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4th ANNUAL NOVEMBER B.U.G. SHOOT and CHRISTMAS TOY COLLECTION for NEEDED CHILDREN –

On Saturday Nov. 17th the sky was clear and blue - a beautiful day for a pistol match. The weatherman certainly cooperated while RCGC held its 4th Annual Christmas Toy Collection event. Instead of paying the normal entry fees, shooters were asked to bring one or more new, unwrapped gifts of value at least equal to the normal match fees. Most shooters went well beyond that amount. The large bags in front of the table were filled with stuffed toys. In addition to the toys you see below there were also cash donations. Each year a collection box is placed in the conference room for additional toy donations. Toys are always welcomed from any Club member even if you are not able to shoot in the match.



DRIVEWAY REPAIRS – In October Hurricane Michael washed out the driveway to the Centerfire Rifle Range.

The Board acted quickly to have the damage assessed and secure bids for repairs. A contractor was selected

then we began having rain and snow events which have kept the ground too wet for work to begin. Fortunately, we have a back gate and rifle shooters have still had access to the range.

2018 CLUB ELECTION RESULTS – The four Club officers ran unopposed for re-election and will continue to serve you for another three years. They are Jim Alverson – President, Wayne Brower – Vice President, Charlie Sikes – Treasurer and Lil Alverson – Secretary.

Irvin Earles and John Shobert are retiring from the Board of Directors. Tommy Massey will retain his seat on the Board and will be joined by newcomers to the Board Jimmy Jeffries and Steve Morgan. Thank you to each of these members who have offered their time and service to ensure the continued success of RCGC.

PLANNING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN JOHN SHOBERT – Explains how surveys returned by Club members will be used by the Planning committee and Board of Directors to create both short-range and long-range goals for improving RCGC. Thank you to everyone who has taken time to complete and return a survey. Many great ideas have been suggested. Some can be implemented right away. Others will take more time and funding. You may reach John at John.S@rcgc.club or any Club Officer or Director anytime you have ideas to share.



LEO WEBER RCGC 2018 MEMBER of the YEAR – This year's Board selection for Member of the Year is Leo Weber. According to Trap Range Director Lane Murray, Leo is always willing to work the trap shoots. He will score, load traps, pick up hulls, and empty trash cans. He calls before every shoot to make sure I have enough help. He is supportive of all of the Club's venues. And does it all with an expression of being glad to give back to the shooters and the Club.

CHARTER MEMBERS – Invitations were sent to the 44 remaining members who founded the Club 33 years ago. Nine were able to join us for the December Club Meeting. CMs can be recognized by the gold lettering on their ID badges. Be sure to let them know how much you appreciate having such a beautiful place to exercise your 2nd Amendment Rights.



2019 DUES NOTICE

Dues for 2019 must be paid by January 31st. There is no grace period. Members may pay at any time until the 31st and may purchase any number of years in advance at the current rates. Annual dues are \$150. Seniors pay \$75. A Lifetime Membership is 15 times your current dues rate.

On the memo line of your check write **“2019 dues for _____”** (insert in the member’s name.)

Send your check to:

RCGC - DUES, PO Box 811, Reidsville NC 27323

If your email or mailing address have changed, please include a note with your payment.

If you have a **Life Membership** or have already paid dues for 2019, you may ignore the reminders **which are being sent to everyone.** If you have paid in advance for multiple years and are uncertain when your membership expires, contact Lil. **DO NOT LEAVE DUES PAYMENTS AT THE CLUB.**



WORK DAY



WORKDAY DECEMBER 29th – This is one of those months that has 5 Saturdays! That always means a Club Workday. Bring your tools and gloves. There will be projects indoors and out. Lil has purchased 300 daffodil and tulip bulbs. She's going to need a lot of help planting them in front of the clubhouse. The Junipers are beginning to spread over the bank to the right of the clubhouse but there are still plenty of weeds that need to be removed. Meet us about 9AM. No shooting until work has been completed. Check in with the Range Directors for specific projects.

JOIN, RENEW or UPGRADE YOUR NRA MEMBERSHIP - GET A DISCOUNT - HELP RCGC – Anyone wishing to join, renew or upgrade their membership in the National Rifle Association can get a discount by clicking on this link or one on the RCGC website. When you use this link, the Club earns a small commission on each membership.



SWIPE YOUR ID CARD – Each member must use their ID card to enter or leave the property and wear their card while on Club property so that it is visible to other members. Swipe your card even if the gate is being held open for a special event or if you are riding in the same vehicle as another member. Pause after you pass through the electric gate for the few seconds it takes for the gate to close. If you are having trouble with your card contact Lil. 336-342-5573.



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PLACE YOUR EMPTY CARTRIDGE CASES IN THE BUCKETS PROVIDED ON EACH RANGE – We can recycle what you do not want. This includes .22s. We accept aluminum, brass, nickel plated and steel. Please DO NOT place empty cases in the trash cans.

WE RECYCLE ALUMINUM CANS – There are blue collection bins in the clubhouse for aluminum cans. Please do not put trash into soda cans or in the collection bins. To help prevent bug problems, please rinse and drain soda cans before depositing them in the bin. All food wrapping material, especially if it contained

raw meat, must go directly to a dumpster.

GOLF CARTS – are for use by members. Only licensed drivers may operate them. Always return the carts to their proper storage locations and follow the printed instructions to see that they are recharged for the next user.

RCGC is open to members **365 days per year**, unless otherwise announced. Always check the website before going to the range. Shooting is allowed from dawn until dusk. The Club closes at 10PM. This is a volunteer organization. Help us maintain what we have for all to enjoy.



SMOKING is NOT ALLOWED inside any of our buildings.



ALCOHOL is NOT ALLOWED on our property.



Eye & Ear Protection are REQUIRED on all ranges.



Avoid placing targets over frame edges and supports. Shoot only at targets directly in front of you.

Jim and Lil Alverson your Newsletter editors since 2001

We welcome your ideas and suggestions.

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