



York Rifle Range Newsletter

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President's Message - Fall 2012

I am happy to report that this past year has been very successful. There were a number of projects that were completed this year, the most noticeable being the new gate and card reading system, (see page 2 for more details). We are also updating a number of items on the ranges, such as upgrading back stops to continue to emphasize safety. None of the projects could become successful without the hard work of our loyal volunteers, who dedicate their time and energy for the upkeep and maintenance of our organization. A heartfelt thank you goes out to all our volunteers.

This year was an active year with membership hitting an all-time record and reaching our Senior limit. Presently we have 1,200 Senior members, 226 Life members, 79 Junior members and 1 Ac-

tive Military, for a total of 1,506 total members.

I am proud to announce that York Riflemen had a strong showing at the National Matches in Camp Perry, Ohio this year. We were also able to sponsor a Junior Shooting team at the National Matches who did very well and did us proud. **This is our future at work.**

I want to remind all our members of the important election that is upon us. This is a most critical election to us as gun owners. First, you need to get out and vote and if you are having difficulty knowing how candidates feel about gun control, a good web-site is the NRA-PVF at www.nrapvf.org/. One of our own members, Keith Gillespie, will be seeking re-election in the 47th Legislative District, so please get

out and vote for one of our own. Another member of our Club will not be seeking re-election this year and that is US Congressman Todd Platts. I would like to personally thank him for his dedication and representing us in Washington. I hope if you see Todd at the range you too will thank him for a job well done.

This is our busiest time at the range with members preparing for hunting season. Please come out and enjoy yourself but most of all **BE SAFE**. On behalf of the Officers and Board of Directors of the York Rifle Range, I bid you a safe and successful hunting season. also, an enjoyable holidays.

Doug Nace, President
York Rifle Range Association Inc.

Membership Dues for 2013 are due by December 31

It's that time of year again. Your **Membership Dues for 2013 are due by December 31st. This is your reminder!** We have many people on the waiting list as always, if you don't get you dues in on time your membership will end and the applicants on the waiting list will take your spot. If your membership is terminated you need to re-

apply for membership and your membership date is reset to the date you rejoin.

It could be years before you will get back in.

Dues for 2013 will again remain the same as the last few years.

\$20 for Senior Members

\$5 for Junior Members

\$0 for Life Members

I will again be at the Club on the 2 Sundays before Thanksgiving, November 11th and 18th from 11am to 5pm to make it easier for you to pay your dues. While you are there take some time, have some food and take a few shots.

If you can't make it, then Mail your dues to the address directly to the right.



York Rifle Range

2012 Officers

• **President:**

Doug Nace

• **Vice President:**

T. Richard Ide

• **Treasurer:**

Ken Kreiger

• **Recording Secretary:**

Lisa Saupp

• **Membership Secretary:**

Jim Jensen

Board of Directors

• **Chairman:**

Russ Stabley 2012— 2013

• **Directors:**

Ed Fauth 2011 - 2012

Bob Mitzel 2011 - 2012

Dave Reihart 2012 - 2013

Norm Taylor 2012 - 2013

York Riflemen Club

- Meetings held the 2nd Tuesday every month at 7:30pm in the clubhouse. All Members are encouraged to attend

**Club's Mailing Address
send your yearly dues to:**

- **York Rifle Range**
PO Box 3592
York, PA 17402



Special ATTENTION

NEW Access gate installed and operating

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We contracted Security Fence Company to install the New automatic access gate. The installation was completed in August. It is connected to the same card reader system that operates the Clubhouse door. Your white access card, or the key fob that you were issued, will activate both the automatic gate and the clubhouse door.

