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From the Editor

EPTEMBER USHERS IN THE CLOSURE OF SUMMER and the beginning of Fall, with cooler weather; the start of school; and some new schedules. The Ferry Brook Range Calendar is chock full of opportunities for shooters of all disciplines, to train, take new classes and to practice one's skills. It is exciting to see the line up of training that is be-

ing offered and matches

being held. It is certainly

not a time to put your fire

arms in "moth balls" but

rather to take advantage

of the comfortable shoot-

ing weather and all of the

great things we have to

Last month, on August 10th, Ferry Brook Range had its first annual OPEN HOUSE event. It was a blend of previous year's Family Day tailored to introduce visitors

the Range and for all to

have a fun day trying

all sorts of shooting and

to

offer at the Range.



Gary LaFreniere and Bob Prud'homme ran the popular Cowboy Shoot.

non-shooting activities such as axe throwing. We had a really good turn out and all enjoyed a great day. Plus we had several new members join the Range that day as well. What could



be better than that? Check out the photos that were shared with us by Otto Busher and Gary LaFreniere.

Our Silent Auction was fairly successful in helping us clean out clos-





buy some much needed medical supplies for the Range. Now our RSOs are equipped with an IFAK (Individual First Aid Kit) so that they can attend to any traumas

should they occur. We still have four (4) tickets to sell to a Red Sox game at the end of September. The seating is all together and we hope to sell these in order to buy additional medical kits. They retail at \$59 ea. Make @ cont'd on page 4

ets and

raising

funds to



We even had some music. Perhaps you might recognize some who shared their talent with us.

September 2019 — Event Calendar

Sunday, September 1 EIC Rifle leg match 8 AM to 3 PM

Tuesday, September 3 BOD Meeting 6:30–8:30

Junior Rifle Team G & S Practice 4 PM

Wednesday, September 4

Open Trap Noon open to the public.

Action Pistol Practice 3:30 to 7:30 рм Walt (603) 499-0057

Junior Trap Practice 6 рм

Thursday, September 5High-power 600 yd Practice8 AM to noon & 4 to 9 PM

Range open to all shooters 12 to 4 PM

Saturday, September 7 RSO Bill Stearns Membership Ron Hitchings Women's Shooting League 8:30 AM to 2 PM contact Sharon at wsl@ccssef.org for more information

Open Trap & 5 Stand 10 AM practice open to the public

Junior Trap Practice 2 PM JUNIOR RIFLE TEAM SIGN UP 8:30 AM at the 100 Yard Rimfire Range

Sunday, September 8 RSO Pete DeSantis NH Hi Pwr League Match [#]7 8 AM to 1 PM

Tuesday, September 10 Junior Rifle Team G & S Practice 4 PM Wednesday, September 11 Open Trap Noon — open to the public.

Action Pistol Practice 3:30 to 7:30 pm

Junior Trap Practice 6 PM

Security Team Training 10 AM TO 4 PM 50/100/200 yard ranges will be closed during this training.

Thursday, September 12High-power 600 yd Practice8 AM to noon & 4 to 8 PM

Range open to all shooters 12 to 4 pm

Saturday, September 14 RSO All Live Free Or Die Shoot All Day

Sunday, September 15 RSO Peter Crowell, Jeff and Patrice Nesbitt

Al Kulas Memorial Shoot 9 AM to 3 PM

Junior Rifle Team G & S Practice 4 PM

Wednesday, September 18 Open Trap Noon open to the public.

Action Pistol Practice 3:30 to 7:30 рм Walt (603) 499-0057

Junior Trap Practice 6 PM

Security Team Training 10 AM TO 4 PM 50/100/200 yard ranges will closed during this training.

