

# York Rifle Range Association, Inc P.O. Box 3592 York, PA 17402

# Meeting Minutes for December 14, 2021

• The York Rifle Range Association meeting for December 14, 2021 was called to order by President Ide at 7:30 pm with 19 members present.

## Pledge of allegiance was recited by the group.

# Minutes of previous meeting.

- The Minutes of the November 9, 2021 meeting were read by Secretary Jeff Walters.
- A motion was made by Fred Haag and seconded by George Himmelright to approve the minutes as read. This motion was approved unanimously by the members present.

#### **Treasurer's Report**

- The monthly Treasurer's report was read and submitted by Cheryl Gerhart.
- Please see Treasurer's report attached to the meeting minutes located in the clubhouse lobby.
- All club accounts will be audited at the end of the year.

# **Membership Report**

- · Membership Secretary, Jim Jensen gave the report.
- Membership totals are as follows: 1195 Senior, 44 Junior, 379 Life, 6 Active Military, 1624Total
- Current wait list is 70 senior and 3 juniors
- New members for 2021, 63 senior and 7 juniors.
- A total of 341 current members need to renew for 2022
- We had four people submit a waiting list application and did not supply an email. Since email is the primary means for communication and they did not follow the concise directions their names have not been added to the waitlist.
- Got new supply of lanyard card holders and are located in the normal location for members to purchase.

# **Smallbore Report**

- Jeff Walters gave the report.
- We are at the mid point of the indoor match schedule. Still in last place with four points. Had an opportunity to get some more points at the away match at Columbia but we were short staffed.
- Next match is a home postal match with North End, then we break for the holidays and start back with the second half of the season January 7th with a home bye week match.
- One of our newest juniors will shoot his first Smallbore match this week.

## **Big Bore Report**

- Fred Haag gave the report.
- Will have dates for the 2022 season in January.

# **Junior Program Report**

- Jeff Walters gave the report.
- Air rifle still going well. Will continue through the end of March. Averaging four to six shooters each week.
- Will need to look at buying a supply of pellets in the spring. Current supply has lasted for about three
  years.

# **Building and Grounds Report**

- · George Himmelright gave the report.
- All firewood has been split and either stacked in the wood shed or IBC bins.
- Strines heating & cooling was out at the end of November for annual cleaning and maintenance. Two days later the furnace did not function. Tech was called and fixed the problem.
- Had a slight snafu with the front door and Jim came up and found the source of the problem and fixed the situation.
- Equipment in the garage has been shuffled around to prepare for winter use.

#### **Pistol Committee**

- Brett Neese gave the report.
- Raked and removed leaf debris from the pistol range.
- Dueling tree is still out of commission. Plates need to be rewelded. Damage was due to members not reading the signage and using prohibited ammunition on the dueling tree. Will take at least a month to repair. If damage continues the dueling tree will be removed.

# **Legislative Report**

- State legislature passed constitutional carry bill, but governor vetoed the measure.
- More people are throwing their hat into the ring for the 2022 election. Dr. Oz has announced for Senate seat being vacated by Sen Toomey.
- President Biden doubled down on his push for more gun legislation on the anniversary Marjory Stoneman Douglas school shooting.
- · Get out and vote, be an educated voter, and continue to contact your elected officials.
- Electoral districts are being redrawn this year. Deadline is around mid January or else the April primary election will need to be postponed.

### **Old Business**

• Still looking for a laptop computer for treasurer's use.

#### **New Business**

• A donation of \$80 was made to purchase a 24" high stool for the pistol range. Brett will keep an eye out for the donor to see what he would like to see in regards to the stool specifications.

# **Good or Welfare of the Club**

- Doug Nace talked to Dick Crowl over the weekend. Dick just wanted to say hello to everyone and he is enjoying the warm 85 degree weather.
- It has been an interesting year due to the current pandemic. We did loose a number of members and friends this year due to covid. Had a brief moment of silence to remember lose that we lose during the past year.
- Running deer was lightly attended this year. Primary theory is the current cost and availability of ammunition kind of puts a damper on expending frivolous rounds.

# Adjournment

• A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. This was approved and the meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.