

Dade City Gun Club

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September 2019 NEWS LETTER

Club Facilities Include: Clubhouse with soda machine and free coffee.

- Outdoor Pistol (15, 30, 50, & 75 ft): pistols and all rim fire.
- Outdoor Rifle (25, 50, 75, & 100 yds): rifles, muzzle loading, air guns.
- Range Access: public and members.

Notice: The 100-Yard Range is closed for renovation. New overhead baffles are being installed. All construction should be complete and range open by 5 October. We are planning a Grand Opening on 12th October with a cookout and drinks that will coincide with the Swap Meet scheduled that same day. The 50-Yard Range is open to the public until we return to the 100-Yard Range.

Range Fees: Non-member adult \$20.00. Juniors under 18 years old shoot free, but must be under the direct supervision of a member or paid adult.

Hours of Operation: The Club is open Friday through Wednesday from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. Gates open at 8:00 am, firing line is active at 9:00 am. Closed on Thursday for site maintenance. Closed Christmas Day and Easter Sunday.

Swap Meet: The Swap Meet schedule has been revised. The next will be October 12th from 7:30 – 11:00 am in the Clubhouse. Members may bring firearms or firearm related items to be traded or sold. Sellers and buyers are responsible for all items and transactions... “private seller to private buyer.”

Club Board Meeting: Meetings are the second Tuesday of the month from 10:00 to 11:30 am in the Clubhouse. Everyone is welcome and members are encouraged to attend. You can read the last meeting’s minutes on the Dade City Gun Club’s website, www.dcrqc.us.

Safety Tip of the Month: Wikipedia defines gun safety as... *rules and recommendations intended to avoid the accidental discharge, negligent discharge, or the consequences of firearm malfunctions. Their purpose is to eliminate or minimize the risk of unintentional death, injury, or property damage caused by improper possession, storage or handling of firearms.* This is short, concise, and to the point but leaves out the most important safety factor “**your mindset.**” True firearm safety starts with the right attitude and is backed by knowledge and training. Shooters at our Club are expected to be proactive in learning and understanding every facet of range and firearm

safety. There is always more to learn. If you don't completely understand a range command or procedure, ask a Range Safety Officer to explain it to you.

Competitive Shooting: Due to the range renovation and bad weather, all shooting matches scheduled for September have been canceled. The regular schedule below will resume October 5th.

1st Saturday: 9:00 am: Stop the Threat" Match, followed by the 5x5 Match, and then the Balloon Pistol & Rifle Match (at the Hole Range)
2nd Saturday: 9:00 am: Concealed Carry Pistol Match followed by the Three Target Silhouette Match followed by 1 of 2 Fun Matches

Training Classes/Courses:

Monthly Pistol Class for concealed carry applicants is scheduled for the third Saturday of each month, see Dade City Gun Club website, www.dcrqc.us, for details.

September Training Schedule

September 21 DCGC Concealed Weapon License Pistol Course (for the public)
September 28 & 29 NRA Conceal Carry Weapons (CCW) Instructor Course

If you are interested in attending any of our training courses, please contact: Dennis Doll (813) 486-1776, dedoll@verizon.com.

Other Information:

Save at least ten dollars when you renew your National Rifle Association membership through our www.dcrqc.us website. It's a win-win situation: Go to our website, click on the NRA Icon on the home page, renew your membership and save \$10.00 or more. The Club also receives \$5.00.

The Club sponsors a section of SR-52 Litter Pick Up and we always need more members to help. For additional information contact Bill Johnson at (352) 834-4080.

The Dade City Gun Club is an alcohol and chemical free club... zero tolerance.

Before you sign in, please show your club membership identification card to the Range Safety Officer. If you have any question about your membership, feel free to contact the Club Secretary at dcgc.secretary@gmail.com.

Some Humor: Late one afternoon, a civilian Cessna landed at the Air Forces' secret Area 51 in Nevada. The plane was immediately impounded and pilot hauled into an interrogation room.

The pilot said he was from Vegas, got lost, was running out of gas when he saw the runway and made an emergency landing.

The Air Force started a full background check on the pilot and held him overnight during the investigation. By the next day, they were convinced that he really was lost and wasn't a spy. They gassed up his plane, gave him a stern warning not to ever mention that he had been there and sent him on his way.

The next day the same Cessna showed up again on the runway of Area 51. Once again, the MP's surrounded the plane... the same pilot jumped out and said, "Do what you want with me, but my wife is in the plane and you have to tell her where I was last night!"

Quote of the day: Politics is the art of looking for trouble, finding it everywhere, diagnosing it incorrectly and applying the wrong remedies. Groucho Marx

CLUB OFFICERS

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