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## Pistol



Left to Right: Eugene Davis, Ray Yetter, Carl Craik, Jim Rhodes, Jakob Lewis, Denis Mikitchook, Bob Seild and Ron Seidl swap stories and excuses in the O.C.S.C. clubhouse at the banquet following the match March 2.

As much as we love to come to our campus for some powder therapy and friendly competition, it is also important to represent the DSC at other venues.

Members of the Police Pistol Combat (PPC) league were able to represent our club at a local competition, March 2. We travelled out to the Oakland County Sportmen's Club to test our metal against other local and international shooters on the D.R. Wilson indoor range.

There were three different competitions: Standard PPC 60-round, Service pistol 60-round and a 42-round service shoot. Our club represented itself well, winning not only top places in the Lewis-based competition but also top placements overall.

Visiting other clubs is a good opportunity to meet other shooters and also to see how their facilities and events are run. The next travel match is March 13-16 at Fenton Lakes Sportsman's Club. Pistol shooters should get out there and represent.

Denis Mikitchook

## DSC Lenten Fish Dinner

**Fridays through Lent**

**5 to 8 p.m.**

**through Apr. 18**

Three pieces of fish, fries and coleslaw  
\$14

Reservations are **MANDATORY**.

Reply to [dscoffice@gmail.com](mailto:dscoffice@gmail.com)

Email sent the Monday prior.



So we ensure there is  
enough for everyone.

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**(June - Sept.)**

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

##### **Clubhouse ~ Ellen Studer**

Wed.-Fri 5 - 10 p.m.

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**Kitchen ~ Closed looking for a cook**

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National Rifle Association

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**P & K Submissions** are due the **10th** of every month. Editable format only accepted. [dscpkemail@gmail.com](mailto:dscpkemail@gmail.com) Photos make the paper.

# Clinton River Clean-up

The Clinton River Watershed Council is hosting a river clean-up at Heritage Park in Utica, on Van Dyke south of M-59, April 16 from 10 a.m. to noon.

Additionally they are also having a clean-up at Yates Park April 19, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. with the M.U.C.C. You must register for this event by Apr. 18 at the following:

<https://www.crrwc.org/clinton-clean-up>

Lunch will be provided by M.U.C.C.



DSC website link for additional event photos

# Clinton River Muzzleloaders 2025 Calendar of Events

Apr. 13	BP Woods Walk	Aug. 16	Centerfire Pistol WW*
May 4	BP Woods Walk	Sept. 14	BP Woods Walk
May 17	George Wildrick Service Rifle WW*	Sept. 20	22 RF Rifle Woods Walk*
June 8	BP Woods Walk	Oct. 19	Memorial Shoot
June 21	22 Pistol Woods Walk*	Oct. 25	Centerfire Lever Action WW*
July 13	BP Wood Walk	Nov. 9	BP Woods Walk
Aug. 10	BP Woods Walk	Dec. 14	BP Woods Walk

\*In case of cancellation, the makeup date will be the following Saturday

## Delaney Park, BP range, Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

49800 Dequindre Rd., Shelby Township, MI 48317

Phone: 586-739-3500 Web: [www.dscweb.org](http://www.dscweb.org)

Day of Shoot: 586-382-9015

## Other Black Powder events at DSC:

- 1 Mini-Rendezvous... Every Tuesday, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
Shoot'en N Food N Fun.
- 2 Indoor Range Shooting in the Shotgun Building Basement  
Most Mondays from October through April, 6-8 p.m.
- 3 Open Shooting on the Rifle Range Mondays from 5:30 p.m. - dusk  
May through September.
- 4 Open sight-in and practice on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays during  
the summer months, starting at 6p.m. on the Cowboy 50-yard Range.



# CPL/CCW Refresher Course

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

**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 7 - 10 p.m. ☐ Apr. 15 ☐ May 13 ☐ June 10 check box for desired class.

**COST:** Non DSC Member \$75 DSC Member \$60 Add \$25, if gun and ammo are required and check box.

**REGISTRATION:** REGISTRATION REQUIRED. CLASS SIZE 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: [rmsavo@ameritech.net](mailto:rmsavo@ameritech.net)

# Rifle

There are four special rifle events coming up in the next few weeks.

The first is the annual Rifle Range Work Bee will be held April 12 from 9 a.m. to noon. This is the annual range preparation work bee. We will clean out and organize the range building and basically do whatever is necessary to get the range ready for the upcoming summer season and leagues. We will also work on servicing the High-Power league targets. This includes cleaning out and organizing the 200-yard target container. If you need work hours, this is a great opportunity for light work.

The next event is the annual Easter Egg Shoot to be held Saturday, April 19. Bring six decorated hard-boiled eggs and you get a chance to shoot at them at 200 yards. Shooting is from the prone position. There are three prize categories; the least time to shoot all 6 eggs, least number of rounds fired, and maybe best of all - best decorated eggs. Every year, this last category becomes more competitive as participants show their creativity in egg decoration. It's quite a feat to hit a chicken egg at 200 yards. This challenge makes it a lot of fun for contestants and spectators alike. Registration begins at 9 a.m., the decoration judging begins at 9:30, and the shooting

event begins at 10 a.m. Hopefully, the price of eggs will not scare you away this year.

