Plaid and Khaki

Next General Membership Meeting Dec. 3, 8 p.m.

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Rifle

As November takes hold and the weather becomes colder, riflemen begin to think about doing more indoor activities. It's now time to begin reloading all those cases you shot up during the summer.

If you still want to shoot outdoors, you can brave the cold and the crowds at Sight-In season which continues until Nov. 30. However, this year there is a new alternative way to get your rifle practice without freezing your butt off.

This is the DSC Fall Air Gun Training event. It is held every Tuesday from 6:30-9 p.m. in the climate controlled indoor archery range until Dec. 16. This is not a formal event, and you can shoot most any air gun in .22 or .177 caliber. Iron sights, optics and red dots are all allowed. The course of fire is 20 shots with 5 shots per bull on the B-40-4 target. The distance is 10 meters or roughly 33 yards.

The ammo is cheap. I see a can of 400 pellets costs about $13 at Cabela's. Air rifles are not expensive either. A quick check of Cabela's offerings shows the price range is from about $50 - $450 dollars. Put those two together and you have great way to stay in practice without breaking the bank or spending a lot of time at the reloading bench.

While you're at it, maybe an air pistol would add to the fun. They make lots of these that mimic the size and feel of a real pistol such as a Glock or Beretta. Therefore, you can practice rifle and pistol in the same session. You can get more information on this event by consulting the flyer posted on the Coming Events page of the DSC website or by contacting Corey Salo at 586-944-3600.

Walter Opdycke

Good Luck Hunters

Join us Tuesday evenings for air gun practice, inside the Dean Burnett indoor archery range, from 6:30-9 p.m. All shooting is at 10 meters and you can shoot any pellet air rifle or pistol, no BBs allowed.

Shotgun ~ DSC Doubles Blast

DSC hosted its first Doubles Blast Fun Shoot the weekend of Sept. 27 & 28. This consisted of 50-pairs of doubles in Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand.

The "High Guns" in each event and HOA (all 3 events totaled) were as follows. Trap Doubles was won by Victor Yee, Skeet Doubles by Tong Tong, 5 Stand Doubles by Enze Tong and finally the HOA winner was Dan Sluka.

If you are a shotgun owner, you should come on out and try something different than what you normally participate in as nobody takes it too seriously, it is just fun. Who knows you may even like it!

Rick Trawinski

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Pro Shop, Skeet/Trap/5-Stand
(Apr. - Sept.)
Wed. & Thur. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
Fri. 4-8 p.m. or dusk (May—Oct.)
(Year Round)
Sat.-Sun. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
586-739-3502

Sporting Clays & 5-Stand
586-739-2210
(Year Round)
Sat. & Sun. 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
(Nov. - Mar.)
Wed. & Thur. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
(Apr. - May & Oct.)
Wed & Thur. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
(June - Sept.)
Wed. & Thur. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Clubhouse ~ *Ellen Studer*
Wed.—Fri 5 - 10 p.m.
Sat. 11 a.m.- 6 p.m., Sun. 12 - 6 p.m.
586-739-3501

Kitchen ~ Closed looking for a cook

DSC Horseshoe Lake Campground
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Amateur Trapshooting Association
Civilian Marksmanship Program
Clinton River Watershed Council
Ducks Unlimited
Gun Owners of America
Int'l. Practical Shooting Confed. (IPSC)
Michigan Archers Association
Michigan Assoc. of RVs & Campgrounds
Michigan Bow Hunters
Michigan Coalition for Responsible Gun Owners
Michigan Gun Owners
Michigan Rifle & Pistol Association
Michigan Skeet Association
Nat'l Assoc. of RV Parks & Campgrounds
National Muzzle Loading Rifle Assoc.
National Rifle Association
National Skeet Shooting Association
National Sporting Clays Association
National Wild Turkey Federation
Single Action Shooting Society
Tri-County Archery Association
United States Practical Shooting Assoc.
Wolverine Rangers
USA Archery
USA Shooting

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P & K Submissions are due the **10th** of every month. Editable format only accepted. **dscpkemail@gmail.com** PDFs not accepted

Larry Balash

Larry was a DSC member since 2000. He was very active with the pistol and education committees. He was also very fond of fly fishing and wood working.

