



Turkey Shoot Fundraiser

From the President's Sights

Its back! Years ago the N.C.W. Gun Club put on turkey shoots to raise funds for club improvements.

Somewhere along the way, it was dropped for one reason or another. The shotgun discipline headed by Bruce Skelton and Dale Smith, offered to conduct this event. It was such a great success in the past that the pistol and rifle discipline headed by Jim Findlay and Jesse Redell along with the Archery discipline headed by Mike Shermer and Jason Hill asked if they could add some stages to the event and make it a real fun event for the members, families, friends and open it to the public.

The cost is \$25.00 for a guaranteed bird and lets you shoot 5 times and if you don't win, you get a turkey anyway or you can purchase single tickets for \$5.00. The shooter can pick a variety of events. Shotgun trap is 5 clay birds, pistol course will shoot at 5 steel plates, rifle course will be 5 shots prone at a poker target with the best hand winning and 5 archery targets at different ranges.

Bring your own guns (unloaded) or range masters can provide you with one if needed.

Free coffee and warming stations will be provided. Lunch will consist of hotdogs, chips, chili, cookies and soft drinks and will be by donation.

Registration will begin in the shotgun house at 9 am with shooting starting at 10 am.

Just remember, this is a fundraiser for the club. So come on up, bring family and guests, visit some old friends while bringing home a turkey.

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Last weekend, a new member approached me for some information. While we were talking, he brought up the subject of why the racetrack and Law Enforcement training take up so much shooting time. Good question, and here's the answer: It's about money. Racetrack, LE training, and some of the other 'time hogs' bring in dollars to the Club. We need the income. The same new member stated that he was astonished at what members get at our club for so little money. You see, at his last club, they had a 100-yard rifle range and a 50-yard pistol bay, and membership was \$120 a year. We have rifle ranges of 100-, 200- 300-, and 600-yards, two covered pistol bays of 25 and 100 yards, three outdoor 50-yard pistol bays, a trap range, an archery range, Junior Small-bore shooting and year-round access. You get a lot for your money! But when we try to raise the dues, even a little, to keep up with rising operations cost and help fund range improvements, everybody digs in their heels. I've heard all the excuses, and they usually boil down to this: I don't wanna pay it. If we ask for a \$10 increase, that's three Grande Double Mochas, no flavor, and a \$1 tip.

If you can afford guns, ammunition, a car to drive to the range, gas money, and targets, but the extra eighty three cents a month is going to break you? Heads up: Everything, and I mean everything, in life costs more now than it did ten years ago. If we want to keep a great range up and running, it's got to be a joint effort. Like voting against Obama. You can make a difference. Show up for range cleanup days. Volunteer to be a Range Officer- we're working on increased access during race days, but need volunteers to coordinate with WVSO. If you know somebody good at grant writing, have them contact a Board Member. If you have time, skills, or materials to donate, contact us- we need you!

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Annual Membership & Election Meeting

It's that time of year again! The annual membership meeting and elections for the N.C.W. Gun Club will be on January 16th, 2012 downstairs in the Pioneer Building. Social hour starts at 5:30 pm and the meeting will start at 7:00 pm..

Three Officer positions are open, President, Vice President and Treasurer. Each of these positions are for a one year term. Along with these are three board positions, elected to three year terms.

Dale Smith is the chairman of this years nominating committee and is assisted by Dave Quick, Jayson Hill and Brian Malone. If you are a member in good standing for the last three years and willing to serve on committees and work projects please contact one of these committee members.

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—Calendar of Events for November—

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
	Halloween 7am - Board		First quarter 4: 7am - Archery @	6am - Shotaun - 6am - Smallbore		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Daylight Saving 9am - Action Pistol 1am - 600vd		Election Day	7am - Archery @	Full moon 8:16am 6am - Shotaun - 6am - Smallbore	Veterans Day	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
			7am - Archery @	6am - Shotaun - 6am - Smallbore	Last quarter 3:09am	9am - Cowboy SASS
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
TURKEY SHOOT FUNDRAISER 9:00 AM OPEN TO THE PUBLIC BRING A FRIEND			7am - Archery @	Thanksgiving 	New moon 6:10am	
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
	7am - Board		7am - Archery @	6am - Shotaun - 6am - Smallbore	First quarter 9:52am	10am - 600vd