Later the same day is the 250th Anniversary Patriots Day Memorial Shoot at 1 p.m. This is the actual anniversary of the battles of Lexington and Concord. This is a 20-shot rimfire standing shoot. Targets are symbols of the British Monarchy. As usual, you can shoot more than one target.

Finally, Sunday, May 4, the DSC is commemorating Victory-in-Europe (VE) day with a special shoot. This shoot is for World War II-type rifles. The course of fire for rifles is 20 shots prone at 200 yards on the SR target and 20 shots standing at 100 yards on the SR-1 target. Carbines will shoot prone and standing at 100 yards. The shoot runs from noon till 2pm. This is the first of two shoots based on the end of the war. The second is in August. Combined results from both shoots will reveal one overall winner.

For more details on these shoots see the flyers on the Coming Events page of the [dscweb.org](http://dscweb.org) website or in this issue of the P & K.

Walter Opdycke

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## Welcome Campground DSC Archers



### Participation Fees Per Visit

**Youth \$3** (Ages 5 - 17) 18 and over \$5

### **CLOSED TOE SHOES REQUIRED**

Every Saturday, Memorial Day to Labor Day

Archery Range at Campground

Ages 11 – 17 at 11 a.m. Ages 5 - 10 at 12 p.m.

(ages 5-10 must be accompanied by an adult)

Contact Person: Dewayne Howell, Lot #125 Cell (248) 840-3502





# **HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS (Spring)**

## **Traditional Class, Apr. 12 & 13 (Saturday & Sunday)**

### **OR Field Day Class, Apr. 13 (Sunday)**



Presented by: Detroit Sportsmen's Congress in cooperation with the Michigan DNR

Learn how to be a safe hunter and earn your certificate.

Class taught by state certified hunter education instructors.

Class is mandatory to purchase a Michigan hunting license for those born on or after Jan. 1, 1960.

We offer two classes that run the same weekend.

**TRADITIONAL CLASS:** Saturday: Check in 7:30 a.m. ~ Class 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. & Sunday 8 a.m. - Noon

**FIELD DAY CLASS:** Sunday: Check in 7:30 a.m. ~ Class 8 a.m. – Noon

The **FIELD DAY CLASS** is for students who have completed the **ONLINE HUNTER EDUCATION COURSE** OR completed all review questions in the "Today's Hunter" booklet. At check-in, the online course certificate (paper or phone picture) must be presented OR the completed review questions are turned in.

**Saturday** - Lecture, demonstrations, hunting regulations.

**Sunday** - Test review, test, firearm handling, shotgun and rifle shooting plus compass training.

Registration is online at the Michigan DNR website. **NOT** at the Detroit Sportsmen's Congress.

Register at: <https://michigan.storefront.kalkomey.com/em/programs> or use QR code above and search by class type (traditional or field), date and for the Detroit Sportsmen's Congress class. **Register for one class only.**

You can view the **TRADITIONAL CLASS** and **FIELD DAY CLASS** details on March 1 with registration opening March 15. If the class is full, it will be removed from view on the web site.

Student cancellations will reopen the class and restore viewing and registration options. So check back often.

*Parents & Grandparents without a certificate, are encouraged to enroll.*

**Class Fee: \$10**  
**for Traditional or Field class**  
**paid at check in**

**Bring exact cash (NO credit cards)**

**Saturday - lunch available in the clubhouse**  
**for nominal fee or bring your own.**  
**(30 min. lunch break)**

**Snacks and soda available on Saturday.**

**Sunday will be outside rain or shine.**  
**Dress appropriately.**

**Eye & Ear Protection Required Sunday.**  
**It is provided, or you can bring your own.**

Detroit Sportsmen's Congress, 49800 Dequindre,  
Utica, MI 48317 [www.dscweb.org](http://www.dscweb.org)  
DSC Office weekdays 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. : 586-739-3500  
Proshop weekend 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. : 586-739-3502

**Can't make this class?**

**Our fall class is Sept. 20 & 21, 2025**

**Registration opens Monday, Aug. 16, 2025**

**ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS MARCH 15**

**DNR**  
**Registration**  
**Class Link**



### **CLASS LOCATION**

**Check in starts at 7:30 a.m. in the DSC clubhouse**

**Class 8 a.m. in the DSC Indoor Archery Range**

**Both at northeast corner of the parking lot.**

**Pencils and highlighter required both days.**

**\* Finish time is approximate, class times vary.**  
**Parents should arrive at least 15-minutes**  
**prior to scheduled class finish time.**

**DSC**  
**Website**



**PDF Hunter Ed**  
**Handbook**



# Cowboy

## Cowboy Schedule of Events for April:

Sunday, April 13 – 10 a.m. -12 p.m., Cowboy 50 Yard Range Open for Practice

Friday, April 18 – Good Friday

Sunday, April 20 – Easter Sunday

Saturday, April 26 – 9 a.m. Target Setup. Committee Meeting 10 a.m.

Sunday, April 27 – Cowboy Action Match. Registration 8:30 a.m. Match 9:30 a.m.

Note: Mandatory Safety Meeting prior to Match Start.

COWBOY PRACTICE EVERY SATURDAY FROM 10 a.m. TO 12:30 p.m.

