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## Membership Renewals for 2008 Mike Jones, President

Starting on Jan. 1, 2008 membership dues will no longer be collected at Shooters Supply. Instead, members can renew at the Public Range during normal hours of operation on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. If you wish to renew by mail, be sure to enclose a self-address stamped envelope if you want your membership card mailed to you, provided your Range Orientation is up to date. If you're not sure of the Public Range's current hours of operation you can call the club (270)442-3945 for a recording of the current business hours.

In the last newsletter I asked for volunteers to help with the newsletter and for someone to take over the Combat Pistol Discipline. As it stands now, Jeff Wilkinson has agreed to edit the newsletter but no one has come forward to help him and no one has expressed interest in overseeing the Combat Pistol Matches. I'm disappointed that out of our entire membership I've received such poor response. This is your club. It will only be what you put into it. In this day and age of shrinking places to shoot we need your help to ensure everyone a place to shoot in the future. The Club Executive Committee and I can't do it all; we need your help. Please think

about it. In 2008 make yourself a pledge to come out and help, even if its only for a couple of hours and meet some of the people who keep this club going.

I hope everyone has a great New Year and that I'll see you out on the Range sometime in 2008.

The newsletter staff welcomes Jeff Wilkinson as the new editor. Jeff will begin serving in this capacity immediately. His phone number and email address are on page 3 in the Officer's Column. Welcome aboard Jeff! We truly appreciate your will-

## Range Orientation

All club members must undergo range orientation every three years. The times posted below should make it convenient for you to meet these requirements.

### *1st and 3rd Wed. at 10 a.m.*

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Lee Miller (618-524-5342) is available any Wednesday if you will call him and set it up.

## Minutes from November 19, 2007 Club Meeting

### CALL TO ORDER:

The monthly meeting of the Jackson Purchase Rifle and Pistol Club was called to order at 6:37 p.m. on November 18<sup>th</sup>, at Paducah Shooters Supply. President Mike Jones presiding.

### APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS MINUTES:

The motion was made by Glen Newtown to approve the last month's minutes as published in the newsletter. Lee Miller seconded the motion.

The motion was passed by the membership.

### REVIEW OF FINANCIAL REPORTS:

Phyllis McCutchen reporting: The beginning checkbook balance was \$10,083.47. Ending checkbook balance was \$4,094.15. An adjusted Checkbook balance of \$4,554.15 as of 11-1-2207.

### INVESTMENT REPORT:

Richard Roof reporting: In September, the investment account gained \$1,800. The figures are not yet in for Oct. so there is a little over \$54,000 in the investment fund.

Lee Miller made the motion to accept the financial report. Ricky Emerson seconded the motion. The motion was carried by the membership.

### CONTINUING BUSINESS:

### OFFICER S' ACTIVITY REPORTS:

Mike Marshall: Mike reported the trap and public ranges are doing well. Both of the ranges are continuing to make money. Several people have showed an interest in the club. He is hoping to that this will pick up new members. It looks

promising.

Ricky Emerson: Had nothing to report.

Lee Miller: Cowboy Action was held on 11-10-2007. Lee reported that he had 11 shooters. The shoot consisted of six scenarios, with 50 rounds each. One shooter shot a perfect score. Everybody seemed to have had a good time and ate a great meal of white beans and sowbel-lies.

Glen Newtown: Glen reported that he was told at hunter site-in that it conflicted with some early hunting seasons, but over all it was a good run. There were 32 participants with \$160 made.

Mike Jones: There has been some interest shown in someone taking over the combat handgun for next year.

Richard Roof: Reports that his Labor day PPC match had a low turn out due to the holiday. It was his last match of the season.

George Reynolds: The Hi-Power match held on Sept. 15 went great. George reported that he had 15 shooters, and 12 competitors. Robert Cantrell came out with an almost perfect score with a 775. George was unable to make the October match. It was held on October 21 with the competitors holding it themselves. Glen Gordon was the match winner. This was his last match until March of 2008.

David Finke: Dave reported on the Big Bore Silhouette for Bob Longsworth. The turnout has been steady with new

shooters showing up for the second match. The turnout for November was seven shooters with 12 rounds. Dave reported the Bob is planning to hold matches year round. The next match is to be held on Dec. 2, 2007. Dave also asked for permission to have range three closed for a couple on Sunday Nov. 25 to repair the target beams. Permission was granted.

