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Here we are in the spring equinox also known as the vernal equinox. During this spring equinox the Sun's direct rays strike the earth equator before crossing into the Northern Hemisphere. Essentially what this means is longer days more sunlight hopefully some warmer weather and a general better outlook and attitude for the Homosapiens and other critters that occupy this hemisphere.

I have some additional good news to report. The ammunition supply is beginning to become more prevalent. Of course with this good news come some sobering news relative to the cost of said ammunition. We do the best we can to keep prices in a manageable range and only price our ammunition and the cost incurred to us to supply it. This includes shotgun ammunition which was sorely not available during the throes of the pandemic.

Speaking of the pandemic it is notable to relate that face diapers are no longer mandated. However, anyone who wishes to wear a mask for whatever reason is certainly encouraged to do so. We understand there are a plethora of reasons for people wishing to continue with this preventative practice. I happen to know that there are many people who are living with family members who are medically compromised. Therefore, I ask that everyone be respectful of individual's decisions to make choices in this regard.

Many members who use our range regularly have noted there have been times when certain parts of the range is closed. This mainly has to do with contractual agreement with the renters of our property. I want to thank all the members who have been patient in this regard. However, I would like to note that CLOSED means CLOSED. Whenever a sign is posted it does not invite any member or non-member to investigate the reason why an area is closed. I cannot emphasized this enough as we want to avoid having to close the entire range when only a section is needed to facilitate our contractual agreement with the renters.

On Wed. April 13th we have a members meeting in the club house. I mention this as we have some rather significant proposals that we need to vote on as a member's body. The least of which is our potential conversion from a 501-C-4 status to a 501-C-3 status. Clearly, if we are able to make this transition we will be able to more assuredly provide for the future of our beloved club in terms of financial viability. We also will address many other concerns regarding the club and the state of our present circumstances.

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President's Message - continued

On another note, I occasionally get emails and texts from members that indicate they are receiving a request from me for help. While admittedly, I do need help it is not necessarily with this venue. These emails are a scammer's tag that comes up from time to time. Please ignore this intrusion.

I want to commend our club manager Robert Haverstock for all the good work he does for our club. He has put in many long hours to facilitate the inner working of the club and manage the renter's needs as well. Much of what happens at this club is unseen when it comes to things like infrastructure improvements. These things are time consuming and often riddled with delays.

Overall, I believe we are in good shape as a club as we approach the summer months. Lastly, we are considering resuming our club picnic on Father's day in June. In order to do so we will need to get some volunteers to facilitate the event. If anyone is interested in helping out with this party please let us know.

In the meantime, enjoy the club and never stray from your safety awareness while using the range.

Proposed change to WCW Club Bylaws

Proposed by Matt Daly, for discussion at the April meeting; under Article IX ELECTION OF BOARD AND VACANCIES

Insert a new section after Section 4 with the following text.

"All incumbent officers, trustees, and candidates for elected offices may submit information about themselves and why they are the best qualified person for the office.

This information must be limited to themselves and the office they are running for and shall not include disparaging text about the other candidates. These submittals will be compiled in a file which will be posted to the range website and a link provided to all of the voting club members who will be able review the information about the candidates prior to voting."

We need news

If there is something going on in our club, or something planned that you would like everyone to know about, drop us a note. There is a lot happening and this is a good place to let people know. The deadline each month for updates or articles is the 25th, just send what you have to secretary@wcwi.org

April Coming Events

- 2 April - Rimfire Benchrest Match
- 3 April - Winter Shotgun Multiplex
- 4 - 9 April - Hunter Education class
- 10 April - NRA Highpower Rifle Match
- 11 April - Rifle/Pistol and Special Use meeting
- 13 April - Quarterly members meeting
- 16 April - Centerfire Benchrest Match
- 18 April - Shotgun Committee meeting
- 30 Apr, 1 May - Civil Air Patrol rifle event

We also have our normal schedule of other matches, classes, and events.

