

February 5, 2025 – Meeting Summary

Meeting Location: American Legion Hall, Woodsville NH

Meeting Time: 7 pm

Meeting called to Order by Gary Griswold.

Secretaries report from January was read and accepted.

Treasurers report from January was read and accepted.

Old Business/New Business:

Future Firearms Raffles:

Discussion on future firearms raffles. We have one Ruger 10/22 75th Anniversary Model we can use for a raffle. This was discusses, suggest to put 2 of the Ruger 10/22 on a raffle as we had done in the past with the pistols. Suggestion was to do this raffle in May. A motion was made, seconded and was past to do this.

Multi-Gun Raffle:

Do a 31 gun raffle in October, a gun a day.

1000 tickets at \$35 each. Approximately \$15,000 in guns and \$15,000 in income for the club. This would be similar to what a couple of other groups in the area do. Mark Lancaster Jr. would assist us with finding, purchasing and storing the firearms until about a month before the raffle. The tickets would be on sale for 4 months. You have the possibility of winning more than once. Daily Winning number are based on the pick 3 drawing of either NH or VT.

New Members voted in:

Kenneth Morse James Munn Jack Boudreault Bernie/Ben Durbin Vittorio Bares

Menu & Prizes for Super Raffle Dinner on June 21st, 2025

(set up hopefully on 6/20/2025) at the VFW in Littleton.

Super Raffle – same prizes as was done in 2024. Use the cage and 'bingo' style balls for drawing. First 10 balls out are the prize winners.'

Beef for the main course, add baked potatoes, a couple of salads, a veggie, coleslaw, rolls and dessert.

Ann needs to confirm the time we can enter the facility to set up.

3 contacts discussed for purchase of the Meat. Bill Carby, the Little Grill, Jim Marshall.

June Kids Fishing Derby

On the Calendar for the first Saturday in June. This would be June 7th.

Don Clark will get the permit and the coordination with the hatchery rolling.

Shoots for the Summer:

Suggests were:

Egg Shoot – possibility of May 18th, 2025, discussion centered mainly around the amount of time it takes, eggs costs and possibility of limiting to 5 eggs (one round)

22 Plinker (the competition variety as in the past) Maybe just one.

22 Fun Plinker – at least one

Black Powder Shoot – at least one before muzzle loader season

Cowboy Action Shoot

Gary will check with Dennis on when his shoots are scheduled and report back to the body so we can get our shoots scheduled.

Bean Hole Dinner

Set up on the 20th of September with the dinner on 21st of September. Moving the time of the meal to 5 pm.

Think of what we may want on the Fall Raffle Ticket for prizes. As well as what we would want for door prizes.

Hunter Ed courses for 2025

We will be sponsoring 5 field days that coordinate with the on-line class and one traditional 2 day course.

These are up on the website on the calendar as well as on the Hunter Education page on our website. And can be found on the states Hunter Education and Safety web pages.

<u>Presentation by Patrick Brown - from the local Civil Air Patrol</u>

The Civil Air Patrol is introducing a Marksmanship program. The local group is looking for a place to hold their class and a range to do their live fire shooting for the class.

Potentially 2 times per summer. There are currently about 20 youth members of the group. There were a lot of questions from the club. Patrick is waiting for more information on this program. He will keep us informed as he gets the info. Ages for kids for the Civil Air Patrol

are 12 to 16 years. They do not and can not own any firearms. We would need to supply those for the course.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm

After the regular meeting there was a short meeting with the Hunters Ed instructors that were at the meeting to review the possible dates for the classes so Mark could get them finalized and on the calendar with the State of NH.