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## DSC & COVID-19

**UPDATE MARCH 23**—The DSC is essentially closed for daily business per Governor Whitmer’s Executive Order issued March 23, effective March 24 through April 13. As of that date, the state is basically shut-down to everyone except essential personnel. For updated information check the website, Facebook and DSC emails. These will always have the most current information. Some activities, such as law enforcement rentals may continue .

I have been in daily contact with a Club Member who is a CDC direct liaison for our area, covering both LE and citizen concerns. This has helped tremendously to obtain clarification, specifically for conflicting information. With the latest release from Governor Whitmer (Editor note: as of 3/21), and consistent with CDC Guidelines, which right now is the standard, the following has been done to be in CDC compliance and safeguard our employees and members.

Actions we will be taking now are: Daily activities are closed. It is doubtful that our April 18 Club Swap Meet will

occur and that bars and restaurants will reopen April 13.

The Campground may open mid-April and like the ranges, observe the no direct contact, 6-feet of spacing, no shared food events and, if you are sick, stay home. The Department of Health confirmed that plan meets CDC best practices.

Some of the reach shared via our DSC Club CDC liaison is we may have 6 to 8 weeks of this to contend with still. They even went so far as to suggest school "may" be cancelled for the rest of the school year.

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DSC shooters named to the MSA All-State Team were:  
Gerard Klink (0.9583)



Andrew Bielman (0.9559)

## Skeet & Trap

It's that time of year again for the (registered) skeet awards to be handed out to those individuals who persevered and prevailed against their fellow competitors during the 2019 registered skeet season. I am able to announce that the Michigan Skeet Association (MSA) 2020 State Teams were announced and to let you know who at DSC were named to the MSA State Team. Next month, I should have information on the National Skeet Shooting Association (NSSA) All-American and Krieghoff All-American Teams.

DSC is home to six of the MSA 2020 State Team members. The State Team is broken up into several different parts, based on high overall

averages: the All-State Team (the top 10 shooters in the state with the highest combined averages for all four gauges); Concurrent (a single award for each specific concurrent based on age and sex); separate Teams for each of the five guns (12 ga, 20 ga, 28 ga, 410 bore and doubles); and a single award for Rookie of the Year. Also named is the individual that shot the most registered targets during the year, both in total and within the state of Michigan... Andrew Bielman took both spots with 15,000 total targets and 11,800 in Michigan.

We also have two members that have been named to the top tier All-State Team, in

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**New email for P & K submissions**  
**dscpkemail@gmail.com**  
Please send in original format only

**Next General Membership Meeting**  
**May 6 @ 8 p.m.**

**March General Membership Drawing**  
**Member Scott Champine missed out on \$150**  
**May has \$250 up for grabs. Must be present to win.**

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## Plaid & Khaki

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*Leah Hunawill*

(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.

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

(Oct)

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

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**Clubhouse**

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Please address changes to  
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# Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

## presents The Clark Brown Open

April 24-26, 2020

More than

\$1500 in "Added" Money & Prizes



Saturday Fun Shoot & Watch Championship  
\$40 / Includes Daily Fees



Friday Doubles Starting @ 4 p.m.  
Saturday Doubles Starting @ 9 a.m.

### Rotation #1

### Rotation #2

Saturday 12 / 10 a.m. & 20 / 1:30 p.m.  
Sunday 28 / 11:30 a.m. & 410 / 3 p.m.

Saturday 12 / 11:30 a.m. & 20 / 3 p.m.  
Sunday 28 / 10 a.m. & 410 / 1:30 p.m.



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New email for P & K  
submissions  
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Black Powder RSOs Monday Evenings 6-8 p.m. Basement Range		
4/20	Jim Estes	Rod Stumpf
4/27	Jack McDaniels	Dave Lidgey

**P & K Committee**  
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Corey Salo, Publisher  
Angie Farmer, John Krisfalusi  
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Michigan Coalition for  
Responsible Gun Owners  
Michigan Skeet Association  
Michigan Trap Association  
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National Muzzleloaders Rifle  
Association  
National Rifle Association  
National Skeet Shooting  
Association  
National Sporting Clays  
Association  
National Wild Turkey Federation  
National Wildlife Federation  
Rooster Ranch Hunt Club  
Safari Club International -  
Detroit Chapter  
Single Action Shooting Society  
United States Practical Shooting  
Association  
Wolverine Rangers  
USA Archery  
USA Shooting