#### TRAP RANGE UPDATE:

Looking at possibly holding a trap match in the late spring or early summer. There will be at least six people needed to run the match.

Advertising for the trap range was discussed. It was decided that more was needed especially for any matches held. Looking into adjusting the operating hours of the trap and public range hours during the winter. Possibly opening later and closing earlier especially on Sunday. Nothing final as of this publication.

#### CHRISTMAS DINNER MEETING:

The annual Jackson Purchase Rifle and Pistol Club Christmas banquet will be held on Sunday December 2, 2007 at 2:00 pm. John McCutchen will be catering the meat. Mike Marshall will bring the drinks, Lee Miller will be providing the ice, and Glen Newtown will be providing the bread. The rest of the membership will bring a dish, as this is a potluck.

#### BUDGETS FOR 2008:

Please get your budgets in ASAP so that the budget for the fiscal year can be figured.

#### MATCH SCHEDULE FOR 2008:

A tentative match schedule was handed out to the discipline chairs at the meeting. Hoping to have the final schedule in and

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lock into place in January.

#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT:

The nominating committee reported that there was no change in the current officers holding office except for Melanie Halliman. She will not be running for secretary next year.

#### END OF YEAR AWARDS:

The end of the year awards will be handed out at the Christmas dinner.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

#### OTHER:

Phyllis McCutchen reported that she needs a way to identify who has charged what to which of the club's credit cards. She asked that everyone who uses any of the cards to use an id of some kind as the PO#. Please get you PO# that you plan to use to her before using any of the club's cards. There was discussion of the clay targets used on the trap range.

WEB SITE: Briefly discussed.

#### APPROVE PAYMENT OF BILLS:

There were no bills that needed approval.

#### REVIEW OF NEW MEMBER RECOMMENDATIONS:

W.R. (Bill) Cossler Jr. turned in a late renewal. Mike Marshall made the motion to accept Mr. Cossler's late renewal. Glen Newtown seconded the motion. The motion passed by the membership to accept.

#### New Members:

Ricky Emerson made the motion that the following eight people be made members their. The motion was seconded by Phyllis McCutchen. The vote was carried by the membership. David Paessler, James Tortorelli, David and Sarah Thompson, Bruce W. Taylor, David Sutton, Charles W. DeLand, and Dennis L. DeBaun. They will become active after they have had their orientation.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:57 pm

Rebecca J. Cornwell, Secretary

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#### Club Minutes for Dec, 2, 2007

**Call to Order:** The Jackson Purchase Rifle & Pistol Club met December 2, 2007, at 2:57 p.m. at Paducah Shooter's Supply on the occasion of the annual Christmas dinner with President Mike Jones presiding.

#### Approval of Previous Meeting's Minutes:

Lee Miller motioned that the minutes be accepted. Glen Newtown seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Financial Report:** Per Phyllis McCutchen, as the last financial report had been given at the regular meeting on November 19, there was no new information regarding finances. A financial report will be presented at the January 2008 meeting

**CONTINUING BUSINESS:**

**Officer Activity Reports:**

**Mike Marshall** – 2007 has been a very busy year, and the club is especially pleased with the new disciplines offered.

**Trap Range Update:** Business has slowed due to declining weather conditions and hunting season. The trap range will close soon and reopen at the end of January/beginning of February.

**Budgets and Match Schedules for 2008:** Mike Jones reiterated that discipline chairs should turn in budgets by the January 2008 meeting. Only minor changes are needed to the match schedule; please alert him to any mistakes noticed.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Other:** The club's supply of envelopes is extremely low. A quote was received of \$260.00 for five boxes of imprinted envelopes.

**MOTION II:** Carolyn Roof introduced a motion that the club authorize Phyllis McCutchen to purchase five boxes of imprinted envelopes at the best price available. Glen Newtown seconded the motion; the motion carried.

**Officer Elections:** Officer elections were held. The only officer position open was that of club secretary, and Rebecca Cornwell was nominated as secretary without opposition.

**MOTION III:** A motion was made by Leon Henderson that the roster of officers be accepted, which would include Rebecca Cornwell as club secretary,

with terms beginning March 1, 2008. The motion was seconded by Darrel Holcombe and carried by vote of the membership.

