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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 7:10 PM on September 1, 2021 at the Indian Creek Shooting Center in Georgetown, IN. Secretary Ron Bekebrede was excused.

Attending the meeting were: Charlie Davis, Bill Thomas, Albert Yeager, Don Copple, Terry Copple, Dave Thulier, George Eberhardt, Donnie Abbott, Richard Rose, Drew Rudd, Paul Jackson, Dennis Pruett, Larry Dison, Shawn Gardner, Harvette Ray, William Clark, Joseph Finizio, Darrell Hyatt, Ted Kozak, Ronald Rose Jr., William Boyd, John LeMay, David McIntyre, Tom Graves, Tom Clark.

<u>ATTENTION</u>: Please don't drive through the fields. The roads have a hard bottom even with standing water. 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 mowing on Tuesday.

MINUTES: President Don Copple Sr. asked if there were any questions or comments pertaining to the minutes of the August 4, 2021 meeting. There were no comments and/or revisions. President Copple declared the minutes approved as is.

<u>TREASURER'S REPORT:</u> Tom Clark presented the income and expenses for the month of August. The balance in the operating account on July 31 was \$41,401. The balance on August 31 is \$39,862.

<u>MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS:</u> First reading for Ted Kozak, Ron Rose Jr. Harvetta Ray. Second reading and membership approved for Will Clark, Joe Finizio, Shawn Gardner, Darrell Hyatt, Bill Boyd and Ronald Kuban. The 2nd reading for Ronald Kuban was executed at the Indoor Range on August 27.

<u>OLD BUSINESS</u>: Don Copple stated that mowing at the Outdoor Range is now at once every 2 weeks due to the dryer weather. However due to the unpredictable weather, the time/date of actual mowing might change at the last minute, so please check the website before heading to the Range. The Club exhibited at the Lagootee/Orleans gun show to promote new members to the club from surrounding areas. George Eberhardt reminded club members of the annual Senator Martin match and the Long Range match on Saturday September 11, 2021 as well as the GSM match to be held on September 18, 2021 The club's annual Center Fire Varmint Matches will be shot on Sunday Sept 19. Please mark the date on your calendars. For information and/or to sign up please call Dave McIntyre at 812-282-5093. The Indiana State Championship Bullseye Pistol Match will be shot on September 18 & 19 at Marion County Fish And Game.

NEW BUSINESS: George Eberhardt made a request for the club to initiate an annual memorial match in Memory of the late Wayne Mcleod who had dedicated significant time and effort to the growth of the club and was very involved with youth shooting sports. The proceeds from this match would be split evenly as donations to the SIRAPC youth program and the Oldham County 4-H youth shooting program that Wayne was very active with. Donnie Abbott reported on the continued growth and success of the electronic targets for the rifle program. He asked the club to make an additional purchase of two electronic targets to make a total of 10 club owned targets for each firing point. Currently the club owns 8 targets and uses two individually owned electronic targets to use all 10 firing points for matches with large turnouts. Donnie also proposed maintenance and improvements to the berms at 200, 300, 500 yards. The expense to the club would be minimal. The work would take place in October. It was also requested that anyone who moves the concrete benches on the pistol range to replace them back when finished. John LeMay wants to investigate if it would be possible for the pistol range to have a fan to be used by competitors on the firing line during matches. George Eberhardt reminded everyone to please look at the website for any updates and availability of the outdoor range.

MATCH RESULTS: Reported by Charlie Davis. Club Indoor Bulls Eye Pistol;

22 NMC: Expert: John LeMay 829-8 Pro-Marksman: Devin Copple 745-2. All other classes not enough shooters.

Center fire Handicap Match: Mitch Sizemore 178, Revolver Handicap Match: Don Copple Sr, 182

22 Rifle Slow Fire Off Hand Open Sights: Paul Jackson 88.

22 Rifle Slow Fire Off Hand Telescopic Sights: Paul Jackson 97.

Carry Gun Match: 3-1/2inch barrel & over Mike Kummer, 183, 3-1/2" barrel and under Mike Kummer, 182.

The results of other matches are shown on our website www.sirapc.com

UPCOMING MATCHES:

IN Outdoor Pistol Championship 2700: September 21&21, 2021. Contact Tom Peterson on the ISRPA website. SIR&PC Outdoor 500 yard Practice Match: September 8,15,22, and 29. 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.

F Class Match: September 4, 2021 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm . Contact Dwayne Draggoo at 502-759-0541 or dwaynedraggoo@yahoo.com.

Club Senator Martin Rifle Match: September 11, 2021 @ 8:00am Contact George Eberhardt ebbie5313@gmail.com or 502-724-8970.

CMP Mixed military match: September 18, 2021 @ 8:00am Contact Drew Rudd ukpharmd2003@hotmail.com or 502-287-2561

SIR&PC Outdoor Annual Center fire Varmint Matches: Sept 19. Please contact Dave McIntyre at 812-282-5093. **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: Contact Doris Ooley at 812-786-4188 or via email at info@o2gungroup.com for more information.

FOR SALE:

- 1- For sale a like new Hawkeye shooting coat size 50 for \$75.00 purchased from Champions Shooter Supply. Please contact Fred Kunzler at fkunzler@hotmail.com.
- 2 A CMP field grade M-1 with case. The trigger was reworked by Fulton Armory and the upper hand guard has been replaced. Price \$1,100.00. Please contact Fred Kunzler at fkunzler@hotmail.com
- 3- EOTech XPS2-0 Holographic Weapon System Sight. \$440.00.

Midwest Industries Same Plane Low Profile Folding Rear and Folding Front Sight, Black. These are rugged and great Co-Witness Sights with the EOtech. \$120.00

Safariland RLS Rapid Light System Mount and Light, Black. \$75.00.

For the items listed under #3 please contact Larry Dison at (502)649-1190

<u>NEXT MEETING:</u> Wednesday October 6, 2021 at 7:00 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 7:50 PM. Minutes of the September 1, 2021 meeting recorded and transcribed by Bill Thomas and Drew Rudd, submitted by Ron Bekebrede.