

SOUTHPORT GUN CLUB, Inc.

Monthly Meeting
October 11, 2016

Attendance:

- Scott Lauder, Ken Normandy, Bill Means, Jon Speck, Nick Kasemeotes, Tom Becker, Beau Bosovich,
- 18 regular members,
- No 1st time visitors
- 1 second reading member candidate

Opening – Scott Lauder:

- Scott called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. No new visitors.

Secretary's report – Jon Speck:

- Jon read the minutes for the September meeting. The minutes were accepted as read.

Treasurer's report – Bill Means:

For the first ten months (10/9) of 2016, club income was \$27,988.41; expenses were \$19,151.02, resulting in a net income of \$8,837.31. We had two months' worth of dues put in since the previously meetings which is quite a bit. Water and phone were put on autopay. Financially, we are in great shape. Bill also provided an update on our current status:

Net Worth (Available Cash):

Johnson Bank - Rental Account	\$4665.00
PNC Checking Account	\$9406.34

Net Worth (Reserve Accounts):

New Member Endowment	\$5,000.21
Rental Security Deposit	\$797.46

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Membership report – Steve Close and Dora Potekin were not present:

- It was reported that we have 93 regular members and 7 senior members for a total of 100 members.
- \$940.00 in dues were collected.
- 18 dues reminders were sent out
- Monthly work dues credits were applied to 7 people ranging from 1 month to 6 months
- No First Readings

- One Second Reading:
 - **Larry Funderburk** – was at the meeting for his second reading. Larry is sponsored by Joel Torola. Larry is married and lives in Wadsworth, IL, is retired from Abbott Labs where he worked as an electrical engineer for 33 years. Larry also retired from his own company where he built homes. He is a pistol shooter and is familiar with bullseye shooting. Larry received his NRA membership. He is a carpenter and electrician and willing to help out around the club. One of Larry's bucket list items is to get back into shooting. Larry's membership was approved by voice vote.

Rifle Team – Clark Curtis reporting for Jon Speck

- The Southeastern Rifle League season started Thursday, October 6th. Matches will continue Thursday evenings, and the team will continue to practice Sunday mornings.
- The Junior Rifle Program officially starts Saturday, October 22nd at 8:00 AM.
- The Octoberfest Sporter Rifle match was held on Sunday, October 9th with 5 participants. The air rifle/pistol match was not held due to lack of interest.
- The rifle team drilled holes in the range backboard for rifle target hangers, and created a template for the next time this is done.
- Rifle team performed the pressure washing the walls. There were significant problems with the power washer.

Pistol League – Bill Means reported

- Pistol league started and is on about week 3. Summary sheets are on the table
- There is an award hanging from a clip, it belongs to Scott lauder
- A couple of folks dropped out of the league due to health issues.
- Air pistol program started; there are a couple of participants. Targets are hung on the clip and Bill picks those up.

Maintenance –Jim Conti (Jim Conti was not present at the meeting):

- Jim discarded old sign in back of building
- The air compressor component was installed and working
- The pressure washing has been completed
- Tony not available to talk about front windows
 - Glass Block, talked about having a window air conditioner put in to the glass block
 - Talked about the meeting room floor, seal the floor or paint – Jim will look into it
- Replaced missing or damaged ceiling tiles in range
- Covered back vertical area of suspended bullet baffle
- Replaced furnace filters, clubhouse and range

Rental – Tony DelFrate:

- Tony was not present, things are good and the report was tabled until the November meeting.

Match Director – Nick Kasemeotes

- Oktoberfest went off well.
- We had 15 shooters and 5 cancelled (injuries or individuals just forgot).
 - (15 x \$40) \$600 dollars brought in, minus expenses, the match brought in \$439.20 total profit.
- Jim, Tony and Mark, range and the backdrop looked great
- Scott Torola, Brian Boehm and Dora call the match
- Dan Gutknecht finished 1st overall and 1st Master
- Tom Becker finished 2nd expert
- Nick said Brian and Dora spent a significant amount of time learning as they start to take on the match director role. Dora will be official match director. Nick will shadow the sectionals.
- There is a separate checking account for pistol matches. Dora doesn't like the idea of a separate checkbook and would prefer to close the account. Bill and Dora to work it out.
- Volunteer hours turned into Tom Becker
- Checkbook turned over to Bill Means
- Nick did a great job running the matches
- January 27th, 28th, and 29th are scheduled for the NRA Pistol open sectionals. The sectional is .22 only with a total aggregate of 900 points. This match is the week before the super bowl.

Hunter Education – Beau Bosovich

- Hunter Ed is in progress, remaining dates on the 15th & 16th and the 23rd for the final exam
- Several from the Hunter Ed program showed interest in becoming members of the club

Communications – Tom Becker:

- Friend of the NRA banquet, we have 7 people at the table but about to get tickets as if we were a whole table. It was a good dinner.

Old Business:

- No new NRA signups
- No CMP report
- No report on 501c3
- Gary Weber reported on the pistol rest
 - It's a MTM Pistol/Rifle Rest valued at \$46.07
 - This is not a Ransom Rest.
 - **Tom put forward a motion to purchase one MTM Pistol/Rifle Rest.**
 - Gary Weber seconded the motion
 - Question was raise if one was enough or do we need two. It was decided one was enough.
 - Motion to purchase one rest was passed by voice vote.
 - Bill to use the new club credit card to purchase the MTM Pistol/Rifle Rest

New Business:

- Ed Delgadillo asked if he could pay his dues to Bill with Steve Close not being present.

Announcements:

- No new announcements were made

Closing:

- Scott adjourned the meeting at 7:37 pm

Respectfully submitted:

Jon Speck
Secretary
Southport Gun Club