## LADIES NIGHT ON THE RANGE

**No Shooting  
Easter Sunday  
April 26  
6:30 – 8 p.m.  
Basement pistol  
range. Practice your  
skill, or learn  
a new one,  
Coaching available**

**For more information  
Vada Billings  
586-292-0926**

# DSC Sporting Goods Show

Sat., April 18, 2020  
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
DSC Clubhouse  
49800 Dequindre  
Utica, MI 48317

Admission \$2  
DSC Member  
with card \$1  
Children under  
12 free

Breakfast available



### Dealer Information Table Rental Rates

DSC Members \$20,  
Non-members \$25  
(limit two tables  
per dealer)  
Dealer Set-up is 8 a.m.  
Registration and payment  
Closes April 15, 2020  
**Firearms must be secured  
to be unable to fire**

### Buy, Sell & Trade Sporting Goods, Camping, Boating & RV Items

For more information and to register contact the DSC Office at 586-739-3500  
Show sponsored by the DSC Life Member Committee



# Mimi's Kitchen



## April Menu Specials

General Membership  
Apr. 1 ~ Cancelled

## ***Lent Fish Fridays*** **Fridays**

Apr. 3 ~ Clubhouse Closed

Apr. 10 ~ Clubhouse Closed

Apr. 17 ~ TBA

Apr. 24 ~ Fish or Shrimp

Note: Coleslaw is the only salad during Lent.

**Reservations are recommended** 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.

# 23th Annual Easter Egg Shoot

***Saturday 11 April 2020***

**DSC RIFLE RANGE**

**Each shooter must bring 6 hardboiled, Decorated Easter Eggs & shoot those eggs**

**Registration 9 a.m.**

**Egg judging from 9:30 to 9:45 a.m.**

**Shooting starts promptly at 10 a.m.**

**Entry fee: Adults \$10 Juniors \$5  
\$5 Money Pot**

**Shooting is prone with sandbags at 200 Yards.**

**No rear rests or slings allowed, front support only.**

**You must shoot the eggs you get judged.**

**Oversize eggs may be given to someone else to shoot.**

## **3 Prize Categories**

1. Least amount of time.
2. Least amount of rounds fired.
3. Best decorated eggs.

**Members and invited guests only**

**Juniors shoot at yardage of their choice**

Hosted by the D.S.C. Rifle Committee

# **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, **April 21 or May 19** ~ 7 - 10 p.m. **Circle desired class.**

## **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 Phone: 248-651-8667

Or Email back to [rmsavo@ameritech.net](mailto:rmsavo@ameritech.net)

**Start 4/21/20**

**Gun & ammo needed**

# Famous Outlaws & Lawmen of the Old West

## **Belle Starr "The Bandit Queen"** (1848-1889)

Legendary American outlaw Belle Starr developed a reputation as a Bandit Queen of the Old West. Few women had a more notorious reputation than Belle. She was an expert rider who could handle a gun, and associated with famous outlaws such as Frank and Jesse James and the Youngers. She was accused of many transgressions and spectacular crimes, but it appears that she did little more than steal some horses and shelter some fugitive friends.

Her taste for desperadoes linked her romantically with thieves and killers. After her family moved to Texas, she married Jim Reed, a bank and train robber and murderer who was slain by a member of his own gang in 1874. In 1880, she married a Cherokee man named Sam Starr and settled with the Starr family in the Oklahoma Indian Territory. There she learned ways of organizing, planning and fencing for rustlers, horse thieves and bootleggers, as well as harboring them from the law. Belle's illegal enterprises proved lucrative enough for her to employ bribery to free her cohorts from jail. In 1883, Belle and her husband were arrested, charged with horse theft and tried before "The Hanging Judge" Isaac Parker's Federal District Court in Fort Smith Arkansas. Belle was found guilty and served nine months at the Detroit House of Corrections in Detroit, Michigan. She was a model prisoner and won the respect of the prison matron. Sam, who was more incorrigible, was assigned to hard labor.

