HOME ON THE RANGE

Winter



2019

Membership

Payment of Annual Dues: Sunday, February 10, 2019 from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Boundaries

Most of the payment of dues occurs on Dues Collection Day, February 10, 2019. Bring your 2018 Membership Card (with credited work hours), range/padlock key, copy of current NRA membership status and dues payment. <u>It is important to</u> remember that your range/padlock key will not work after <u>February 10, 2019.</u> If you do not have a current key to exchange, a new key will be \$5.

Dues Structure for 2019

Regular Member	Dues	First Year Member
8 HRS	\$110.00	16 HRS
7 HRS	\$125.00	15 HRS
6 HRS	\$140.00	14 HRS
5 HRS	\$155.00	13 HRS
4 HRS	\$170.00	12 HRS
3 HRS	\$185.00	11 HRS
2 HRS	\$200.00	10 HRS
1 HRS	\$215.00	9 HRS
0 HRS	\$230.00	8 HRS
	\$245.00	7 HRS
	\$260.00	6 HRS
	\$275.00	5 HRS
	\$290.00	4 HRS
	\$305.00	3 HRS
	\$320.00	2 HRS
	\$335.00	1 HRS
	\$350.00	0 HRS

If you cannot make this first collection, there are several alternate dates to renew at the Beloit Rifle Club clubhouse. These will be posted on the entrance gates.

Alternate Dates for Dues Payment

February 23 - Saturday	11:00 am - 1:00 pm.
March 06 - Wednesday	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm.
March 17 - Sunday	11:00 am - 1:00 pm.
April 03 - Wednesday	4:00 pm - 6:00 pm.

Renewal Through the Mail

To pay your dues by mail, please submit the following: Failure to do so could result in loss of membership:

- 1. 2018 Membership Card and range/padlock key (with credited hours).
- 2. Photocopy Of Your Current NRA Membership Status, (Mailing label from your magazine has all this information, just clip and send)
- 3. Dues Payment (Check/Money Order Only NO CASH!)
- 4. \$5.00 Mail-in Handling FEE (just add this to your dues payment membership will NOT be processed without this)

REMINDER: Your range/padlock key will need to be sent in when mailing in your BRC Membership card, NRA membership status and payment. Membership card and new key will be mailed to you. Your checks will be cashed after Feb. 10, 2019. Include your E-mail address if you want confirmation that your check has been received.

MAIL TO: JON NORTEMANN 1831 ARROWHEAD DR., BELOIT, WI 53511-3809

If above conditions are not met, your membership will not be processed. This option should be exercised only as a last resort. We will make every effort to process the mail renewals as quickly as possible. This process for mail renewal has been done for many years and a processing time of one to two weeks should be expected.

We are also requesting that payments be made by check or money order, whenever possible. Remember: Your dues must be paid by April 3, 2019 before the club meeting. The Board has decided that since current members have 5 opportunities to pay their dues, any member not paying their dues by April 3, 2019, will be required to go through the new member application process if they wish to continue their membership.

Please call Jon Nortemann (608) 751-0413 or David Steenblock (608) 754-8501 with any questions.

From the Club President Happy New Year!

I hope everyone has had a wonderful holiday season! Hard to believe how fast this past year has gone by. It is certainly true when they say the older you get the faster it goes. When I wrote to you for the 1st time last year, I told you of my goals for the club and the up coming year. I'm happy to say that they have been accomplished and are moving along. The long range



planning committee has been established and has made some goals for the future. Tom Helbig and Robby Personette have added more training classes, especially after finding out what membership wanted with the survey. So be sure to watch out for more of them 2019. Last but not least, the Holster Policy has been approved by the board and will begin implementation by this spring. Please be on the look out for information regarding that from Tim Kienbaum and his team.

The executive board and I have been talking about what we need to accomplish this coming year. It is pretty much status quo but with one project that has been in the talks for several years, just never fully executed. The club needs Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) signs placed on each range. To standardize it across the board. The SOP states the rules of that particular range that go beyond the general range rules. It sounds simple but there is a lot that goes into it.

On another note! We have a new range! A bay has been built out back on the east end of Cowboy. Be on the look out for details on that. I want to send out a huge thank you to Wally and Roger who have worked a lot of hours in preparation of the machine, details in bay design and finally moving the dirt. It looks awesome and will be a great asset to the club. While we have the dozer Roger is building up the back stop on the outdoor pistol range and he did a few other smaller jobs to help the club in the long run.

It is amazing how club members come together to make this club run. There are so many people that put in way more than 8 hours of volunteer time- like Roger and Wally as a small example. We couldn't do it with out the amazing board that we have. But it goes beyond that. To every member that comes out and does your part, brings your special skill to work- welding, electrical, fabricating, wood working, plumbing – Thank you. To every member who takes a leadership role in organizing events like



the NRA Youth Shoot and all those who show up to just help at a specific job- detailed or not it all helps run this club. Don't have time to volunteer? Thats ok... you help the club too! So when it comes down to it... Thanks everyone for being a member of this fantastic organization!

