

Central Carolina Gun Club

CLUB CALENDAR

October 22 | 8 am-5 pm

[Concealed Carry with James Mogg](#)

October 29 | 1:00 pm

[Cookout & Open House](#)

November 5 | 9 am-5 pm

[Concealed Carry with Crystal Mann](#)

November 12 | 9:00 am

[2 Gun Tactical Match](#)

November 13 | 1:30 pm

[Orientation & Safety Class](#)

November 19

Range Clean-Up

November 19 | 9 am-5 pm

[Concealed Carry with Crystal Mann](#)

November 20

[General Club Meeting](#)

November 26

[100-Yd Reduced Match/Clinic](#)

CCGCI Merchandise

[Club Store Page](#)

T-shirts - Decals - Tumblers

License Plates

3 GOLDEN SAFETY RULES

RANGE RULE REVIEW

#2. When transporting firearms from vehicles to ranges, they must be cased or have an Empty Chamber Indicator installed.

#5. All firearms shall not be loaded unless on the firing line and the range is HOT.

Open carry is not allowed on premises (LEO in uniform exception). Once on a range and it is called HOT, you may load your firearm and holster for draw practice and shooting. The firearm must be unloaded again when the range goes cold (e.g. you cannot take a loaded firearm down to the target boards).

RANGE UPDATE

As 2015 came to a close, we saw the addition of four new shooting ranges. As 2016 is winding down, the executive committee is turning their eyes back to the long range - which has always been the goal for the club since day one. Outside of the operational budget, the executive committee earmarked a majority of the remaining money of 2016 towards clearing 300 to 400 yards of the long range - depending on quotes we get from contractors. If you know a contractor or are a contractor and are interested in this project, please contact John Bechtel at vpres@ccgci.org

The 100 yard range is having considerable erosion issues (especially after hurricane Matthew's rain) as the hydro-seed the club had sprayed unfortunately did not take due to the hot and dry periods this summer. A considerable amount of work will need to be done in order to preserve the 100 yard distance and have the work re-hydro-seeded or find an alternative to erosion controlled and fallout from bullet impact.

Other projects the executive committee has put on a list for 2017: duke power, badge card/lock access with possible gate opener, added security, continued work on the long range, and if funds allow it water/well.

CLUB NEWS

As compared to where the club is presently and the initial vision of the club, we are not that far off except in one area, organized club shooting. We recently added the 4H Alamance Junior Shooting Sports team to our range which is a huge win-win for the club, and we have updated our policies to allow for training on club property.

1. ALWAYS keep the gun pointed in a safe direction.
2. ALWAYS keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.
3. ALWAYS keep the gun unloaded until ready to use.

That being said, without the income from shooting matches and actual range instructors, the capital for the long range development and facilities maintenance and expansion has not grown. While last year we were able to work hard to keep dues from going up, alas, we have to announce an increase in membership dues of twenty dollars for 2017. You are going to ask yourself why, why is it going up? The answer to that is multi-fold. As our facility expands and the club membership passes 600 this year, we have to continue to increase maintenance on the range, especially from this year with our four new shooting bays.

Your membership dues, participation and choice to be a member means a lot to us and we want to spend that money wisely. That means having the best plan in place for items like the long range, maintenance, and facility improvements. Moving dirt is expensive. We want to make sure we don't have to move it twice. We discussed this situation and felt it was finally time for a dues increase so that we could continue to work on the long range as well as improve and maintain the rest of our facilities.

Invoices for 2017 dues will go out the first week of November - payment is due by January 1, 2017.

NRA & CMP MEMBER BENEFITS

Did you know as a member of the NRA, you have membership benefits such as car rentals, hotels and moving? Be sure to explore what the NRA is already offering to you as a member:

<https://benefits.nra.org/>

Since the club is affiliated with the Civil Marksmanship Program (CMP), you can use the club's membership number to buy and service vintage rifles and ammo. Find out more here:

http://thecmp.org/cmp_sales/

ANNUAL MEETING ELECTIONS

The annual meeting concluded with the elections for the 2016-2017 executive committee. It should be a very smooth transition as those who were nominated are staying in their current positions.

President: Catherine Smallwood

Vice-President: John Bechtel

2nd Vice-President: Dennis Manson

Treasurer: David Devine

Secretary: Carly Silos

PLEASE HELP

If you are not able to come out to a range clean-up day, please take an extra 5 - 10 minutes after you have finished shooting and police the range for trash and casings.