Feb. 3, 1889, two days before her 41 birthday, Belle Starr was brutally killed. She was riding home from a neighbor's house in Eufaula, Oklahoma, when she

was ambushed. After she fell off her horse, she was shot again to make sure she was dead. Her death resulted from shotgun wounds to the back, neck, shoulder and face. Legend has it that she was shot with her own double barrel shotgun. There are a



couple of different stories as to who shot her. One story suggests that while at a dance she refused to dance with Edgar Watson who was intoxicated. When on the way home, he followed her and when she stopped to water her horse, Watson shot her. He was supposedly executed for Belle's murder. However, another story says there were no witnesses and no one was ever convicted of murder. Another source suggests her son, Eddie, whom she had allegedly beaten for mistreating her horse, may have been the killer. The ambush is documented in "Western Lore" as unsolved.

### References:

- (1) The Wild West by Bill O'Neal, James A. Crutchfield & Dale L. Walker;
- (2) WildWest.org (Legendary Women)
- (3) Wikipedia;
- (4) (4) Best of the West by Bill O'Neal
- (5) Encyclopedia.com.
- (6) (Photo Credit: frontiertime.com

## Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

### Outdoor JOAD Archery Class

Junior Olympic Archery Development (JOAD) is a program of USA Archery that helps archers to enjoy the sport recreationally or progress to the excitement of competition!

Are you interested in archery?

Then sign up for our summer archery JOAD class. We have certified USA Archery instructors to help you and your family learn about archery. Instructors provide insightful lessons that are fun and safe. We teach range rules, proper shooting techniques, equipment, and much more. Grab a friend and family member and come sign up for an entertaining summer. No one is too young or too old to shoot archery.

**This class is for everyone - Youth & Adults**

**DATES:** 1st half: May 7, 14, 21, 28, June 4, 11, 18, 25,  
2nd half: July 9, 16, 23, 30, Aug. 6, 13, 20 & 27  
**Aug. 27 is a special shoot and awards banquet.**

Class Times: 6-7 p.m. Beginners ~ 7-8 p.m. Advanced

**FEES:** DSC Members \$125 Non-Members \$200  
(Payable on the first day of class)

**LOCATION:** DSC outdoor range behind the clubhouse. Meet at the clubhouse.

**EQUIPMENT:** All archery equipment (including personal safety equipment: arm guard, tab or glove) will be provided.

**SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:** Recommend archers & guests bring a chair, sunglasses, hat, sunblock and a water bottle.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

E.C. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Beginner: \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced: \_\_\_\_\_

DSC Member No.: \_\_\_\_\_

USA Archery Member No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**RANGE OPEN  
SHOOTING HOURS**

**Archery 3D**

(Apr - Sep)  
Sat & Sun  
9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**Black Powder**

Tue 9 a.m.—3 p.m.  
Mon 6 p.m. - Dusk

**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 a.m.-8 p.m.  
Sat-Sun 10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
**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><b>AS OF THIS PRINTING THE CLUBHOUSE AND KITCHEN ARE CLOSED (Last order is 4-13)</b></p>	<p>BA - Barn BR - Basement Range CG - Camp Ground CH - Clubhouse DP - Delaney Park PO - Pistol Outdoor RR - Rifle Range SG - Shotgun Building</p>	<p><b>PLEASE CALL TO CONFIRM IF WE ARE OPEN</b></p> <p><b>ALL TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CANCELLATION</b></p>
5	6	7
12	13	14
	<p>SB Sil &amp; Sr Small Bore 2-4pm BR Black Powder 6 pm - 8pm BR</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Archery Work Bee 4:30pm</b></p>	<p>Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Practice 5pm-8pm BR</p>
19	20	21
<p>Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Pistol CLOSED Open Rifle 11am-3pm Junior Shotgun 12pm-4pm <b>USPSA Match 8am-4pm</b> Woods Walk Reg 10am-11:30am <b>Cowboy Match 10am-2pm</b> <b>New Member Orientation 1pm CH</b> Kitchen 11am-5pm Bar Noon-6pm</p>	<p>SB Sil &amp; Sr Small Bore 2-4pm BR Black Powder 6 pm - 8pm BR</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Archery Work Bee 4:30pm</b></p>	<p>Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Practice 5pm-8pm BR</p>
26	27	28
<p>Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Trap ONLY Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 12pm-2pm PO Open Rifle 11am-3pm Junior Shotgun 12pm-4pm Basic CPL 5-7pm BR WOA Pistol 7pm-8:30pm BR <b>.22 Steel Match 9am-12pm PO</b> <b>CLARK BROWN SKEET OPEN</b> <b>CB Wild Bunch Match 8:30am</b> Kitchen 11am-5pm Bar Noon-6pm</p>	<p>SB Sil &amp; Sr Small Bore 2-4pm BR Black Powder 6 pm - 8pm BR</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Archery Spring Lg 4:30pm</b> <b>BOD Meeting 6:30pm SG</b></p>	<p>Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Practice 5pm-8pm BR</p>