Thursday, September 19High-power 600 yd Practice8 AM to noon & 4 to 9 PMRange open to all shooters

12 to 4 pm

Saturday, September 21 RSO John Westover Membership Lori Cook

10 AM Open Trap & 5 Stand Sporting Clays Trap practice open to the public

Warrior Connection Aim-To-Zero 9 AM to 1 PM Pistol Bay 1

Everyday Pistol 3R Operations 8 ам то 5 рм Pistol bay 3

<u>Sunday, September 22</u> RSO Pete DeSantis 600 Yd NRA Mid-Range 9 AM TO 3 (4) РМ

Everyday Pistol 3R Operations 8 AM to 5 PM Archery Range

Monday, September 23 CrossHairs Training 8 AMTO6PM

Tuesday, September 24

Junior Rifle Team G & S Practice 4 PM

CrossHairs Training 8 амто 6 рм

Wednesday, September 25

CrossHairs Training 8 ам to 6 рм

Open Trap Noon open to the public.

Action Pistol Practice 3:30 to 7:30 pm

Junior Trap Practice 6 PM <u>Thursday, September 26</u> CrossHairs Training

8 AM to 6 PM

Range open to all shooters AFTER 12 [NOON]

Friday, September 27 CrossHairs Training 8 AM to 6 PM <u>Saturday, September 28</u> RSO David Webb

Membership Marilyn Huston

Junior Rifle Practice 8:30 AM

Open Trap & 5 Stand 10 AM open to the public.

Junior Trap Practice 2 PM

Fundementals-Dynamic

Defensive Handgun *See Event News 9–5

<u>Sunday, September 29</u> RSO Pete DeSantis **High Power -** Sniper/Vintage Service Rifle Match/Mid Range 8 AM to ЗРМ

Range opens at 1 pm

Tuesday, October 1 BOD Meeting 6:30–8:30

October 9 ANNUAL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING Elks Lodge, Roxbury St., Keene Social 5 PM Meeting 6:30 PM PLEASE RSVP 603-352-8563 gm@ccfandg.org

October 27 Women On Target 8 AM to NOON Preregistration required

General Manager Peter Crowell 603-352-8563 gm@ccfandg.org Hours Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10 AM to 3 PM

Clubhouse Café

Saturdays 8 **AM to 1 PM** Breakfast & Lunch. Come on by and get to know fellow shooters. We serve gluten-free, homecooked breakfast and lunch Good conversation is free.

Membership Saturdays 10 AM to 1 PM at the Clubhouse

EVENT NEWS

Upcoming Courses at Ferry Brook Range

JUNIOR RIFLE TEAM SIGN UP

Junior Rifle Team SIGN-UP for the 2019-2020 season will be on Saturday September 7th at 8:30 AM at the 100 Yard Rimfire Range at Ferry Brook Range in Keene. The program is open to girls and boys between the ages of 10 and 19.

Details about the Junior Team can be found on the website at: http://www.ccssef.org/ ferry-brook-rifle-team/ or by contacting Larry Parker Sr at 357-6047 or lparker@ ne.rr.com

THE AL KULAS MEMORIAL Annual Republican Shoot

This event is sponsored and promoted by the Cheshire County Republican Committee—an event honoring Al Kulas.

Guest speaker is Penny Dean

2ND Amendment Authority

When gun owners have been wronged, be it being wrongly denied a license to carry a concealed firearm, seeking the return of firearms wrongfully seized or wrongfully held, being stopped simply because you have pro-gun bumper stickers, being denied local permission to open a gun store or being denied the right to have their picture in a high school yearbook with a shotgun (remember Blake Douglass and Londonderry High School?), Attorney Dean has been who they called.

In many instances, GO-NH, Inc. has provided generous support in many forms. Many directors and members of GO-NH, Inc. have volunteered countless hoursof their time to support Attorney Dean on these cases. GO-NH, Inc. is the only all-volunteer pro-gun organization in New Hampshire that offers gun owners the opportunity to ask questions and get answers to their gun-related questions. Attorney Dean periodically answers the GO-NH, Inc. phone, a resource for gun owners everywhere and has volunteered countless hours of her time on a weekly basis advising gun owners of their rights. No GO-NH, Inc. membership dues are used to pay staff salaries. because it is 100% volunteer.

Prizes: 9mm S & W for the top male and S & W 380 EZ Shield for the top female.

