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New NRA Distinguished Expert



The DSC proudly announces our newest NRA Distinguished Expert - Leo Brancato. Leo now joins a group of elite shooters across the country that have proven their mastery of skills using the .22cal. target rifle. Two hundred bulls-eyes had to be shot within strict scoring parameters, using all four shooting positions, to reach this ultimate goal. Self motivation, discipline and patience are the most important factors in reaching success at this level.

Leo resides with his family in New Baltimore and is a 15-year-old, 9th grader, attending Anchor Bay High School. Just like his brother, Roman, Leo is a perfect gentleman and is seen, but not heard from most of the time. Like most

of our shooters, Leo has other interests such as playing the piano, video games, baseball, and being out on the golf course. Needless to say, Leo's academic record matches the excellence of his shooting record.

This young man has plans for the future that include completing a driver's education course, graduating from high school, deciding on a career, and work towards that goal on a college level. Ultimately, Leo would like to settle down and start a family. His current goal was to complete his Distinguished Expert Classification - mission accomplished. Leo enjoys target shooting because "he likes the idea of precision and the use of discipline and self control." *continued page 3*



Archery

The Archery Committee has been hard at work this spring getting the outdoor 3-D course ready for action. We have cleared downed trees from walking paths, set up targets, added a new gate to help with course layout changes and replaced a bridge over the creek.

All this was done to prepare for the 3-D Spring Archery

League which started April 29, to be followed by the May 4 kick off weekend of 3-D open shooting. The 3-D Archery course will be open every Saturday and Sunday for the summer. The course will be closed for Memorial Day, Sunday, May 26.

In addition to the 3-D course opening, the summer JOAD *continued page 3*

Next General Membership Meeting
June 5 @ 8 p.m.

April General Membership Drawing
Member Karl Schild missed out on \$200
May has \$250 up for grabs. Must be present to win.

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(Nov-Mar)

Wed, Thur, Sat & Sun

10 a.m.-4 p.m.

(Apr-May)

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Sat & Sun 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

(Jun-Sep)

Wed & Thur 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

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Black Powder RSO <i>May</i> Mondays 5:30 p.m. to dusk Rifle Range	
May 6	Greg Campbell Walter Opdycke
May 13	Gerry Ridener Jack McDaniels
May 20	Gene Canapini Steve Stokes
May 27	Closed

Black Powder RSO <i>May</i> Thursdays 6—8 p.m. On indicated Range			
May 2	Dave Pierce	Mark Triplett	Woods Walk
May 9	Uwe Pearl	Charlie Massy	50-yard
May 16	Dave Lidgley	Mark Mendola	Woods Walk
May 23	Jack McDan-	Greg Campbell	50-yard
May 30	Don Hugdahl	Larry Mullen	Woods Walk

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The entire team and all of the coaches wish Leo the best of luck staying focused on his future. He already has a solid foundation on life. We hope to hear more about his achievements very soon.

Don Szleznyngier

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(Junior Olympic Archery Development) class is scheduled to start May 2 and runs for 8-weeks. For those who would like to be more involved in JOAD and become an instructor, there is a JOAD instructor class planned for May 17 & 18. For details you can contact Shannan Lancaster.

Jamie Ploof



Member passing

Beth Old

Member since 2018

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June 28-29-30, 2019



FLIGHT TIMES

Rotation 1 ~ 12-Ga —10 a.m./20-Ga —1:30 p.m. Saturday
28-Ga—11:30 a.m./410 Bore —3 p.m. Sunday

Rotation 2 ~ 12-Ga —11:30 a.m./20Ga —3 p.m. Saturday
28Ga —10 a.m. / 410 Bore — 1:30 p.m. Sunday

More than \$1500 in Added Money and Prizes
\$50 Ch. \$35 RU—\$20 3rd \$10
Class 1st—\$5 Class RU

\$40 per gun includes NSSA & MSA fees
& Saturday Night "FUN SHOOT"

Sponsored by Briley—Lonesome Charlie—Clay Delay

Contact : Rick Trawinski / 586/634/1795 / ricktraw@gmail.com



Dave Oles

Dave joined the club in 2012 and is currently a Board member. He spends most of his time at archery and sporting clays & volunteering at club workbees.

P & K Submissions

are due the **15th** of every month.

Send to pk@dsc.org
Please send in original format

Please do not send pdfs

CMP PISTOL EIC MATCH PROGRAM

.22 Distinguished Pistol, & Service Pistol Match Sponsored by

DETROIT SPORTSMEN'S CONGRESS 49800 Dequindre Utica, Michigan 48317 Telephone: 586-739-3500

Sundays June 9, Aug. 11, 2019 & Sep. 8, 2019
Sign-in Starts : 8:30 a.m.

First Relay

.22 Distinguished Pistol 9 a.m., Service Pistol 10 a.m.

Second Relay

.22 Distinguished Pistol 11 a.m., Service Pistol 12 p.m.

Course of Fire: .22 Dist. & Service Pistol:

1 Course of 10-shots, 10 minutes, 50-yards

2 Course of 5-shots, 20-seconds, 25- yards

2 Course of 5-shots, 10-seconds, 25-yards

Firearm: "Service Pistol" as defined in the Current Edition of the CMP Rule book (see rule 6.4 Table 3 or rule 6.1 Table 2).

<http://thecmp.org/wp-content/uploads/CMPGamesRules.pdf?ver=03022017>

<http://thecmp.org/wp-content/uploads/Rulebook.pdf?ver=03022017>

Entries: 15-entries will be allowed per relay. There will be two relays as defined above. Non-distinguished shooters will get priority.

FEEs: Required: Non-member \$10

Member normal range fee

CMP Fee: Distinguished .22 or Service Pistol \$15 each

Awards: EIC points towards Distinguished Pistol Badge.

Rules: In accordance with the current edition of the CMP Rulebook. All EIC Service Pistol Matches will be governed by CMP Rules.

Contact: Match Director : Larry Frey 586-791-1816
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A Primer on Primers

Just think; you have stalked the 6X6 trophy elk up and down the Montana hills all day, finally you get within range and you line up the animal in your scope and squeeze the trigger. The gun fires and the trophy you have worked for so hard for is now yours. Or you are on the skeet field and you have broken 99 out of 100 targets and you call for the last bird. You press the trigger and congratulations are in order, you just broke 100 straight. The hunting guide or your fellow skeet shooters compliment you on your skills. However without the primer in the cartridge or shotshell nothing happens. It must work 100% of the time in rain or snow, high or low temperatures. Otherwise, no game, a missed target or even a lost human life. The primer is a surprisingly complicated mix of components and has a long history of development over the years. The ammo and component manufacturers talk about their high tech bullets and the quality of their brass, but very little is known about just what makes a primer work to set off the whole shooting process.