**Club Awards:** Ricky Emerson was awarded Member of the Year. For all other awards, please contact the club president.

**Other:** Leon Henderson thanked all members who keep the club running, and encouraged everyone to contact their state and national representative to let them know their personal stance regarding gun control; Mike Jones reminded everyone to know the candidates' gun control stance in the upcoming elections. Gene Atkins praised the club for our safety record of no serious accidents since the inception of the club, and reminded everyone that gun safety promotes gun ownership.

Phyllis McCutchen reminded all members in attendance that the club's twenty-fifth anniversary will be March 2008; plans for some type of recognition of same are forthcoming.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Melanie Halliman, Secretary

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**January Club Meeting...** The next JPRPC club meeting will be held on Jan. 21 on the Archery Range located inside Paducah Shooter's Supply. The meeting will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m.

**Newsletter Submissions . . .** You are always invited to submit items for our newsletter. If there are time constraints on the material you submit please make sure it is received no later than the 25th of the month. You should email your entry to: [jwilkinson5424@comcast.net](mailto:jwilkinson5424@comcast.net)

Surf around on the club website at: [www.jprpc.org](http://www.jprpc.org).

**2007 High Power Rifle Match Results**

We had a good year with an average of about 12 competitors per match. Several individuals shot twice in the same day. From personal experience, that is tough to do, but the younger shooters seem to enjoy it. Most of the matches were conducted in good weather this year, with no rain outs. Most of the competitors appeared to have a good time at the matches.

I want to thank all the competitors this year for all the help. They jumped in and help set up the targets frames, clean off the firing line, put up new targets between matches and take down the target frames at the end of the match. They even ran the entire October match this year by themselves. I also want to congratulate all the overall match winners and the individual class winners.

Next year we are planning to add the July and August high power matches back to the schedule and move all High Power Rifle matches to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month except for the August match which will be on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday. Have a good off season and we look forward to seeing every one back next year, which will start in March 2008.

**JPRPC BIG BORE MATCH**

Nov 4, 2007

We had a beautiful day for knocking down steel, cool, not a cloud in the sky. No one hit 40 cause the turkeys were doing a dance and hiding in the shadows. The rams were keeping the Halloween spirit by dressing as ghosts. We'll fix them next time by painting them a different color. Our State Director Gregory Rhieneheimer came out to shoot with us and gave us the thumbs up on our range layout, Thank you Gregory. Also a big THANKS to all that helped with set up and take down

DEC. 2, 2007

Seven men showed up to shoot in the rain today. At times the targets should have been Ducks. We had several self-proclaimed gunsmiths on hand today to work on sights, but nothing seemed to help. Jerry Stringham had the best scores of the day thanks to great spotting by Mary. Bill Parmely showed up in his John Wayne hat, and Billy and Tony shared a Contender. All considered we had a great day. Thanks to all that helped out. Hope to see you all and those who didn't make it on Jan. 6.

## RANGE SCHEDULE

**Special Note on Range Schedule:** Range 1 is closed on Tuesdays from 5:15-7:15 for Jrs./4-H Pistol and Range 3 is closed on Mondays and Thursdays from 4:45-7:15 for Jrs./4-H Rifle.

<b>CCDW Range Session</b>			
1/26	Open to Public (charge)	11:00-12:30	Range 1
2/23	Open to Public (charge)	11:00—12:30	Range 1
3/22	Open to Public (charge)	11:00—12:30	Range 1
<b>M-1 Garand Match</b>			
1/05	NRA 50 rds.	10:00-17:00	Range 3
<b>Metallic Silhouette</b>			
1/06	Big Bore Centerfire Pistol	10:00-dark	Range 3
2/03	Big Bore Centerfire Pistol	10:00-dark	Range 3
3/02	Big Bore Centerfire Pistol	10:00-dark	Range 3
<b>Vintage Mil. Rifle Match</b>			
2/02	3 Classes	10:00-16:00	Range 3
3/013	3 Classes	10:00-16:00	Range 3

**Note:** The complete 2008 schedule is included as an insert in this newsletter. Be sure to post the schedule for your convenience and reference.

**Please Remember:** Indicated ranges are not available for personal use during scheduled times noted above. When not scheduled, Ranges 1 & 3 are available 7 days a week from 8:00AM to Sunset, but not before or after these times!