For more details, see our calendar, or for questions, contact me at secretary@wcwshootingsports.org.

Annual Club Picnic

As we come out of the restrictions of the past two years, it's time to think about planning our annual club picnic again.

If this is something you would like to see again, contact me at secretary@wcwshootingsports.org.

Club Elections are coming

Our annual election of club officers is coming up in April. We have several biographies for those who are running for re-election, there is still time to turn one in to secretary@wcwshootingsports.org if you are interested in helping the club run.

Running for club president:

Joseph C. Rinaldi: I am the incumbent President of WCW since 2016. My back ground includes BA degree from the University of Washington and MA degree from the Pacific Lutheran University. I am retired from the state Department of Corrections, having served as a parole and probation supervisor. During that time I served as firearms instructor for some ten years. Since assuming the Presidency of this club I believe we have accomplished a great deal in terms of upgrading many infrastructure projects at the club. The past two years have been especially trying in that keeping the club going during the pandemic has been difficult to say the least. I find it hard to embellish my accomplishments but would say that the thing I am most proud of is the improvement of the self-image of the club itself. I believe we have a very solid staff and management practices that reflect a positive image to the greater community at large.

Running for recording secretary:

Hello, my name is Dale Sieg. I have been on the board at WCW as Recording Secretary since July of 2018. I can't believe how time flies. Why did I join the board? There was a need and I wanted to help the club. I am passionate about the club. I really enjoy the facility, the people, and my fellow board members. I was born and raised in Washington, lived on the east side (Bellevue, Redmond, Bothell) most of my life, went to the University of Washington and graduated with a BS in Electrical Engineering and have lived in Bothell for about the last 30 years. I got my first firearm (Beretta 92FS thanks to Lethal Weapon) once I graduated from the UW and have been hooked ever since. I am a firearm enthusiast and wish I was better than I am but do the best I can. I do most of my own gunsmithing which ends up making one-of-a-kind pieces (aka dings and scratches that no other guns will have).

I am a logical thinker, excellent listener, excellent note taker and very good typist. I am great at creating clarity, driving to closure and have a strong technical aptitude. If elected again, I will use my skills to continue to move our club forward. My primary objective of being on the board is doing what I can to make sure the club is here for years to come. Outside of my day job, working on things for the club is my next biggest time commitment. I ask for your vote to allow me to continue to serve you and the club.

Running for corresponding secretary:

I'm Martin Morehouse, and I have been the Corresponding Secretary for WCW since 2018. I'm running for another term, to continue helping the club run.

I am also the Rifle Committee Chair, so I have met a lot of members while working on the committee or providing rifle special use training. In addition, I am an NRA Instructor and Training Counselor, where I help both the club and the public with our training and classes.

We moved here from Oregon in 1982, and I found the range through the Yellow Pages. I spent 29 years in the Army, between active Army and National Guard infantry, and am retired from the phone company. I have been a member of the club since 2004.

I'm asking for your vote for another term as Corresponding Secretary.

Running for Trustee:

Scott Ray: In 2005 I became a member of WCW and have maintained continuous membership since then while enjoying the many benefits of our club. As a ten-year-old I was introduced to the shooting and hunting sports by my dad who entrusted me to the care and maintenance of our rifles and shotguns. This responsibility made a lasting impression on me and is the source of many fond memories. My primary interests are related to shotgun and pistol shooting, but I enjoy rifle as well. Now that I am retired, it's time that I give back to an organization that has done so much for me by serving the needs and interests of our club and the shooting public in general.

As a newly appointed Trustee I would enjoy having your vote of confidence to validate my nomination. Washington State has been my home since November 1980. In March 2020, at the height of the Covid19 lockdowns, I retired from the Industrial Process Automation Software Industry having spent the last 34 years of my career in various technology sectors. My wife of 39 years and I raised a combined family of five children and have 3 Grandchildren residing locally.