The history of primers goes back more than 200 years. The first primer was made in 1805 in America by Rev. James Forsyth. It consisted of fulminate of mercury with potassium chlorate. It had several disadvantages; it was very dangerous to make and it had a short shelf life. It was corrosive to brass and barrels. It was discontinued by the military before 1900 and was used in some special purpose ammo until roughly 1930. While it was a good primer for black powder, smokeless powder needs a better ignition to work reliably. Remington was the first manufacturer to use a non-mercuric primer in their am-

mo. It was patented in 1929. This started a race to perfect the primer by other ammo manufacturers. There were hundreds of experiments and tests. There was also a lot of returned ammo that did not work. Today primers work so reliably, no one gives them a second thought.

A primer has a complex chemistry that consists of six major components:

#1 is the **initiator** that starts the primer to fire. The initiator is usually lead styphnate.

#2 is the **sensitizer**; it gives the initiator a boost since by itself it is not very sensitive to the firing pin strike. It uses a chemical called tetracene. Both the initiator and the sensitizer are true explosives.

#3 is the **oxidizer**; it provides additional oxygen to burn the fuel so as to give off an incandescent gas. Potassium chlorate is a very good oxidizer, but it is corrosive to barrels and is not used anymore. Some match primers used chlorate until the late 50's. Barium nitrate is normally used because it is stable in storage and it is non-reactive with the other chemicals in the primer.

#4 is the **fuel**. It is what the oxidizers burn. It provides a more flame than produced by the initiators for powder ignition. Antimony sulfide is the most common fuel in primers; in some primers powdered aluminum is used, particularly for the .50BMG. The burning particles of aluminum are blown into the powder by the primer blast to aid in powder ignition.

#5 is the **frictionator**; it is usually not used in centerfire primers, but is necessary in rimfire cartridges. The usual frictionator is ground borosilicate glass.

#6 is the **binder**; it is used to hold the other components in

place. It must be non-reactive and must not interfere with the crushing blow from the firing pin. Gum Arabic is one of the binders commonly used.

Other materials; some primers have PETN and TNT as a component to generate more heat and energy to the other chemicals. Both are widely used as military explosives.

Primer manufacture is a dangerous process. Some of components for primers can be bought off the shelf from chemical suppliers, but the initiator and the sensitizer must be made in house. Strong acids and caustics are used to make them. Careful weighing of chemicals and temperature control of the process are critical. Any scrap from the lead chemicals must be made inert before discarding. Working areas must be ultra clean. Primer chemicals must be worked with and stored wet. Anything less than 10% moisture is asking for trouble. Eye protection, rubber gloves, respirators and rubber aprons are needed in manufacture. The primer mix is normally made in small lots and each is checked for quality before assembly into the finished primer. Primers are assembled with a wet primer mix pellet, foil to cover the mix with, a cup to put it in, and an anvil that the primer mix is crushed against by the firing pin. The cups and anvils are made in punch presses. In America, the anvil is part of the primer (Boxer) and in Europe and other countries; the anvil is part of the cartridge case. (Berdan) They must be washed to pristine cleanliness, as any soap used in stamping out the cups and anvils will kill the primer mix unless removed. During assembly a small drop of nitrocellulose lacquer is used to seal the primer pellet and the foil cover. Federal still uses the foil and lacquer method, other

manufacturers use different assembly methods. After assembly 100% of the primers are inspected. Using four assemblers and one inspector per shift, an eight-hour shift can load approximately 200,000 primers.

Primers for hand loading are made in several categories. They are available in large and small rifle, very large primers for the .50 BMG, large and small pistol, shotgun primers, hotter primers for magnum or large loads, and bench rest primers for greater accuracy. Some manufacturers are starting to offer lead free primers.

Safety with primers should be taken seriously. Primers are packed in plastic trays in a cardboard sleeve usually 100 to a sleeve and 1000 to a box of sleeves. They should be handled with care, remember they are made with true explosive compounds. Under no circumstances should they be stored in any other containers, but only the sleeves they came in. Primers stored in containers such as glass jars or metal ammo cans are subject to explosions and are very dangerous. Read and follow the warnings on the primer packages. Wear safety glasses when working with primers. Do not store them in an area subject to excess heat or cold. Primers if properly stored have a shelf life of many years. While loading primers do not try to force them into the cartridge case if excessive resistance is felt. If a primer goes off during the hand loading process it will be an experience you will not forget.

A wise man said that if you look after the little things the large things will take care of themselves. This applies to the ubiquitous primer which makes every round of ammo go bang.

By: Richard Hegelman

Rifle

It's May and the summer leagues have started. There is High Power Friday and Saturday mornings and Wednesdays in the afternoon. Sporting rifle including the new "Tactical Prone" League shoots Thursday afternoons and Sunday mornings. Finally there is small bore silhouette league shooting Tuesday and Saturday afternoons. There is plenty of league action at the DSC and these leagues are always eager to help out new shooters. Come out and give one of these leagues a try.

Open shooting is now expanded to both Saturdays and Sundays for the summer. This means we need twice as many Range Officers per week as we do in the winter time. If you are currently a range officer, please help out by volunteering to RO. To reserve a time slot, contact Duane Bureleson at ro_request@duanebureleson.com. If you are not a Range Officer, please consider becoming one. It's probably the easiest way to acquire your needed work hours. There are two

Range specific Classes coming up for new Range Officers. One is May 4 and the other is September 15. They both start at 4 p.m. on the rifle range.

Now for the black powder tip of the month – Black Powder is a short distance affair. There is no staring intently for 0.223 bullet holes at 200 yards. Instead you shoot at hanging steel targets at 25-60 yards. When you hit those targets with the 50 cal. , you know you hit it. It clangs and swings. There is no need to worry about a the 3500 yard danger zone of the centerfire cartridges Your round ball is done at less than 1500 yards. There is no need for fancy scopes and range cards. At these ranges you hardly ever need to adjust for elevation and if the wind is blowing you use Kentucky windage to compensate. Finally, since the distances are shorter, there is no need to put in the walking mileage that you have to with a "walk and paste' 200-yard match.