DSC website link for additional event photos

2025 Absentee Ballot Procedures

1. Following the November General Membership meeting, members may request an absentee ballot be mailed to them from the DSC office. The DSC takes no responsibility for any unforeseen delays by the U.S. Postal Service, either in delivering or receiving absentee ballots.
2. In the upper right hand corner of the ballot, you must legibly write your membership number.
3. Complete your selections on the ballot.
4. Place the marked ballot into an envelope and seal. Label this envelope "ABSENTEE BALLOT".
5. Place the sealed absentee ballot envelope and your DSC membership card into another envelope. Address and mail it to the DSC Office - 49800 Dequindre, Utica, MI 48317, also mark it Attention: Election Committee.
6. The DSC office staff will punch your membership card and your sealed ballot will be placed into the ballot box. If your membership card is not included, the sealed absentee ballot envelope will be declared invalid and destroyed. You must include a self-addressed stamped envelope so that your card can be returned after it has been punched. If a self-addressed stamped envelope is not included, the card will be retained at the office for you to pick up. It is not the responsibility of the office or election committee to return your membership card.
7. When the election committee tallies the ballots, they will open each sealed "ABSENTEE BALLOT" envelope, remove the membership number located in the upper right hand corner of the ballot, and count them as regular votes. These envelopes will not be opened by anyone other than the DSC Election Committee.
8. All ABSENTEE BALLOTS must be received by the DSC Office before 8 p.m. the day of the annual meeting Dec. 3. It is the member's responsibility to respond in a timely manner.

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. ☐ Nov. 11 ☐ Dec. 23 ☐ Jan. 13 **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

2025 D.S.C. Election Candidates & Procedures

Trustee: Corey Salo : 2000

I joined our club in 2000 and immediately became involved with the rifle committee and silhouette competition. I have been elected to many positions including rifle co-chair and chairman positions for several years; board director in 2007; chairman of board from 2011—2018 then to the board of trustees in 2022.

During 2012, I was nominated and selected to become a life member and I am the co-chair of the committee.

I am very involved with the junior rifle team and hunters education program as the youth are the future of the club. I have also created and managed many themed rifle shoots to keep our club fresh and inviting to new and current shooters

As trustee I will work to ensure that the club is financially stable for future generations to enjoy.

Director: Tim Young : 1976

I have been a member of this club since 1976, life member, 25 years. I have been elected President (2 terms), Trustee, Secretary, and Director numerous times. I bring years of experience to the Board of Directors working with members, committees, and fellow officers. I know the financial make up of the Congress and will continue to move it forward with your support.

Director: Dennis Vertrees : 1996

I am currently a Cowboy RO, a law enforcement RO, a Cowboy committee member and the Archery BOD representative. I have been a member in good standing since 1996. I am currently on the Board of Directors. I would like to help DSC meet it's financial obligations.

Director: Joe Lupi : 2001

I have been a member since 2001. I have been a committee member on the Black Powder and Cowboy committees at DSC. I have actively participated in Cowboy Action shooting at DSC, competed within the State of Michigan, and competed in numerous U.S. locations. I also enjoy shooting skeet and trap.

I have been a DSC Cowboy range officer since 2002. I have completed the SASS (Single Action Shooting Society) national RO I and II certifications. I have completed the SASS Wild Bunch RO certification as well. I have completed the NRA Chief Range Safety Officer, NRA Pistol Instructor, NRA Personal Protection in the Home, and NRA-RSO certification at DSC.

Currently I am the Cowboy committee chairperson. I have held that position since 2011. As a committee we have improved our cowboy town from 5 original stages to 12 stages and 3 shooting bays.

During the last 10-1/2 years I have served on the DSC Board of Directors. During that time, I have been the Board representative for DSC Outdoor Ranges, the DSC Boy Scout Troop, the Women of Aim, the Pistol committee, Skeet and Trap committee, and the Cowboy Action committee. I am the current DSC Chairman of the Board.

If elected, I would like to continue working on the long-range planning for club improvements that have been discussed both formally and informally at the DSC Board level. I would like to be part of the working solution to see if some of these plans can come to fruition. I would like to continue to work to bring committees together for the betterment of the club. Energy spent working together is more productive than single groups going in their own direction.

Director: Dave Duey : 2002

Membership & Show Committee Contributing member or chair since 2002; Created/coordinated the current New Member Orientation Program; Open House Coordinator for multiple years.

Pistol Committee – Active member, RSO or committee officer since 2003; Contributed & compiled the pistol portion of the DSC DEQ report; Planned several improvement projects; Served many times as a match director.