In 1993 we bought a home just up the road in Brier, so the club is incredibly close and convenient. Having a recreational outdoor shooting complex as diversified as ours in the middle of densely populated area is not only a precious gift but deserving of our commitment to its preservation and success, especially in these challenging times for our beloved sport. What still surprises me, however, was how long it took before I made the decision to take that short drive to start shooting again. It makes me wonder if others in this area are of the same mind and in need of a reason or excuse to take that first step and explore the many benefits our club offers. With that in mind I see a need to actively promote our venue and the many shooting sports available here so we can help new shooters and families learn how to safely enjoy our sport as much as we all do here at WCW.

Running for 2d Vice-president:

Jeffrey A. Gomes: To the Board and members of the Wildlife Committee of Washington, I would like to submit my intention to run for the office of Second Vice President. The following is my biography and why I think that I am fully qualified to serve in such capacity:

I was born in Honolulu, Hawaii where I lived until arriving in Seattle to attend Seattle University. While in the summer of my junior year I accepted a Internship position at the Bellevue Police Department. Later on November 1, 1975, was hired as a full-time Police Officer. I completed my Bachelor of Police Science degree while working full-time.

I served as a Patrol Officer, Traffic Accident Investigation Officer, S.W.A.T. / Counter-Sniper, Property Crime Detective, Major Crime Detective, Explosives Technician and Hiring Coordinator. As you can see my career spanned an array of different disciplines and experiences. I believe that this makes me uniquely qualified for the position of Second Vice President.

Along with my employment resume I have been married to my wife of 45 years. I have two beautiful daughters that have blessed me with 4 grand children (two each). I retired with my wife in 2010 and have enjoyed my retirement years primarily with my family and friends. My hobbies are, fishing, hunting, trap shooting and volunteering for charitable causes. I have been a member of the Kenmore Gun Range for the past 9 years. If elected to the position of Second Vice President, I will do everything in my power to advance the interests of the Kenmore Shooting Range for All Members.

Running for Trustee:

I am Larry Anderson and am running for trustee. I have been an active member of WCW for over 50 years. I compete nationally in US Archery competitions in the Master's divisions. Currently I am National Indoor Champion (M70+), National Outdoor Champion (M70+) and National Field Champion (M). I also hold five national scoring records. I am also a certified coach and Judge.

I have been directly involved with WCW's Ed Eliason JOAD, coaching for many years and continue to support the group. I have organized numerous competitions at WCW and have helped with all parts of archery at the club.

My interest is not just archery. I want this club to be successful and that means all parts of the club. Several years ago I was a member of the By-laws work group where we went through the entire bylaws and came up with recommended revisions. I am a retired civil engineer with 44 years of experience in the utility industry and want to help WCW provide great opportunities for all our shooting sports.

FROM: Wildlife Committee of Washington (WCW)

TO: Commission for Washington State Fish and Wildlife

The Wildlife Committee of Washington (WCW) is a sportsman's club dedicated to the shooting sports, that is open to the public, and has over 1700 active members, most of whom are hunters and many are bowhunters. As a bowhunter myself and Archery Chairman of our club, I would like to inform you that we stand with the members of the Washington State Bowhunters in strongly opposing a petition filed by a person named Rocky Ross calling for the elimination of baiting deer and elk by hunters of our State.

The petition:

The petition filed by Rocky Ross would totally eliminate baiting for deer and elk under the guise that it would delay the onset of Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) and would retard the transmission of the disease. It appears that Mr. Ross has not adequately researched the origin and transmission of CWD, its initial introduction to the wild populations or the many studies conducted by several state agency researchers regarding the transfer and effects it has on deer and elk populations.

CWD was first found in Colorado in 1960 in animals being pen raised for commercial use. Because facilities, at the time were not adequately enclosed many infected animals were released or escaped and introduced CWD to the wild populations.