Walter Opdycke



COWBOY SILHOUETTE MATCH!

Sundays June 2 & Sep 29

Match Schedule of Events

Registration / Practice: 9 to 10 a.m.
Safety Meeting (Mandatory) 10 a.m.
Match starts after Safety Meeting

Match Fees:

Junior (17 and under) \$4
Adults \$10

Firearm / Ammo Specifications

Any Pistol Caliber Firearm
Pistol or Rifle from .22 to .45.
With Lead Bullets

Categories

Lead Bullets - Pistol Caliber
Iron Sights or Optical Sights
Rifles: Modern, Lever Action. Single Shot & Pistol

Course of Fire

Four Stages, Ten Shots / Stage.
Stages consist of chickens, pigs, turkeys and rams at distances from 25 to 50 yards.
Total round count is 40+ practice rounds



3-GUN MATCH AT THE COWBOY RANGE



Saturdays June 8 & Oct 5

Match Schedule of Events

Advanced Registration Required

Safety Meeting / Match 9 a.m.

Match Fees:

Junior \$5
DSC Member \$10
Non-Member \$20

3 Gun Firearms / Ammunition

- 1) Semi-Auto Action Pistol
- 2) Semi-Auto Action Rifle
- 3) Semi-Auto or Pump Shotgun

*Open only to DSC members and their invited guests.
Limit: 36 Participants.*

Course of Fire

We are planning 3 squads of 12 engaging targets on 4-stages. The maximum total round count for all four stages may be ... Possible round counts:

40 +	Pistol
40 +	Rifle
30 +	Shotgun

The reason for the + is that you can shoot until you hit the target.



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DUCKS UNLIMITED

2ND ANNUAL SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN SHOOT

Saturday, June 1st, 2019 • 1 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Flight Times: 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. • Dinner at 5:30pm
Detroit Sportsman's Congress • 49800 Dequindre Road, Shelby Township, MI 48117

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Ticket includes sporting clay shoot and admission to the other shoot banquet and awards ceremony with luncheon dinner.

5000 Shotgun Sportsman's Cup - 6-person team, names displayed on banner

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To register, or for more information, contact Mike at 981-941-0422 or jay@yukon.com
or Dave at 368-941-1204 or dave@jacksonshoot.net

Tickets available online at www.ducksunlimited.com or call 800-828-8282. Tickets available at the Rochester-Romeo DDU Office and call to 920, Box 8275, Rochester, MI 48309

DSC Outdoor J.O.A.D ARCHERY CLASS

Are you interested in archery? If so, enroll in our outdoor JOAD Archery Class. JOAD stands for Junior Olympic Archery Development. This class teaches proper form, how to focus when shooting, and development of mental skills. We offer certified NTS Level 3 coaches and NTS Level 1 & 2 instructors. Our team emphasizes safety in archery. Training is offered on recurve, compound, and bare bows. We also teach the student about the archery terminology and provide the practice skills to become successful in archery shooting. For additional information please call the office @ (586) 739-3500. **This class is for youth & adults**

DATES: First half: May 2, 9, 16, 23, June 6, 13, 20 and 27
Second half: July 11, 18, 25, August 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29
September 12 is a tournament shoot and banquet.
CLASS TIMES: 6-7 p.m. Beginners - 7-8 p.m. Advanced

COST: DSC Members \$125 Non-Members \$200 (Due first day of class)

EQUIPMENT: All archery equipment (Including personal safety equipment: Arm Guard, Tab or Glove) will be provided.

SPECIAL CONSIDERTIONS: Bring sun glasses and a water bottle.

Student Name: _____

Phone: _____ Age: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Beginner: _____ Advanced: _____

DSC Member #: _____ USA Member#: _____

USA Archery Level 1 & 2 Certification Course

Objectives:

- Learn how to teach proper archery shooting skills
- Operate a safe positive archery program
- Improve basic archery equipment without the high cost
- Make archery an enjoyable experience for everyone

Location:

Detroit Sportsmen Congress
49800 Dequindre Rd, Utica, MI 48317 (In the clubhouse)

Date & Time:

May 17, 2019, 6 to 10 pm & May 18, 2019, 10:30 am to 4:30 pm
Attendance for both days required for both levels.

Cost:

\$60 per student. Cost covers: Classroom materials, equipment, and lunch.

Registration:

Must be minimum age of 13 to attend the course to earn level one certification

Must be minimum age of 18 for Level 2 certification

Class size is limited to 14 students.

The class is to become a USA level 1 & 2 certified instructor.

Must register by COB Apr. 29, 2019

For questions and registration contact Shannan Lancaster

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Skeet & Trap

One Gun Mini's 2019

April 18—12 Gauge, May 16—20 Gauge

June 6—28 Gauge, July 25—410 Bore

August 29—Doubles

“100 Targets per Event”

No shoot-offs Champion and Class winners
will be determined by long run.

There will be a season champion for prize Money!

1st—\$50 / 2nd—\$30 / 3rd \$20

You must shoot all 5 events HAA to be eligible!

Cost \$32 per 100 (includes NSSA & MSA fees)

Contact: Rick Trawinski

ricktraw@gmail.com / 586-634-1795

WILD BUNCH MATCH ~ May 11 & Sep 7

Presented by the Rocky River Regulators

Match Schedule of Events

Registration: 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

Safety Meeting/Match 9:30 a.m.

Lunch after Match

(Approx) 12:30 p.m.

50-Rifle ~ 5 to 10 each stage

30-Shotgun ~ 4 to 6 each stage

Spec. Invitation - Open Category

Lead Bullets only

Any semi-automatic pistol, a holster, 4 magazines, any lever action rifle (pistol caliber), and any pump shotgun.

You don't have a rifle? Bring 6 magazines and shoot the rifle targets with your pistol.

Information:

Jim Estes

[terrebonnebud@comcast.net]

Daniel Hill

[daniel.s.hill@sbcglobal.net]

Match Fees:

Junior \$4 ~ DSC Member \$11

Wolverine Ranger \$18

Non-Member \$20

Wild Bunch Firearms / Ammo

1) 1911 Style Semi-Auto in .45 ACP with at least 4 magazines

2) Lever or Pump Action Rifle in .40 Caliber or larger that holds 10 in the tube.