Monadnock Firearms will be on the allowing for the winners to take their prizes home the day of the shoot. Monadnock Firearms will carry ammo and other supplies if needed.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Dan Le-Clair at dclcustom1@gmail.com, or Stephanie Plante at steph27@gmail.com

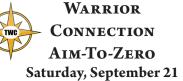
Advancedregistration \$25, same day \$30. eventbrite.com/e/cheshire-county-republican-shoot-tickets-18221001506

Fundementals of Defensive Handgun

An entry level Defensive Pistol course for the student who wishes to learn the Concepts and Fundamentals of Defensive Shooting and Handgun Manipulation.

What you will learn: Safety as a Concept; How to choose the best defensive handgun; The Plausibility Principle and how it dictates our training; Skill Development Cycle; How Target Shooting differs from Combat Accuracy; Multiple Defensive Shooting Drills to increase your Efficiency with your Defensive Firearm; How to use the body's Natural Reaction during a Dynamic Critical Incident. shamrockpersonaldefense.com/introduction-to-defensive-handgun/

Chris Sullivan 603 209-4095 Pistol bay 3



Register at the covered picnic area next to the upper trap field. Food and raffle tickets will be available at this location. One of the raffle prizes is a Sig P229 pistol and holster! Raffle tickets will also be available before the event in the range office.

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Non members will need to sign a waiver. The event registration fee covers: ammunition, food and drinks and T-Shirt

About twenty-two Veterans commit suicide each day in the United States. Our Aim is Zero Veteran suicides. AIM TO ZERO? (A20) is a pistol shooting fundraiser to ensure Veterans and their families can attend our life-saving retreats. Remember those middle-school walk-a-thons? Well, this is similar, except with BULLETS & bullseyes! warriorconnection.org/ Click on more info button to register online.

Participants register for this pistol shooting event, collect pledges from friends, family, and sponsors for bulls-eyes, compete and have a blast — literally! Pledge collections will be handled by TWC after the event, allowing participants to focus on simply getting as many pledgers and sponsors as possible in support of our vets and our programming.

Pistol Bay 1 will be unavailable to members during this event except for those participating in the fundraiser.

Everyday Pistol

A two-day gunfighting class that teaches you everything you NEED to know to carry a pistol every day. September 21–22 8 AM–5 PM

Saturday Pistol bay 3; Sunday Archery Range

Brian Sayers, 3R Operations (518)929-4818







an offer? Call the General Manager's office for additional information. (603) 352-8563

As we look forward to October, Ferry Brook Range

will hold its **ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING** at the Elks Lodge on 81 Roxbury Street in Keene. There will be time for socializing with some hors d'oeuvres to start at 5 PM and the meeting proper will begin at 6:30 and go to around 9 PM.

As we have discussed in previous newsletters, this Range is run by volunteers who give generously of their time to maintain the Clubhouse and property; run disciplines and programs; maintain a safe environment for all shooters (RSOs) on the Range; and too many details to number. The ANNU-AL MEMBERSHIP MEETING provides an opportunity for all members to come together to discuss the future of the Range. We hope to consider some proposals for an indoor range, and elect directors for the Board. The By Laws committe would have you consider some changes as they affect the membership, and anything else the Board may bring to the Agenda. The Board of Directors work hard to ensure that all members needs are satisfied and now we need/want to hear from you so that we know what you would like to see done for the future of Ferry Brook Range and the CCSSEF.

This is not a meeting to miss. Your participation is very important to this process. Our By Laws require that we have a quorum (10% of the voting membership) for this meeting and as we are getting new members each week, the total membership continues to grow. And we also need to have you RSVP to Peter Crowell, our General Manager at 603-352-8563 gm@ccfandg.org so that we can plan for food and seating. We will be giving away 5 renewals at this meeting.

Patrice

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Ferry Brook Junior Shooters

ACTION PISTOL

by Walt Lewandowski



by Shea Wilkins-Fleck

THIS PAST JULY, a team from New Hampshire went out and shot in the National Smallbore Matches at Camp Perry, Ohio.



Ferry Brook Junior Shooters teammate Shea Wilkins-Fleck and past teammate Tobin Sanctuary, competed with Ashlee Peters and Bill Dutton of Hudson in the

Bill Dutton, Ashlee Peters, Shea Wilkins-Fleck, of Hudson in theTobin Sanctuary3P Open match.