For your information, access to many state studies show that CWD is only found in States east of the Continental Divide with the exception of two recent small areas, one in Utah and another in New Mexico, again both the result of infected animals released or escaped from commercial pen raised operations. If we truly want to limit the chance of CWD infecting our state wildlife resources it may be prudent to inspect those commercial operations located in our State to insure adequate confinement facilities.

It seems to me that supporting this petition is another emotional attempt by anti-hunting groups to eliminate hunting opportunities by imposing a solution to a problem that does not exist currently in our state and eliminating a proven hunting practice that has never been identified in any state sponsored research as the cause and spread of CWD.

The hunting industry has developed many products used to attract wild game, which contain essential minerals and nutrition, which supplements those found in the natural habitat and enhances the health of the herds. I understand that the word baiting, to some, indicates an unfair advantage for the hunter but it certainly does not guarantee success in the harvest of an animal.

I would encourage the commission to retain the rule change on the use of bait established in 2015 and disregard this petition since it provides no reasonable solution to a non-existent problem.

Thank you very much for the opportunity to comment on this issue of game management.

Ken DeLeone
Archery Chairman (WCW)

Archery News

Congrats to our WCW Ed Eliason JOAD archers competing at the JOAD Indoor Nationals & US Indoor Nationals events! Notables (1st-10th):

JOAD Indoor Nationals:

Recurve Junior Men - 4th place - Kian Dadkhah

Recurve Junior Women - 8th place - Lillian Han, 9th place - Isabella Frederick

Recurve Cadet Women - 1st place - Emma Kim, 2nd place - Cham Chung

US Indoor Nationals:

Recurve Senior Men - 9th place - Gabe Anderson

Recurve Senior Women - 3rd place - Erin Mickelberry

Recurve Junior Men - 8th place - Kian Dadkhah

Recurve Junior Women - 2nd place - Emma Kim, 3rd place - Jordan Meiners

Recurve Cadet Women - 10th place - Cham Chung

Recurve Master 60+ Men - Gary Yamaguchi, 9th Place

Recurve Master 70+ Men - Larry Anderson, 1st Place

Combined scores:

Recurve Women - 3rd place - Emma Kim, 5th place - Jordan Meiners, 6th place - Erin Mickelberry

Way to finish!! Congratulations archers!!! We are proud of you all!!



Larry Anderson



WCW Ed Eliason JOAD archers

Kenmore Rimfire Match Report March 2022

There were 33 contestants in this month's match including two in the Air Rifle Division with thirteen competitors in the Expert Division, eight in the Sharpshooter Division and ten in the Marksman Division.

Welcome to newcomers Jeff Komatsu and Carson Mead.

Relay One Expert Division Target One: Keith Wilson placed first with a score of 245 8X. T.Q. was second at 245 4X with a three-way tie for third at 242 4X between Harvey Waldron, Josh Ness, and Ryan Higginbotham. Target Two: Keith Wilson repeated in first place at 247 6X. T.Q. was second at 247 4X with Mark Huber third at 245 3x and with Harvey Waldron fourth at 242 6X.

Relay Two Sharpshooter Division Target One. Dan Callahan and E.C. tied for first at 242 5X. Randy Lewellen was third at 237 8X. Target Two: E.C. repeated in first at 242 4X with newcomer Jeff Komatsu in second at 237 2X and Dan Callahan placing third at 230 4X.

Relay Three Marksman Division. Target One: Jeff Ferrelli finished first with a score of 223 2X. John Kimbrough and newcomer Carson Mead tied for second at 220 0x. Target Two: Carson Mead placed first again with a score of 237 4X. Jeff Ferrelli was second at 229 2X with John Seyler third at 222 0x.

The scores are posted under the Events tab on the range website.

Contact me if you have any questions about this match.

Matt Daly

Match Director

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PLEASE DONATE!

Donations accepted year-round of **USABLE SINGLE SPEED BIKES AND TRIKES** to be distributed to children of domestically abused women of Snohomish County. Drop off your bikes and trikes in front of the chalet anytime and a club volunteer will deliver them to the Women's Shelter.