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
<b>GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING</b>  <b>CANCELLED</b>	<b>RIFLE COMMITTEE MEETING</b>  <b>CANCELLED</b>		
8	9	10	11
			
15	16	17	18
Sporting Clays 10am-5:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-8pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR  <b>Black Powder Mtg. 7pm CH</b> <b>Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-5:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-8pm Bullseye 5pm-8:30pm BR  <b>Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</b>	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Junior Rifle 6:30 BR  <b>KITCHEN DINNER SPECIAL</b>  <b>PLEASE PRE-ORDER</b> <b>Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Pistol CLOSED USPSA Match Setup 8am-4pm BR Cowboy Target Setup 8:30-10am <b>Rifle Work Bee 8:30am</b> <b>Cowboy Meeting 10am DP</b> <b>Cowboy RO Refresher 11am</b> <b>Marine Corps Lg 1-6pm RR</b> <b>Kitchen 11am-5pm Bar 11am-6pm</b>
22	23	24	25
Sporting Clays 10am-5:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-8pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR  <b>Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10p</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-5:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-8pm Bullseye 5pm-8:30pm BR  <b>Spring Skeet &amp; Trap League</b> <b>Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</b>	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Junior Rifle 6:30 BR  <b>Clark Brown Skeet Open</b>  <b>KITCHEN DINNER SPECIAL</b>  <b>PLEASE PRE-ORDER</b> <b>Kitchen 5pm-9pm Bar 5pm-10pm</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Trap ONLY Open 10am-4pm Cowboy Target Setup 9am-10am Cowboy Practice 10am-2pm DP Open Pistol 10am-2pm BR USPSA Practice 2:30pm-5:30pm BR  <b>CLARK BROWN SKEET OPEN</b> <b>Kitchen 11am-5pm Bar 11am-6pm</b>
29	30		
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Presented by the Rocky River Regulators  
**April 19 / Sunday**

<u>Schedule of Events</u>	<u>Match Fees</u>		
Registration: 8:30 a.m.	Junior	\$4	
Safety Meeting 9:30 a.m.	DSC Member	\$11	
Lunch 12:30 p.m.	Wolverine Ranger	\$18	
	Non-Member	\$20	

Categories and Rules defined by  
 The Single Action Shooting Society

Old West Clothing                      Lead Bullets Only  
 Revolvers, Single Action, Two, at least 32 Caliber  
 Rifle, Lever or Pump, Pistol Caliber, 38 Caliber or  
 greater  
 Shotgun, Double Barrel or Pump, at least 20 Gauge  
 Guns, originals or reproductions, Pre-1900 design

Course of Fire

There are five stages. Total round count is usually:

50	Pistol	10 at each stage
50	Rifle	10 at each stage
20 +	Shotgun	4 + at each stage

Information

Jim Estes [terrebonnebud@comcast.net]  
 Joe Lupi [lupij@wowway.com]

Presented by the Rocky River Regulators  
**April 26 / Sunday**

<u>Schedule of Events</u>	<u>Match Fees</u>		
Registration: 8:30 a.m.	Junior	\$4	
Safety Meeting 9:30 a.m.	DSC Member	\$11	
Lunch 12:30 p.m.	Wolverine Ranger	\$18	
	Non-Member	\$20	

Wild Bunch Firearms / Ammunition

- 1) 1911 Style Semi-Auto in .45 ACP (at least 4 magazines)
- 2) Lever or Pump Action Rifle, Pistol Caliber, .40 or larger
- 3) Pump Shotgun Model 1897 or Model 12 in 12 Gauge
- 4) Lead Bullets Only and #7.5 or #8 shot

Course of Fire

Five stages. Total round count less than 200. Typical:

110	Pistol	7 to 28 at each stage
50	Rifle	7 to 10 at each stage
30	Shotgun	4 to 6 at each stage

Special Invitation - Open Category

Any semi-automatic pistol, a holster, 4 magazines, any lever action rifle (pistol caliber), and any pump shotgun. No rifle? Bring 6 magazines and shoot the rifle targets with your pistol.

