

Meeting Date:	11/01/24
Meeting Called to Order:	7:23pm
Attendance:	Officers: 4 Board of Directors: 3 General public: 5
Early Bird Raffle Winners:	Lottery ticket: Lisa Ammo: Tom
Secretary's Report:	<p>See previous email for notes from our last meeting.</p>  <p>Wishing you a happy Thanksgiving with your friends and family!</p>
Board of Director's Report:	See attachment
Old Business Needing Further Discussion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It was agreed upon that the club take advantage of the CLYNK program run by Hannaford to generate additional income for the club. As of this email, the account has been set up. Members present were asked to ponder how the club can better support the community. The following ideas were suggested, though we've not come to a final decision- Monetary donation to one of the following organizations: local fire department, YMCA, food pantry, Outward Bound, UNH Rifle team and Montessori school. Proposed deadline is January 2025. Prior to implementing, the following takeaways need to happen- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lynn and Todd Corriveau will review and summarize the club's financial standing

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need to vote on the amount we're donating • Need to vote on the charity recipient(s) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decisions on the 2025 raffle items, including gun choices by December for final vote to allow Sheri time to begin soliciting corporations for donations and to order the raffle tickets. • The idea of starting a 'biggest buck/does' pool and possibly for turkeys as well. There is interest, although further investigation needs to happen before this can be set up. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shanda will follow up after calling around to other outfitters and bring it back for a final decision for 2025. • We discussed the possibility of adding some events where the club could have a presence, such as the Wakefield event put on by the Chamber of Commerce, which takes place in June. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lynn will follow up with them to ask if this would be a possibility. • Reminder to submit your volunteer hours to <u>Bruce Ballard</u> for credit towards your membership discount. (The \$20 discount is deducted from your annual membership dues if you meet the 20-hour threshold.) • Remaining raffle tickets for the December drawings: 175 remaining (kayak, fishing gear and the range bag) 50 remaining for the .22LR pistol *Romeo was given 25 of each raffle at the last meeting. Unsure how many he's sold *Ray was given 25 of each raffle on 11/1/24 • BB Shoot event – We had a nice, diversified group of people that participated in the BB shoot during the Fall Festival. Thanks to Todd and Lynn Corriveau and the other volunteers that made it such a fun event! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50/50 winner – Nicole (Mgr. of the Woodman's corner store) won \$53 • BB gun winner – Dylan a Boy Scout from Burlington, MA
<p>New Business:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We discussed the Xmas party, which is open to all members and will be held on 12/14/24, from 5pm to 7pm. This is a potluck event and we ask that you bring a non-perishable food item. Todd will be bringing his box from work that will have the perishable items in addition to the club members donations. Additionally, there is a Yankee Swap, which has a \$15 limit. • Cindy brought up the idea of the club sponsoring a family for Xmas gifts Other members mentioned that many of the surrounding stores often have a 'giving tree' that have needed gifts for families in need. • Cindy mentioned that we need an adaptor to connect the projector to the PC. Unsure if its compatible w/ laptops.

	<p>Todd/Lynn to investigate.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shane brought up that he's asked Romeo to make the steel frame to hang the steel targets that will be permanently installed at the long range. • Lynn to contact the snow removal services to confirm the club is set up for the season. • Lynn discussed the need for volunteers at the Tree Lighting 12/7 – we have Lynn, Todd, Shanda and Sheri and possibly Cindy on the volunteer list so far. Shanda has provided the volunteer list to Lynn, which outlines how many volunteers are needed at the event. • Romeo brought up that 2025 will mark the 60-year anniversary of the club. He suggested that we host a special event to commemorate the milestone. Possibly dinner and raffle sales (summer event?) Further discussions are needed.
Other Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New members- Barry and Amelia Muccio Welcome to the NYCRGC!
Meeting Adjournment:	8:02pm
Next Meeting:	<p>Date: 12/06/24 Board members @ 6:30pm General members @ 7:30pm</p>
Did You Know?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upcoming Events <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree lighting festival @ 4pm in East Wakefield on 12/7/24, rain date 12/8/24 Free event that has good food, kids' crafts, Santa and much more! • Club Xmas party for members - 5pm to 7pm on 12/14/14 Raffle drawings, potluck, Yankee Swap gift exchange • General FYIs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club fundraising raffles - currently selling tickets for the following raffles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Winchester XPR Compact 350 Legend rifle - drawing on 9/14/24

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smith & Wesson Victory 22LR pistol - drawing on 12/14/24 • Sportsman's Raffle w/ 3 chances to win - drawing on 12/14/24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fishing kayak • Range bag w/ electronic earmuffs • Fishing package w/ rod and tackle box • Informational Bulletin Board We now have a new information bulletin board by the large car port in front of the club house. This will have emergency information, upcoming events and other notifications that you may find helpful.
Helpful links:	www.nycrgc.org Membership Application By-Laws Range Rules Contact Us

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