

SOUTHPORT GUN CLUB, Inc.

Monthly Meeting
November 12th, 2024

Attendance:

- Brian Boehm, Ken Normandy, Bill Means, Steve Thurmond, Steve Close,
- 14 persons, 14 regular members, 0 guests present.

Opening – Brian Boehm:

- Brian Boehm called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Introduction of Officers

Secretary's Report – Steve Thurmond

- September minutes read and approved with corrections to the date of the Junior Olympic qualifier, correct dates are on the Southport website.

Treasurer's Report – Bill Means:

- Income to date: \$26,456.97
- Expenses to date: -\$18,362.33
- Net Income for the year \$ 8,558.57
- Details of the treasures report is available from Bill if anyone wants to see details.

Membership Report – Steve Close:

- Currently we have 66 regular members and 11 seniors for a total of 77.
- Collected \$1135 in dues.
- 14 dues reminders were sent out.
- Work credits applied in September for the following individuals:
 - None reported
- 0 first readings
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- 0 second readings.
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Rifle Team – John Lathrop:

- John Lathrop will be running this year's rifle team, but would not be able to help run matches or other duties of the rifle chair.
- Unofficial practice is to start in December.
- Junior Olympic qualifier on January 11th and 12th at Southport.
- Small bore Rifle Sectional Match March 1st and 2nd.
- Emme Walrath is 3rd in the NCAA individual rifle rankings with an aggregate average of 1187.6 (*smallbore avg, 590.2; air rifle avg, 597.4*).

Pistol League – Bill Means:

- Fall rimfire league is underway.
- Will be sending out/posting flyers for the winter league.

Webmaster – Jon Speck: present

- No updates
- No one has stepped up to take the position after Jon advised the club that he is stepping down.

Rental Property – Tony Del Frate:

- Tony reported chimney collapsed at the rental property, the following is a list of repairs approved by club officers to make the property inhabitable again:
 - Roof repair \$2,780
 - Gutters \$500
 - Chimney \$2,200
 - Septic needs to be pumped (price not known)
- Tenant is staying at family because rental is uninhabitable until repairs are completed.
- Tenant is still behind on rent and is working to get caught up.

Match Director – Dora Potekin: (not present)

- Octoberfest had 11 competitors, 7 were Southport members, and 4 non-members.
- Dora posted the results at the range.

Hunter Education – Vacant:

- Leave the position vacant unless a member who has a passion for this request to restart hunter education. Additional discussion will be needed if this arises.

Maintenance – Jim Conti: (not present)

- It was reported that Jim has set up a contract for maintenance on the air handler and is working on a contract for the other heaters.

Old Business:

- No old business

New Business:

- An updated survey will be tested using Survey Monkey. First to a few members then discussed at next meeting before sending out survey to all club members.
- John Lathrop proposed a open house or family fun shoot for December 28th and will need volunteers to help run the match.
- **Current or Open Projects**
 - No discussion on this topic.
 - See the clipboards on the cabinet to the east of the main door for projects with volunteer opportunities and supplies needed.

Announcement:

- Jon Spec Lost his brother please extend your condolences.
- Thank Shaun Walrath for his outstanding work on cleaning the facility.

- Special thanks to Mark Scholzen for maintaining the lawn and winterizing the lawn mowers.
- John Lathrop can be added as a point of contact for coordinating to let contractors in the range for repairs.
- Any volunteer hours, please pass them on to club president.
 - Please be specific on what work was done when submitting work hours.

Adjourn Meeting:

- Brian Boehm adjourned the meeting 7:45PM

Respectfully submitted:

Steve Thurmond