The NEW GATE was installed across the road just before the Storage garage. Although it is very close to the clubhouse, there is extra fencing installed into the woods that will stop non-membership from being able to drive into the range area. You, as a member, should not park on the out-

side of the gate and walk around the fencing to gain access to the club. Use your card to open the gate, wait for the gate to open all the way and then proceed through to a parking area. If you don't have "time" to wait for the gate to fully open you should come back another day when you have time to wait the extra 10 seconds that it takes for the gate to open. The club is not responsible for any damage caused to your vehicle because you didn't have time to wait for the gate to fully open or you tried to squeeze in before it closed from a person in front of you. And on that note, you are responsible for damage that you cause to the gate.

You must have your current year's Membership card and access card with you at ALL TIMES while you are on Range Property. If you forget your access card you will not be able to open the gate to get in.

To EXIT the range, Spull up to the painted area on the road and the sensor will open the gate to let you out. Your card is not required to let you out.

One other note that we will send out more information about later. We will be installing Security cameras at the gate and at points around the club as we have one or more people coming to the club that continue to damage the property while

they are here. Although the cameras will not actually stop the damage, we will know who to contact for payment.

REMINDER TO EVERYONE. The White access card or Black Key fob that you now have DOES NOT get replaced each year. **It is assigned to you for as long as you are an active member of the club.** If you lose it or it gets damaged, you can get a replacement card or Key fob at the cost of \$10 Plus \$1 for postage. Or you can save the postage by picking up your card before or after, the Monthly Club Meetings held the 2nd Tuesday each month. Payment must be received before a new card is issued.

Junior and Senior Members advancing to next level

Congratulations to the following Members that will be advancing to Senior Membership level starting January 1st 2013.

Juniors that have turned 18 or will be turning 18 before the end of 2012 will advancing to Senior Membership are:

- Brian Aikey,**
- Steven Boddington,**
- Samantha Crabill,**
- Logan Johnson,**
- Tanner Kline,**
- Daniel Sanders,**
- Clayton Swartz,**
- Adam Weigle**

Remember, that advancing to Senior Membership increases your yearly dues to \$20. Once I receive your Senior Membership dues for 2013 I will send out your New Access card with your 2013 Membership card. Your access card will become active on January 1, 2013 and will remain active as long as you are a member in good standing with the club.

Seniors Members advancing to Life Members on January 1, 2013.

- Harold, (Ed) Fauth**
- Robert Mitzel**

- Franklin Albright**
- William Allison**
- Robert Barefoot**
- Alan Brockman**
- Richard Dufner**
- Thomas Emig**
- David Fiorani**
- Larry Fox**
- Charles Gantz**
- Craig Gross**
- George Himmelright, Jr.**
- Larey Kauffman**
- Robert March, II**
- Stanley Pascavage**
- Eugene Rabinstine, Jr.**
- Carroll Rutledge**
- John Schroll, Jr.**
- George, Shorb**

- Jeffery Slagel**
- Jeffery Stevenson**
- Sammuel Terroso**
- Harry Williams**

Life Members are Dues Free from this point on. I will mail your Life Membership card before the end of 2012. You will continue to use the white access card you have been issued.

And a reminder to all Senior and Life Members, Your access card is set to open the Gate and Clubhouse door between the Hours of 6am to 11pm everyday. If you come before 6am your card will not open the gate or clubhouse door.



High Power News

The NRA has approved our 2013 High Power Program. All are 800 Agg matches except April match. Schedule dates are....

April 28 *

May 26

June 23

July 21 **

August 25

September 22

* 500 Agg match following Garand Match.

** July match is a week early to avoid conflict with CMP week at Camp Perry.

The High Power Team is looking at the team structure for 2013 and the team attendance for Camp Perry. With that in mind, we will be arranging a High Power Clinic and a 50 shot clinic match to be held in early March of 2013 for new High Power Team Members. The Clinic will be \$20 per Senior shooter, No charge for Juniors. (you should bring your own shooting supplies.

