of the number of books they sold (20 bks = \$20, etc.). Those who sold 50 books or more will receive a free dues for the next year (exceptions are officers/life members).

A View From The Top

by Al Roher and Ron Pesta

As much as we all enjoy hearing about and/or participating in the good things that happen here at WRPC, unfortunately we have to "rain on the parade."

Over the past three months, the Board of Directors have had to discipline members for not following the rules and putting themselves, their guests and the Club at risk due to their actions. Although verbal reprimands were warranted and given, each member was warned that the next infraction would result in expulsion.

With this in mind, let's repeat the common theme - SAFETY! We have had **zero** firearm related injuries since WRPC has been in existence...we aim to keep it that way!

Each member was sent a copy of range rules and an updated copy of the By-laws (latest in Feb 2016). Each range has a set of safety rules posted at the entrance....READ THEM! Safety Committee members and the BoD didn't spend all the time involved defining (using common sense) the range rules and spending the money for printing and mailing them to all members not to be heeded. Just because you buy a new firearm or vehicle doesn't mean throw the owners manual in the trash because have experience with guns, cars, or trucks.

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You are to use Club authorized targets...those are the paper targets located on the shelves at the Indoor Range or those you purchased from a sporting goods retailer. Bottles (plastic or glass), cans, or pieces / objects of metal are not to be used.

Shotguns and high powered rifles are not to be used shooting at plate racks. If you don't know the velocity of the ammo you're using...don't use it. High powered rifles (ammo velocity in excess of 1500 fps...our rules) are allowed only on the rifle range.

The metal targets on the rifle range are to be kept on the left side of the range to keep any splatter from entering the tactical range.

Objects (hard or soft) are not to be placed on top of target stands. They are unauthorized and their location is unsafe...do you know what lies beyond your target?

The Board of Directors are pursuing security cameras for all ranges. These will be expensive and will identify those members who disregard the rules. If this range surveillance doesn't solve the problem and these breeches in safety continue, we will ask the Board of Directors to strongly consider closing all ranges except for Club activities...our monthly shooting events. It's up to ALL OF US, as members of WRPC, to police ourselves.

Gate to Outdoor ranges

by Ron Pesta

DO NOT...repeat...DO NOT lock the gate behind you after entering the ranges!! God forbid an accident of any kind should happen and the gate is locked...emergency vehicles will not crash the gate to enter. Questions should be directed to any BoD member.

Sporterifle

by Renate & Paul Dewa

The 2016-17 Sporterifle season is done. It was huge! Our White Team came in 1st in their league. The Red Team was first in the State-wide Shoot-off and won six (6) individual awards while the White Team garnished four. Our Ladies team won 6 and the youth won 2. Good thing I had my truck to haul all the "bling." Thank you again to those who shot and to those who helped with the season and with the Shoot-off. To see all the awards, check out the Waterloo Rifle and Pistol Facebook page.

We were able to field a Ladies team this past season; so ladies, please feel free to come and join us and make the team grow. All ladies on the team are improving every time we shoot. Juniors, we need YOU!! The more Juniors we have shooting, the more likely we are able to field a team for the season (given all the activities Juniors are involved with in school).

We have the summer off to enjoy the outdoor ranges. However, Fall is just a few short months away. We will start again during the 2nd week of September, same time and days as usual (Tuesday and Friday evenings) with registration at 6:45pm and the 1st relay at 7:16pm.

See you in September!!

**Join the NRA Today!
Help the sport and your Club!**

**WRPC will receive a
financial reward for each new or
renewed NRA membership that
comes through our
official recruiter.**

**Contact Art Pluretti for
more information at:
free2glock@yahoo.com**

Defensive Handgun

by Rick Olson

We had a good indoor Winter season at WRPC. The Summer shoots begin on Sunday, May 28th and on every 4th Sunday of each month through October. Set-up starts at 8am with the safety briefing at 9:55am and matches beginning at 10am. If anyone needs a classifier, we can hold it after a regular monthly shoot or at one of our Monday evening practices.

There will not be a Defensive Handgun shoot on June 25th due to the NYS shoot.