Dave Duey cont.

Education Committee – DNR Hunter Education instructor; support/ range assisted as requested for various classes and Junior Small Bore shooting for multiple years.

Conservation Committee – Added DNR notices to general membership meeting and conducted the Dequindre Road clean-ups for multiple years.

Current BOD Director – Elected to the BOD in 2012. In previous years have represented Pistol; Membership & Show; and Club House. Current rep for Conservation and Membership & Show.

In addition to the above, team member and leadership roles within the club, I bring from industry a background of project management and departmental management geared toward finding solutions to the challenges that are sure to come up when working with a group of individuals with diverse life experiences to accomplish a common goal.

I will continue to bring my "can do"/ get'er done" skills to get to the root cause of problems and work with people to achieve what is in the best interest of the club for its future.

Director: Jim Estes : 2004

I have been active in the shooting sports for 67 years. At DSC I have been active on the cowboy committee for 20 years. I was on the board of directors for approximately 13 years and on the executive board for two years. I am a life member of the NRA and a member of MCRGO. I retired 13 years ago and since then I have been at the club almost daily maintaining club property. I worked as a test engineer and was responsible for large and small test programs. If elected I would continue maintaining club property by working with all the committees.

Director: Tad Blakenburg : 2016

I have been an active member of DSC since March 2016 and currently serve as the Chairman of the Education Committee, a role I have proudly held for the past two years. Before this, I contributed two terms on the DSC Board of Directors, two years as Chairman of the Pistol Committee, and one year as Treasurer of the Pistol Committee. With over 30 years of

Tad Blakenburg cont.

professional experience, I spent the majority of my career as a Project Manager and have dedicated the past three years to serving as the Director of Sales.

In addition, I am a lifetime member of MCRGO, the NRA, and the VFW .

Director: Jeff Cunningham : 2016

Started shooting when I was 5, started hunting when I was 8 when my brother, Larry, came back from Vietnam after the Tet Offensive.

Graduated from U of M in 1984; Commissioned in Military Intelligence.

Served in the 101st Airborne Division as an Electronic Warfare Platoon Leader, subsequently:

2d Battalion of the 502d Infantry as Intelligence Officer (S-2); managed weapons security, maintenance and range operations for 520 m16 rifles, 54 m2 .50 cal machine guns, 68 m60 machine guns and TOW missiles

Awarded a Meritorious Service medal and 3 Army Commendations

Volunteered for service in the First Gulf War with the 2d Blackjack Brigade of the 1st Cavalry Division

As a Battle Captain I managed intelligence operations and combat actions for 142 Bradley fighting vehicles and 124 M1 tanks

Conducted numerous raids into Iraq prior to the start of official ground combat

As a Combat Lifesaver, I saved 4 troopers (1 perished) who were stuck in a minefield

My combat commanders said on my evaluations that they "wouldn't go to war without" me

Awarded a Bronze Star

Developed and fielded Stryker vehicle, anti-lock brakes for HMMWVs and several turret weapons stations

Volunteered for Advanced Force Operations in the Joint Special Operations Command within the US Special Operations Command; Served in combat around the world hunting the worst men on the planet; coordinated operations for Delta Force, Seal Team 6, Rangers and US Army Special Forces;

Awarded Bronze Star and 2 Joint Service Commendations Medals (classified summaries)

Awarded Silver medal at the National Rifle Matches for my M1 Carbine

As a Director I will use my leadership and marketing skills to grow club membership and finances

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DSC SAMPLE BALLOT 2025

PRESIDENT N/A ◯	**TRUSTEE** vote for not: Corey Salo ◯
1ST VICE N/A ◯	**DIRECTOR** vote for not more than 6: Tim Young ◯, Dennis Vertrees ◯, Joe Lupi ◯, Dave Duey ◯, Jim Estes ◯, Tad Blankenburg ◯, Jeff Cunningham ◯
2ND VICE N/A ◯	
SECRETARY N/A ◯	
TREASURER N/A ◯	

FILL IN CIRCLE FOR DESIRED CANDIDATES

VOTING FOR MORE THAN THE ALLOWED VOTES WILL VOID THE ENTIRE BALLOT

Cowboy Committee

Cowboy Match Results

Sept. 21 – Cowboy Action Match. Fourteen shooters participated in this match. Top three DSC Cowboys were as follows: (1) Shelby Kid-Kerry Hammer; (2) J. J. Longley-Joe Lupi; (3) Coyote Claxton-Dan Hill.