3) Pump Action Shotgun Model 1897 or Model 12 in 12 -Ga.

4) Lead Bullets Only

Course of Fire

There are usually five stages. The maximum total round count for all five stages will probably be less than 180.

Typical round counts:

100-Pistol ~ 15 to 20 each stage



Cowboy

The US Cavalry – “The Plains Cavalry”

The U.S. Cavalry existed in various forms from 1775 to 1942. The cavalry about to be described is the one that existed from 1865 to 1890 and was informally known as The Plains Cavalry. Formed at the end of the Civil war in 1865, the Plains Cavalry was charged with protecting American settlers, railroaders, wagon trains, businesses, gold seekers and others from Indian attacks. The U.S. Cavalry played a prominent role in the American Indian Wars, particularly in the American Old West. Notable units were the 7th Cavalry, associated with General George Armstrong Custer and the Battle of Little Bighorn, and the 9th and 10th Cavalry, the Buffalo Soldiers. There was Infantry, and when mounted, they were called “mounted infantry” as they lacked training and skill in horsemanship and cavalry tactics. Most Plains Cavalry officers were former officers that served in the American Civil War. Ex-Union Civil War Colonels served as Captains, and Captains were now Lieutenants. Non-commissioned officers who had served in the Confederate Army filled part of the void as officers. Confederate officers began serving as corporals and sergeants. Eventually, ex-Confederate officers were allowed to serve in the cavalry as commissioned offic-

ers. It was extremely difficult to recruit men to fill the enlisted ranks. Most of the men who had served during the war were finished with fighting and returned to their families. Duty was hazardous and sometimes fatal. In some ways the Plains Cavalry was Americas version of the French Foreign Legion. The cavalry became a place to simply disappear. Most cavalry units operated outside the borders of the United States and provided a new start in life with few questions asked. Some joined the service as an alternative to serving jail time. Some judges believed that serving in the military would make a man out of a boy. The ranks of the enlisted were filled with criminals, adventurers and immigrants. Immigrants, especially those from Ireland and Germany, filled the ranks. Others from England, France and Italy. One of the biggest challenges encountered in the cavalry was the language barrier. While most of the American recruits did not read or write, the immigrants who did not speak English compounded this problem. For all his efforts an enlisted man was paid \$13 per month. By the time he finished his first hitch and re-enlisted his pay was raised to \$15 per month. By now the trooper was a “50-cent-a-day professional”.

Match Results:

Apr. 6 - Wild Bunch Match: Top Three DSC Shooters (1) Camptown (Tom Doudna); (2) Coyote Claxton (Dan Hill); (3) John Weston (Chris Von Wormer).
Apr. 13 – Cowboy Range 3-Gun Match: The Overall Top-3 Winners were: (1) Bill Ikeda; (2) Dan Hill; (3) Brad Lupi.
Clean Matches: Bill Ikeda, Dan Hill, Nick Perreca and Bob Brossia.

Cowboy Range Calendar for May:

Sat., May 4 – 9 a.m., Target Setup, Sun., May 5 – Service Rifle Match.
Fri., May 10 – 9 a.m., Target setup, Sat., May 11 – Wild Bunch Match.
Sat., May 18 – 9 a.m. Target Setup, 10 a.m. Committee Meeting.
Sun., May 19 – Cowboy Action Match.
Sun., May 26 – 10 a.m. to Noon. Cowboy 50-Yard Range Open for Practice.
Match registration 8:30 a.m. Safety meeting/Start 9:30 a.m. all Matches

COWBOY RANGE OPEN PRACTICE:

Wednesday 6 pm until Dusk, Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



COME TO OUR COWBOY MATCH!

2019 Scheduled Matches

Sundays

Cowboy and Cowgirl Dress

Requested

May 19 - Sunday

June 16
July 21 Relaxed Dress
Aug. 18 Relaxed Dress
Sep. 15
Oct. 20 Chili Cook-Off
Nov. 17 Thanksgiving Dinner
Dec. 15

Match Schedule of Events

Registration: 8:30-9:30 a.m.
Safety Meeting /
Match 9:30 a.m.
Lunch after Match
(Approx) 12:30 p.m.

Match Fees:

Junior \$4, DSC Member \$11
Wolverine Ranger \$18
Non-Member \$20

Categories and Rules as defined by The Single Action Shooting Society

Basics Requirements (after old west clothing)
Two Single Action Revolvers, at least .32 Caliber
Lever Action (or pump action) Rifle in Pistol Caliber, at least .38 Caliber
Shotgun (double barrel or pump), at least 20-Gauge

Lead Bullets Only / Match guns have to be originals or reproductions of guns made before 1900

Course of Fire

There are usually five stages. The total round count for all five stages is usually:
50-Pistol, 10 each stage
50-Rifle 10 each stage
20+ Shotgun 4+ each stage



DSC SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER

The club is hosting a fundraiser at Jimmy Johns Field Friday, July 12. Tickets are \$40 adults & \$30 for kids. Admission includes unlimited BBQ dinner buffet, soft drinks and two adult

drink tickets. Proceeds benefit the scholarship fund. See ad inside the P & K or contact Christine Tonegatto-Salo at (cell) 586 801-0081 or email catsusmc@gmail.com

**RANGE OPEN
SHOOTING HOURS**

Archery 3D

(Apr - Sep)

Sat & Sun

9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Black Powder

Tuesday 9 a.m.—3 p.m.

Cowboy Action

(Apr-Oct)

Sat 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

(Nov-Mar)

Sat 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

(May-Sep)

Wed 6 p.m.-Dusk

Pistol

Fri 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Sat-Sun 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

586-739-3502

Rifle

(May-Sep)

Sat-Sun 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

(Dec-Apr)

Sun 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

(Oct-Nov)

Check website or sight-in
flyer for dates and times

Skeet /Trap & Pro Shop

Wed-Thur 10 am-8 pm

Sat-Sun 10 am-4 pm

586-739-3502

Sporting Clays/5-Stand

(Nov-Mar)

Wed, Thur, Sat & Sun

10 a.m.-4 p.m.