## THE SILENT MOVIE AND GOLDEN AGE OF RADIO WESTERN STORIES



Western movies were immensely popular during the Silent-Film Era (1894-1927). Until 1903, silent films had been one-reel lasting ten to twelve minutes. The earliest known silent movie western story is the British short story *Kidnapping by the Indians* made in Blackburn, England in 1899. In 1901 Edwin S. Porter, a former projectionist and exhibitor, had taken **charge of the motion picture projection at Thomas Edison's** company. He is recognized for making longer films that tell a story. In The United States, the earliest work of the silent movie era was *The Great Train Robbery* ((1903). This work is attributed to launching the movies as a commercial establishment medium of entertainment. The *Great Train Robbery* is noted for its rapid shifts of location, including action on a moving train.



Welcome The Golden Age of Radio Westerns: During the 1930s 1940s and 1950s, you could find some of the most popular radio westerns of all time. To name a few, The Lone Ranger, Cisco Kid, Wild Bill Hickok, Fort Laramie, Roy Rogers, Gun-smoke and many others. Before television, radio provided entertainment by presenting radio plays and programs of westerns, mystery, intrigue and comedy.

Many of these radio plays later became television shows. For example, before airing on television, the iconic Gunsmoke series ran on radio for nine years from April 26, 1952, to June 11, 1961.

The first of 2,956 episodes of The Lone Ranger premiered on radio Jan. 30, 1933, on WXYZ radio in Detroit, Mich. and later the Mutual Broadcasting System radio network and then on NBC's Blue Network which later became ABC. ABC broadcasted the shows' last new episode Sept. 3, 1954.



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# COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING

PRESENTED BY THE ROCKY RIVER REGULATORS  
AT THE DETROIT SPORTSMEN'S CONGRESS

Cowboy Range 42°39'25.9"N 83°05'08.8"W

*Sunday, April 27, 2025*

## Match Schedule of Events:

Registration: 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.  
Safety Meeting / Match 9:30 a.m.

## Categories and Rules as defined by The Single Action Shooting Society

### Basic Requirements:

Cowboy and Cowgirl Dress requested  
Two Single Action Revolvers, at least 32 Caliber  
Lever Action (or pump action) Rifle  
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 at each stage
50	Rifle	10 at each stage
20 +	Shotgun	4 + at each stage

## Match Fees:

Junior	\$5
DSC Member	\$10
Wolverine Ranger	\$15
Non-Member	\$20

## Information:

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Joe Lupi [lupij@wowway.com](mailto:lupij@wowway.com)



# DSC 2025 Service Rifle Clinic & Match

The purpose of this clinic is to provide instruction and training for the new shooter in Service Rifle competition. Emphasis placed on positions, rules, competition and match operations. Clinic is open to any US citizen 14 years or older with a maximum number of 40 students. Instruction provided by certified CMP garand master instructors and NRA rifle instructors, who are also competitive rifle shooters. The DSC offers a yearly service rifle league. This will allow you to apply what you have learned and continue to improve your marksmanship.

Entry fees include all class material, match, ammunition fees and the use of a rifle. Due to range capacity and course materials, we require a non-refundable registration fee of \$40 for this clinic and match.

Deposits must be received before **April 25, 2025**, entries received after this date will be placed on stand-by. Confirmations, by email unless you include a self-addressed post card with your entry.

**CLINIC:** Thur., May 1, 2025 ( 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. approx.~ Clubhouse) Sat., May 3, 2025 ( 9 a.m. – noon ~ Clubhouse)

**MATCH:** Sat. May 3, 2025 (1 to 6 p.m. ~.Rifle Range) Practical exercises (using Garands and AR-15s followed by the match at 3 p.m.)  
50-round approved CMP Match. MATCH IS OPEN ONLY TO THOSE STUDENTS ATTENDING THIS CLINIC

**FEES:** Non-member \$100, DSC member \$70 and junior 14-18 \$40. Fee includes clinic and match. Ammo is included.

**TIME:** Competitors must attend a mandatory squadding and safety meeting at approximately 3 p.m.

**RIFLES:** Rifles and ammo provided, M1 Garands and some AR-15s.  
Students with an AR-15 or M1 Garand rifle may use them in the match provided they pass a safety inspection.

**RULES:** Current "CMP Service rifle" rules. Competitors are required to score targets. Target scoring will be on the frame. Eye and ear protection required for competitors and spectators on the line (available). For a free copy of the CMP Highpower Rifle Competition Rules in pdf format: <https://thecmp.org/competitions/cmp-competitions-rulebooks/>

**COURSE OF FIRE:** Fifty rounds plus sighters at 200-yards. Ammo included.

**Sighters:** 5-shots ~ 10-minutes ~ any position **Phase 3:** Rapid fire standing to prone posit. ~ 10 shots ~ 70-seconds  
(SR-42 — 300-yd reduced target)

**Phase 1:** Slow fire standing position ~ 10-shots ~ 10-minutes **Phase 4:** Slow fire prone position ~ 20 shots ~ 20-minutes  
(SR - 200-yd target) (MR-52 — 600-yd reduced target)

**Phase 2:** Rapid fire standing to sitting position ~ 10 shots ~ 60-seconds  
(SR - 200-yd target)

**Notes:** 3-minute prep. periods for the rapid-fire phases. For slow fire, block times will be at the discretion of the chief range officer.

**LOCATION:** DSC 49800 Dequindre Road, Utica, MI 48317 (586) 739-3500 Office Hours: M-F 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., Wednesday until 8 p.m.

