



CATAWBA VALLEY RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB

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The November meeting was called to order at 7:30PM by Club President Ronny Brown. The October meeting minutes were read and approved. The October Treasurer's report was read and approved. Balance brought forward was \$8,363.01, deposits were \$324.00 and expenses for the month totaled \$2,474.09. Ending balance was \$6,212.92. Guests attending their second meeting were David Harvey, Rob Holland, and Josh James. Randy Hess attended his third meeting and was voted in as a new member. Welcome Randy!

Old Business:

- President Ronny Brown displayed and explained the new signs purchased to inform members as to which steel targets may be shot with what type of ammunition.
- The NC States NRA High Power Tournament was held at the club Saturday October 31st and November 1st 2009. George Northam reported that the match was a great success with a total of 40 shooters participating and approximately \$1000 raised for the club.
- Several empty chamber indicators were manufactured by George Hines using orange weedeater string and orange ribbon. They were made available to any members in need of an ECI. More will be made at the club work party on November 12th which starts at 3:00 PM this month.

New Business:

- A proposal was made that gravel be put down where needed near the 100 yard firing line. Bryan Miller was asked to examine the problem and advise the club the amount of stone needed.
- The new storage shed at the pistol line needs to be sprayed with a protectant/sealant. Ronny will secure the sealant materials and the application will be performed at the November work party.
- Several rounds of spent 38 Special and 17 HMR brass were found on the floor of the indoor pistol range. Tim Drum found new damage to the steel backstop downrange of the brass. Members are hereby reminded THE INDOOR RANGE IS FOR .22 RIMFIRE ONLY! This does not include 22 magnum. If you fire a group with a 17 HMR on the indoor range it will create a hole through the steel backstop with very few rounds. Jacketed 38 Special rounds will also damage/dent the backstop.
- Mark Westbrook requested and the members approved the use of the indoor range by the St. Stephens High School Naval JROTC for .177 air rifles on Tuesdays or Wednesdays from 3pm to 6pm. The NJROTC will only use our range when weather prohibits the cadets from using their own outdoor range at SSHA.

Upcoming Events:

- Winter League Indoor Bullseye (22LR pistols) starts the 2nd Thursday in January. Practice begins immediately on Thursday evenings. Please contact Lonnie Hagadorn or Tim Drum for further information.
- Skeet Match every 2nd Sunday beginning at 1PM.
- The CVRPC All-Around Match begins the 2nd and 3rd Saturday's in January for the Rifle event and the 2nd and 3rd Saturday's in February for the Shotgun and Pistol events.
- The Buffalo Match is the 1st Saturday of the month.
- A Work Party is scheduled for November 12th at 3 PM.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Steve Roe,
Secretary
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