(Good condition only please.)



Kenmore Benchrest Match Report March 2022

March 2022 Wally Seibert Trophy Benchrest Centerfire Match Report

There were 14 contestants in this month's benchrest match.

The Wally Seibert Trophy match is a 50 shot for record competition contested at 100 and 200 yards with one shot for record at each of the five record bulls on each of five target sheets at both of the distances with unlimited sighters allowed.

Winds were in the five mile an hour range with persistent rain showers throughout the match.

100 yard targets:

Match 1: Eleven competitors shot a score of 50 with Jeff Locke, Joshua Shaw, Parker Letson, and Kahn Nguyen tied for first by posting 4X's.

Match 2: Eleven competitors shot a score of 50 with Jeff Locke and Bryan Zolnikov tied for first by posting 4X's.

Match 3: Eleven competitors shot a score of 50 with Jeff Lewis and Bryan Zolnikov tied for first by posting 5X's with Jeff Locke, Parker Letson, Bob Boldman, and Kahn Nguyen tied for third with 4X's.

Match 4: Twelve competitors shot a score of 50 with Jeff Locke in first with a 5X and a six way tie for second at a 4X count between Larry Wright, Mustafa Bilal, Richard Nicol, Ernie Snyder, Bryan Zolnikov, and Jeff Lewis.

Match 5: Eleven competitors shot a score of 50 with Jeff Lewis in first with a score a 5X count. There was a three way tie for second at a 4X count between Bob Boldman, Jeff Locke, and Rick Beginski.

At the end of the 100 yard target series, Jeff Locke was in first place with a score of 250 21x. finishing tied for second were Jeff Lewis and Bryan Zolnikov at 250 18x.

Eight competitors finished with scores of 250, one with 249, and three with 248.

There were 17 contestants in this month's 300-yard benchrest match Factory class and thirteen in the Custom class.

200 yard targets:

Match 6: Seven contestants posted scores of 50 with Jeff Locke placing first with a 4X count. Rick Beginski and Kahn Nguyen tied for second with a 2X count.

Match 7: Ten contestants posted scores of 50 with Richard Nicol, Jeff Locke, and Ernie Snyder tied for first with a 2X count.

Match 8: Nine contestants posted scores of 50 with Mark Huber and Jeff Lewis placing first with a 2X count.

Match 9: Nine contestants posted scores of 50 with Bryan Zolnikov placing first with a 3X count. Kahn Nguyen and Larry Wright tied for second with a 2X count.

Match 10: Six contestants posted scores of 50 with Jeff Lewis placing first with a 3X count.

At the end of the 200 yard target series, Jeff Lewis placed first with a score of 250 7X. Jeff Locke and Rick Beginski tied for second at 249 6X.

March 2022 Wally Seibert Trophy Benchrest Centerfire Match Report

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At the end of the 200 yard target series, Jeff Lewis placed first with a score of 250 7X. Jeff Locke and Rick Beginski tied for second at 249 6X.

The Wally Seibert Trophy winner with an aggregate score of 250 25X was the 2017 trophy winner, Jeff Lewis. Jeff Locke was second at 499 27X with Rick Beginski third at 400 20x and Larry Wright fourth at 499 16X.

For information on this match contact Matt Daly matt5404@frontier.com



Elections Reminder

Elections for our board of directors are scheduled at our April members meeting.

According to the club bylaws, Election of Board and Vacancies, Section 2, A person must be a member in good standing consenting to fulfill the duties as an Officer or Trustee as set forth in these Bylaws to be nominated for or hold office in the WCW.

Donations for the month of February

Thanks to Jim Thompson for his donation of \$250.00 to the club in February.

WCW Board Meeting Minutes – March 2, 2022

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM by President Joe Rinaldi.