Information:

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 Daniel Hill [daniel.s.hill@sbcglobal]



## 2020 Clinton River Muzzleloaders Calendar of Events

Black Powder Woods Walks are for traditional muzzleloaders.

Period Dress is encouraged.

**Black Powder events at DSC:**

Mini-Rendezvous... Every Tuesday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Shoot'en N Food N Fun.

Indoor Range Shooting in the Shotgun Building Basement

Most Mondays from Oct. through April, 6-8 p.m.

Black Powder Cartridge Practice: Rifle Range, Mondays from 5:30 p.m.-dusk going May thru Sep.

Black Powder Sight-in and practice Thursdays during the summer starting at 6 p.m.

			Special WW (22 Pistol)	26-Sep	Special WW (22 Rifle)
19-April	Cancelled	12-July	BP Wood Walk	11-Oct	Memorial Shoot
3-May	BP Woods Walk	9-Aug	BP Woods Walk	24-Oct	Special (Lever Action)
16-May	Special WW (Service Rifle)	15-Aug	Special WW (CF Pistol)	15-Nov	BP Woods Walk
14-June	BP Woods Walk	13-Sep	BP Woods Walk	13-Dec	BP Woods Walk







Norah Lesner, Stefan Lancaster & Shannan Lancaster (l-r)

## ARCHERY

All I can say is these are some crazy times. Hopefully everyone is managing the COVID-19 pandemic and they have enough toilet paper to last. I am hopeful that life returns to be somewhat normal in the near future. Personally I am looking forward to getting outside and shooting some 3-D archery. Luckily the 3-D Archery course is scheduled to open May 2 for the weekend 3-D shoots. The spring league is currently scheduled to start Apr. 27 with sign up starting at 4:30 p.m. and shooting at 6 p.m. Hopefully both the 3D league and weekend shoots happen on time with the current situation. Currently there are work bees planned for Monday evenings starting Apr. 13 to set up the 3-D ar-

chery course. Everything seems very fluid right now, so at this time I'm not sure those work bees will happen.

The archery committee was able to wrap up the winter spot league before most events got cancelled, including the spot league banquet. Jamie Ploof repeated with another first place win. There was a tie for second place between Stefan Lancaster and Clarence Bury and it came down to the tie breaker. Clarence ended up with second place by edging out Stefan with a margin of 3 more arrows placed in the X ring. Congratulations to all of them, and thank you to all that came out and shot in the winter spot league.

Jamie Ploof

## Skeet & Trap

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other words, two shooters with the top 4-gun averages in the State of Michigan. by Jerry Kott

The four DSC members named to the MSA State "Gauge" Teams are as follows:



Bill Nelson  
12-Gauge Team



Rick Trawinski  
12-Gauge Team



Jerry Kott  
20-Gauge Team



Pat Fowler  
Doubles Team

## DSC & COVID-19

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Another takeaway is you may be contagious about 3 days after you come in contact with the COVID-19 virus but symptoms may not occur for 5 to 7 days after contact. So you are contagious a day or two before you even know you have Coronavirus.

Please observe all these necessary rules and precautions. However, if the rules are ignored or there are large spikes in cases in Michigan, or new directives by the CDC, we

will have to shut the whole Club down.

We are in some uncharted territory and must be vigilant. This is a dangerous and contagious viral infection.

I will continue to send out information as I receive it. Be careful that you rely only on information from the CDC or our Governor. These rules are in effect now and could be superseded at any time.

