

Carrick Sportsmen's Club NEWS

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January - February, 2009

January Meetings & Events

Membership Meeting .. Jan. 6 - 8 pm
Directors Meeting Jan. 20 - 8 pm
Work Party Jan. 17 - 9 am

February Meetings & Events

Membership Meeting .. Feb. 3 - 8 pm
Directors Meeting Feb. 17 - 8 pm
Work Party Feb. 21 - 9 am

March Meetings & Events

Membership Meeting .. Mar. 3 - 8 pm
Directors Meeting Mar. 17 - 8 pm
Work Party Mar. 21 - 9 am

Scheduled Shoots

- **Monday Night Recreational Pistol League.**
Indoor Range - Monday Evening .. 7:30 pm
- **Metropolitan Police Revolver League**
Indoor Pistol Range - Practice Thursday
Evening 6:30 pm
- **Junior Rifle Program**
Indoor Range Wednesday Evening . 7:00 pm
- **Sunday Trap Shoot**
Trap Range - Sunday Afternoon 1 – 4 pm
- **CMP Hi-Power Shoot**
100 Yard Range - 3rd Sunday 10 am

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If you have trouble with your access card, call Paul Joos at 412-344-9387 or send an e-mail to pjcsclub@verizon.net.

2009 DUES ARE DUE NOW !

If you don't pay your dues by Jan. 10, you may lose access to the club grounds.

2009 Dues: Seniors - \$75.00; Retired Seniors - \$37.50

Juniors - \$5.00

Lost Access Card - \$5.00

Damaged or Inoperative Access Card: No Charge

Directors Election

Club elections will be held at the general membership meeting on Jan. 6, 2009. In order to vote your dues must be current and paid for 2009.

Presently seven (7) members are on the ballot, including five (5) incumbents. They are (in alphabetical order): Steve Boehm, Paul Joos, Frank Mihalovich, Ron Milanek, Steve Perry, Gerry Roche, and Jim Warden. If interested your name can still be added to the ballot at the meeting.

By-Law Change

At the Jan. 6 membership meeting we will read the final announcement of the proposed by-law change. This change to allow members spouses to be an associate member for \$15 dues and a one-time \$15 initiation fee (to cover cost). This change will be put to a vote at the Jan. 6 meeting.

LOTO Calendar

Calendars were to be turned in by the end of December. If you could not bring them in before the meeting, call the club phone and identify yourself, give the envelope number if you can, and say they are all sold. You will then be covered for the few days before the Jan. meeting if one of your numbers happen to hit.

Personal Protection Course

A personal protection course will be held in late February. This will be the NRA's "First Shots" Course and will carry a fee of about \$60 per person.

If you are interested in attending this course please call Frank Mihalovich at 412-884-5882 or the club at 724-348-7941 (leave a message). You can also contact Steve Boehm via e-mail at Stephen.Boehm@verizon.net.

CMU Students Coming Back

On Jan. 9 and 10 the Club will be hosting the CMU students for an NRA "First Shots" course again. This is our fourth annual hosting of the students. The event starts around 1:00 pm and goes to 7:00 or 8:00 pm each day. Approximately 30 young adults will be in attendance at each session.

All ranges will be closed for those days.

This class is primarily a safety and familiarization course and as always much help will be needed; consider coming out and helping us teach these youngsters the safe and proper use of a firearm. If you're available to help (either or both days) send Steve Boehm an e-mail at Stephen.Boehm@verizon.net or call one of the Directors to volunteer.

We will send e-mails to all those that usually help out.

Let me thank you for volunteering your time and expertise in making these past events successful. It is only through your commitment that these young adults get to learn about firearms and their many recreational uses.

Metropolitan Police Revolver League

The Metropolitan Police Revolver League begins their indoor season the week of Jan. 4, 2009 and ends the week of April 5, 2009. This will be a 14-week season. Anyone interested in competing, please contact Bill Kramer at 412-835-5453. Hunter **Safety Course**

The club will be holding a Pennsylvania Hunter Safety Course in April. Tentative dates are the April 3 and 4.

Check with the PA Game Commission web site for more information.

Jr. Rifle Program

The Jr. rifle program is proud to announce that the following Jrs. have advanced in standing:

Matthew Pugh, Stephen Pugh, and Francis Seliga have qualified for Pro Marksman, Marksman, Marksman First Class, and Sharpshooter as of December 10, 2008.

As of December 17, 2008, Tony Donatelli has qualified for Pro Marksman, Marksman, Marksman First Class, and Sharpshooter. Congratulations to these young shooters.

November Work Party

The people who attended the November work party were:

Stew Beck, Steve Boehm, Linda Karman, Tyler Karman, Joe Montuoro, Ray Noakes, Rich Snyder, and Jim Warden.

They enlarged portholes in the 100 yd. range, repaired celetex, and replaced 2 x 10 boards in the 50 ft. pistol range.

New Members

Please welcome the following new members to the club:

- Rodney Abbott
- Donald Dabulis (Returning Member)

Reminder !!

RANGES WILL BE CLOSED ON JANUARY 9 AND 10 FOR THE CMU COURSES.

ALSO ON WORK PARTY DAYS, ALL RANGES ARE CLOSED UNTIL THE WORK PARTY IS COMPLETED FOR THE DAY (AROUND 4 PM).

Work party days are always the third Saturday of the month unless otherwise noted. Changes to this schedule will be on the chalk board in the meeting room, the club phone message center, the newsletter or, if you have provided us with your current e-mail address, you will be notified as soon as we know of any change in the schedule.

Thanks

The Club wishes to thank the following individuals for their special contributions to the Club:

- Paul Sparrow for donating a sweeper to the Club.
- Gregory Kesden for his generous donation of \$75.00. It will be put to good use. Gregory also organizes the CMU events.
- Thanks to Donald Dabulis for his donation of \$35.00 to the Club.

Membership Dues

Dues for the 2009 calendar year were set at the September Directors Meeting and will remain at \$75.00/yr for Senior Members, \$37.50/yr for Senior Retired Members, \$5/yr for Juniors Dues are being accepted NOW ! You can pay your dues at the monthly membership meeting or mail it to:

**Paul Joos, 1316 Creedmoor Avenue,
Pittsburgh, PA 15226**

Make check payable to: **Carrick Sportsmen's Club.**

Paying your Membership dues for 2009 by **Saturday, January 10** will ensure your card access to the Club is not removed from the computer. Please include a self addressed stamped envelope with your dues payment. This will help defray costs to the Club.

Member Alerts

Members can be alerted promptly to problems at the club (such as the gate malfunctions) and other things that might affect the availability of the ranges (such as boys scout outings or special events) if they have e-mail. If you have an e-mail address the officers can send you such information as soon as they know about it and possibly save members a wasted trip to the range or perhaps give you the solution to a gate malfunction. Please send you e-mail to Stephen.Boehm@verizon.net.



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