

## Dade City Rod and Gun Club Meeting 8-13-19

**Attendance:** There were 8 Board and 13 Club members present.

**Secretary's Report:** Jim Johnson published the minutes of the July meeting. A motion to accept the minutes as published was made, seconded, and approved by a majority vote.

**Treasurer's Report:** Chet Kucharsky reported the following:

1. He confirmed that everyone had received and reviewed the Profit and Loss Balance sheet and asked if there were any questions or concerns. There were no questions. He explained that July was a good revenue month, we took in \$12,800.00. However, we had additional expenses with the Security System Upgrade, our annual Post Office Box payment, and an insurance payment that exceeded our intake by \$1,241.00.
2. Special thanks were given to Charlie Couser for his management of our Range baffle upgrades and Steve Naminsky for upgrading our Security Systems. Their personal time and effort not only resulted in quality upgrades, but saved us a ton of money.

A motion to accept the Treasurer's Report was made, seconded, and approved by a majority vote.

**Chief Range Safety Officer's Report:** Paul Daly reported the following:

1. Range Safety Officer statistics: there were 713 shooters, 200 paid shooters, 17 guest shooters, and 44 junior shooters. The Range Safety Officers took in \$4,000.00 in range fees, \$1,760.00 in new memberships, and \$1,670.00 in renewals for a total of \$7,430.00.
2. We had no Incident Reports.
3. A motion to accept the Chief Range Safety Officer's report was made, seconded, and approved by a majority vote.

**Building and Grounds Report:** Roger Smith reported the following:

1. Charlie Couser reported that we have started the Public Range upgrade and moved public shooting to the 50-yard Range. Deconstruction is almost complete and the masonry crew will start building the footings for the new posts etc. Then the framers will build the overhead infrastructure. It appears that it will take from two to three weeks to complete all work. The total cost is \$52,000.00.
2. Last meeting, on behalf of the RSOs, Ken Orlando asked for a refrigerator to be installed in the storage shed at the Public Range for the RSO's lunches. A refrigerator was donated to the club by Dexter Uterhardt and has been installed as requested.

A motion to accept the Building and Grounds report was made, seconded, and approved by a majority vote.

**Education and Training Report:**

1. Dennis Doll reported the following by email:

July 14 NRA Concealed Carry Weapons Student course... 5 students graduated.  
July 16 NRA Concealed Carry Weapons Instructor course... 5 students graduated.  
July 20 NRA Pistol Concealed Weapons License course... 3 students graduated.

July 26 NRA Student Shotgun course... 2 students graduated.  
July 27 NRA Shotgun Instructor course... 2 students graduated.  
July 28 NRA Home Firearm Safety Student course... 7 students graduated.  
July 28 NRA Home Firearm Safety Instructor course... 7 students graduated.  
August 4 NRA Conceal Carry Weapons Student course... 5 students graduated.  
August 6 NRA Conceal Carry Weapons instructor course... 5 students graduated.

Both Concealed Carry Weapons Student and Instructor classes for August and September are full.

**Old Business:**

1. Chet Kucharsky explained that the Members voted more than 3 to 1 to change our Club name from Dade City Rod and Gun Club to just Dade City Gun Club and with the Board's permission, he will move forward to do that administratively with the State. A motion was made for Chet to file the necessary documents for the name change. It was seconded and approved by a majority vote. The name change will be done gradually as supplies with the old name are used up and replaced with the new name.
2. A committee looking at Club Policy on "youth shooting" is on-going. A discussion pursued with club members at the meeting, but the issue was tabled until the committee reports its findings and recommendations.
3. Chet Kucharsky gave a report on the NRA Range Technical Team coming out to inspect our range. We have paid them, but are still 4-6 weeks from the actual inspection and 2-4 more weeks from getting the report.
4. The next SR-52 clean-up is scheduled for Sep 19, 8:00 am. Bill Johnson is the point of contact, 352-834-4080.
5. Chet brought up the conflict between the new construction, moving the Public Range to the 50-yard range, and Saturday's Competition shooting. After a brief discussion two options were available. Cancel the competition until the 100-yard range opens or move it to the "hole." Chet stated that he would think about the options and make a decision later.
6. Bill Johnson brought up the Annual Friends of the NRA dinner and recommended that we have a drawing for the seats at the next meeting. The Board agreed.

**New Business:**

1. Pete Voight recommended that we add September and October to the Swap Meet Schedule. Bill Johnson, the program manager, agreed and designated 14 September and 12 October for the next two Swap Meets.
2. Dexter Uterhardt was nominated for "Life Membership" because of his long history of selfless Club support. The Board of Directors voted and he was selected... congratulations Dexter.

**Club Business:**

1. The monthly drawing of \$138.00 was won by Larry Smith.
2. The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim Johnson, Club Secretary