Bob Savo, President  
Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

# DSC General Membership Monthly Meeting

Mar. 4, 2020—Clubhouse 8:00 pm

**Pledge of Allegiance:** R. Savo      **Conservation Pledge:** R. Savo

**Presidents Report:** (R. Savo) Past President and the Life Members were recognized. • Mr. Savo recognized and thanked the veterans that were present for their service. • The storage building is pretty much completed, with some insulation to be installed. The garage entrance overhead door is now installed. The initial Shelby Twp. inspection went well. The next project with the building will be the electrical service installation. The final project will be the landscaping around the building. Mr. Estes will cover some of the additional new 2020 projects in his report. • The largest next project is the Rifle Range Backstop. It is a very large expense, but it generates large annual revenue back to the club. • Our erosion projects are on hold for the lack of concrete fill material and the weather. • In Michigan, the ATF announced that FFL dealers will be no longer able to use a purchaser's CPL in lieu of a NICS background check. We don't have all the reasons why, but somewhere along the way CPLs were issued without an agency NICS check. More information will follow, but for now we have to perform a NIC's check on our dealer sales. • We have had several instances where the doors in the Range Building have not been secured. Please make sure all doors are secured when leaving the building. Also, the basement exhaust fans were left on after the range was vacated. • As spring approaches, please get your RABs and POs in so the Trustees and the Treasurer can watch our cash flow. • The 300+ Service Hour Awards will be handed out next month. Discussion followed.

**Secretary's Report:** (R. Hegelman) The Jan. BOD meeting and the Feb. GM meeting minutes are on the table and in the book behind the bar.

**Treasurers Report:** (R. Savo) The financial results for January are available. Our income for January was \$147,934.48. Expenses for January were \$71,099.90. Our January net income was \$76,834.58. The financial reports are in a book behind the bar if you want to take a look at them. The majority of our income is the intent to camp fees. Our outstanding loan balances total \$92,676.45.

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President's Report:** (J. Estes) Mar. 14 we are having a Cowboy RO refresher class from 11 a.m.-12 p.m. • Mar. 15 we are having our Bare Bones Match. Apr. 19 we are having a Cowboy match. Apr. 26 we are having a Wild Bunch Match and May 9 we are having a 3-Gun match. Sign in for all these events starts at 8:30 a.m. • Buildings and grounds: I have been getting quotes for the materials for the interior walls of our storage building. We need to rebuild the doors on the skeet houses and there is painting to do on the siding. We also have some concrete to repair. We need to get more concrete for the ravine just behind the office. We need to repair the berm behind skeet field #5 and we have some potholes to repair in the parking lot. • Dave Oles is doing a great job getting the work bee information on our website. • The next Life Membership meeting is in the clubhouse Mar. 8 at 2 p.m. The Sporting Goods show is in the clubhouse Apr. 18, and we have another scheduled for Sep. 19. Sales of the tables for the Apr. 18 are selling fast. Thanks to Joe Mc. Roberts for organizing the sporting goods show. Jim Klauza is helping us as well. Setting up for the show can be anytime on Friday and we will need help moving the tables after dinner.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Presidents Report:** (J. Rhodes) Spring is coming early and the ground is very soft. Please be careful not to drive and leave ruts on the ground. Take care not to get stuck. We need to start checking the safety equipment on our power equipment before usage. If any of that safety equipment is found not to be working, call me or Jim Estes or notify the office ASAP.

**Trustees Report:** Nothing to report.

**Chairman's Report:** (J. Lupi) Mr. Lupi covered the motions that were brought up for consideration at the February BOD meeting as well as the phone motions that came up before the BOD meeting.

**Operations Manager Report:** (B. Palmer) We have had 10 scholarship application packets signed out. There is still time left to check out an application. The awards are \$2,000 for 1<sup>st</sup> place and \$1,000 for 2<sup>nd</sup> place. So if you have eligible children or grandchildren come in and get an application. We really need to support it as it is a membership benefit.

**Member of the Month:** The member of the month for February is Tom Murphy and the member of the month for March is Larry Hafner.

**Life Member Award:** Mr. Savo awarded a life membership to Terry Pardiac. (Applause)

## **Committee Reports:**

**Archery:** (D. Burnett) Basic Archery will be ending Mar. 21 with a Fun Day on the range and a banquet in the clubhouse. The class was extended one week due to the storm a couple of weeks ago. We have had a great class with some great students and supporting parents and participation from our adult members. As always, thanks to all the instructors that came out on Saturdays to help these people and create an interest in the shooting sports. • Friday open shooting will continue 6 to 9 p.m. until Apr. 3, as Apr. 10 is Good Friday. Although we usually do not have open shooting after Good Friday, we may re-open those times for the last two weeks in April if there is a demand. • Our JOAD team went to the USA archery Indoor Nationals in Mason, MI last week. Although we did not bring home any medals this time, all of our JOAD members posted personal best scores on Friday. Another great event for our team. • There will be a USA Archery Level 1 instructor class held on March 25-26 in the clubhouse. This is an evening class from 6-9 p.m. on both days. • We have an IBEP/RO class coming up Mar. 29. If you need some summer hours and would like to be an Archery Range Officer, you need to take this class. The class will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. in the barn range. • Work Bees on the outdoor ranges will begin Mar. 30 with a walk-through inspection and clean up. Additional work bees will be held on Mondays in April until the Spring League begins. Times are in the evenings from 4:30 p.m. until dark. Those work bees are posted on the website. • Following the first work bee, there will be a Committee meeting in the Barn Range.