(Apr-May)

Wed & Thur 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sat & Sun 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

(Jun-Sep)

Wed & Thur 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Sat & Sun 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

(Oct)

Wed & Thur 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sat & Sun 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

586-739-2210

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
<p>BA - Barn BR - Basement Range CG - Camp Ground CH - Clubhouse DP - Delaney Park PO - Pistol Outdoor RR - Rifle Range SG - Shotgun Building</p>		
5	6	7
<p>Sporting Clays 10am-4pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am-2pm PO Open Rifle 11am-4pm RR Sporting Rifle 9am-11am RR Junior Shotgun 12pm-2pm</p> <p>BP Woods Walk 10am-11:30am CowBoy SR Match 8:30am DP Kitchen 11am-5pm Bar Noon-6pm</p>	<p>Black Powder 5:30 pm RR Open Pistol 6pm PO .22 Pistol Lg. 6pm PO</p> <p>Archery 3D Lg. 4-8pm Pistol Mtg. 7pm SG Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</p>	<p>Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Practice 5pm-8pm PO SB Sil &Sr. Small Bore 5 pm RR</p>
12	13	14
<p>Sporting Clays 10am-4pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am-2pm PO RIFLE-CLOSED Junior Shotgun 12pm-2pm</p> <p>Kitchen 11am-5pm Bar Noon-6pm</p>	<p>Black Powder 5:30 pm RR Open Pistol 6pm PO .22 Pistol Lg. 6pm PO</p> <p>Archery 3D Lg. 4-8pm Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</p>	<p>Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Practice 5pm-8pm PO SB Sil &Sr. Small Bore 5 pm RR</p>
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26	27	28
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We try to be accurate with this Calendar. Changes are sometimes missed, please call to verify before heading out to the club.

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4
Sporting Clays 10am-5:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-8pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR Service Rifle 6pm RR General Membership Meeting 8pm CH Special Corned Beef Sandwiches Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm	Sporting Clays 10am-5:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-8pm Bullseye 5pm-8:30pm BR Black Powder WW Range 6pm Sporting Rifle 6pm RR Joad Beg. 6-7pm Exp. 7-8pm Rifle Meeting 7:30pm CH Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm PO Skeet/Trap Open 4pm-8pm Jr. Rifle 7:30pm BR Service Rifle 8:30-10:30 RR Sporting Rifle 10:30-12:00 RR KITCHEN DINNER SPECIAL Meat Loaf PLEASE PRE-ORDER Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm	Sporting Clays 10am-4pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am-2pm PO Cowboy Target Setup 9am-10am Open Rifle 11am-4pm Service Rifle 9am-11am SB Silhouette 4:30 RR Cowboy Practice 10am-2pm DP USPSA Practice 2:30pm-5:30pm PO Rifle RSO Orient. 4:30pm RR Kentucky Derby Party Bar & Kitchen CLOSED
8	9	10	11
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DSC General Membership Monthly Meeting

Apr. 3, 2019—Clubhouse 8:00 pm

Pledge of Allegiance: Bob Savo

Conservation Pledge: Bob Savo

Presidents Report: (R. Savo) Life Members and past presidents were recognized. • The Wild Game Dinner was very successful. It was sold out with 80+ attending. It was well organized with excellent food, and with great prizes; all to support our Junior programs. • We have been approved to move forward with applying for a building permit for our new building. All indications are that it will be approved shortly by Shelby Twp. • We have the permits in hand for both septic fields and we will start working in the next few days. We have all the parts specified and ordered and we will have delivery staged to arrive as they are ready to install. I shared information with the BOD on what is our master plan to fund this and future projects. We will be very financially careful, and with any good luck we will not have to draw much from our line of credit. We have an A++ credit rating. • Mr. Savo presented E. Silarski, T. Van Hove, K. Peters, and J. Peters with the work hours award coin.

Secretary's Report: (R. Hegelman) The March GM Meeting minutes are on the table by the door and in the book behind the bar, as are the February BOD Meeting minutes.

Treasurers Report: (D. Pardie) The finance results for February 2019 are available. Our YTD income for February is \$217,398.01. February income was \$77,104.25 Expenses for February are \$69,985.73 for a YTD net of \$59,130.38. • Our loan balance is \$117,461.21. In order to run our club we spend around \$20K per week, depending on taxes.

1st Vice President's Report: (J. Estes) With warmer weather we will be getting things done around the ranges-venues and we are already starting on projects. • The installation of the handicapped motor chair on the range building basement steps has increased our handicapped traffic. We need more handicapped signs for parking. • With projects starting, more work hours are available. • May 10th is a meeting of the planning committee to prioritize the 41 jobs that are on the list. Each one of these will cost over \$1,000 each. • Please let me know about any projects that you need to put on the list.

2nd Vice Presidents Report: We had no new incident reports. • The warmer weather is thawing out the ground, some of which is very soggy. Please be careful as we do not need ruts and gouges on our ranges. • If you see anything regarding safety on our grounds or buildings, please let us know ASAP. • Last Sunday we had a clinic on the Stop the Bleeding program. We had 41 members present, and we were informed on the proper use of tourniquets, using pressure on wounds to stop bleeding, using wound kits, and the use of Israeli bandages. We will also be having another clinic on the use of AED's.

Trustees Report: Nothing to report.)

Chairman's Report: (R. Savo) Mr. Savo informed the members on the motions presented and voted on at the last BOD Meeting.

Operations Manager Report: Ms. Palmer is on vacation.

Members of the Month: E. Silarski for February and D. Oles for March.

Directors Reports:

Archery: (D. Oles) the Indoor League has ended. The League Banquet will be on April 4th. (tomorrow) The BS hour will begin at 6pm and with dinner at 7pm. • Open shooting/JOAD practice will be held for two more Fridays, the 5th and the 12th. The following is Good Friday and Easter. These will be the last open shoots we will hold until JOAD begins on May 2nd. • A JOAD training class will be held on Thursdays beginning May 2nd with the beginner/novice class from 6-7pm, and the experienced /advanced class running from 7-8pm. • We are holding work bees every Monday after work. That is from 4:30pm till dark or however late you want to stay and work. If you need work hours, we can always use a couple of extra hands.

Black Powder: (D. Pierce) • We have a Woods Walk coming up on the 14th. Traditional costumes are requested for that. • We are still having our mini rendezvous on Tuesdays from 10am-2pm. • We are still shooting on the basement range for the remaining three Sundays in April. Come out and see what we are doing. We always have a lot of fun.

Camping: (D. Bryan) Camping has opened on the 1st. We are already starting to fill up for the year. We have a lot of plans both out of doors and indoor at the Campground this year. If you haven't been out to see us, come on over and check us out.