Cowboy Schedule of Events

Nov. 8 – 9 a.m. Target setup for Service Rifle Match.
Nov. 9 – Service Rifle Match. 8:30 a.m. Registration, 9 a.m. Safety Meeting followed by Match Start.
Nov. 15 – 10 a.m. Committee Meeting.
Nov. 27 – Thanksgiving Day

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

Western Comic Book Genre

Western Comics is a comic book genre usually depicting the American Old West frontier and typically set during the late nineteenth century. The "Golden Age" of classic western comics occurred between the 1940s and 1950s. If you were around to enjoy classic Western comics of this age, you would have enjoyed The Lone Ranger, Hopalong Cassidy, Lucky Luke, or one of the many comics based on Western movie stars like Lash LaRue, Roy Rogers and John Wayne.

Western comics aren't as popular as they once were, but they continue to deliver readers a series of entertaining stories. Although Marvel and DC Comics rarely revisit the Western genre today, they have given readers decades of stories to choose from. Stories ranging from the adventures of gunslinging outlaws to vigilantes bringing justice to the frontier. Their stories are the very best of what a Western comic should be.

Sources: (1) Image-britannica.com; (2) screenrant.com: (3) Ashley Land-British Author, 15 Feb 24.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING DAY FROM THE DSC COWBOYS

SERVICE RIFLE MATCH

BOLT ACTION AND SEMI-AUTOMATIC

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, Nov. 9 / 9 a.m.

Match Schedule of Events

Registration	8:30 a.m.
Safety Meeting (Mandatory) and Match Start	9:30 a.m.

Match Fees:

Junior	$5
DSC Member	$10
Wolverine Rangers	$15
Non-Member	$20

Firearm / Ammunition Specifications

Service Rifle / Bolt Action 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

Ten 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 [terrebonnebud@comcast.net]
248-709-5254

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
(May.-Sep.) Mon. 6-8 p.m. R.R.
(Oct.-Apr.) Mon. 6-8 p.m. B.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

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(May-Oct.)
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(Year Round)
Sat. & Sun. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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Wed. & Thur. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
(June-Sept.)
Wed. & Thur. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Clubhouse 586-739-3501

November 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
IA - Indoor Archery **BA - Barn** **BR - Basement Range** **CG - Camp Ground** **CH - Clubhouse** **DP - Delaney Park** **PO - Pistol Outdoor** **RR - Rifle Range** **SG - Shotgun Building**	********************** **BLACK LIGHT NIGHTS** **Skeet & Trap** **November 8th** **6:30pm -9:00pm** **********************	**PLEASE VOTE** **VOTING BEGINS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17** **Additional Day:** **Sat., November 22 10am-2pm**
2 Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am to 12pm BR **Open Rifle Sight- In 10am-4pm**	**3** BP Cartridge 6:00pm BR **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm** **7-8pm Pistol Mtg SG**	**NATIONAL ELECTION DAY** **4** Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Open Shoot 5pm-8pm BR 10 Meter Air Gun 6:30-9pm IA
9 Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am to 2pm BR **Inter. CPL Practice 5pm-7pm** **CB Service Rifle Match 9:30am** **Open Rifle Sight- In 10am-4pm** **Woods Walk Reg. 10-11:30am DP**	**10** BP Cartridge 6:00pm BR **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm**	**VETERANS DAY** **11** Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Open Shoot 5pm-8pm BR 10 Meter Air Gun 6:30-9pm IA **Open Rifle Sight-in 12pm-4pm**
16 Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm **PISTOL CLOSED** **USPSA Match 8am-4pm BR** **Open Rifle Sight- In 10am-4pm** **New Member Orientation 1pm CH**	**17** BP Cartridge 6:00pm RR **DSC Election Voting Begins in the office during regular business hours**	**18** Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Open Shoot 5pm-8pm BR 10 Meter Air Gun 6:30-9pm IA
23 Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am to 2pm BR **Basic CPL Practice 5pm-7pm** **Open Rifle Sight- In 10am-4pm**	**24** BP Cartridge 6:00pm RR **BOD Meeting 6:30pm CH**	**25** Mini-Rendezvous 9am-3pm DP USPSA Open Shoot 5pm-8pm BR 10 Meter Air Gun 6:30-9pm IA
30 Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Open Pistol 10am to 2pm BR **FIREARM DEER SEASON CLOSES** **Open Rifle Sight- In 10am-4pm**		