**Black Powder:** (G. Ridener) We are still having our mini- rendezvous Tuesday's from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. • We are shooting on the basement range Monday evenings from 6-8 p.m.

**Camping:** (W. O'Connell) Thanks to the BOD for approving the motion to purchase a new mower for the campground. The campground is opening on Apr. 1, with our first committee meeting Apr. 5. Come out and see us in Apr., we will be happy to show you around.

**Clubhouse:** (C. Tonegatto-Salo) The Clubhouse will be closed for Easter weekend. • Website committee members continue to update the site expeditiously. The new website under construction was available for viewing at <http://dscweb.org>. The committees will have to update

their page not website committee members. We need them to assign someone to keep it updated • For February, the DSC Facebook page has 1,619 people liking us, and 1,672 people following us. Last month was 1,601 people likes and 1,652 people following us. We are almost at 4,000 check-ins. • The deadline for P&K submissions is the 15 of every month. Please include photos if you have hosted an event. • Junior rifle and pistol are looking for more shooters.

**Conservation/New Member Orientation:** (D. Duey) Mr. Duey covered the new information from the DNR. • Sunday, Mar. 15 will be our NMO meeting, in the clubhouse at 1 p.m. • Apr. 25 will be the spring Dequindre Road Cleanup.

**Cowboy Action/ Life membership:** (J. Estes) Covered under 1<sup>st</sup> VP report.

**Education:** (R. Savo) Mar. 17 from 7-10 p.m. in the range building we will be offering our CPL Refresher class. Cost for members is \$60 and non-members \$75. Preregistering is mandatory for the March class. . It is suggested to take the course 3-months prior to when your CPL expires. We are also having a one day MCRGO CPL class Mar. 22, which includes 2 ½ hours of range time.

**Pistol:** (S. Surratt) Bullseye, PPC, and CPL practice will finish their seasons in April. The basement range will be closed for a USPSA match on Mar. 14, 15. There is no open shooting on those days. Mar. 22 the basement range will have open shooting from 10 a.m.-noon, with the MCRGO CPL class on the range starting at 12:30 p.m. • Apr. 6 is the Pistol Committee meeting in the range building at 7 p.m. Apr. 12 is Easter Sunday, the club will be closed for the holiday. Apr. 18-19 there will be a USPSA match on the basement range. There is no open shooting for those days. Apr. 26 will be the first day for the outdoor pistol range. There will be a .22 Steel Match from 9 a.m.- noon, and open shooting from noon-2 p.m. • Apr. 26 there will be a work bee to move the tables into position from their winter storage. • We will be scheduling work bees to paint the sea containers, and buildings. We will need to add screws to the 50-yard range cover roof. We need to rebuild the 50-yard range target bases. We need to paint the steel and floor lines on the basement range and we will have to remove the Phragmites around the outdoor range. We will need help on all these work bees.

**Plaid and Khaki:** Covered under Clubhouse report.

**Pro Shop/Election:** (T. Murphy) Mr. Murphy asked for a motion to destroy the ballots from the 2019 election. The motion was made by Mr. Stephenson and seconded by Mr. Klauza. The motion passed. • We had a great month last month in the Pro Shop. If you need an item to be stocked please do not hesitate to tell me or Rick and we will try to get it for you.

**Rifle:** (D. Carbery) We are having our potato shoot Mar. 15. It is shooting at 50-yards from a standing position. • Apr. 11 is our annual Easter Egg Shoot. This is shooting at Easter eggs from a prone position at 200-yards. Prizes are awarded to fastest time, least number of shots, and best decorated Easter eggs. This is one of our best fun shoots. • Senior Smallbore and Silhouette are shooting on the indoor range Mondays from 2-4 p.m. • The 200-yard range has open shooting from 11am-3pm on Sundays. The Rifle Committee meeting is tomorrow evening in the clubhouse starting at 7:30 p.m.