Present board members:

Joe Rinaldi (President)
John Woolley (Treasurer)
Larry Mallory (2yr Trustee)
Jeff Gomes (Trustee)
John Sutton (Trustee)
Scott Ray (Trustee)
Martin Morehouse (Corresponding Secretary)
Dale Sieg (Recording Secretary)

Absent board members:

Robb Stack (Vice President)
Gary Webster (past President)

Committee Leads and Facilities Manager present at meeting:

Robert Haverstock - Facilities Manager
Martin Morehouse - Rifle
Ken Deleone - Archery
Bob Pritchard - Shotgun

Guests:

Meryn, Gregory and Thomas Stewart
Michael Parent

Guest topics:

Meryn, Gregory, and Thomas Stewart came to the board meeting to thank the board and WCW for their previous financial support toward the costs associated with the competitions. They also were at the board meeting to share they are interested in participating in 3 major events this year. The cost for participating in these events will be around \$12,000. They wanted to know if we would be able to help them financially. Joe said we would get back to them on what we can do for them.

Michael Parent with MRP Tactical came to share his lease proposal to the board. Michael has been working closely with Joe, Larry, and Robert. Michael shared his lease proposal to the board. Where he would run his operation is out of the "Picnic Shack" that is west of the clubhouse.

He will not sell anything that competes with us. He will work with our marketing person to figure out how we can help promote his business and how he can promote the club. He would like to start May 1st. Before he starts, he will need to complete getting his licenses. He will want to put additional signage up at the front gate.

Committee reports:

Notes from the committee reports that were presented during the board meeting are below.

Archery report:

Ken Deleone presented.

There were a couple national events recently. There were several archers from WCW who competed and won. Congratulations to the archers! The details of their finishes are below.

JOAD Indoor Nationals:

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Recurve Cadet Women – 10th place – Cham Chung

Combined scores:

Recurve Women – 3rd place – Emma Kim
Recurve Women – 5th place – Jordan Meiners
Recurve Women – 6th place – Erin Mickelberry
Next, Ken brought up we need to replace the four-wheeler before the 3D shoot. It should be a 518cc with an automatic transmission. This has been spec-ed out and previously approved by the board.

Joe asked about a beginner's coach. Ken said he is still talking to the possible coaches. He is thinking we will not start until we move outside later this year. Joe would like the coaching position to be independent of JOAD. This should be an introductory course for anyone and if the beginners want to continue, JOAD can be something they pursue.

Handgun Report:

Dale Sieg presented.

Three people attended the in range and shooting portion of the Special Use class and all passed.

Rifle Report:

Martin Morehouse presented.

Martin tested the polymer targets. On Range 1, the targets would move with 22 LR. However, with high power (223 and 308), the targets would not move. The projectile just passed through the target. On Range 3, the targets moved with all calibers he tested. Civil Air Patrol has scheduled an Appleseed event on April 30th through May 1st in the clubhouse. A smallbore position match is now on the calendar for the third Saturday of each month, April through September on Range 1, organized by Brian Lapinski.

Shotgun Report:

Bob Pritchard presented.

The Muiltplex will be on March 6th.

We had a full Trap Fundamentals class during the last session. We have had one or two women sign up for the last two classes. We are super excited we are starting to see more women sign up for these classes and using the shotgun range.

Dave Levinson participated in the last shotgun competition and the facility did not look very good. The bathrooms looked bad. There was garbage in the parking lot. We discussed this briefly and we will look into a new cleaning company. John Woolley asked if anyone knew of any other cleaning businesses. Martin Morehouse and John Sutton said they would provide a potential company.

Manager's Report:

Robert Haverstock presented.

We recently received 9mm ammo. Also, we received 50 cases of shotgun ammo today. We received a load of clays last week.

Caldwell may be going out of business. So, this may provide us an opportunity for further discounts on some items.

The renters have been coming in a lot recently. We will be closing shotgun on March 18th for the renters. We will try to improve our communication regarding when the ranges will not be available.

L&I came to visit our facility. She was very positive. She noticed a significant improvement since Dave L. and Joe R. took over. She really had to dig to find something to tell us. Our L&I tax should drop this year.