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

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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	ADDITIONAL DSC VOTING DAY SATURDAY, November 22nd 10am-2pm		Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm USPSA Open Shooting 2:30-5:30pm BR Open Pistol 10am-2pm BR Cowboy Practice 10am-12:30pm **Open Rifle Sight-in 10am-4pm**
5	**6**	**7**	**8**
Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR **General Membership Mtg 7pm CH** **CHILI Dogs w/chips**	Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Bullseye 5pm BR **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm** **Rifle Committee Mtg 7:30 CH**	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Jr. Pistol 6-7:30pm BR Jr. Rifle 7:30pm BR **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm**	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm USPSA Open Shooting 2:30-5:30pm BR Open Pistol 10am-2pm BR Cowboy Target Setup 9am Cowboy Practice 10am-12:30pm **S&T Black Light Nights 6:30pm-9pm** **Open Rifle Sight-in 10am-4pm**
12	**13**	**14**	**15**
Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR	Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Bullseye 5pm BR **WOA Meeting 7:00 SG** **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm**	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Jr. Pistol 6-7:30pm BR Jr. Rifle 7:30pm BR **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm**	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm **PISTOL CLOSED** USPSA Match Setup 8am-4pm BR FIREARM DEER SEASON OPENS **Cowboy Mtg 10am DP** **Open Rifle Sight-in 10am-4pm**
19	**20**	**21**	**22**
Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR **BP Meeting 7pm CH**	Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm Bullseye 5pm BR	Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Jr. Pistol 6-7:30pm BR Jr. Rifle 7:30pm BR	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Cowboy Practice 10am-12:30pm Open Pistol 10am-2pm BR USPSA Open Shooting 2:30-5:30pm BR **ADDITIONAL DSC ELECTION VOTING IN THE OFFICE 10am-2pm**
26	**THANKSGIVING DAY** **27**	**28**	**29**
Sporting Clays 10am-4:00pm PPC 6pm-9pm BR **Open Rifle Sight- In 10am-4pm**		Open Pistol 10am - 2pm BR Jr. Pistol 6-7:30pm BR Jr. Rifle 7:30pm BR **OFFICE CLOSED** **Open Rifle Sight-in 12-4pm**	Sporting Clays 10am-3:30pm Skeet/Trap Open 10am-4pm Cowboy Practice 10am-12:30pm Open Pistol 10am-2pm BR USPSA Open Shooting 2:30-5:30pm BR **Open Rifle Sight-in 10am-4pm**

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RR - Rifle Range
SG - Shotgun Building

20th Annual
DSC Turkey Shoot

Tuesday, Dec. 2, 2025 6-8 p.m.

TAKE A SHOT, HELP A TOT

Please Bring At Least One New, Unwrapped, Child's Toy

TOYS THAT ARE NOT ACCEPTED:

TOY GUNS (NERF ETC.), TOYS WITH LIQUIDS, PLAYDOUGH, BUBBLES, AEROSOL BASED TOYS (AIR HORNS ETC.) AND ANY SIMILAR TOY ITEMS

Toy Donation Includes First Target

$15 suggested min. value

Shooters may only win one prize

Additional targets: $2 each (CASH ONLY)

Fun (read luck) Shoot ~ All Ages Welcome

Rimfire Only ~ Any .22 or .17 *Rifle or Pistol*

Prizes: High and Low and Mystery Scores

5-Shots/Target ~ Shoot as many targets as you like

Scoring grid on the back side of target

Ammo and Guns Provided or Bring your Own

Ear and Eye Protection Required

Range location is in the basement of the Shotgun building by the electronic sign

Sponsored by the DSC Rifle Committee

Detroit Sportsmen's Congress dscweb.org
49800 Dequindre Road, Utica, MI 48317
Office: 586-739-3500~ 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. weekdays

Info. contact: Corey Salo, 586-944-3600

corey@cdsdes.com

DSC Website

Open to the Public

DSC Archery's

18th Annual

TOYS 4 TOTS

Indoor 3D SHOOT
(30 targets)

Sunday Dec. 7, 2025
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Open to the Public

Donate a new unwrapped toy
($10 min suggested value)

Shoot the indoor 3D course for $1

Clubhouse opens at 8 a.m.
Coffee & Donuts for Early Birds

Toys that are not Accepted:

Toy Guns (e.g. Nerf guns), Playdough, Bubbles, Aerosol based toys (e.g. air horns), or similar type toys

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SHOTGUN FUN SHOOT

SKEET -5 STAND

SCRAP -TRAP -WOBBLE TRAP

ONE ROUND OF YOUR CHOICE (25 SHOTS)

Your new unwrapped gift is entry into the event

($15 min. suggested value)

OPEN TO ALL (MEMBERS -GUESTS- & PUBLIC WELCOME)

EVENT

One round of your choice (25 shots)

WHERE: SHOTGUN RANGE BUILDING

WHEN: SUNDAY, DEC. 7, 2025

TIME: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Shoot as many rounds as you would like and select your best score (all rounds paid in the pro-shop). Shoot awards based on Lewis Class system.

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Aerosol based toys (e.g., air horns) or similar type toys.

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SHOTGUN

BLACK LIGHT

NIGHTS

SKEET/TRAP

SATURDAY, NOV. 8, 6:30 – 9 p.m.

SKEET FOR EXPERIENCED SHOOTERS

TRAP OPEN TO ALL

5 STAND FLURRY NEW YEAR'S EVE

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 31, 6:30 - 9 p.m.

THE PROSHOP WILL BE OPEN AT 6 p.m.
FOR REGISTRATION AND TO PAY FOR YOUR ROUNDS

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DEER SEASON SIGHT-IN

At The Detroit Sportsmen's Congress

COVERED FIRING LINE, TARGETS AT 50 TO 200 YARDS.

2025 Dates

Open Closed

October						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

November						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

Weekdays Noon – 4 p.m.

Weekends 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Range Guidelines:

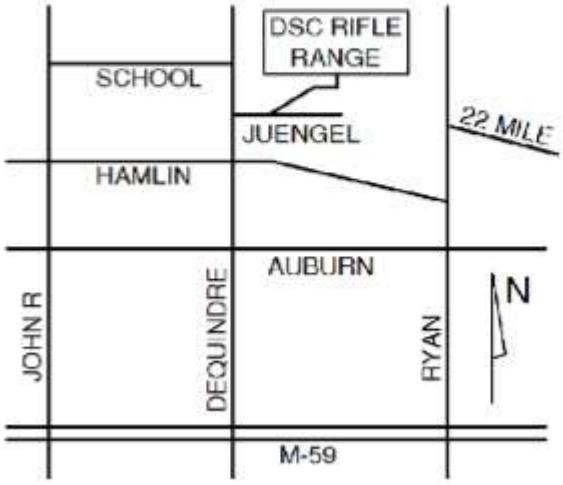
Rifles, blackpowder rifles and shotguns with slugs only. Handguns, in .357 caliber or larger with a minimum 6" barrel, are also permitted. All shooting is range officer supervised. Range rules and commands must be followed at all times. One firearm and ammo on the bench at a time. **Single Load Only.** No handling of firearms when red lights are flashing. Safety glasses and hearing protection mandatory for anyone on the line, available for nominal fee. **Safety is our top priority.**

Non-Member Range Fees: Adult $20, Junior $6

Cash Only *We do not accept $100 bills.*

Late season sight-in for muzzleloader dates:
Nov. 26, 28, 29 & 30.
All types of rifles are still allowed.

Come early to avoid last minute crowds.
Range time may be limited during peak periods.



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DSC Website

NRA Basic Pistol/Personal Protection Course (Dec.)

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: Nov. 30 Basic pistol class segment 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. In the DSC clubhouse.
Dec. 14, 15 & 22; 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 # : _____ **Return form to:** Bob Savo 53741 Tidal Lane, Shelby Twp., MI 48316
Start: Nov. 30, 2025 Phone: 248-651-8667 Or Email: rmsavo@ameritech.net

CPL / NRA Personal Protection Course (Dec.)

LOCATION: D.S.C., 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 hand gun 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, Dec. 15, 16 & 22. 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.

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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED
DATED MATERIAL

Clinton River Muzzleloaders

Events

Nov. 9	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
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.

Welcome New DSC Members

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

Members, please make them feel welcome!

Adams	John		Hanson	Addison
Alexander	Jesse		Katatumba	Ezra
Asaro	Marina		Kendall	Shane
Carnaghi	Angela		Lomasney	Matthew
Colasanti	Carol		Tiffin	Martinique
Eggers	Kinley		Transit	William
Fisher	Jay		Wywierowski	Ethan

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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