**QUESTIONS:** Jim Rhodes 248-568-0857 [jimrhodes@wideopenwest.com](mailto:jimrhodes@wideopenwest.com), Corey Salo 586-944-3600 [corey@cdsdes.com](mailto:corey@cdsdes.com)

You can email your reservation to Corey Salo [corey@cdsdes.com](mailto:corey@cdsdes.com) and mail your check to the above address. Email requests: held for only 10 working days for the check to arrive.

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Junior (14-17) ☐ Bringing personal rifle

Juniors under 14 may be allowed with proof of prior competitive shooting experience (smallbore or air).  
With instructor permission. Call to discuss juniors under 14. 586-944-3600

Fees: ☐ \$60 Junior ☐ \$75 Non-member Junior ☐ \$100 DSC Member ☐ \$150 Non-member

Fee Included: \_\_\_\_\_ **\$40 deposit required with entry. Due before April 25, 2025.**  
Non-refundable

Make checks payable and mail to: Detroit Sportsmen's Congress Service Rifle Clinic  
(You may also drop at office or clubhouse) 49800 Dequindre Road, Utica, MI 48317



# 2025 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, 5/03/25 through 9/30/25, excluding Holidays.

## **LOCATION:**

DSC 200-yard Rifle Range, 49800 Dequindre, Utica, MI

## **STARTING TIMES:**

Tuesdays: Shooting begins at 5 p.m.

Saturdays: 4:30 p.m. sight-in begins. Shooting begins at 5 p.m.

## **COURSE OF FIRE:**

The NRA Smallbore Rifle course consists of:

10 chickens at 40 meters

10 pigs at 60 meters

10 turkeys at 77 meters

10 rams at 100 meters

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 \$50. The league fee covers the league banquet with door prizes for the member. The banquet is normally held the first Saturday in December. An Associate Membership is \$50. Range Fees are \$6 for Work Hour Members, \$8 for Members, and \$14 for Associate Members. The non-member range fee is \$20. 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.

## **LEAGUE SCORING:**

League Membership and a minimum of 8 scores are required to qualify for an Award Certificate. A competitor's highest 8 scores will be used to determine league standings. Award Certificates will be given to the League Members that score the highest 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](mailto:rjseidl@hotmail.com).

For printable and most up to date calendar go to the DSC website. <http://dscweb.org/coming-events> or use QR code. Click on: Club monthly master calendar at the top of the page.



## RANGE HOURS

### Archery 3D Outdoor (Apr. - Sept.)

Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

### Archery Indoor (Nov.—Mar.)

Sun. 2 – 5 p.m.

### Black Powder Hotline: 586-382-9015

Mon. 6 p.m. - Dusk ~ R.R.

Tue. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. ~ BP

### Cowboy Action

(Apr.-Oct.) Sat. 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

(Nov.-Mar.) Sat. 10 a.m.-Noon

(May-Sept.) Wed. 6 p.m.-Dusk

### Pistol

(May-Sept.) Outdoor

(Oct.-Apr.) Indoor

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

Sat. & Sun. 10 a.m.—2 p.m.

### Rifle

(May-Sept.)

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

### Pro Shop

Skeet/Trap/5-Stand

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(Apr.-Sept.)

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

(May-Oct.)

Fri. 4 - 8 p.m. or dusk

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586-739-2210 (Year Round)

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(Nov.-Mar.)

Wed. & Thur. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

(April Thru October)

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

Clubhouse 586-739-3501

## April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
 <p><b>Lent Fish Fry Dates</b> <b>April 4, 11, 18</b> <b>Reservations are Required</b> <b><a href="mailto:dscoffice@gmail.com">dscoffice@gmail.com</a></b></p>	<p><b>IA - Indoor Archery</b> <b>BA - Barn</b> <b>BR - Basement Range</b> <b>CG - Camp Ground</b> <b>CH - Clubhouse</b> <b>DP - Delaney Park</b> <b>PO - Pistol Outdoor</b> <b>RR - Rifle Range</b> <b>SG - Shotgun Building</b></p>	<p><b>APRIL FOOL DAY</b> 1</p> <p>Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Practice 5pm-8pm BR Air Gun Sil Lg 7pm-9pm IA</p>
		<p>6 7 8</p> <p>Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Rifle 11am-3pm Rimfire Sporter 8-10am BR Open Pistol 10am to 12pm BR Junior Shotgun Practice 10:30am</p> <p><b>S&amp;T Meeting 2pm SG</b></p> <p>13 14 15</p> <p>Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Rifle 11am-3pm Open Pistol 10am to 2pm BR Junior Shotgun Practice 10:30am</p> <p><b>HE Class 8am-12pm IAR/BR</b> <b>Intermediate CPL Practice 5-7pm</b> <b>BP Woods Walk Reg. 10-11:30am</b></p> <p><b>Archery Work Bee 5-8pm OAR</b> <b>Pistol Meeting 7pm SG</b></p> <p><b>TAX DUE DAY</b></p> <p>20 21 22</p> <p></p> <p><b>EASTER SUNDAY</b></p> <p>27 28 29</p> <p>Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Rimfire Sporter 8-10am BR Open Rifle 11am-3pm Pistol Work Bee 7-9am PO Open Pistol 12pm-2pm PO Junior Shotgun Practice 10:30am</p> <p><b>Cowboy Match 9:30am DP</b> <b>.22 Steel Match 9am-12pm</b> <b>Basic CPL Practice 5pm-7pm BR</b></p> <p><b>Archery 3D League 6-8pm OAR</b> <b>BOD Meeting 6:30pm RB</b></p>