While Larry Parker Sr. took Tobins place in the Prone Open match. The weather and temperature conditions proved to be tricky at times, but that all seems to be the case at Camp

Perry. Even with the varying conditions and the constant cease fire, the team managed to pull through with some strong scores from everyone. The team came in second place for the 3P and third place state



3P and third place state Shea Wilkins-Fleck and Larry Parker preparing association for prone. Lar-to shoot



Larry Parker Receiving his medal

of the month. Teammates included Evelyn Proctor, Shea Wilkins-Fleck, Ashley Sprague, Natalie Davidson, and Lillian Prigge. They did well both days that they shot. % ry Parker Sr. also received a nice second place senior individual for prone. Members of the Ferry Brook Junior Shooters also participated in the CMP 3P Air Rifle Championships at the beginning



L to R Bill Dutton, Ashlee Peters, Shea Wilkins-Fleck, Larry Parker Sr., Tobin Sanctuary

WE HAVE ONLY A FEW more months of Action Pistol for the year. The summer just flew by!

Since the snow melted, we have had 5 Action Pistol matches with possibly 2 more to come weather permitting. Practice is still held every Wednesday afternoon/evening and will continue for as long as interest continues and Mother Nature allows.

I'd like to thank all of you who have participated and helped. This is all volunteer run and we couldn't have done it without you.

Our numbers have grown and we have had a few new shooters join us, both new members and others who have 'graduated' from other training classes.

If you have been to any of our matches, you would have seen struggles against Vampires and Zombies. You would have had to fight off dog-nappers while carrying Fluffy under your arm. Anything from burglars to ungrateful waiters making your life difficult were all part of the scenarios.

We had space aliens drop off a huge hamster wheel to confound you (and in some cases consume all of your ammo). Not-so-peaceful protests and inept car thieves were also in the mix.

All of these scenarios, while fun, are designed to test your skills in all aspects of gun handling. Drawing from a holster, magazine changes and speed vs accuracy tradeoffs are skills we practice every week. These are put to use when you run an Action Pistol stage.

Please stop by any Wednesday to watch at least. Check the club calendar to see when the next Action Pistol matches will be held or call or email me anytime to answer any questions you may have, including "who is Fluffy"? %





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Now THAT THE SUMMER archery shooting season is wrapped up many of us are thinking of another season this fall, that being the upcoming hunting season. Whether you're a seasoned hunter, a dabbler, a beginner or someone that travels around the country to pursue your game of choice always keep safety in mind especially while hunting from treestands or unfamiliar territories. Always wear a safety harness while in a treestand get to know your hunting grounds using a GPS and or compass tell someone where your going and when you expect to return and be prepared. Take someone new hunting this year you may appreciate having some company or a companion to push you to the next ridge or around the next swamp and you may end up with a hunting partner for life.

As a reminder no hunting points (broadheads) are allowed on our ranges. The targets are not designed to stop these points and could cause serious injury if left in the targets while we are repairing them.

Activities at the archery range this summer included a couple of NFAA (National field archery association) field archery shoots where at one of our events we had archers from Maine, Vermont Mass. As well as NH. Our state championship was held at North Branch Bowmen this year as it is in a rotation with other clubs from year to year.

As we move closer to the indoor season & Christmas being just a few short months away it's exciting to put archery equipment under the tree for that future archer. Its recommended you speak to a reputable archery dealer before buying equipment, ensuring you are not buying equipment that doesn't fit the archer intended for. Eye dominance and draw length play a huge part in purchasing equipment that is right for shooting effectively and making it fun for the beginner.

We will begin shooting at the Recreation center very early in December on Sundays, and in January through March on Tuesday evenings as well. Sunday we will be giving lessons from 3-4pm and we have equipment that will fit most people to try at no extra cost. We do ask \$5 for shooting fees and you can shoot as long as you would like while we are there.

We have a facebook page for North Branch Bowmen to post upcoming events and sharing results "like us" there and we will keep you up to date as events are scheduled.