Clubhouse: (C. Tonegatto-Salo) Nothing to report.

Conservation: (D. Duey) Mr. Duey covered the new information from the DNR. • The Dequindre Road cleanup is on April 27th for spring. We will meet in the clubhouse at 8am. All the cleanup supplies will be furnished them and we will watch a safety video as well. • Due to the Easter Holiday, the April NMO meeting will be on the 14th. • Just a reminder there is NO hunting on club property.

Cowboy Action/ Life membership: (J. Estes) • Cowboy practice will continue on Saturdays from 10am-2pm. • We have a Wild Bunch on April 6th. Look in the P&K or the website for more information. • We had our Life Membership meeting on March 10th. We will not be selling calendars this year. We will be offering pens this year. The Life Membership committee will be helping on the Dequindre Road cleanup as well as the Fireworks parking.

Education: (R. Savo) We have 79 students signed up for the Spring Hunter's Education Class this weekend. • The CPL class is on the 14th, not the 13th as earlier stated because the CMP clinic and match is on the 13th. The CPL Refresher class this month is on the 23rd. The next CPL class will be on June 8th.

Pistol: (Brian Dickinson) All leagues are going well with high levels of participation. • The PPC Winter league wrapped up in March. • April 14th and June 8th CPL classes are scheduled. Open Shooting will be shortened on the 14th. It will end at 12:30pm, rather than 2pm. The April CPL Practices will be on the 14th for intermediate shooters and the practice for Basic shooters will be on the 28th. • April 20th and 21st will be the for the USPSA Setup and Match. There will be no open shooting that weekend. • Open shooting is open on Friday-Sunday from 10am-2pm, unless otherwise noted.

Plaid and Khaki: (R. Savo) Please get your articles and pictures in by the 15th of the month.

Rifle: (D. Carbery) Our silhouette Shoot went well. We had 13 shooters that came out and braved the cold and the high winds. • We replaced the numbers on the 200 yard range. Thanks to those who came and did the work. • We are installing crushed limestone in front of the firing line. This will assist in drainage when it rains and more importantly it will reduce the slipping hazard in the winter. We will be having a work bee on April 27th. This is to repair and replace the equipment we use for league shooting. • Our Easter Egg shoot is coming up. It consists of shooting Easter eggs from a prone position at 200 yards. There is recognition for least number of rounds, fastest time, and the best decorated Easter eggs. Adults can participate for \$10 and juniors can participate for \$5. They will be shooting off the bench at 50 yards. • If you are interested in becoming a Rifle Range Safety Officer, the RSO class is on May 4th and September 13th. If you missed the refresher class those will serve as well and we will be having a refresher class on August 4th. As a reminder you also need to be NRA certified as well. That class is coming up on May 18th. That will be the only NRA class this year. Open shooting is on Sunday from 11am-3pm. We will be closed on Easter Sunday. In May the hours will change to Saturday and Sunday from 10am-4pm. We will be having our Rifle Committee meeting tomorrow night in the clubhouse starting at 7:30 pm.

Skeet and Trap: (D. Pardie) The Thursday night Skeet and Trap Fun League started on March 28th. It is on every other Thursday. We have roughly 40 skeet shooters and 20 trap shooters. Registration for that league ends on April 11th. This is a good value for the shooter, as to shoot both venues it is \$70 and to shoot one it is \$50. If you come out to shoot, it takes very little of your time. We shot 3 rounds of trap with 4 shooters each time and it took only 40 minutes in total.

Sporting Clays: (P. Koehn) Today we started our spring hours, on Wednesday and Thursday we are open from 10am -5pm, the last board goes out at 5pm. On April 21st we will be closed for Easter. • On Tuesday, April 30th we are having a special shoot. It is for the Sterling Heights Chamber of Commerce. It will be open from 2:30-8pm. On Saturday, May 18th we will be having a SCTP shoot for the juniors. • Our summer hours from June to September will be from 10am-6pm on Wednesday and Thursday and on Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 4pm. On Saturday June 1st we are having the Ducks Unlimited Shoot. It will start at 12:30pm. While we open at 10pm, the last board will be going out at 11am. On June 15th we are having a DSC 150 Shoot. It will consist of 50 Sporting Clay targets, 25 Five Stand targets, 25 Skeet targets, and 25 trap targets. See Sheri at the range building Pro Shop for score cards. The cost is \$15 plus the normal range fees. Scoring will be done using the Lewis Class method. • Thursday, July 4th we will be open from 10am to 2pm. Come on down to Sporting Clays, it's a great place to be.

Website: (R. Savo) Get the information in to Emil by the 15th. (C. Tnegatto-Salo) We have studied a You Tube page. We don't have one yet. If any of the committees have videos they would like on our page, please let me know. Right now it is under construction. As soon as we have all the videos posted, we will go public. On our Facebook page we are putting up conservation, education and fishing pages. I need couple of vertical photos from those committees so I can put them on Facebook.

Women of Aim: (V. Billings) On Sunday the 7th we are having Ladies Night on the Range starting at 6:30-pm. • Thursday, 14th is our committee meeting in the range building at 7:15. • Sunday the 28th will be our last night on the basement range. Starting on May 6th we will have the outdoor pistol range open from 6pm until dusk. We also have a .22 pistol league running down there in the side bays.

Work Hours: (M. Schany) Work hours have been turned in. They should be on the website, and in the office. • Please have your work hours in no later than the 25th of the month so we can update the website. However this is not just a deadline, as we need them turned ASAP when completed, as the sooner I get them, the sooner I can update your work hours.

Members at Large: (D. Oles) I have been told by some members that they can't get their work hours because there is nothing listed for them to do. I am making a concerted effort to get the work bees on the website and on the bulletin board. I really need this information from all the committees so I can get them posted. That way people that want to work can get their hours in. (C. Tnegatto) The Jimmy Johns Baseball game fundraiser tickets will be available after April 15th. Prices are \$40 for adults and \$30 for children. Information is in the P&K and on the website. (J. Rhodes) Just a reminder, our Service Rifle and Clinic is this month. If you would like to learn how to compete in a Service Rifle match, how the firearms are used and how they handle, it is a really god class. (C. Salo) We have the tickets in for the Friends of the NRA Dinner. Dinner is on the 16th and we have six spots left. The club is subsidizing part of the cost of the tickets.