**HAPPY EASTER**

**Notice! This calendar may change after publication, please verify events with the venue and/or website. {See left margin.}**

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3	4	5
Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-6pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR  <b>General Membership Meeting 7pm</b> <b>Dinner menu</b> <b>2 Pork Sliders w/chips \$7.00</b> <b>Homemade Made French Onion Soup</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Bullseye 5pm BR  <b>Rifle Meeting 7:30pm CH</b>	<b>LENTEN FISH FRY</b> Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Junior Pistol 6-7:30 BR Junior Rifle 7:30pm BR  <b>Lenten Fish Fry 5-8pm</b> <b>by Reservation Please</b> <b>email dscoffice@gmail.com</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am-12pm BR USPSA Pract 2:30pm-5:30pm BR Cowboy Practice 10am-12:30pm
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16	17	18	19
Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-6pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR  <b>Black Powder Mtg. 7pm CH</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Bullseye 5pm BR	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR   <b>Lenten Fish Fry 5-8pm</b> <b>by Reservation Please</b> <b>email dscoffice@gmail.com</b>	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am-2pm BR USPSA Pract 2:30pm-5:30pm BR Cowboy Practice 10am-12:30pm  <b>Easter Egg Shoot 9am RR</b> <b>Patriot's Day Shoot 1pm RR</b>
23	24	25	26
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## **DETROIT SPORTSMEN'S CONGRESS ~ GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING ~ MARCH 5, 2025**

**President B. Saylor:** (Bob Savo reporting) Recognized the past presidents and life members present. Cautioned that as the ground starts to thaw it will become quite soft and easily damaged by vehicles and heavy traffic.

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:** (J. Klobuchar) The projects list (painting, Juengel fence, caulking etc) is being updated for spring/summer and requested that committees/members input to him as they see items needing repair. Let Mr. Klobuchar know if you have specific skills (painting, power machine maintenance etc.) so projects can be tailored to your skills.

**2nd Vice President:** (R. Plante) No report

**Secretary's Report:** (T. Crockatt) The February GMM minutes are available and in the March P&K.

**Treasurer's Report:** (R. Savo) January financials: BOD approved

Jan: income = \$162,432; expenses = \$71,306; net = \$91,126, YTD: income = \$162,432; expenses = \$71,306; net = \$91,126

Mr. Savo again stressed that committee income is vital for DSC's continuing financial health.

**Trustee:** (T. Murphy) No report.

**Trustee:** (E. Silarski) No report.

**Trustee:** (C. Salo) Not Present.

**Chairman's Report:** (J. Lupi) BOD met on February 24 and elected Mr. Vertrees and Mr. Endean to fill the 2 open director positions – they were welcomed. The business items discussed on February 24:

Motion to eliminate all guest rates for all DSC ranges during open shooting – effective 3/1/25 – APPROVED

Motion to rescind motion 23-003-PI-01 which allowed a reduced open shooting rate for pistol during the last 30-60 minutes – APPROVED

Motion to approve funds (\$2,617.14) for zero turn mower engine replacement – APPROVED

Motion to approve raising select shooting fees for non-members, indoor range users, and student/junior shooters (see attached chart) – FAILED.

Motion to raise select shooting fees for non-members – APPROVED

Motion to approve the "AS IS" sale of the 2003 John Deere tractor with front end loader for \$8,000 - APPROVED

**Operations Manager:** Ms. Palmer and Ms. Studer were thanked for dinner, and thanked those partaking! Friday night fish fries are back starting March 7 – reservations required – call the office (& see flyer in the P&K).

**Member of the Month:** March member of the month is Kimberly Morgan.

**New Members:** No new members present.

**Committee Reports:**

**Archery:** Winter activities are finishing up this month with a super Sunday shoot planned at DSC March 16. Juniors winter JOAD is also finishing up with summer JOAD starting March 23.

**Black Powder:** Monday open shooting (6 – 8 p.m.) is still in the basement range. Tuesday mini rendezvous are still on-going. The next woods walk event is March 9.

**Camping:** Mr. O'Connell reported seeing wildlife now out and about (turkeys, groundhogs, squirrels etc - Mr. O'Connell was given the task to name the resident campground groundhog). Campground opens April 1 with 32 lots still available for seasonal rental (contact him if interested). The remaining lots will soon be offered for week and monthly rentals.

**Clubhouse:** Due to a scheduling conflict, there will not be a St. Patrick's Day party March 14.

**Life Member:** Next committee meeting is March 9 @ 2 p.m. in the clubhouse.

**Cowboy:** Cowboy is shooting outdoors Saturday's 10 – 12:30 (on 3/8, 3/22, and 3/29). Next committee meeting March 15.

**Membership & Show, Conservation:** Next new member orientation is March 16 at 1 p.m. in clubhouse.

Conservation topics:

Reuse, restore, and recycle program grants totaled \$5.6 mils for 30 projects. Good example is the "brownfield" reused to create the Jimmy Johns baseball facility.

DNR has opened applications for summer campground hosts and lighthouse keepers, as well as part-time summer positions available.

DNR will conduct community-based wolf survey to study evidence of them being in lower Michigan.

March is national pesticide safety month.

DNR article on waterfowl and bird flu.

