



Club News

In club news, President Craig reported that the new connex has been placed on range 1 and is in use. The next step is to have fence and gates installed for storage between them.

President Craig reported that Dan Wagner did purchase a weed-eater for use at the range. It will be stored in the maintenance connex. If you would like to use it prior to a match, call George and he will access it for you.

Vice President Majors reminds everyone that he has an AR-15 class coming up on October 24 on range 5. Cost is \$75. You will need an AR-15, 2 magazines, 200 rounds of ammo, and drinks and snacks. Contact Culley Majors if you are interested.

Lucas Howard renewed his motion from July to set the next year's dues at \$100 and \$80 for over 65 years of age. This motion passed. This was the final vote.

Vice President Culley Majors made a motion to host the GSSF match for 2021 on February 26-28 on ranges 4B,5, and 6. The budget for the match is \$2000 due to expected number of participants. This motion passed. If you would like to volunteer to help work the match, contact Culley Majors, you will be fed, and you may win a gun.

Harold Bradshaw notified those present that they are looking for help with the 600 yd F-Class matches. If you would be interested in helping, please let him know. They have been using the new targeting system and it is working great. They are also looking into adding a factory rifle classification.

President Craig reported that progress is being made on the new website. It should be up soon, but we may not be able to process renewals this year.

President Craig reported we will be nominating for the positions of President and Vice President for the upcoming calendar year. Larry Morgan made motions to nominate George Craig and Culley Majors to continue serving next year. Both motions passed. Herman Meister made motions to close nominations as there were no other nominations. These motions passed. Club membership will vote on these positions at next month's meeting.

If you located a black case with 2 .22 pistols on Range 4, August 2nd sometime after 11am please contact Mickey at 501.605.3008

Match director's dinner- Oct 20 @6pm at Barn Hill Event Center.



Safety at the Range

Safety at the range is everyone's business! Never handle a firearm when someone is downrange. You need to have eye and hearing protection readily available. These should be worn when near a firing line. Steel targets must be placed at appropriate distances for the firearm. These may seem like common sense to most, but it's worth repeating.

You are not limited to the number of guests you can bring to the range, but you shouldn't bring more than you can safely monitor.

If you are unable to do so, your guest will be asked to leave club property. Per the Bylaws as of 6/22/2015; bump firing, fanning the trigger, and the use of bump fire stocks is prohibited

While tannerite (exploding target) is not specifically banned in our bylaws (yet), please be considerate of others as well as potential damage to club property while using it. Some members have been sprayed by the explosive residue and debris on different bays. If you can't consider those around, please, refrain from using it until you are the only one on the range. Also, clean up the mess you create when you are finished. Be safe and courteous, thank you.

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Range and Club Information Hotline.....501-602-2228

Club Meetings

The monthly club meetings are held at Smith Family
Funeral Home, 322 N. Market in Benton.

Officers

President..... George Craig (501-351-4948)
Vice-President..... Culley Majors (870-210-6756)
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Address Changed? Let Us Know!

If you change your mailing address, please let us know. Some membership renewal notices and newsletters have been returned to us. To ensure that you keep receiving the newsletter, please file a "change of address" request with the post office when you move and let the club secretary know. The same goes for changed email addresses: please send us a note when you switch email so we can update our records. Thanks!

*****NEW MEETING LOCATION*****

Beginning September 2020, we will hold our monthly meetings at:
Hill Barn Event Center, 100 Hill Rd., Bryant, AR. This about 2.5 miles south of I-30 off Reynolds Road. There will a sign on the road marking the turn at least for the first few meetings. Meeting is still the 2nd Monday of every month

New Members

We introduced 24 new applications for membership. They are: Seth Bunting, Nathan Bryant, Dub Burk, Michael Capoot, Trevor Cossey, Jason Dodwell, James Dunbar, Joe Eckard, Michael Emory, Seth Evans, Jacob Felton, Dwain Haislip, Bobby Hill, Lisa Hoyt, Karl Kosey, Jeb Little, Cory Mitchell, Jon Oliver, Jeff Pyle Sharat Sasi, Charles Savage, Jeremy Shapely, Daniel Slonecker, and Curtis Wood. Welcome to the Club!

All new members must attend a range and safety orientation before using the range. You are not a full-fledged member until complete. Upon completion, new members will receive membership cards and keys. New members need to send, to the club PO box, a copy of your NRA card or mailing label from the magazine.

Also, new members are entitled to shoot one club match per shooting discipline free of charge. Come out and experience the fun of competitive shooting!

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