Contact Dan Deyo 603-209-6721 or Mike Wright 603-209-8007 for more information about the archery program.

Dan

View from the ... GENERAL MANAGER'S DESK

WE ARE A MEMBERSHIP RANGE. We succeed or not based on the herculean efforts of member volunteers and the generous help of many benefactors (contributors, event and activity sponsors, advertisers, and those offering other thoughtful kindnesses.

Some recent examples: our driveway and main parking lots are now completely paved. Electricity has been extended to new areas. The shotgun storage container is in place and ready for a big delivery of clay birds soon to arrive. A LOT of earth has been moved to make ranges safer, flood resistant, more functional and fun to use. It won't be long before all of that ground gets grassed up and your range starts to look more like a country club.

These facility changes have been possible because of the considerable cleverness (and enormous dedication) of our facility manager. No we don't own all of that earth moving equipment you have seen being used... There is a new olympian level of bartering skills operating here.

Event organization is another area where our member volunteers continue to excel. In just the past few months we have had High Power events, Action Pistol Matches, Women's Shooting League meet ups, a Women On Target clinic (another one coming October 27th), a State Trap Meet, the start up of a Junior Trap group, our Ferry Brook Junior Rifle Team, an Open House, a Safari Shoot, and many other every day activities too numerous to mention in this tiny space.

My sons, like many of our younger members, are at a wonderful time of their lives with very busy, maturing young families, challenging jobs, homes that need caring for, and more. So I realize that it is tough for you young members to find time to reach out and help. Take a shot, reach out to me or some other of all of these active folks mentioned above. Let us know about some special skill you may have or just some aspect of the range you might be able to help with even in what you may think is only a small way. All of the membership will benefit.

As I walked around the range this past weekend, September 7th, I was happy to see a great new crop of youngsters there for the initial orientation to the Ferry Brook Junior Rifle Team. The "veterans" buzzed around being all kinds of helpful and some of the newbies turned out to be pretty familiar with accurate rifle shooting. I had great empathy for the Mom's and Dad's kinda standing around as I recalled all of those years following my two boys from swim meet to swim meet. Ferry Brook Junior Rifle Team is off to a great start. Just around the bend the Women's Shooting League was getting some amazing benefits from their "coach" who had recently attended one our advanced training classes. All of that knowledge flowing to these relative new and very enthusiastic shooters was great to see.

Two weekends from now as the fall season creeps up on us and our surroundings start changing color, we will have another banner Saturday. Our Action Pistol folks will have their monthly match, the Warrior Connection Aim To Zero event will be going on raising money to provide a pathway for veterans to gain help in eliminating the incidence of suicide in their ranks, another Everyday Pistol course will be happening along with our regular trap and five stand shooters and long range folks practicing. The Junior Trap Shooters are scheduled for a practice session in the afternoon.

There is a lot going on at the range as we all see the coming cold months and try to get in as much trigger time as we can.

Fear not the winter, however, there is the Trap Winter League (sign up early, it fills up fast), the 22 LR rifle and pistol shoots, and some generally brave and bundled up shooters mocking old man winter.

Also, if you have not already done so, mark your calendar for soon will be upon us the day of the ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING.

The meeting will be held in the Elks Lodge on Roxbury Street in Keene on October 9th from 5 to 9 pm. We are now close to 800 members strong and as a membership range we need and welcome your participation.

Many topics and business items will be covered from a review of the foundation's mission, the state of your range, trends and concerns, indoor range review, election of officers, and some minor changes in the bylaws. We need to have 10% of the membership in attendance to make up a quorum of members for any votes that need to be taken.

We will have some nice items to munch on and some, non alcoholic beverages for everyone's enjoyment. Please email me or call with your RSVP so we can accurately plan for food.

Remember, the shot goes straighter and straighter depending on how much trigger time you put in. I look forward to seeing you at the range soon.

