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Monthly Business Meeting Minutes and Newsletter

President Don Copple Sr. welcomed all those in attendance. He called the monthly business meeting of the Southern Indiana Rifle & Pistol Club to order at 7:00 PM on April 7, 2021 at the Indian Creek Shooting Center in Georgetown, IN.

Attending the meeting were: Drew Rudd, Charlie C. Davis, Terry Copple, Don Copple, George Eberhardt, Wayne Hall, Tom Graves, John LeMay, Bill Thomas, Todd Campbell, Tony Whitfill, Bob Cahoon, Dennis Pruet, Larry Zeiring, Houston Andres, Paul Jackson, Pat Roberts, Jeff Fondy, Bryan Corbin, John Shaffer, Terrence Moore, Butch Bishop, Chris Jones, Shane Jones, Donnie Abbott, Ron Bekebrede, Robbie Brown, Andy____, Matt Knight, Gary Frazelle, Tim Strader, Jordon Franco.

THE GATE COMBINATION TO THE OUTDOOR RANGE WAS CHANGED ON 4/24.

ATTENTION: Please don't drive through the fields. The roads have a hard bottom even with standing water. Please read your newsletter and/or check the website to avoid going to the Range when a match is scheduled. Please take your trash home. When entering and leaving the Outdoor Range, lock the chain behind you. Wear your membership card on your clothing or equipment while at the Outdoor Range. Every member is allowed to ask you for proof of membership. Please check the website prior to driving to the outdoor range to ensure that the range is open for club use. Mowing will resume this Spring on Tuesday evenings with Thursday being the makeup day if weather prohibited the early day for mowing.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL LAST CALL: Secretary Ron Bekebrede must have your renewals for **2021**. Please send your payment with a copy of your NRA card to his attention at 107 Wickfield Drive, Louisville, KY 40245-4055. Keep in mind that a current NRA membership is required for renewal. If you are a NRA Life Member, please ignore this request. Dues for 2021 are as follows: Individual \$75.00, Family \$100.00, Senior - Age 60 and over \$45.00, Senior Family - \$70.00, Junior \$25.00. Make your check out to the SIR&PC. Ron's phone number is 502-649-5507. His email address is SIRAPC.Membership@gmail.com. New members if your current card shows 2021, you don't have to renew till December 2021.

MINUTES: President Don Copple Sr. asked if there were any questions or comments pertaining to the minutes of the March 3, 2021 meeting. There were no comments and/or revisions. President Copple declared the minutes approved as is.

TREASURER'S REPORT: There was no treasurer's report as Tom Clark was unavailable due to work obligations.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS: First reading for Terrence Moore, Jeff Fondy, Houston Andres, Tim Strader, Larry Zeiring, Patrick Roberts, Christy Jones, Chris Jones, Robby Brown, Gary Frazelle, Butch Bishop. Second reading was heard for Bryan Corbin.

OLD BUSINESS: Donnie Abbott reported that a new culvert was placed at the 200 and 500 yard lines with gravel added to increase parking at the 500 yard line. There was three loads of rock delivered for this work. Work will continue on the creek crossing as conditions improve to allow the addition of extra rock. He also thanked member, Larry Klosterman, who spent several hours cleaning out the drainage ditches along the road. George Eberhardt reported on the clubs' participation with the NRA Youth Day sponsored by Wanda at the Indian Creek Shooting Center. There were 17 youth who participated shooting Air Rifles at 10 meters. George was assisted by Wayne and Logan Hall, Charlie Davis, Chris Jennings, and Drew Rudd. President Copple reported that the club was represented at the New Albany, Seymour, and Salem gun shows at no charge to the club. He went on to state that these shows were a good opportunity to recruit new members due to the wide area that show attendees travel. George Eberhardt informed the club that mowing will resume this spring on Tuesday evenings beginning at 5PM with a rain make-up day on Thursday at 5 PM. The range will be closed during this time. He also asked that members email him with pictures of the creek so that the website image can remain current to show the condition of the creek crossing.

NEW BUSINESS: Tony Whitfill formally requested that club members have access to wind flags for Long Range practice days. He had accessed the flags previously due to knowledge of the combination to the storage container that houses the range supplies. Donnie Abbott commented that both rifle match directors, Dwayne Draggoo and George Eberhardt should give their approval before the club makes a decision on the matter. Dwayne was not present at the club meeting but George gave his approval pending the agreement of Dwayne. Drew Rudd Requested that Club meetings begin with the Pledge of Allegiance. President Copple informed the club this was already an accepted practice for the club however the individual tasked with leading the pledge had not been in attendance. The Board could not remember the individual's name during the meeting. Charlie Davis announced that outdoor pistol practice will

commence on the 2nd Wednesday of the month unless there is rain and then it will occur at the indoor range. He also commented that pistol attendance has been low and encouraged new members to come out and try shooting some of the club's bullseye pistol matches.