If you would like to get more information about the March Clinic or any questions about the High Power Team you may contact:

Fred Haag at
Haagfred@gmail.com

Or

Adam Jones at
aj2326@yahoo.com



Our club has been designated as a RECRUITING CLUB with the NRA. If you have not already done so, you should join the NRA to help support your Second Amendment rights. You can also RENEW your membership and receive a discount off of a 1, 2, 3, 5 year or Life Membership.

If you would like to Join the NRA as a New member or Renew your current membership and receive a discount go to Our website

www.yorkriflemen.org
and click on the NRA Link like the one above.
Or see me at the club.

Smallbore News

The York/Seitzland Smallbore Team posted a second place finish for the outdoor season in the Inter-County Rifle League. Thank you for the support of the shooters that came out and competed in this season. We are now

into our winter indoor schedule which is 20 matches, half being at home and half at away ranges. These matches take place on Friday evenings at 7:00PM. If you are interested in shooting there are schedules available at

the club house or on our web-site.



2013 Club election held at October's meeting

The York Rifle Range held it's yearly elections for the club. The Officers are elected each year and the Board of Director are elected to 2 year terms. Directors are elected 2 each year to offset the change of their position. All Senior and Life Members are eligible to vote for Your Club's Officers and Directors but you must be present at the

October meeting to cast your vote. Nominations are also taken from the floor at the September meeting. If you are interested in taking part in the vote or becoming an Officer or Director, you should come to the monthly meetings to see how your club works. Club meetings are held Every month on the 2nd Tuesday at 7:30pm.

Listed are the Members elected at this year's meeting and will begin their time in office or retain their position as of 1/1/13.

Officers

President: Doug Nace

V.P.: T. Richard Ide

Treasurer: Ken Kreiger

Recording Secretary:
Lisa Saupp

Membership Secretary:
Jim Jensen

New Directors:

Greg Livingston
- 2013-2014

Fred Haag 2013-2014

Chairman of the Board: Russ Stabley

The Chairman of the Board is Appointed by the President for a 1 year term.



York Rifle Range

Mailing address

**P.O. Box 3592
York, PA 17402**

Clubhouse phone
717-755-7694

Question about the club?
Email: Yorkriflemen@yahoo.com

Questions about membership?
Email: YRMembership@comcast.net

Newsletter Editor in Chief: Jim Jensen

**Support your "Right to keep and bear
arms"
Join the NRA**

Club's Website:

www.yorkriflemen.org

It's time to pay your 2013 Membership dues, see page 1 for details!!!!!!

Hunting season, Public Sight-In dates set for 2012

Mark your calendars! The annual Public Sight-in and Running Deer dates are set for the two Sundays before Thanksgiving. This year the dates are **November 11 and November 18** from 8am to sunset. **Don't miss it!**

This event is open to the public and non-members are welcome on these dates only. Any type of hunting rifle may be sighted-in and if needed, assistance will be available.

Sight-in will be held rain or shine. Stop by the clubhouse to warm up and get some refreshments as well as conversing with fellow

members and friends. There's always a good story to be heard!

Weather permitting we will again hold the annual "running of the deer". Try your skills on our moving deer target. You'll get three trips across the range for a modest fee, proceeds to go to the club for range upkeep. Again this year we are continuing a 5-shot string maximum for each run for safety reasons as well as reducing wear and tear on the equipment. Also for these reasons we ask that no slug guns or calibers larger than 30 cal. be fired at the deer target.

And just in case you were

wondering, the pistol and shotgun ranges will also be available for use those days, too. So come on out and make a day of it!

We're sorry but the outdoor .22 range will be closed because the operators for the running deer are behind that range in the woods and they might not appreciate the gunfire coming at them from both sides of the little area they are hiding in.

The Membership Secretary will also be available those days from 11am to 5pm so you can pay your **YRR 2013 membership dues**. Payment may be made by cash or check.

If you are not an NRA member, now would be a great time to join at a discounted rate; if you are an NRA member, you can renew thru the club also at a discounted rate. Checks or Credit Cards are preferred for NRA membership. Make checks payable to the **NRA**.