DNR is warning residents regarding consumer scams.

DNR posted a good birding article .

\$2 mils grant awarded to support the state's 250<sup>th</sup> USA anniversary (2026).

DNR looking for help (& awareness) from anglers not to snag sturgeon.

DNR upcoming meeting agendas have been posted.

\$3.6 mils allocated to invasive species mitigation efforts .

Fishing licenses are now available for 2026.

DNR has provided contact info for any concerns/complaints regarding any weights & measures irregularities.

Webinars up-coming in March & April on what EAGLE does and doesn't do.

DNR recent report on capture of a thief (mid Michigan).

DNR hosting seminar for volunteers interested in the lakes monitoring program.

**Education:** Mr. Crockatt summarized the upcoming pistol, CPL, and CPL refresher classes scheduled for March and April. Metallic cartridge reloading class is March 15. March 29&30 is junior basic rifle class. Hunter's education is April 12 & 13. The AR15 basic rifle clinic will be Saturday May 17. (consult the P&K and website for details on all classes being offered through this spring and early summer).

**Promotion & Photography:** Reminder to contact Mr. Pierce for photos of your events.

**Pistol:** Open shooting is still indoors (through April) from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. – except third weekend for USPSA, and 4<sup>th</sup> weekend (for junior matches) – see P&K for dates and times. Outdoor pistol will start in May – depending on weather. The winter Leagues (PPC, bullseye, etc) are now winding down. USPSA match for April is cancelled due to Easter conflict. Junior SASP will start in May 7 (running through August) on Wednesday evenings (junior version of USPSA with .22s).

**P&K:** Articles and photos (with captions and full names) are always needed. - submissions are due by 10 of the month.

**Rifle:** Held the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary Iwo Jima shoot last month – 1<sup>st</sup> place Merton Emory, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Walt K. March 16 will be the potato shoot (.22LR - \$10 adults and \$5 juniors). Small bore is still in the basement 2 – 4 p.m. Air gun league still shooting in the archery building. Open shooting is Sundays 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Next committee meeting is March 6 at 7:30 p.m.

**Skeet & Trap:** Final winter shoot is March 23: 50 targets (25 5 stand & 25 skeet) – followed by a 2-person 25 target flurry (50 targets in 2 mins) - \$10 with a light lunch. Rick Trawinski will again run the multi-class 800 registered skeet league March through October - \$80 league fee – register by March 15. March 29&30 will be first regular skeet shoot – See Mr. Trawinski. Junior SCTP started last Sunday with 18 juniors (2 new) and will shoot all the shotgun disciplines. S&T will open on Wednesdays starting April 2 from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. through October.

**Sporting Clays:** Open per the published schedule.

**WOA:** Next meeting is February 13 at 7 p.m. in range building.

**Website:** As always, submit articles and photos (with captions), and report committee changes to website and P&K.

**Work Hours:** Available next 1-2 days. Print full name legibly, fill in all entries, and use correct member number!

**Member Comments:** Mr. Surratt mentioned the on-going concerns regarding abuse of Michigan's new red flag law. He suggested members contact their state leaders regarding these concerns.

**Old Business:** (none). Mr. Savo gave an update on the Dequindre property resident groundhog. DOOFUS made it clear he would not be at the rifle range for the Easter egg hunt after being doused with diet pop in February during their annual Ground Hog Shoot. He did not want to get sprayed with exploding eggs this time!

**New Business / Comments:** None.

**Monthly member drawing:** Stan Surrat – present.

**50/50 drawing:** Won by Ed Barnard.

**Meeting Adjourned:** Motion approved at 7:46 p.m.

Submitted by:

Terry Crockatt, Secretary

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## Archery

Happy Easter!!! The Archery Committee is hard at work every Monday evening to get the outdoor 3D course set up for the summer archery season.

The outdoor spring 3D league will begin Monday, April 28. This league is a competitive league with two-person teams using handicap scoring. Sign up will start at 4:30 p.m. with a shotgun start at 6 p.m.. The league goes for eight weeks with a banquet to follow.

Due to dwindling participation for the weekend open shooting and difficulty in getting ROs, the plan is to only open the 3D course Sundays. This will be a trial period that will con-

tinue until at least after the 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday. At that time, the committee will reassess if we want to continue to be closed Saturdays or go back to Saturday and Sunday open shooting. This assumes we have RO volunteers to cover both days.

The outdoor JOAD training also begins April 23 on the PA range. This is a great program if you know someone looking to get into competitive archery. For more information you can contact Steve Stanton at [perchtails@rocketmail.com](mailto:perchtails@rocketmail.com).

Jamie Ploof

# ***DSC ARCHERY***

## **2025 Spring 3D Outdoor League**

### **FORMAT:**

**15 Targets-2 Arrows (30 Shots)**

**2-Person Team Format**

*(Bring a friend or we can pair you with someone)*



### **WHEN:**

**Monday Nights**

**April 28 - June 23 (8 weeks)**

**(No League Memorial Day - 5/26)**

**Shotgun Start Time - 6 p.m.**



**30 Lifesize 3D  
Animal  
Targets**

**REGISTRATION STARTS**  
**April 28 at 4:30 pm**  
**DSC Clubhouse**  
**(Last Day to Register - May 12)**

**PRE-REGISTER by sending**  
**Your Name & Partner Name**  
**To [bhbass@aol.com](mailto:bhbass@aol.com)**

**Potluck Banquet with**  
**prizes for all will follow**  
**the end of the league**  
**(June 23)**

**Wooded Outdoor Range**  
**Ground and Elevated Shots**



***SEE YOU ON THE RANGE!***



March 2025

**Detroit Sportsmen's Congress**  
49800 Dequindre Road  
Shelby Township, MI 48317

**Information Contact:**  
**Byron Hamm**  
[bhbass@aol.com](mailto:bhbass@aol.com)





# Attention Veterans

## We need your Help



For Memorial Day at the DSC Campground,  
a ceremony is held honoring our Veterans.  
Members lost this past year are also recognized.

