



Maspenock Rod & Gun Monthly

October 2022

LAST MONTHS MEETING MINUTES

After the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence held for the members of the armed services, civil servants, sick club members, and deceased club members, the meeting was called to order by President Dick Zontini. There were 23 members in attendance. Two new members were voted in. Welcome to Maspenock Dale Kamishian and Victor Lombardi.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Collin B. presented the report. There are 389 regular members, 111 life members, 10 military, 25 spouse, 4 junior and 8 junior rifle members for a total of 547 members.

TREASURER

Lloyd presented the treasurer's report.

RECORDING SECRETARY

No report. The minutes of the monthly meetings will be posted on the board in the club.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Ed M. presented the report. He informed the membership that there will not be an

increase in dues this year. Topics will be covered under the committees.

TRAP

Ed M. reminded new members they have two free rounds of trap excluding ammo. They will hold a work party in the month of September. On October 16, the Trap team will participate in the Big Shot Shoot. It will be held at Southborough Rod & Gun. They hope to bring the trophy home once again.
WORCESTER COUNTY LEAGUE

No Report

JUNIOR PROGRAM

Manny S. reported that they will be holding an Open House to help introduce the junior rifle program.

RIFLE RANGE

Terry Thomas reported that they had the largest turnout since he has started the rifle shoots. There were 39 entries and 34 shooters. There were 12 perfect scores!
INDOOR/OUTDOOR PISTOL
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Paul T. reported on the pistol team. At the time of the meeting, they had participated in

3 matches. There are more home matches than away shoots as they shoot every other match at home. All who are interested in shooting are welcome.

FISH & GAME

Ed M. reported that the club is ready for pheasant season. Volunteers are needed to pick up the birds. At the time of the meeting, he had 3 open slots. Ed reminded the new members that it is a good way to satisfy your work party requirements and get their cards signed. There will be 25 birds stocked each week.

ENTERTAINMENT

No report.

STRUCTURE AND GROUNDS

Dewie reported the fence will be painted.
ARCHERY

There is a new 20-yard target structure. Thanks were extended to Ed Davis and John Hill. Members were advised they can use any type of bow on the archery course. There are currently 68 targets. The club will be purchasing new 3-D targets.

SAFETY

Dave V. reported that there were no safety issues reported. New signage will be placed instructing members where targets can be placed.

OLD BUSINESS

Manny reported on the work party for the pistol shed. There is still some work to be done on it. He thanked all the members who came out and helped. He also reported on the last PTO. He had 5 participants which is the least amount he has ever had. Ed M. reported that work party dates have been posted on the web site with little response. He reminded new members of their obligations to attend work parties.



NEW-BUSINESS

Manny requested a pistol range closure on October 9th for an Inaugural steel plate match. It was approved by the membership. The match is for .22 semi auto or revolver. All members were invited to come even if they did not have a firearm as the club has some to use.

GOOD OF THE CLUB

Terry T. thanked John Taddei, John Hill, Paul Theroux and other for all their help in setting up and breaking down at the rifle matches. It was noted that member Al Holman passed away in July.

Work Hour Options:

1. Red trim around the upper window on the back of the clubhouse needs to be replaced - Contact - [Dewie](#)
2. TV needs to be hung in the clubhouse - Contact - [Ed](#)
3. The outdoor pavilion handrail needs to be sealed and painted - Contact - [Dewie](#)
4. Bar clean-up - Contact - [Joe](#)