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## 9th Annual Raffle & Picnic

by Ron Pesta

The rains stopped, the sun was shining with a cool breeze, Club members working to pull off another raffle and picnic. Pull it off we did!

As just about everyone is aware, this process began back in the September meeting, the attending members approved this raffle & picnic. A committee was formed to assemble a list of firearms and other items for the raffle. After a couple months of discussion, the raffle list was approved and the posters and tickets were printed. The raffle letter was written, the member package was assembled and mailed.

Our "corporate sales" guru Dave Cudlin began lining up gun shows and scheduling volunteers. Quite a time commitment. Dave - Great Job!!

You, the Club members came through again. The vast majority either bought or sold your allotment of tickets and yes a few turned them back in. However, there are still some that didn't do anything with the tickets; and as stated at least three (3) times, they will have that amount added to their dues for next year.

This year's winners are:

- M-1 Garand .....David Penny
- Weatherby .308 .....Nathan Elvers\*
- Ruger .243.....K. Van Riper\*
- Ruger .270.....Mathew Seaglione
- Remington 870.....Jeff Comstock
- Henry .22 .....Harry Bischoff\*
- Ruger 10/22 .....Randy Reynolds
- Browning Buckmark .22.....Tom Personius\*
- Ruger .357.....Kristine Baker
- Ruger 44.....Samuel Mullen\*
- Glock 9mm .....Mike Calendar
- Glock .45 .....Marty Rotz
- Stoeger 20ga.....George Baldwin\*

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Dillon Reloader.....Sandy Allen  
 Crossbow .....Jim Martin  
 Gun Safe .....Frank Davoli

The “special raffle” held at the picnic just for those attending were raffle tickets and a raffle calendar combined. The overall value of the items (95% firearms) was worth well over \$30,000. These raffle tickets was won by our own Mark DeRuyter. The profit for WRPC was \$535. These items were donated by the Ralston (Pa.) and West Valley (NY) Volunteer Fire Companies. We thank them both very much!!

Some of our winners opted for the cash instead of the firearm. So, at our August 3rd meeting we will raffle off these firearms to our members -

- Weatherby .308
- Ruger .243
- Henry .22
- Browning Buckmark
- Ruger .44 and the
- Stoeger 20ga.

If you’re interested in any of these - be at the meeting! We will also decide if we will continue our annual fundraiser next year.

Our top sellers were:

|                   |                |        |
|-------------------|----------------|--------|
| Tom Cole          | 104sets, 3sgls | \$1055 |
| Jim Schmidt       | 85 sets        | \$850  |
| Ron Pesta         | 77 sets 1 sgl  | \$775  |
| Steve Sherwood    | 69 sets 3 sgls | \$705  |
| Vern Weeks        | 40sets         | \$400  |
| Al Gardner        | 35 sets        | \$350  |
| Don Valerio       | 31 sets        | \$310  |
| Tom Ferreri       | 30 sets        | \$300  |
| Jeff Moonethan    | 25 sets        | \$250  |
| Greg Tackett      | 24 sets        | \$240  |
| Steve Leven       | 20sets         | \$200  |
| Kris Whiteleather | 20 sets        | \$200  |

I can’t say enough about Mark DeRuyter and Dave Cudlin. Mark sold 231 sets for a whopping \$2310 and Dave sold 120 sets with 14 singles for \$1270. Due to their positions held in the Club and the hours spent, they pay no dues. The BoD will discuss an appropriate gift for each. Tom will get \$200. Jim Schmidt and Steve Sherwood will not

pay dues next year. and the rest to this fine group will get gift cards. A special thank you goes to these folks!!

Again, thanks to all who helped out during this successful fundraiser.

Have a safe, sun and fun-filled summer!

## Life Member Bob Stevens

by Ron Pesta

Due to Bob’s wife’s ill health they have moved to an independent living facility in Brighton.

He has no further use of the following equipment:

Lead smelting stove, cast iron pots, safety gloves, face mask, ingot molds, propane tank, 200lbs.(approx. lead in various forms and line-o-type.

Bullet casting -  
 2 melting pots, cast ingots, various top quality and Lee molds, for primarily .45 & .38, Star sizer with warming plate.

Reloading -  
 RCBS Rockchucker, Redding turret, Dillon 650 w/ case feeder and all the goodies. Plus many accessories too numerous to list.

6 1/2 bricks of CCI SGB .22 ammo (42 grain solid head)...excellent for outdoor silhouette

John Deere 160 w/ 30’ mowing deck and blade, RubberMaid trailer

Mantis cultivator

Troy-built 4 cycle trimmer w/ pole saw, brush cutter and blower.

If interested in any of these items, please contact Bob at [rgsarch@gmail.com](mailto:rgsarch@gmail.com).

We are going to try to have a special meeting/ day for Bob (maybe the August meeting). Stay tuned.... for a special person!

## Tactical/Fast Action

by Art Pluretti

The 2015 season has begun. Our matches are held first Sunday of the month May through October. There is one exception this year; our September match will be held on Sunday, September 13th (2nd Sunday). The matches start at 9am rain or shine.

We are always looking for new Club members, friends and family to join us for some shooting fun. If you're interested in shooting or helping out, please contact me at [free2glock@yahoo.com](mailto:free2glock@yahoo.com).

There are newly painted orange safety lines painted in front of shooting positions 1 & 2. These represent the distance of 11 yards (33') to the plate racks which is the closest safe distance to shoot (either rimfire or centerfire pistols) at the targets on the plate racks.

Shooting from these lines is only allowed if you are alone or taking turns with another shooter; they cannot be used if other shooters are using the other firing positions. Why? Because you would be down range from these other shooters! It would be wise for you to heed these words.

## August 3rd Meeting

by Ron Pesta

We will be raffling off the remaining guns from the picnic to our club members. We will also be selling some of our older (but in fine shape) air rifles (.177 caliber). If your interested, be there!

We will also honor Life Member Bob Stevens (health and weather permitting). Be there!!

## Outdoor Silhouette

by Mark Barrett

The first match of the 2015 season is in the books. We experienced great weather and the number of shooters and scores (found on our website) prove it!

Our June match will be on Father's day (6/21). Dad's will shoot one round FREE! Bring the kids. Our July match (7/19) is bring a friend match. bring a friend - shoot one round Free.

So if you like to shoot at steel targets from 40, 50, 75 and 100 yards with .22 rifles and pistols or centerfire pistols, come join us on the third (3rd) Sunday of the month 'til September (and maybe October) from 9am 'til about 1pm. Initial cost is \$6/ firearm with \$4 refires.

We're trying to add a new class - centerfire carbine in either 9mm, .40 or .45 calibers. testing will begin soon...stay tuned!

Call Mark Barrett at 315-398-9104.

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**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](mailto:free2glock@yahoo.com)**

# Waterloo 3 Gun

by Ron Pesta

Saturday, August 8th beginning at 9am. The cost is \$55. There will be 5 stages and 4 divisions (tactical optics, limited, open and heavy metal).

For a complete description and requirements, the match info is posted on the following website - <http://www.sdf-academy.com/local-competitions/waterloo---3-gun-championship>.

This match will take time to set up , so with this in mind, our outdoor ranges will be closed from August 5th - August 8th.

Volunteers will be needed for setup, registration, scoring, range officers (IDPA), grill and tear down.

Interested in competing in this match but have no idea what it's all about try it out free of charge after the July 10th IDPA match. Bring your firearms, ammo, eyes and ears.



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