MATCH RESULTS: Reported by Charlie Davis. **Club Indoor Bulls Eye Pistol;** 22 NMC: Expert, John LeMay 820-9x; Sharpshooter, Paul Jackson 836-12x (Paul Jackson shot his first month of Expert Scores and upon a second month of expert level scores will advance his classification to expert level); Marksman, Terry Copple 719-6x; Pro Marksman Devin Copple 743-6x. The Centerfire NMC did not have enough shooters to make award however Expert, Mitch Sizemore 771-8x and Sharpshooter Paul Jackson 114-1 did record scores. **Center fire Handicap Match:** Wayne Hall 183. **Revolver Handicap Match:** not enough shooters to make an award but George Eberhardt recorded a score of 130.

22 Rifle Slow Fire Off Hand Open Sights: Paul Jackson 95.

22 Rifle Slow Fire Off Hand Telescopic Sights: George Eberhardt 95

Carry Gun Match: 3-1/2inch barrel & over Mike Kummer 183, 3-1/2" barrel and under Mike Kummer 167.

SIR&PC Indoor 1800 Pistol Match:

UPCOMING MATCHES:

SIR&PC Outdoor 500 yard Practice Match: April 7, 14, 21, 28. Contact Dwayne Draggoo at 502-759-0541 or dwaynedraggoo@yahoo.com. The Outdoor Range will be closed to other shooting from 2:00 PM till 8:00 PM on all days.

Outdoor pistol practice: May 12 @ 4:00 pm - 8:30 pm Contact Dave Richardson at 270-766-7815 or taxmanky@comcast.net.

Outdoor Pistol 2700 Match: April 24 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Contact Dave Richardson at 270-766-7815 or taxmanky@comcast.net.

SIR&PC Indoor Small Bore Rifle Match: April 24 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Contact Ted M. Carr at maccarr13@yahoo.com 1-859-608-8539.

F Class Match: May 1 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm . Contact Dwayne Draggoo at 502-759-0541 or dwaynedraggoo@yahoo.com.

CMP Service Rifle Match: May 8 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Contact George Eberhardt ebbie5313@gmail.com 502-724-8970

CMP Vintage Sniper/Mixed military match: May 15 @ 7:30 am - 5:00 pm Contact George Eberhardt ebbie5313@gmail.com 502-724-8970

For a Basic Pistol Course Contact Doris Ooley at 812-786-4188 or via email at info@o2gungroup.com for more information.

Seminar on Legal Concepts for Concealed Carry and Self Defense with a Firearm by O2 Gun Group: May 1 @ 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm Contact Doris Ooley at 812-786-4188 or via email at info@o2gungroup.com for more information.

FOR SALE:

1- 2 F-Class Rifles - 1 in 284 Shehane Barrel, 1 - in 284 Hall, Lapua Brass, Sierra Bullets, Primers. Both rifles are first class, asking \$2,000 to \$2,400 depending on brass, bullets, primers etc. Hall has less than 235 rounds and Shehane has less than 220 rounds fired through it. Contact Tom Nikitas at 843-441-2600.

2 - David Cox has a Left handed Champions choice shooting jacket size 36 for sale. Asking price \$25. Interested parties please contact David Cox at (502) 938-3355.

3- I have a Remington Model 700 in 260 Rem for sale.

The Action has been trued and Blueprinted. The Barrel is a Brux 30in with 500rd's shot. The Trigger is a Jewell HVR adjusted to 6oz. It currently is in a FTR stock, I have a F-Open stock available as a Option.

The Scope is a NightForce 12x42 Benchrest. I have Redding competition Neck sizing 3 Dies set and RCBS FL Berger 140 gr.

Hybrid 100"s of them At this time I would prefer to sell the rifle with scope before just the scope I will sell in ether F-open stock or FTR stock, only serious inquires Please Tony Whitfill 502-522-9911. For a picture click on

<https://photos.app.goo.gl/rev2v3mGRY2zCzww8>

4 - Sightron SIII SS 8-32x56 mm LRTD/TDT Long Range Scope, .125 MOA, .125 Dot Reticle. Practically new with box. Has been mounted to AR 10 style rifle which only was fired 10 rounds. Asking \$600. Contact Ron Bekebrede at 502-649-5507.

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday May 5, 2021 at 7 PM in the SIRPC meeting room of the Indoor Range located at the Indian Creek Shooting Center in Georgetown, IN.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:28 PM. Minutes of the April 7, 2021 meeting recorded by Drew Rudd and submitted by Ron Bekebrede.