If you are interested in IDPA, defensive Handgun is the place to start. We try to make our stages replicate real life situations. Come on out and enjoy yourself and meet a great group of men and women. If you can't make a monthly shoot, attend one of our practice sessions to learn the rules and to see what equipment is needed. These practices are held on Monday evenings from 6:30pm to 8:30pm when no meetings are scheduled (please check the monthly calendar on the website).

Indoor Silhouette

by Chuck and Kristi Ward

We held four matches this past season on the 3rd Saturday of the month January thru April beginning at 4pm and ending at 8pm.

At our first match of the year, a new target format was introduced called 5-3-1 and as shooters found out ...it was a bit more challenging. During the season we offered free re-fires if shooters brought a friend or sweetheart. Our March event saw a pot of coins as an award. Our overall season netted a bit over \$200 for the Club.

Indoor Silhouette is an event where men, women, and youth (12 - 18 years) can participate. The firearms involved are .22 caliber rifles and pistols and any centerfire pistols approved for our indoor range.

This past season was our second with our events on Saturday afternoons/evenings. Our attendance increased with more couples and more family members shooting as they are introduced to a shooting sport; which is one of our Club goals.

A big thanks for your support to our Club in this activity.

Tactical/Fast Action

by Art Pluretti

Repairs to the plate racks continue and should be completed by May 1st. If you brave the weather and shoot on this range; you will notice a plate rack disassembled - PLEASE DO NOT USE OR SHOOT AT IT!

Spent brass is still a problem. If you are not a reloader or if you shoot rimfire ammo, it is your responsibility to pick up your brass and place it in one of the yellow brass buckets. Brooms and dust pans are provided at the shooting stations.

Remember - our property is treated the same as our State Parks, whatever you bring in leaves with you when you are finished and are heading home. There are plenty of white trash bins for disposal or used targets and any trash you may have.

Pistol caliber carbines whose bullet velocities DO NOT EXCEED 1500 fps are safe to use at the plate racks. These calibers include 9mm, 40 S&W, 45 ACP, 38 Special, 44 Special, 45 LC. .357, .41 & .44 magnums can be used if less than 1500 fps.

AR15's in .223 and .308 ARE NOT ALLOWED!

Anyone looking for work party credits? I will need plenty of help in the month of April to complete the renovation projects that need to be finished prior to the first match. If you would like to volunteer, please send me your info to - free2glock@yahoo.com.

Waterloo Rifle and Pistol Club

2016/2017 Match Schedule

www.waterloorpc.com

Indoor Silhouette (Chuck & Kristi Ward - 315-709-9914 or
chuckacp45@hotmail.com)

3rd Saturday of the month; January - April @ 4pm - 8 pm

Sporterifle (Paul Dewa - pdewa@rochester.rr.com or
rdewa@rochester.rr.com)

every Tuesday & Friday of the month; September - March @ 7pm

Outdoor Silhouette (Mark Barrett - 315-398-9104)

3rd Sunday of the month; May - September (October - weather permitting)
@ 9am - approx. 1pm

Club Defensive Handgun (Rick Olson - rick-olson@hotmail.com)

4th Sunday of the month @ 10am (indoors & outdoors)

Fun Shoot (Al Roher - al.roher@co.ontario.ny.us)

On Hiatus!

IDPA (Dave Lockett - dlockett357@yahoo.com)

2nd Saturday of the month @ 10am (indoors & outdoors)

Bulls-eye Pistol (Al Hermann - 607-341-5338)

every Thursday of the month; October - March @ 7pm

Tactical/Fast Action (Art Pluretti - free2glock@yahoo.com)

1st Sunday of the month; May - October @ 9am

ALL MATCHES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Come Out and Join Us!

Clip & Save

IDPA

by Dave Lockett

Last month IDPA at WRPC held its annual classifier since we must classify once a year. IDPA is divided into seven (7) separate classifications so you can compete against other shooters of equal skill levels, using similar equipment. The classification levels are: Unclassified, Novice, Marksman, Sharpshooter, Expert, Master, and Distinguished Master.

New IDPA members are unclassified in a division until they shoot their first IDPA classifier in their division. The type of gun you compete with determines the division you will classify in. There are six (6) regular divisions that are entirely separate meaning that they do not compete against any other division. These six divisions include Stock service Pistol, Enhanced Service Pistol, Custom defensive Pistol, Compact carry Pistol, Revolver, and Back-up Gun.