We just lost an employee. We will also be losing a couple shotgun employees. Robert thinks he has potential backfills.

There may be interest in doing more with PITA. Robert is looking into it. Maybe once a month or every other month.

We have had some recent reports of issues with the website. The website is secure and safe to use. This issue may have to do with the fact we redirect our old website (wcwi.org) to our new website (wcwshootingsports.org). We are working to see if there is something we can do to help our the website or instructions we can provide people to address the issue on their end.

Treasurer's Report:

John Woolley presented.

We had a discussion regarding the budget for the next fiscal year. We will allocate enough money for some appliance replacements, funds for range 3 and 4 updates.

Trustees Report:

John Sutton presented.

John found a contractor to do the foundation and wall. It will cost about \$31,000. The baffles quote was \$71k. We will proceed with both of those items. After we complete the repairs and changes to Range 3, we will start working on Range 4. We talked about starting to use Range 4 for a 22LR range. If we end up wanting to install a new baffle system in Range 3 later, we will be able to re-use the Range 3 baffles on Range 4.

Old Business:

Last month, John Woolley informed us that the online waiver had been updated to state members cannot train for compensation without talking to and receiving board approval. Martin Morehouse moved we add the same verbiage to WCW Policy File/ Orientation Manual Item 26 on page 10. John Woolley seconded. Passed.

New Business:

In Jim Thompson's absence, Larry Mallory will become Trustee Chairman to lead the trustees. He is also the 2-year Trustee.

Dave Levinson approached the board and said he would be interested in joining the board as a Trustee. Joe Rinaldi moved we ratify Dave Levinson as a Trustee. Dale Sieg seconded. Passed.

John Sutton suggested we give the Stewart kids \$4,000. Joe Rinaldi moved we accept John's proposal. Larry Mallory seconded. Passed.

Joe Rinaldi suggested we donate to Tunnel to Towers. John Woolley moved to give them \$1000. Martin Morehouse seconded. Passed.

We had a discussion regarding having a club picnic this year. We decided we will have a picnic on Father's Day this year.

Joe Rinaldi said we should do the shredding event again this year. Jeff Gomes suggested we do this in conjunction with a food drive for a food bank or other non-profit. People donate food as payment to shred their documents. We will do this sometime in July.

Our attorney told Joe Rinaldi to make sure board members inform people of their board position if board members approach people to correct inappropriate behavior or inform them that they are violating a club policy or rule.

Dave Levinson proposed we spend \$500 to sponsor a PITA event. Larry Mallory moved to accept Dave's proposal. Joe Rinaldi seconded. Passed.

Dale Sieg will be setting up a meeting with the Securite Gun Club to discuss opportunities to work together. Dale will schedule the meeting and invite the whole board. Dale will try to have the meeting before the end of March.

For the Good of the Order:

Bob Pritchard asked if we have done enough for noise mitigation. We talked about what we have done. For example, planting lines of trees along the perimeter of the property.

Joe Rinaldi moved to adjourn at 9:24 PM. Dale Sieg seconded. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted by Dale Sieg, Recording Secretary.

Have you seen our calendar lately?

We add events to our our club calendar every week. Be sure and check your events, or the events you are interested in, to make sure they are accurate.

With the new year, event schedules may be changing. make sure your events are on the calendar. The earlier, the better!

If you see something that needs to be fixed, or if you have something new to add, contact me at secretary@wcwshootingsports.org.



3 Position 22LR Match @50 Yards
A-23 Targets provided

10 shots standing
10 shots sitting or kneeling
20 shots prone

Any 22LR Rifle
2 Classes : Iron Sights and Scoped
Sling or no, your choice
Bring your Shooting Mat

Third Saturday of the Month @1 PM on Range 1
Public Shooters Welcome
First Match April 16th
\$10 entry fee, proceeds go to club youth programs

Dust off that Rifleman's Badge you earned at
Appleseed and join us!

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