Ceremony consists of placement of wreath, cadence, raising and lowering of flags,  
presentation of arms and Taps. This has been a tradition for many years and we would  
like to include as many veterans as possible. If you would like to participate in this very  
special event please call, text or email:

Shelly Howell (Campground Treasurer)

Cell: (248) 840-3503

Email: [dblawnllc@gmail.com](mailto:dblawnllc@gmail.com)

Lot #125

Honor Guard will be lead by Army/Airforce Captain Paul Wilson.

Six military members or veterans are needed for color guard to present flags.

Seven military members or veterans are needed to present arms.

One military member or veteran to play taps.

Red shirts are required or uniform/military type apparel if so desired.

Ceremony is at Noon, Sunday, May 25

**\*\* Please note previous Ceremonies were on Mondays,  
this year's ceremony will be held on Sunday \*\***

DSC Campground

1050 E. Oakwood Road, Oxford

MI 48371

Practice dates and meet times  
will be posted at a later date.



# NRA Basic Pistol/Personal Protection Course (May)

**LOCATION:** D.C.S., 49800 DEQUINDRE ROAD, UTICA, MI 48317 Phone: 586-739-3500 (Shotgun range building)

**OBJECTIVES:** Class designed for BEGINNERS & those having little or no firearms training. Geared for the instructional needs and concerns of women. Review handgun knowledge, safe gun handling, storage and child safety; review fundamentals of handgun shooting, practical range handgun shooting exercises, firearms and the law - **Includes CCW Certification**

Certified NRA & CCW instructors and a local attorney will teach this course. Review all of the fundamentals as well as practical range experience in proper handling, aiming and shooting of a handgun. Citizen's rights and responsibilities as it pertains to firearms will be addressed. State laws pertaining to purchase, transport, and concealed carry will be taught. Attendance earns NRA & CCW certificates.

**TIMES AND DATES:** (This is a 4-session course) May 4, Basic Pistol #1 & 2 ~ 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the DSC Clubhouse.  
May 5, 6 & 12; CPL class segment ~ 7 to 10:30 p.m., Classes held in the DSC Shotgun range building.

**COST:** Non DSC Member \$250 DSC Member \$220

**TO REGISTER:** REGISTRATION REQUIRED. CLASS SIZE 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 # :** \_\_\_\_\_  
Start: May 4, 2025

**Return form to:** Bob Savo 53741 Tidal Lane, Shelby Twp., MI 48316  
Phone: 248-651-8667 Or Email: rmsavo@ameritech.net

# CPL / NRA Personal Protection Course (May)

**LOCATION:** D.C.S., 49800 DEQUINDRE ROAD, UTICA, MI 48317 Phone: 586-739-3500 (Shotgun range building)

**OBJECTIVES:** Class has been designed for those having prior handgun experience but no formal class. Review handgun knowledge, safe gun handling and storage, review fundamentals of handgun shooting, practical range handgun shooting exercises, firearms and the law - **Includes CPL Certification.** Introduction to personal protection in the home.

Certified NRA & CCW instructors & local attorney will teach this course. Review all of the fundamentals as well as practical range experience in proper handling, aiming and shooting of a handgun. Citizen's rights & responsibilities as it pertains to firearms will be addressed. State laws pertaining to purchase, transport & concealed carry will be taught. Class attendance earns NRA and CPL certificates.

**TIMES AND DATES:** (3-session course) Evenings, May 5, 6 & 12. All classes run 7 to 10:30 p.m., in the DSC Shotgun range building.

**COST:** Non DSC Member \$100 DSC Member \$80 Add \$50, if gun & ammo are required and check box.

**TO REGISTER:** REGISTRATION REQUIRED. CLASS SIZE 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 # :** \_\_\_\_\_  
Start: May 5, 2025

**Return form to:** Bob Savo 53741 Tidal Lane, Shelby Twp., MI 48316  
Phone: 248-651-8667 Or Email: rmsavo@ameritech.net

# MCRGO AR-15 RIFLE BASICS CLASS

Have an AR-15 rifle, or interested in learning more about this popular modern sporting rifle? The Detroit Sportsmen's Congress will be conducting the MCRGO 1-day rifle basics class taught using the AR-15 rifle. It is intended for gunowners new to (or interested in) the AR-15 platform, or those who may be looking to enhance their basic rifle skills and knowledge. The class will be taught by DSC rifle instructors dual certified by MCRGO and the NRA. The class starts in the morning with classroom instruction, then moves to the rifle range for afternoon live fire exercises (where the student will receive 1 on 1 coaching from a DSC certified instructor).

