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

Monthly Meeting August 8, 2017

#### **Attendance:**

- Scott Lauder, Ken Normandy, Bill Means, Tom Becker and Beau Bosovich. (John Speck and Steve Close excused)
- 12 regular members
- Two visitors, for second reading
- One visitor for first reading

# **Opening – Scott Lauder:**

• Scott called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

## Secretary's report - (Ken Normandy for Jon Speck):

- Ken read abbreviated minutes from July no corrections
- Minutes were approved as read.

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

- Johnson Bank = 6595.00
- PNC checking = \$8043.00
- New member = \$5351.00
- Tournament account \$2184.20
- Total reserve = \$22,571.10

Bill mentioned the only liability was that we need to purchase targets.

# **Membership report – (Scott for Steve Close)**

- It was reported that we have 99 regular members and 8 senior members for a total of 107 members.
- \$3010.00 dues collected (two months)
- We have 6 people that have not yet verified their NRA membership with Steve and their keys are turned off until they do so. Deadline was the end of February.
- One scheduled for second reading, One (1) for first reading
- Faung and Shawn Walworth sponsored by John Speck and Clark Curtis were voted in by voice vote
- **Greg Weber Had 1**<sup>st</sup> **reading** Greg has been shooting pistol league with his father for several years, is an IT professional and willing to help out. Gary Weber is his sponsor. He is willing to help around the club.

## Rifle Team – Dave Christenson for Jon Speck:

- Thursday night is practice
- Still have 5 active Juniors doing well

## **Pistol League – Bill Means:**

- The signup sheet is available for fall league and there are still openings.
- Cost this year will be \$40.00, 90 rounds of .22 shot as 2 slow, 2 timed, 2 rapid then Gallery. New score cards will be created by Tom.
- Air pistol will continue (shoot at home and turn in sheets) like last year

## **Maintenance – (Scott and Tom for Jim Conte)**

- Jim has one estimate to replace front windows with Glass Blocks for about \$1,500.00
- Reseal floors throughout
- Cleaning and maintenance party on August 26, Jim asked that we bring weed whackers and brush cutters for trimming. No calls just show up. A notice will be put in the Fall Newsletter.

## Rental – Tony Delfrate: (Scott for Tony)

- Tony is still screening tenants
- Rent has been raised to \$900.00
- Utilities cost has reverted back to club

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

No report.

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

Beau reported both classes are filling up.

### **Communications – Tom Becker:**

- Dues credits to Tom.
- NRA Grant Deadline August 17 it was discussed we will have to submit next year and will start process earlier and assume we will be eligible (NRA gold)
- Friends of the NRA, Bill Means is coordinating tables and tickets for September 29<sup>th</sup>. A seat at the Southport table is \$150.00 (\$50.00 dinner and \$100.00 for raffle tickets). Participants will get \$200.00 worth of tickets
- Wisconsin Outdoor Conventional Pistol match 8/26-27 in Beloit

#### **Old Business:**

- NRA Range Grant we are too late for this year's grant. Scott said he will start working on
  it in February.
- No new and NRA memberships were done through the link on the website last month.
- NRA validation was discussed and it was decided to continue the annual January validation for NRA membership. A motion" to eliminate the annual validation for lifetime NRA members after the member's first validation" was tended by Gary Weber. Tom Becker seconded. It was passed by voice vote.
- No new material on the 501c3 membership
- Service Road -No new info on boundary lines for our access road
- Defibulator training is needed no update
- St Anthony fun shoot is 8/27, sponsored by Will Martin. Clint and Tony will be RO's.

## **New Business:**

- Bill Means discussed our present liability coverage is only in effect for club sponsored activities and that NRA instructor insurance is mandatory for any compensated classes at the club with no exceptions.
- NRA Carry Guard Insurance and other offerings were discussed as NRA Carry Guard EXPO is in Milwaukee August 25-27.
- Bill Means discussed that our AT&T land line cost was increasing and he will check into the cost difference with a DSL bundled circuit
- Dave Christensen asked if the club could buy ammo for the Junior's program and he had an attractive price. It was decided to buy and offer some to members.

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# Closing:

Scott adjourned the meeting at 8:05 pm

Respectfully submitted:

Ken Normandy for Jon Speck Southport Gun Club