

## **SOUTHPORT GUN CLUB, Inc.**

Monthly Meeting

May 14, 2019

### **Attendance:**

- Brian Boehm, Ken Normandy ,Bill Means, Scott Heeter, Tom Becker, Tony DelFrate, Beau Bosovich, Dora Potekin
- 12 total members present plus 4 Visitors

### **Opening – Brian:**

- Brian called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Brian made introductions.

### **Secretary's report:**

- Minutes were not read as Ken mentioned that we waive the minutes seeing that there is no one at this meeting that wasn't at last month's meeting and the minutes have been posted. Bill Means made a 2<sup>nd</sup> motion to adopt the minutes from last month as posted and this was approved by the membership.

### **Treasurer's report – Bill Means**

#### **Details**

- Johnson Bank (CD) -- \$8000.00
  - PNC checking (Club Range) – \$ 7,890
  - PNC Savings (Initiation Fee Escrow) – \$5,356
  - Johnson Bank (Rental House) – \$11,791
  - Johnson Bank (Security Deposit) – \$900
  - Tournament account – \$1,711
  - Total Cash Assets Balance – \$35,650
- No outstanding bills that Bill is aware of.
  - WE energies sent a notice about usage is low.

### **Membership report – Brian reported**

- It was reported that we have 85 regular members and 6 senior members for a total of 91 members. There are 22 dues reminders to send out.
- \$940 was collected this month from dues.
- No dues credits to be applied.
- There are 4, 1<sup>st</sup> readings.
  - Terry Heeter, Sponsored by Scott Heeter
  - Ray Neal, Sponsored by Todd Ogren
  - Steve Tenwinkel, sponsored by Todd Ogren
  - Norris Jones, sponsored by Dave Christenson and Beau Bosovich

All 4 prospective members introduced themselves and told us a little about themselves. They were all asked to come back next month for the 2<sup>nd</sup> reading.

- No 2<sup>nd</sup> readings.

### **Rifle Team – Clark Curtis reported**

- Jordan Heeter competed in the USA Shooting Junior Olympics in Colorado Springs, CO and shot her best air rifle scores to date.
- The Southport Gun Club is now affiliated with USA Shooting which is good for 5 years. Bill Means has the Certificate of Affiliation for lamination.
- Lara Spanic and Jordan Heeter competed in the NRA Junior National Air Rifle Championships in Bloomington, IL. Lara finished in 8<sup>th</sup> place and Jordan finished in 11<sup>th</sup> place. Congratulations to both.
- The Junior Rifle program and Rifle team had our annual banquet at Mason's. NRA/Winchester awards were presented.
  - We started a new plaque called the "USA 50 – 100 Achievement". When a competitor scores a 100 on the USA 50 target the first time in each position (Prone, Kneeling, and Standing), their name will be added to the plaque. Jordan was the first to have her name on the plaque.
  - We awarded a special trophy to Emme Walrath for her 2160x2400 she achieved when she shot three separate smallbore matches in one day and averaged 90% across all three matches. Emme is only 12 years old and that's an amazing achievement.
- The indoor junior program season officially ended and will reconvene in the fall.
- Thursday evening rifle team will continue over the summer for those that want to practice indoors.
- Dave Christenson worked with the Racine County Line Rifle Range and was able to setup a Wednesday evening outdoor smallbore junior and adult practice. Practice will be dependent on weather and Dave's availability.

### **Pistol League – Bill Means**

- Wrapping up the winter 2 gun league.
- Banquet is going to be Sunday May 19<sup>th</sup>. No one has really signed up however, he is expecting people to come. Anyone is welcome just let Bill know if you would like to come.
- Brian said he would send out an email about banquet.

### **Maintenance – Jim Conte**

- Not present however, he did talk to Brian and there really isn't nothing new to report.
- Brian briefly discussed the maintenance party and that they are planning to try and do quite a few things around the club. A lot of painting.
- Brian has received quotes on the asphalt project and will be presenting to the Executive committee.

### **Rental – Tony DelFrate**

- Septic inspection is due and he called and scheduled the inspection.
- Tenants have given notice asking how much notice they need to give to move. They have a child with a health issue and don't know what they are going to do as they are looking for some financial support.
- East side of driveway needs to have some gravel filled in. 3-5 yards of gravel will need to be brought in.
- There are some trees/limbs that fell down and Tony wants them to be part of the maintenance party to get fixed and cleaned up.

### **Match Director – Dora Potekin:**

- Dora reported the Wisconsin Indoor went very good. They had 31 shooters. They brought in \$1,305 of income which produced (after expenses) \$400 profit for the club.
- Octoberfest is upcoming on Oct. 18-20.

### **Hunter Education – Beau Bosovich**

- Beau reported that Hunters Safety courses have been scheduled for 1<sup>st</sup> Session – October 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup>. The 2<sup>nd</sup> session – October 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, and Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>. The club will be closed from 8-4 on those days.

### **Communications:**

- Newsletter went out on yesterday, May 13<sup>th</sup>.
- Gold Metal club was given to us Thanks to Tom.
- New Certificate from NRA for 5 years here.

### **Old Business:**

- Summer Scout still pending.
- Entry vestibule still pending.
- By-laws we are still working on this. We want to take our time to make sure we get this done correctly.
- Orion target system – Bill asked about clarification. Don and Ginny have donated and will be getting the system. Details have still not been ironed out. We will have some additional cost in regards to a dedicated computer or something to run the program on.

### **New Business:**

- RSO training course coming soon. Planning on late summer/early fall.
- Asphalt Bids for parking lots. Executive Committee to handle.
- Executive Board nominations for June. Annual positions that are up for vote are: President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. If anyone would like to run please send Brian an email to get your name on the ballot.
- Volunteer positions available: (approved by Exec. Committee)
  - Webmaster (Club Website)
  - Communication Chair (Newsletter)
  - Facilities Purchasing Coordinator (forms, towels, accessories, etc.) Fang Walrath will be taking this position.
  - Time, Talents and Tools Coordinator
    - Please let us know if you are interested in any of these positions.

### **Announcements:**

- Still looking for a 4<sup>th</sup> person to do the weekly maintenance.
- We raised about \$500 to give to Ron Giovanelli from the proceeds of the items that were sold.
- 2019 Maintenance party – This is scheduled for Saturday, June 29, 2019 from 9 am – 1 pm. (Grilling Brats, cold beverages, etc. starting at noon) No range time during this event. We need to try and get a head count of how many people plan to be here to plan for food.
- Ed brought up a new match (Fun match) that he is going to put together. 90 rounds shooting with some fun types of shooting. Details to come.

**Good of the Order:**

**Closing:**

- Brian adjourned the meeting at 8:03 pm

Respectfully submitted:

Scott Heeter  
Southport Gun Club