## **CLASS OBJECTIVES:**

- Review the history, design and key parts and components of the AR-15.
- Review how to disassemble/re-assemble and clean and lubricate the AR-15.
- Review ammunition availability and compatibility for the AR-15.
- Review the fundamentals of rifle shooting and marksmanship which apply to all rifles.
- Understand rifle safety, handling and storage which applies to all rifles.
- Understand rifle sight in and zero, including off-set, which applies to all rifles.
- Conduct live-fire range shooting exercises with an AR-15, including range safety procedures.

**WHAT TO BRING:** your AR-15, 2 magazines, 80 rounds of ammunition, and eye & ear protection. If you need an AR-15 and/or ammunition let DSC know. All triggers must meet 4# limit. No binary or set triggers, no bump stocks. SBRs/AR pistols, or other modifications from a typical "mil-spec rifle" cannot be used for this class. **Your AR-15 should be sighted in at 50 yds prior to the class.**

## **PLACE AND DATE: SATURDAY, May 17, 2025, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

DETROIT SPORTSMEN'S CONGRESS (starts at 8 a.m. in the clubhouse building)  
49800 DEQUINDRE ROAD  
UTICA, MI 48317 Phone (office): 586-739-3500

## **COST:**

COST IS \$110. Add \$60 if AR-15 rifle and ammo needed.  
DSC Members cost is \$85 (plus \$60 as above if rifle and/or ammo is needed)  
Jr.'s Accompanied by a parent \$70, guns and ammo included.  
**TO REGISTER:** (PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED)  
RETURN FORM TO ADDRESS BELOW, PAYMENT DUE AT CLASS (cash/check)

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **AGE:** 21 or older **SEX:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(for confirmation only)**

**Return form to: DSC Membership # :** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bob Savo**  
53741 Tidal Lane  
Shelby Twp., MI 48316  
Phone: 248-651-8667 Starts 8 a.m. on 05/17/2025  
[rmsavo@ameritech.net](mailto:rmsavo@ameritech.net)



# 28th Annual Easter Egg Shoot

**Saturday 19 April 2025**

**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.**



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DSC website

**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 awarded 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  
DSC 49800 Dequindre, Utica, MI 48317  
Office phone: 586-739-3500





# Battles of Lexington and Concord

## 250th Anniv. Patriots Day Memorial Shoot

**April 19, 2025 1 p.m. DSC Rifle Range**

The night of April 18/19, 1775, 700 British troops left Boston crossing the Charles River to Cambridge to march on Lexington and Concord to confiscate colonial military supplies (guns, powder and canon). The colonials were forewarned and Paul Revere, William Dawes set out to alert Lexington and Concord. Both sides did not envision a battle. The colonists hid the supplies and they thought the British would search, find nothing and return to Boston.



The Battle of Lexington was a minor skirmish. The militia was assembled on the common with a show of force not expecting a battle. A shot of unknown origin rang out and the battle was on. After the smoke cleared eight colonist were dead.

The British continued their march to Concord. Forces again met at North Bridge. As the colonists attempted to advance over the bridge another shot of unknown origin rang out. The battle was on and colonists chased the British back, routing the enemy and securing a victory.

Remember we were taking up arms against our government. Treason is another word for it.

This is a rimfire fun shoot, 20 shots total at 50 yards. Twenty shots at symbols of the British Monarchy. Standing shooting only, if shooting for a prize. Bench shooting allowed but does not qualify for prize money. Scope recommended.

**Fees:** Adults \$10, Juniors \$5. Fee includes one target, additional targets are \$2 each.

The prize pool is \$1 from each entry fee and the \$2 additional target fee.



**DSC Website**

Sponsored by the DSC Rifle Committee  
DSC 49800 Dequindre, Utica, MI 48317

More info: Corey Salo

586-944-3600

[corey@cdsdes.com](mailto:corey@cdsdes.com)



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**DETROIT SPORTSMEN'S CONGRESS**  
**49800 DEQUINDRE ROAD**  
**UTICA, MI 48317**

**ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED**  
**DATED MATERIAL**

## **DSC Annual Outdoor .22 Steel Pistol Matches**

Apr. 27\*, May 25, June 22, July 27, Aug. 24, Sept. 21 & Oct. 26\*  
{\* tentative/weather}

**Location:** DSC Outdoor Pistol; Side Bays 1, 2, & 3

.22 rimfire handguns or magazine-fed rifles {"Tactical Class"}

Firearms are to be loaded on the firing line only. Removable magazine may be loaded between stages but **may not** be inserted until the shooter is on the firing line as instructed. **Empty Chamber Indicators required for all rifles.**

Separate divisions for optical & iron sights. Juniors **must** be accompanied by an adult.

Targets are steel plates. 4 stages, each will be shot 5-times, for best time each stage. 100 rounds minimum.

Matches may be called due to inclement weather.

**Fee \$10** {Match \$9 + \$1 Environmental}

Re-entry in another division \$8.

8 a.m. Set-up. 9 a.m. Match Safety Briefing & Start.

11 a.m. last sign-in.

Additional info. Dave Duey at [djdmechanic@startmail.com](mailto:djdmechanic@startmail.com)

### **Welcome New DSC Members**

Being active in the club does not mean work;  
it means enjoyment and camaraderie.

**Members, please make them feel welcome!**

Bachuwa	Sam
Burgess	Carla
Hardy	Robyn
Pointer	Jesse
Pruzinsky	Marion
Zalewski	Carson

### **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.**

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