A classifier consists of three stages:

Stage One - from 7 yds, 2 handed, strong hand, weak hand.

Stage Two - from 10yds to 5 yds. Shots are taken while advancing and retreating from targets (you sometimes shoot on the move in IDPA).

Stage Three - from 20yds to 15 yds. Shots are taken from behind positions of cover and advance to other positions of cover to re-engage targets.

Each string is timed and your hits on targets are scored to give you a stage score. Those scores are added together and that total (depending on your division) determines your classification. Now you can shoot against people of the same skill level using similar equipment.

If you missed the May classifier, you can still get classified by contacting me. You don't need to be an IDPA member to shoot a match, but you are expected to join by your third match and you must be a member to shoot in a classifier. Our matches are on the second Saturday of the month....come give it a try!

Outdoor Silhouette

by Mark Barrett

Our first Outdoor Silhouette Shoot of the season was held on May 21 and the turn-out was great. Twenty-one attendees showed up resulting in 35 shooters. We welcomed 3 new shooters and we also had 2 teens return from last year. Our shoots are held on the 3rd Sunday of the month, May through October. The event starts at 9am and continues until approximately noon or 1 pm depending on the number of shooters. It takes about 20 minutes to shoot the series of targets and you can shoot as many series as you like.

The Outdoor Silhouette Shoot is open to the public and all are invited to join us. It cost only \$6 to shoot a series of targets, \$4 for a re-shoot, youths shoot for free. For more info, see the description under "Activities" on our website or give me a call. Our next shoot is June 18, Father's Day - sounds like a good day for a family outing. Come on out and join the fun!!

We will be scheduling a Saturday work party in the coming month(s) to make repairs to the turkey target stands. Please keep your eyes open for the announcement and consider lending a hand to continue improving our Club.

Seneca County SCOPE

by John Christensen

Our June meeting will be held at South Seneca Sportsmen's Club on June 20th at 7pm. We will have State Senator Pam Helming joining us. Feel free to make a SCOPE meeting.

Club Logo Wear

Embroidered shirts, jackets and sweatshirts are available for purchase. Ballcaps are here!. Ron Pesta, Club member and owner of Eagle Graphics Custom Embroidery is taking orders. Show your support for the Club and place your order today. Remember, a portion of the cost for each item is donated back to the Club.

A minimum of 12 pieces are needed to place an order (cost effective). Contact your shooting buddies/partners and get an order together.

Polo Shirts (50/50 or 100% cotton) **HOT ITEM!!!**
Colors - white, black, ash, forest green, maize, maroon, navy red & royal blue
S - 3XL - \$25.00

Sweatshirts (90/10)
Colors - ash, black, forest green, navy & royal blue
S - 3XL - \$25.00 (larger logo, one color - \$33.00)

Hooded Sweatshirts (90/10)
Colors - ash, black, forest green, navy & royal blue
S - 3XL - \$30.00 (larger logo, one color - \$38.00)

1/4 zip Fleece Pullover (100% poly)
Colors - charcoal, black, forest green, navy, royal blue, orange, red, carolina blue
S - 2XL - \$32.00 3XL - \$34.00 4XL - \$35.00

Full zip Fleece (100% poly)
Colors - charcoal, black, forest green, navy, red, grey
S - 2XL - \$35.00 3XL - \$36.00 4XL - \$37.00

3-Season Jacket **HOT ITEM!!!**
Colors - black, forest green, navy, red, royal,
S - XL \$52.00 2XL - \$54.00 3XL - \$58.00 4XL - \$60.00
Large full color embroidered logo on back - add \$45.00
S&H will added.

Place your order by:

- filling out the order sheet at the Clubhouse
- call/ fax Ron at 315-781-1953 (Eagle Graphics)
- email info@eaglegraphicsembroidery.com
- or visit his website at eaglegraphicsembroidery.com.

Be proud of your Club, wear the logo!

The Lighter Side...

It was the end of shift when an officer parked his police van in front of the station. As he gathered his equipment, his K-9 partner, Jake, began barking. The officer turned and saw a little boy staring at him.

“Is that a dog you’ve got back there?” he asked.

“It sure is,” the officer replied.

Puzzled, the boy looked the officer and then at the back of the van. Finally he asked, “What did he do?”