Peter

Business Spotlight! Ultimate Accessories

Dave and Dan Chickering purchased Stan's Auto Body from their father in 1992. A couple years later they needed to replace a truck cap damaged in an accident. Dave was not able to find a local dealer so he contacted the manufacturer; they, in turn, put him in touch with a gentleman from Leominster, MA named Harry Lowe. Harry was the northeast distributor for several cap lines. Dave ordered the unit they needed, but also inquired about becoming a dealer. Harry met with Dave and Dan and on a handshake delivered 8 truck caps for inventory. Soon Harry realized that the boys weren't just sales people, but could also handle repairs and warrantee claims. Harry listed them on the A.R.E. website as a service location, which really helped get them on the map; that is where it all started to take off.

Dave researched around and found a distributor of truck accessories; that distributor has been purchased several times and is now owned by the largest accessory company in the US.

Much of the early success and growth at Ultimate Accessories is attributed to the contractors at Vermont Yankee. They would be on site for a couple months making pretty good money and they loved their trucks. These contractors would talk about truck accessory shops around the country and wanted something like that here.

Always listening to customers' requests, this locally owned and operated business tried a spray bed liner product in the mid 90', but dropped that line in a short time mostly due to expense and the fact that customers weren't ready for that product yet.

By 2004, the accessory business had grown to a point that it had to be separated from the body shop, thus Ultimate Accessories LLC was started. At that point we tried many different things like lift kits, tires and wheels, and exhausts, until we found out what we do best, which is focusing on truck beds, nerf bars, floor liners, and rain guards.

In 2006, Ultimate Accessories purchased a Line-X spray bed liner franchise, which really changed the dynamics of the company. Our primary products are Line-X bed liners, Tonneau covers, truck caps, racks, tool boxes, WeatherTech floor liners, seat covers, and rain guards.

Dave's wife, Carol, and son, Steve, are also part of the business. Steve sprayed the Line-X for 8 years before moving into running the paint department of the body shop. Carol is an instrumental part of the sales. If you ask Carol she will probably tell you that selling truck accessories is not her first choice, but she has become very good and efficient at it.

Ultimate Accessories has been in business for 15 years and has



been really fun and enjoyable to help people personalize the new cars and trucks.

Dave and Steve Chickering of Ultimate Accessories at 38 Foundry Street in Keene.



18th Annual Safari Shoot

by Larsson Baker



IT WAS A PEACEFUL MORNING on August 18th at Ferry Brook Range which was interrupted by *shock waves* of big bore rifles at the 18th Annual Safari Shoot, sponsored by Dallas Safari Club Northeast. Participants took turns in 3 rounds of competition, wielding .375 and larger caliber firearms and ammo with muzzle energy in excess of 4,000 foot pounds. Moving and station-

ary wooden targets included Standing Elephant, Rising and Charging Cape Buffalo, Standing and Running Lion, and a bonus target, the elusive Jackalope. Despite a few bruised shoulders, fun was had by all. Lunch and awards were given after the event. All proceeds were donated to the Cheshire County Shooting Sports Education Foundation.

18th Annual Safari Shoot RESULTS Sean Herrick – 56 - high score Jean Goodell – 53 - runner up Joe Milavec – 50 - high buffalo Paul Blanchette - 50 - high scope Larsson Baker – 50 – high elephant Peter Krauth – 50 Dan Harrison - 46 Joe Russo – 45 – high lion Scott Baker - 39 Arjun Reddy – 35 – high 375 Steve Wilson - 34 Otto Busher – 33 Al Guida – 32 Robert Quarterone - 27 - RIP Kim Goodell – 25 high ladies









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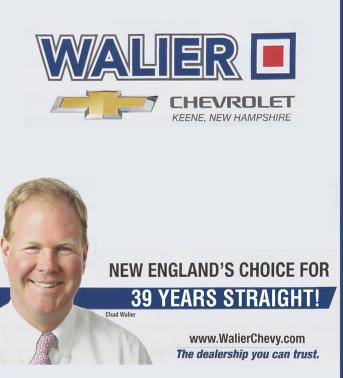
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Civilian Marksmanship Program

by Al Giles

CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM more commonly known as The CMP was enacted through federal legislation in 1903 by the U.S. Congress and President Theodore Roosevelt the goal was to encourage the civilian population and military personnel to engage in practice and competition of marksmenship.

