August 05, 2022 - NYCRGC, Board Of Directors Meeting

Meeting called to order - 6:46 PM Attendees - Bruce Ballard, Bruce Hill, Ray Hill, Jared Harvey

Old Business:

- 1. Ossippee Valley Fair July 7,8,9,10 ticket sales for the money raffle and 22cal handgun revolver went well. The raffle for the revolver seemed to be more popular than the cash raffle. Foot traffic during the fair was slow at times, but overall, there were good crowds.
- 2. Club Auction Saturday, July 16. The weather was good, but hot. There was an excellent turn out for the auction, and we also had good support from club members. Lots of items were sold and the storage trailer was pretty much cleaned out.
- 3. The cement pad for the grill was completed and was utilized for grilling hotdogs and hamburgers during the club auction. In addition, a shade tent has been purchased, and was put to good use while cooking. The new grill pad with shade tent worked out good and was a welcomed improvement from past years.
- 4. The archery range is progressing. The only remaining item is a backstop. A proposal was made by Bruce Hill to purchase a rubber horse stall mat, which will be hung on a frame to act as a backstop. A motion was put forth to the board of directors to purchase a stall mat which is estimated to cost about \$60 \$70. The motion was approved by the board, and will be presented to the club members for a vote at the general meeting.
- 5. Work on the long range has been completed for the time being. The work that has been done looks good and the range so far is much improved, and a roadway down to the berm has been made. There is still however, about couple hundred feet of area in front of the berm that remains to be leveled out in order to have the range totally completed. Questions about getting this remaining work completed will be asked at the general meeting which follows the board meeting.

New Business:

- 1. Memorial bench for Lou has been ordered and should be ready by the latter part of August. This will be stone, granite bench that will be engraved. We are hoping that the memorial stone company be able able to deliver and set the bench where we want it. If not we nay need volunteers to help us out with this.
- 2. We want to have a formal dedication of the bench for Lou to coincide with our pig roast on September 10th. Our secretary, Sylvie, would like to invite Lou's wife to the dedication.
- 3. The old flag pole has been taken down and we want to move it over near the new cement grilling pad. The flag would be more visible in this location and we could also use it for a range flag while the range is in use.
- 4. The smoker which we use for our pig roasts should be dismantled and rebuilt. We want to also relocate it over by the grill pad as this would be a better location and closer to the club house which would be more convenient when we take the roasted pig inside to the kitchen for carving.
- 5. The current 2022 range rule signs need to be put up at each of our firing ranges. For the Pistol and 100 yard Rifle Range it is just a matter of removing the old signs an putting up the new ones, and for the Long Range, we will need a new post installed so the sign can be mounted.
- 6. The burn pile is growing and will need to be addressed. We are thinking that we should wait until later in the year when there is snow on the ground and then try to get a burning permit from the local fire department. If that plan doesn't work out, we will have to either have the debris hauled off or maybe find someone who has a large commercial chipper and can chip up the material.
- 7. The Acton Fair is coming right up (August 25, 26, 27 & 28). We still need people to help man the ticket tables please volunteer to help out if you can. The shifts are in 3 hour blocks and

your volunteer hours will count towards a discount on your renewal membership dues for next year.

8. We need to schedule a work party to 1.) help dismantle and move the roasting pit, 2.) remove the old cement base for the flag pole and move it over to a new location by the grill pad. 3.) level and smooth out the area around the grill pad and prep for the memorial bench.

*The meeting was concluded at 7:01 pm.