Shoot straight and be safe. Julie Wagoner, President

From the Chief Range Officer

Welcome to a new year at the Beloit Rifle Club. The board of directors, all volunteers, are already working hard to make 2019 better than last year. I am looking forward to helping in any way that I can, feel free to contact me if you need something.

Safety is the primary concern for the club. Your responsibility is to read and follow your rule book. Besides following the rules, please be willing to question the actions of other members if you think there is a violation. The most important thing is to be polite asking questions and even more polite if you are being asked about your behavior. If you feel that you don't want to deal with an issue yourself. Please get a name, note the time and circumstances so the we can check on it. There are red violation forms in the foyer of the club house to fill out for serious violations. Let myself, Julie Wagoner or Bill Ruck know as soon possible for follow up. Thank you in advance for everything that you do to make the club safe. We will be having members doing random range surveys, checking for violations and damage. We also have a new system for making members accountable for violations. Look for information to be posted on the wall in the club house in the CRO spot.

We are happy to let members bring guests. Please sign them in and out, getting them a guest badge to wear while they are there. Return the badges when done. Spouses and kids should still be signed in and out and get badges if they are shooting. Adult children should pay a normal fee like any other guest.

Hope you have a great year at BRC. Lee Thompson Chief Range Officer Shootbrc@gmail.com, 608-290-3335

Upcoming Events:

February 9

Club Member Swap Meet

February 10

Member Renewal

March 13

New Member Induction Meeting: (Note: All new members and their sponsors are to attend this meeting)

May 11

Youth Sports Fest

Please save the date. We will start taking volunteer requests and registrations soon. Tom Helbig

The 4 Rules of Gun Safety

- 1. The gun is **<u>ALWAYS</u>** loaded.
- <u>NEVER</u> point the gun at something you don't want to destroy.
- Keep your finger <u>OFF</u> the trigger until your sights are on the target.
- 4. Know your **<u>TARGET</u>** and what is beyond it.

2019 Calendar of Events Black Powder Lodge

February 17th, 2019 - Monthly Shoot

March 17th, 2019 - Monthly Shoot

April 21st, 2019 - No Shoot (Easter Sunday)

May 19th, 2019 - Monthly Shoot

June 22nd, 2019 - Saturday 10:00 A.M. WMLA Sanctioned "Wisconsin Sergeant Alvin C. York Shoot" CGM 60 Yards

July 19th, 20th and 21st, 2019 - WMLA sanctioned "Buffalo Shoot" Program "A"

> August 10th, 2019 - Saturday 10:00 A.M. WMLA sanctioned "Shotgun Shoot"

August 18th, 2019 - Monthly Shoot

September 14th, 2019 - Saturday 10:00 A.M. WMLA sanctioned "Lou Braggo Chunk Gun Shoot" CGM 60 Yards

September 15th, 2019 - WMLA sanctioned "Hunters Match"

October 19th and 20th, 2019 - "Ed LeCrones" Turkey Shoot - WMLA Program "B"

November 2019 - Beloit Rifle Club / Black Powder Lodge No Shoot (Deer Hunting)

December 14th and 15th, 2019 - WMLA Sanctioned "Frost On The Lodge Shoot" Program "B"

Note: All Shoots "Range Opens 9:00 A.M." except where noted.

For More Information Contact:

Harley Whitt 608-921-1542 or Charlie Brown 608-868-2514 GPS - 851 East Philhower Rd., Beloit, WI 53511





Sight-In Days 2018





Check in and Raffle Tickets







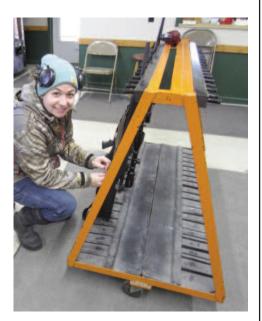




Bore Sighting



Parking lot gun check





CMP

It has been a few years since CMP has added modern military to the As-Issued Military Matches. The question still does arise, what is legal?

We start by looking at the "CMP Games Rifle and Pistol Competition Rules". Downloadable copies are available at www.thecmp.org – competitions – competition rules.

Starting with Rule 4.2 As Issued Military Rifles, is a general rule stating that rifles used in CMP matches must be original, no modifications. This rule states that items such as recoil pads and cheek pads are not allowed. If you are a veteran, this is like the rifle you qualified with.