New Members: None

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Membership Drawing \$200: Karl Schild had the winning number; however since he did not attend the GM meeting, the money will be \$250 for next month.

50/50 Drawing: Mert Wreford - \$100

Submitted by Rick Hegelman Secretary
Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

Mimi's Kitchen



May Menu Specials

General Membership

May 3 ~ Corned Beef Sand.

Fridays

May 3 ~ Meat Loaf

May 10 ~ Fish or Shrimp

May 17 ~ Taco Bar

May 24 ~ Spare Ribs

May 31 ~ Fish or Shrimp

Please make reservations for all special dinners so there is enough for everyone. Call

Wed - Fri after 5 p.m.

248-825-5648

Mimi's Kitchen Hours

Wed - Fri

5—9 p.m.

Sat - Sun

11 a.m.—5 p.m.

Service Rifle Match

Bolt Action And Semi-Automatic

May 5 & Nov 10

Match Schedule of Events

Registration 8:30 AM

Safety Meeting (Mandatory)

and Match Start 9:30 AM

Match Fees:

Junior (17 and under) \$4

Adults \$10



Firearm / Ammo Specifications

Service Rifle / Bolt or Semi-Auto
Used in Service by any Country
Bullets must be steel free.
Steel, particularly a steel core,
will damage our targets.

Categories

Iron Sights or Optic



Course of Fire

Five stages, steel targets hung at approximately-40 yards.

Scored bull's-eye target tie breaker

Round count: 40 for score, plus practice / sight-in rounds.



Information:

Jim Estes 248-709-5254

[terrebonnebud@comcast.net]

Thur. Evenings Woods Walk & 50-Yard Ranges

The Clinton River Muzzle Loaders invite shooters to join us Thursday evenings from 6 pm till dusk throughout the Summer to shoot

Black Powder and Modern Firearms on the 50 Yard and Woods Walk Ranges.

The ranges are NOT black powder only on these nights, they are open to all. Please join us,

all are welcome.

Targets on the Woods Walk Range are 15 high impact steel silhouettes of varied shapes and sizes set at distances from 20 to 55 yards in forested shooting lanes.

Targets on the 50 Yard Range are paper. Check P&K calendar for range rotations.

2019 DSC Smallbore Silhouette League



LEAGUE TYPE: NRA Smallbore Rifle Silhouette: Silhouette Rifle and Hunting Rifle categories – see <https://competitions.nra.org/media/7825/nra-silhouette-rifle-rulebook.pdf> for official rules.

DATES: Every Tuesday and Saturday, 05/04/19 through 09/28/19, excluding Holidays.

LOCATION: DSC 200 yard Rifle Range, 49800 Dequindre, Utica, MI 48317

TIMES: Tue.: Shooting begins at 5 pm
Sat.: 4:30 pm sight-in begins. Shooting begins at 5 pm.

COURSE OF FIRE: The NRA Smallbore Rifle course consists of: 10 chickens at 40M, 10 pigs at 60M, 10 turkeys at 77M, 10 rams at 100M
Each set of animals is shot in two banks of 5, one shot at each target. There is a time limit of 2 minutes and 30 seconds to fire 5 shots. All shooting for score is from the offhand position. No slings, shooting gloves, or shooting jackets are allowed.

REGISTRATION/FEES: The Silhouette league fee is \$45.and covers the league banquet with door prizes. The Banquet is normally held the first Saturday in December. An Associate Membership is \$10. Range Fees are \$6 for Work Hour Members and \$8 for Members and Associate Members. The non-member range fee is \$20. The non-member Escorted Guest fee is \$15. If a Member or an Associate Member wishes to participate in the High Power, Sporting Rifle or Small Bore leagues, no additional league or membership fees will be charged. All Range Fees include a \$1 Environmental fee.

LEAGUE SCORING: A competitor's highest 8 scores will be used to determine league standings. An award certificate will be given to the high scorer in the Master, AAA, AA, and B classes in both Smallbore Rifle and Smallbore Hunting Rifle. Spotters are strongly encouraged, as they can really help shooters improve their performance. Practice scores may be shot, but league members shooting for record have priority. All record scorecards must be turned in to the R.O. upon completion of the match.

NOTE: This is a lot more fun and relaxed than the formal rules make it sound. Come and try it! For more information contact Bob Seidl at 586-484-8404 or rjseidl@hotmail.com.

SPECIAL OFFER FOR DSC MEMBERS FROM MICROLON PRODUCTS

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Microlon is the only manufacturer that offers a true lubrication. One that stays with the metal and various materials, not just covers them up. Today many weapons used for hunting and competition have a combination of metals, plastics and composite materials. So we offer a new world of lubrication. We need to protect against friction, weather, and prolonged storage.



1 oz. - ~~\$12.95~~
DSC Price \$11.00

UltraBlue® Choke Lube is specifically designed for use in shotguns and other firearms. Use UltraBlue® Choke Lube on the threads of your screw-in choke tube to help keep them tight while in use. UltraBlue® can also be used on all other moving parts.



1 oz. - ~~\$8.95~~ **DSC Price \$7.75**
4 oz. - ~~\$29.95~~ **DSC Price \$25.50**

Microlon Gun Juice was created to be used on firearms in place of normal gun oils. The Microlon film increases muzzle velocity and improves accuracy. The super slick film reduces the wear coming from friction and delivers smoother operation of all moving parts. Microlon Gun Juice helps prevent rust and corrosion by creating a barrier on the metal surfaces of your firearm with a temp range of -100°F to +725°F.



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DSC Price \$7.65

Xtreme Gun Wax is designed to provide a great shine as well as keeping your fingerprints to a minimum. It can be used on wooden stocks, barrels, etc. Application is simple, with a small cloth work in and wipe off while still damp. When used on dull surfaces, they will remain dull but become easier to wipe off clean.

CPL / CCW Refresher Course

LOCATION: *Detroit Sportsmen's Congress* 49800 Dequindre Road, Shelby Twp., MI 48317 586-739-3500
(Shotgun range building)

COURSE OBJECTIVES: **Class required for those who have a current CPL license to renew their license.**
Recommend taking this class **3-months prior to expiration.**
Review changes to CPL and firearm laws.
Review fundamentals of handgun handling including, stance, aiming and shooting.
Includes structured practical handgun shooting exercises.

DATE & TIME: One night class, **May 21, 2019** or **June 18, 2019** (circle desired date) 7 - 10 p.m.

