Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club News December 2017

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Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club, Inc.

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CONTACTS

If you have any questions or concerns about your Club you may contact any Club Officer listed below or any board member.

| President | V-President | Secretary | Treasurer |
|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Chris Bach | Steve Risinger | Tim Vik | Lowell Bennett |
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NOTICES & INFORMATION

Annual Meeting & Elections: The annual meeting & elections were held on November 14. The current officers were unopposed and were reelected by acclamation for the 2018 calendar year. There were seven candidates for the 4 director's positions that were up for re-election. Those elected were incumbents Robert Griffith, Steve Schneckenburger, and Scott Kirchner. A new annual member elected was Deb Park. Congratulations to all.

2018 Dues & Fees: You may renew your membership for 2018 at the December Meeting or at the Winter Gun Show. The various fees are:

- Annual Membership \$100.00
- Work Hours (10 hours per Annual, Associate Life, and Life Member under 65) \$15.00 for every hour not worked
- Life Member over 65: no work hour requirement
- Land Fund \$25.00 per member

Your 2018 fee will range from a minimum of \$25.00 to a maximum of \$275.00, depending upon your personal membership status.

You may also pay your 2018 dues & fees by mailing your 2017 membership card and a check for the applicable amount owed to the club mailing address listed above.

<u>New Members:</u> The club will start accepting new members at its monthly January Board meeting. If you know of anyone who is interested, have them fill out an application and send it in.

Range #10 (300 Yard Range) is completed and fully operational. If you have not yet seen it, it looks fantastic.

WINTER GUN SHOW

Remember the CSC Winter Gun Show is Saturday, December 2, 8:30 AM - 4 PM, and Sunday, December 3, 8:30 AM - 3 PM. There will be Vendors on both clubhouse levels.

Setup is Friday, 12/1, starting at 9:30 AM and cleanup is Sunday, 12/3, starting at 3 PM. Work hour credits will be given for both days. Work hour credits may also be earned during the 2 day gun show for assisting in the kitchen and manning the upper and lower entrances. Contact Steve, phone numbers listed below, if you want to help.

If you want to bring any <u>pies or cakes</u> for work hour credits, you must contact Steve Risinger @ 309/208-1010 or 309/449-6268, before you bring them out for the show. Most store bought pies & cakes will not be work hour credits qualified.

There will also be NRA & ISRA booth's where you can join or renew your membership in these organizations. These two organizations are the ones lobbying for us, at the state and federal level, to retain the right to own & enjoy the shooting sports. We cannot be complacent with all of the anti-gun politicians and groups trying to take these rights away from us.

2017 WORK HOURS

Remember Work Hour fees have been increased to \$15.00, for every work hour not worked in 2017, when you have to pay your membership renewal fees for 2018. This could cost you up to \$150.00 for hours not worked. Work Hour Credits can be earned for assisting with many of the Club's various events (check with the various event directors' to find out where assistance is needed) or participating in any of the scheduled monthly work parties. YOU ONLY HAVE 1 MONTH left TO GET YOUR 2017 WORK HOUR CREDITS.

OUTDOOR WORK PARTY: None scheduled.

INDOOR RANGE CLEANUP: Saturday, December 9, 9 AM. Work will include cleaning the Main Hall, kitchen, rest rooms, entrance area, and Indoor Range. Questions - contact Bob Bjerke @ (309) 692-1800.

RANGE SAFETY

THE CLUB IS STILL RECEIVING COMPLAINTS CONCERNING ERRANT ROUNDS LEAVING ONE RANGE AND AFFECTING SHOOTERS ON OTHER NEARBY RANGES.

- Please make sure that your target is positioned so that any low fired rounds impact the backstop and not the ground in front of the backstop.
- The same applies to high fired rounds. Make sure that any high fired rounds impact the backstop and don't escape the range by going over the top.

• The side berms on all ranges should not to be used for target placement. They are not normally thick enough, especially near the top, to keep any fired rounds from escaping. Also do not use trees growing on the side berms as targets.



• Again a reminder, Empty or Full cans & bottles are not proper targets. This rule also applies to many other items being used as targets that are not approved of in the Club Rules.

EVENTS

Check the December Club Calendar for the scheduled events. Also check the January 2018 Calendar for scheduled events.

AFFILIATIONS

Your club is affiliated with the following organizations:

| NRA | ISRA | CMP | USPSA | SASS |
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| | | | iliation Number #R05 Affiliation Number | |
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| USPSA United S IL-08 | tates <u>P</u> ractical | L <u>S</u> hooting | Association Affilia | tion Number |
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Range 10 Construction Photos:









RANGE NUMBERS

The following are the range numbers:

<u>RANGE</u>

LOCATION

- 1 --100 Yard Range
- 2 --Trap range
- Trap range Short lakeside range (just north of Cowboy Town) Cowboy Town Practice Range 3 bays (A, B, C) New 100 yard range (Not useable yet) 6 bays (A, B, C, D, E, F) Reserved for future use 300 Yard Range (old range 7) Archery Range 3 --
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- A --Archery Range





Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club Calendar of Activities

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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
| | | | | | 1 CH—Winter Gun Show Setup—9:30 AM | CH—Winter Gun Show—8:30 AM—4 PM |
| 3 CH—Winter Gun Show—8:30 AM—3 PM Gun Show Cleanup-3 P 2-Open Trap-*Weather Permitting*10 AM | 4 Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM | 5 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM | 6 Indr Small Bore—8 AM 5—CHILLI PD—1 PM | 7 <u>Pearl Harbor</u> <u>Remembrance Day</u> Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM | 8 | Indr Small Bore—8 AN Indr & CH Clean-9 AN 1-Mauser Match—9 AI Indr—22 Steel—1 PM |
| 10 Indr—USPSA—9 AM | 11 Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM | 12 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Board Meeting 6:30PM | 13 Indr Small Bore—8 AM | 14 Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr Bullseye—6 PM | 15 Indr—TWAW—6 PM | 1 Indr Small Bore—8 AN |
| 17 2-Open Trap-*Weather Permitting*10 AM Indr Bowling Pin-1 PM Newsletter Submission Deadline | 18 Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM | 19 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM | 20 Indr Small Bore—8 AM | 21 Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM | 22 | 2 Indr Small Bore—8 AN |
| 24 | 25 <u>Christmas Day</u> | 26 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM | 27 Indr Small Bore—8 AM | 28 Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr Bullseye—6 PM | 29 | 3 Indr Small Bore—8 AN |
| 31 New Year's Eve | | | | | | 017 |

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| | 1 <u>New Year's Day</u> IndrUSPSA—10 AM 1—New Year's Day Mauser Shoot—10 AM Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM | 2 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM | 3 Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr Intro2B'eye—6 PM | 4 Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM | 5 | 6 Indr Small Bore—8 AM |
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| 14 Newsletter Article Sub Deadline | 15 <u>M L King Jr. Day</u> Indr Small Bore—4 PM & 6 PM CHNMO—6:30 PM | 16 Indr Pistol Pract—1 PM Indr WTSP—6 PM | 17 Indr Small Bore—8 AM Indr Intro2B'eye—6 PM | 18 Indr Pistol Pract—12:30 PM Indr—MP-4H—5 PM | 19 | 20 Indr Small Bore—8 AM |
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