The next applicable rule is 5.0 Special Military Match Rules. The rule covers military-type rifles that are available. Rule 5.2 Special Military Rifles includes Modern Military General Rules, covering appearance, trigger pull, sights, stocks and magazines. Rule 5.1.2 Scope of Rules (b) applies to Modern Military matches and the rules that apply which is Rule 5.2.3 and/or Rule 5.2.4.

Rule 5.2.3 governs U.S. Modern Sporting Rifles, Class A. This is an M-16 / AR chambered in .223 Remington or 5.56 NATO. Rule 5.2.4 Modern Military Rifles, Class B covers the M1-A, AK, and a few other foreign makes.

So, when you have a little time, explore the CMP website and familiarize yourself with the rules.

Check the CMP section on Beloit Rifle Club's website for match dates later in January.

Silhouette

Our 2019 indoor winter .22 rifle and pistol Silhouette shooting season started on January 7st. Again this year we will shoot on Monday evenings. We end the indoor season on Monday, April 24th. We shoot paper silhouette targets on the indoor range. Come and join us any time between 5:00pm to 6:30pm or so. Bring more than one gun, if you would like to. This is a great chance to practice your offhand rifle and pistol shooting skills. Remember, these evenings are casual and intended to be a lot of fun. All members are urged to join us. Let's have some good participation again this year.

Also, don't forget about our annual "Frosty Iron Match", to be held on Saturday, January 19th, 2019. Check the Beloit Rifle Club web page for all the details. The 2018 event was a very nice warm pleasant day. The weather forecast right now says 36 degrees and sunny for the 19th. Let's hope for another beautiful day. Plan to come out in January and join in the fun!

The 2019 summer weekly outdoor Silhouette target-shooting season will start on Thursday, May 2nd. We will shoot a 40 round practice match every Thursday night at approximately 5:15. In addition, our 80 round monthly NRA sanctioned matches are scheduled on Saturdays again this year. The dates for these tournaments are May 18, June 22, July 20, Aug 24 [State Championship], and Sept 21. All members are encouraged to participate. Also, members can get in about six easy work hours if you come out and help for the day.

If you have any questions, call Steve Schmalz at 608-362-7172 for more details.

Be safe and have a great 2019! Steve Schmalz Silhouette Director 608-362-7172

Center-Fire Bench Rest & 500 Meter Range

Center-fire Bench Rest Matches for 2019 will be held on the following Saturdays beginning at 9:30AM and concluding by 12:30PM.

May 4, 2	2019
May 18,	2019
June 1, 2	2019
June 15,	2019
June 29,	2019
July 20,	2019
Aug 3, 2	2019
Aug 17,	2019
Aug 31,	2019

All Matches will be held on the 500 Meter Range.

500 METER RANGE

The 500 Meter Range consists of 18 shooting benches, the first 12 are for general use by all members and their guests. The benches are numbered 1 thru 18 from left to right.

BENCHES 13 THRU 18 ARE POSI-TIONED FOR USE OUT TO 500 METERS AND ARE ONLY TO BE USED BY THOSE BRC MEMBERS WHO HAVE GONE THROUGH THE QUALIFICATION PROCESS FOR THAT RANGE. <u>NO GUEST</u> IS ALLOWED TO USE THIS POR-TION OTHE RANGE.

The following club members are authorized to qualify members on the 500 Meter Range:

Bruce Nygren1 815 978 9767
Chuck Mongan 1 815 721 3967
Julie Wagoner1 815 639 9174
Kyle Schleim1 608 921 6520
Everett Bennett1 815 389 3302
Wally Marshall1 608 332 9187
Bill Larson1 608 317 6919
Norm Larson1 815 543 6882
Bill Ruck1 608 364 0345
Bill Powell1 608 931 1343
Paul Schuler1 815 519 2141

THE QUALIFICATION PROCESS

is posted in the club house and on the bulletin board at the 500 meter range. That process is:

- **1.** Shoot a 3 shot group a 100 yards to verify rifle zero.
- 2. Obtain bullet weight and velocity.
- **3.** Calculate the necessary sight change to impact at 500 meters (547 yards).
- 4. Prove proper sight adjustment from calculations in step "3" by shooting another 3 shot group at 100 yards with the calculated adjustments made to your sights. The group should be 9 inches to 16 inches high depending on bullet speed and weight.
- **5.** After the rifle is properly adjusted to strike high at 100 yards, the shooter to be qualified must fire 4 shots at 500 meters; all shots must strike within a 20 inch square steel plate. More than 4 shots are allowed as needed.
- 6. Upon completion of the above orientation, the member's name and \$5.00 processing fee, will be forwarded to Jon Nortemann. A special "RED 500 Meter" badge, with the members name will be made for the member to wear. The member will also have his/her membership card signed to substitute for the badge until it arrives.

THE 500 METER RANGE IS FOR QUALIFIED BRC MEMBERS ONLY! NO GUESTS! We have over 200 members qualified.