COST: Non DSC Member \$75 DSC Member \$60 Add \$20, if gun and ammo are required and check box

REGISTRATION: (PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED)
RETURN FORM TO ADDRESS BELOW, PAYMENT DUE AT CLASS

NAME: _____ **AGE: 21 or older** **SEX:** _____
(Name exactly as on your Driver's License)

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Email: _____ (for confirmation/reminder only)

DSC Membership # : _____ **Return form to:** Bob Savo
53741 Tidal Lane, Shelby Twp., MI 48316
Start 5/21/19 **Gun & ammo needed** **Phone:** 248-651-8667 Or Email back to rmsavo@yahoo.com

Skeet & Trap

Well, it snowed last night. I had to take a look at the calendar to reassure myself that it really is spring time in Michigan. But speaking of snow, I live in a house that backs up to Rochester Road. Last night about 3:45 a.m., a south-bound driver took a detour off Rochester Road and ended up "parked" in my driveway. I don't know if snow played a part in this debacle, but it really helped in figuring out exactly what happened and in trying to track down the individual who fled the scene on foot. Mind you that neither my neighbor, nor me, have driveways off of Rochester Road. We are both off side streets that depart the main road... me further into the subdivision on a cul-de-sac. The south-bound driver took out quite a few plantings and small trees in my neighbor's yard and took out my patio furniture, a screen fence and the side of my truck. Luckily, he only hit my truck and not my wife's car that was parked adjacent to mine, nor the garage... which was 'parked' next to both of our vehicles. I bring all this up to mention an important thing... equipment safety! I had shooting gear packed in the back of my truck ready to go to the range today. Fortunately, nothing was damaged... but it could have been! Based on my recent experience, I would caution all of you who may try to pack up gear ahead of time to rethink your decision about packing up your vehicle too early. Also, I would strongly advise you to invest in some cheap 'rider' insurance for your firearms and gear... especially for those of you who take expensive gear to other ranges for competition purposes. Better safe than sorry!

The registered skeet season is in full swing now. We held the combined Snow Shoe / Shillelagh Open March 16 & 17 to a

good crowd. DSC's Mini Shoot series started last month with the 12-gauge shoot April 18, followed by the 5-gun Clark Brown Open held April 26-28. May will bring the next Mini Shoot, a 20-gauge event, to be held Thursday, May 16. Also the Juniors get into the swing of things with the SCTP Division Shoot at DSC Saturday, May 18. Note, that the range will be closed on that day to open shooting.

The Spring Skeet and Trap Fun Leagues are in full swing, as well. Even if you are not registered for the League, come on out on Thursdays to join a squad and have some fun. League dates in May are 9 & 23.

Finally, I'm pleased to announce that Friday Night Skeet and Trap will re-open for the summer season starting Friday, May 3! Just imagine those wild summer nights on the skeet and trap fields! Make sure you keep Fridays in mind when you start planning your skeet or trap week!

I'll finish up with my ongoing plea... to help out at one of our events to gain those much coveted 'WORK HOURS'! Let me try to entice you into volunteering to assist at one or even more of these events. Normally, the work ends up being done by the same few folks who always do it... much the same as it is at other venues. There are a number of DSC skeet shooters who would like to shoot DSC events, but can't because they are needed to work. So help some of our skeet shooters out and volunteer to put in some work hours at our shoots. Maybe even learn to become a referee... which is in very high demand! The work is easy; the hours accumulate quickly, so just contact Rick Trawinski or the Pro Shop if you're interested.

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Shillelagh Open

Hoping for better weather, DSC combined the Snowshoe Open with the Shillelagh Open and made it a 4 x 100 target event. Well, Michigan weather did not cooperate Saturday as the winds and snow was around pretty much all day and the 12-gauge scores reflected this. Breanna Gorman bested Nick Knotts in a battle of 95s and juniors for event champion. John Klida's 94 took 3rd in the event. Class winners were Jerry Davis, Andrew Bielman, Ryan Stateler and Mike Souliere.

As the weather got a little better in the afternoon, so did the 20 gauge scores. Mike Delgado turned a fine 99 for event while Nick Knotts' 97 was event runner-up. Terry "Duck" Sprowl came in 3rd with a 96. Andrew Bielman, Breanna Gorman, Ed Howe, Mike Souliere and Ron Typinski all came out victorious in their classes.

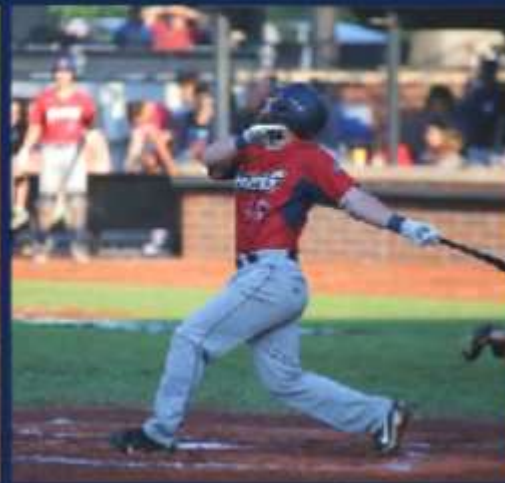
Sunday came with hopes of better weather and Michigan did not disappoint. Although the morning temperatures were a typical Michigan "cool," the winds were not as prevalent and Nick Knotts continued his consistent shooting and struck Gold

with his first registered 100 in the 28-gauge event. This was good for event champ with Mike Delgado's 99 taking the second spot. Andrew Bileman and "Duck" shot off 97s for 3rd with Andy coming out on top. Class victors were "Duck", Breanna, Ryan Stateler and Kyle Lafountain.

With everyone hoping the weather would hold out, the 410's came out of their cases. Mike Delgado was event champion with a 96, Greg Reinke ran his back 50 for a 95 and Nick Knotts captured the 3rd spot. Rounding out the winners were Andrew Bielman, Ryan Stateler, Mike Souliere and Kyle Lafountain.

Leaving only calculations for yours truly, the winners were common names to the weekend's leader boards. Mike Delgado took the top honors with Nick "100 straight" Knotts runner-up and the Shillelagh's other junior prodigy Breanna Gorman taking the event 3rd place. The class winners were Andrew Bielman, Brian Long, "Duck" Sprowl and Ron Typinski. All of us at DSC want to thank for participating.

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