A 1996 Act of Congress created the Corporation for the Promotion of Rifle Practice and Firearms Safety Inc. (CPRPFS) this group has taken over the duties which used to be admistered by the U.S. Army's Office of the Director of Civilian Marksmanship.

We now refer the the CPRPFS as the CMP who are the people that encourage the same policy of Marksmanship programs and competition with special emphasis on the youth. The CMP games cover a variety of shooting disciplines Sevice Rifle, Service Pistol and Rim fire matches. The CMP sets the rules and regulations of the matches such as Excellence in Competition (EIC) or any other CMP approved events.

The CMP is also the place where a U.S. Citizen can purchase used military issued arms if one meets the requirements. Check out their website thecmp.org you may find something interesting.

The amount of or lack thereof rifle shooting at the Range makes me wonder if there is anything I can do to help increase turnout of rifle events.





Do we need to offer a NRA Basic Rifle Class?

Would you like a Black Gun Class? How about a Service Rifle Clinic, learn how to score targets and experience pit operations?





Please don't be embarrassed, afraid, or shy, I wish only to serve. We have shooters that are always willing to share their knowledge and experience.





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Proudly presents

NRA Women On Target[®] Instructional Shooting Clinic – Learn to Shoot! Sunday, October 27, 2019

Where: Ferry Brook Range 19 Ferry Brook Road, Keene, New Hampshire 03431

When: Sunday, October 27, 2019, Sign in begins at 8:30 AM

Agenda: 8:30 to 9:00 AM – Sign in

9:00 to 9:45 AM - Classroom instruction

9:45 to 12 noon – Range Instruction (Pistol, Rifle and Shotgun)

12 noon – Lunch and wrap up.

Cost: \$50.00 (pre-registration required). Cost includes use of firearms, targets, ammunition and lunch. Rain, snow or shine! Dress appropriately for the weather. Wear comfortable footwear as you will be walking around the outdoor ranges.

Free goodie bags for all 30 participants. Great door prizes! And lots of fun for all!

Contact: Patrice Nesbitt (603) 499-3074 or via email chestnutmare@myfairpoint.net or Lascia Hodgkins (603) 801–7570 or via email lasciahodgkins@yahoo.com

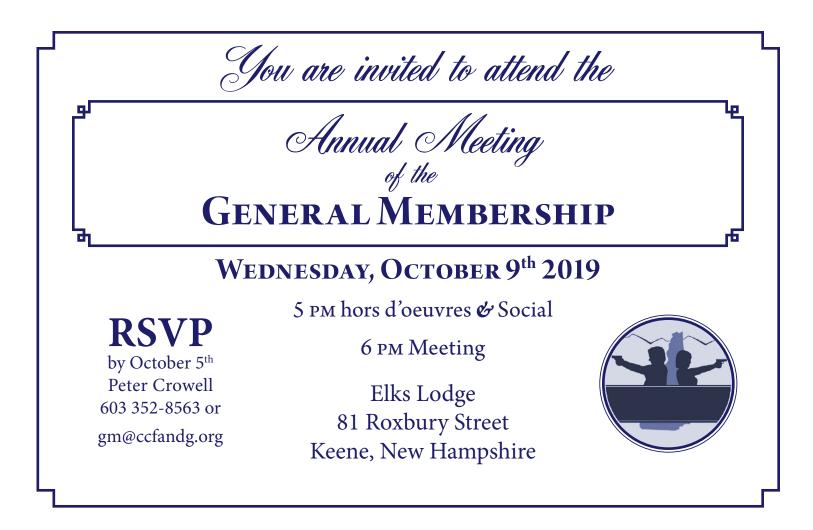
Please no calls after 7 PM

Send advanced registration and check payable to CCSSEF before October 18, 2019 to:

Ferry Brook Range PO Box 233 Keene, NH 03431

Registration

Name Address		Please provide a little information about yourself. I have never shot before some shooting experience experienced shooter Date of birth (required)
Phone Email		
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Ferry Brook Range PO Box 233 Keene, NH 03431