**Skeet and Trap:** (R. Stanfield) We will be welcoming back Rich Trawinski Mar. 11. Everything went well and his recovery has been phenomenal ahead of schedule. • Registered skeet will begin this month. The new March Winds Open is a 5 gun shoot: doubles, 12 gauge, 20 gauge, 28 gauge and .410 bore and will be held Saturday and Sunday, Mar. 21, 22. • Beginning Mar. 22 our Skeet and Trap Fun League begins. Registration is from Mar. 1 to Apr. 2. The first 50-targets must be shot by Apr. 9. All 300-targets must be shot by June 11. A banquet will be held June 18. More information is on the flyer and in our Pro Shop. • Junior Shotgun is beginning to develop competitive squads for both Skeet and Sporting Clays. We are gearing up to host the Southeast Conference Championship May 9.

**Sporting Clays:** (P. Koehn) Everything is running well. May 9 we are having our SCTP match. The range will be closed until 1 p.m. that Saturday. If you need work hours feel free to contact Leah or Al McGee. Come on down to Sporting Clays- it's a great place to be.

**Website/Facebook:** Covered under Clubhouse report.

**Women of Aim:** (V. Billings) We are having our women only pistol shooting starting at 7 p.m. in the basement range Mar. 8 and 22. • The WOA committee meeting will be in the range building Mar. 12 at 7 p.m. Even if you are not a shooter, we would love to have you join us.

**Work Hours:** (M. Schany) Work hours have been turned in. They should be on the website, and in the office.

**Members at Large:** (D. Pearson) Hunters Ed class will be on Apr. 4. 5. You can register for the classes at the Pro Shop. • (R. Savo) I was contacted by another club about having a tactical personal defense two day session here. They were unable to host it and they called me. It is a two day hands on session from a well-regarded training. The cost for the two days is \$450. The class size is very limited. It would be on Feb. 6, 7, 2021. I think that it will happen here in 2021 as all the feedback I received was positive. More information as the dates approach.

**New Members:** None

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** (D. Pardie) The junior shotgun program is really what our club is all about. It allows juniors to learn to shoot the shotgun sports with caring instruction and coaching by our members. It is really gratifying to see the kids improve every week. • We need to have more participation with our scholarship program. \$2,000 is a lot of money to a 17 year old looking to get into college. • To try to reward our members we had a Shooter Appreciation Day. The turnout was low due to the terrible weather. It was not my idea; it germinated down in Sporting Clays with Leah and Al McGee. We are looking to try it again on September 20<sup>th</sup>. This is after the kids are back in school and vacations are done, but before hunting season starts. • We should have some discussion regarding starting the GM meeting at 7pm rather than 8pm. There are pros and cons for each starting time, but it is something we should take a look at.

**Membership Drawing \$100:** Scott Champaign had the winning number; however since he did not attend the membership meeting, the April meeting drawing will be for \$200.

**50/50 Drawing:** Christine Tonegatto-Salo- \$100

Meeting adjourned 9:20pm

Submitted by Rick Hegelman, Secretary, Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

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## Welcome New Members

The Detroit Sportsmen's Congress wants to welcome these new members. We congratulate you on your good choice in joining our club. Get involved in what you like and in what we have to offer. Getting involved does not mean work; it means enjoyment. We want each of you to be active in the years to come, making this a club for everyone to enjoy. Thank you for joining the DSC!

**Fellow members please make them feel welcome!**

Joe	Robinson
David	Dembovsky
Harry	Tremonti
Mark	Wroblewski
John	Manion Jr.
Howard	Lawson

Joe	Tragle IV
Joey	Tragle V
Rhonda	Ode
Jennifer	Grazia
Amy	Bethune

### Conservation Pledge

I give my pledge as an American,  
to save and faithfully defend from waste,  
the natural resources of my country,  
its air, soil and minerals,  
its forests, waters and wildlife.



**P & K Submissions** are due the **15th** of every month.  
To: [dscpkemail@gmail.com](mailto:dscpkemail@gmail.com) Please send in original format only.  
Please include event photos.