Before members may use the shorter range target boards and steel targets, which co-exist on the 500 Meter Range, they **MUST BE QUALIFIED AT 500 METERS.** Guests are not allowed to use the shorter ranges on the 500 Meter Range at any time. **NOTE: ONLY QUALIFIED BRC MEMBERS ARE ALLOWED TO USE THE 500 METER RANGE, BENCH POSI-TIONS 13 THRU 18 REGARDLESS OF THE RANGES AT WHICH BACKSTOPS AND TARGET**

BOARDS ARE INSTALLED ARE FOR QUALIFIED MEMBERS ONLY!

I will be qualifying members to use the 500 meter range on any Wednesday morning that the 'Wednesday Morning Group' shoots, between 9:00 AM and noon. You may call the other 10 members to set up other times if needed. Also I will qualify members on those Saturdays that Center-Fire Matches are held, immediately after those matches.

If you are shooting a caliber that is damaging our steel targets and/or range facilities, PLEASE STOP. This club belongs to each BRC member and needs to be treated with respect. Normal wear and tear is expected but should not be accelerated. Thank-you.

Remember:

- 1. No unintended discharge of a firearm.
- 2. No rounds to leave the range.
- 3. Wear your safety glasses.
- 4. ALL members, whether new this year or a 40 year plus veteran have a duty to see that our rules and procedures are followed. Politely remind each other if infractions are observed. We have a 'jewel' of a club. Please keep it that way. THANK YOU!
- 5. No 50 BMG's to be used on Club grounds at any time!
- 6. Always wear your Membership Badge.

Email or call if you have questions. Paul Schuler 815 623 2268 Email: pschuvett9@aol.com

Safe and Accurate Shooting Every barrel and action is a law onto itself. No two are alike!! Paul Schuler

Election Night 2019



Signing in at Election Night.



Larry Abbott running elections.



Counting ballots



Secretary - Rob Lowery, President - Julie Wagoner, Vice President - Bill Ruck, Treasurer - Steve Martin



Those in attendance - 2019 Election

Allowable Ammunition for Indoor Range NO MAGNUM ROUNDS ALLOWED

Complete Target must show in backstop

Caliber	<u>Bullet Grain Type</u>	Muzzle Velocity <u>F.P.S.</u>	Muzzle Energy <u>Ft. lbs.</u>
.22 Rim fire short, long, long rifle	40 Lead		
25 Automatice (6.35M)	50 FMC	810	73
30 Luger (7.65 M)	90 FMC	1220	305
32 Automatic	71 FMC	905	129
30 Automatic	60 STHP	970	125
32 S & W (Inside Lub)	85 Lead	680	90
32 S & W Long (Inside Lub)	98 Lead	705	115
32 Short Colt (greased)	80 Lead	745	100
32 Long Colt (Inside Lub)	82 Lead	755	100
9 MM Luger	95 JSP	1355	387
9 MM Luger	100 JHP	1320	387
9 MM Luger	115 FMC	1155	341
9 MM Luger	115 STHP	1225	383
38 S & W (Inside Lub)	145 Lead	685	150
38 Special (Inside Lub)	158 Lead	755	200
38 Special (Inside Lub)	158 Mit Pit	755	200
38 Special Super Police (Inside Lub)	200 Lead	635	179
38 Special Super X & P	100 JHP	1020	254
38 Special Super X & P	125 JHP	945	248
38 Special Super X & P	95 STHP	1100	255
38 Special Super X & P (Inside Lub)	150 Lead	910	276
38 Special Super X & P (Inside Lub)	158 Lead	915	294
38 Special Super X & P (Inside Lub)	158 Lead SWC	915	294
38 Special Super Mat & Mid Range (Inside)	148 Lead WC	710	166
38 Special Super Mat Inside	158 Lead	755	200
38 Short Colt (greased)	130 Lead	730	150
38 Long Colt (Inside Hub)	150 Lead	730	175
38 Automatic Super X Used in 38 Super	125 JHP	1245	430
38 Automatic Super X & P Unsed in 38 Super	130 FMC	1280	475
38 Auto all 38 Colt Auto Pistols	130 FMC	1040	310
380 Automatic	95 STHP	955	190
380 Automatic	85 STHP	1000	189
40 S & W	135 JHP	1185	350
40 S & W	140 JSP	1155	350
40 S & W	155 FMJ	1115	350
40 S & W	165 FML	1040	350
40 S & W	180 JHP	985	350
44 S & W Special Inside	246 Lead	755	310
45 Colt (Inside Lub)	255 Lead	860	420
45 Automatic	185 STHP	1000	411
45 Automatic	230 FMC	810	335
45 Automatic Super Match	185 FMC WC	770	244