



CATAWBA VALLEY RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB
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The meeting opened at 7:32PM. The November minutes were read and approved. The January 2013 Treasurer's report was read and accepted. Balance brought forward was \$11,089.05, deposits were \$41 and disbursements for the month totaled \$1,088.14. Ending balance was \$10,041.91. The treasurer passed around a new contact list for updating, and reported that any members not in touch with the club for 18 months would be dropped from the list. Guests this month are Huett Drum (ex-member in good standing), Mark Phillips, Wayne Cothran and Don Alexander, all attending their third meetings, Alan Yancey, 2nd meeting, plus Dale Flinchum, Joe Darnell, Eric Miller Junior and Keith Lynch, all attending their first meetings. Subsequently Mark and Don were voted into the club. Welcome gentlemen!

OB: Powering of the 200m, 300 yard and pistol range covered firing lines has been completed, thanks to Glen Shell, Gary Houser, Lee Hines, Sam Birchfield and Ronny. George Northam reported that the total income to the club from the HP matches last year was \$572.67.

NB: George also announced that the May HP match will be changed from the 25th to the 4th, and from July 27th to July 6th. These changes were approved by the club. Joe Lassiter announced that the TGAC (Two Gun Action Challenge) matches will be held on March 2, May 4th, July 6, Sept. 7 and Nov. 2 this year. See the website for details. Susan Hughes asked the members if it would be OK for the FFA team members to show CVRPC's name on their T-shirts as a sponsor. This was approved, along with the grant of a \$150 donation to BHHSFFA in addition to allowing them to use our facilities for practice. Susan further advised the club that the NRA is offering lifetime memberships for \$300 (through February) if you mention an existing life member's NRA number when applying. Mike Greco requested and received permission to hold a CC class on Sat. Feb. 23rd. Fees to the club were discussed regarding such classes for profit, and it was agreed that for this type of activity, the club would receive a percentage of the registration fee. The amount of the fee will be discussed at a future meeting. Tim Drum reminded the members to return the steel targets to the covered firing line storage area after use so that mowing could be done efficiently. The members were also reminded not to shoot holes in the wooden target frames. Steve Roe announced that the first 22TSC match will be held on March 9th, with a work party taking place the day before to set up the course. Ronnie announced that there will be a Venison/Chicken BBQ dinner held at Catawba Methodist church on Feb. 23rd, starting at 5PM, with a choir performance following at 6PM. Ronny will ask the church if they are willing to host our yearly April general meeting again this year and will report back next month. Larry Cline, who is a certified NRA instructor, requested and received permission to hold a series of public instructional firearms classes (such as NRA's "First Steps") at the club on the 4th Saturdays of March, April and May. The fees for the classes has not yet been set, but the club will receive part of the income, similar to the process for CC classes held on our property.



Larry also volunteered to initiate a program to guide new members through the process of joining CVRPC, but discussion on that topic was tabled for the time being. A lengthy general discussion was held regarding possible changes to Article III, Section 9-1 of the club by-laws, but insufficient interest from the club members in attendance was garnered and no motions were passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:06 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Lonnie Hagadorn,
Secretary