



NORTHERN VIRGINIA GUN CLUB

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Notes from the President:

The gate lock combination was changed at the August workparty on Saturday August 20th. If you have not received your new membership card containing the new combination number, please contact the membership secretary. This is also a reminder to those who have not responded to the membership renewal notice sent out by the membership secretary.

Please do not leave the gate combination lock left in the open position to the combination number while the gate is open. Please spin the numerals after opening so that the number cannot be read by anyone else or tampered with.

Gene Hodgson is making progress on the new tractor shed. There is still plenty of work ahead before the new tractor and storage shed is completed. I ask all members who can lend a hand, to please contact Gene at (540) 663-3816 or e-mail at ehodgso@verizon.com.

We are approaching the fall hunting season and those members who have fulfilled the 4 workday requirement can contact the Hunting Chairman, John Klochak for their hunting permit.

The club is looking for a new Hi-Power Chairman and Club Promotional Items Manager. If anyone is interested, please contact me.

Again, the club has a new official website site at: northernvirginiagunclub.org. Anthony Gimmellie is the Webmaster of the new website. Please visit this site at your convenience.

Many thanks to all those who contribute their time and resources to volunteer work. Without you, we would not be able to function and provide services to our members. Your efforts do make a difference and without you the organization could not survive.

Next month we will be asking for names of anyone interested in running for an EC position at the December elections.

With the approach of Fall, a reminder that hunters need to follow state law and club regulations when on facility property during the fall deer and turkey seasons. No guests are allowed to hunt on club property and family members must be accompanied and in visual site of the club member when hunting. It is advisable that any non-hunters venturing outside the picnic and range areas during these seasons wear bright colors.

This year constitutes the longest deer season allowed according to the state formula for calculating the hunting seasons. The Archery Season begins on the first Saturday in October which is October 1st this year and the firearms Season ends on the first Saturday in January which is January 7th, 06. Visit the VA State DGIF website: <http://www.dgif.virginia.gov/index.asp> for more information.

As always, I would like to stress the importance of safety by all members and their guests while on the facility property.

John LoBuglio
President

August Membership Report:

Notice for dues: If you have not paid your FY05-06 dues you are delinquent and should receive a notice in the mail soon. If you paid and did not receive your membership card contact me and I will send you out a replacement as quickly as possible. Mark Varney has officially assumed the duties of the Membership Secretary. The latest application should have his address and contain the most updated Hunting Regulations, camping policy and range safety rules.

Several prospective members have problems with their applications. Donald Swan, Bryan Jones and Thomas John have yet to turn in their applications. Thomas Wilkes and Thomas Bowles need range safety checks.

There are two prospective members:

Charles Doyal, who is a former member, and Kenneth Tiedge sponsored by Perry Fridley.

If anyone has any issues with either of the prospective members please contact the membership chairman or any club officer with your concerns.

Darryl Breitenstein
Acting Membership Secretary

Custom Molded Ear Plugs:

I have been able to re-establish myself as a dealer for the E.A.R. custom molded ear plugs. These are the best, most comfortable ear plugs I have ever found, plus the sound protection can be up to 33 NRR. I am currently using a set I made for high power shooting 20 years ago, so I know they last a long time. Enough people expressed an interest, so I ordered the supplies, and have them on hand. I can make your custom molded ear plugs with carrying case for \$25. The process takes about 20-25 minutes, and requires that you not talk or move your jaw for about 15 minutes as the material sets up. The plugs are useable the next day. Give me a call or drop me an email if you want to get a set. Bob King, The_Kings@netscape.com, 540 775-5651.

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Work Party Credits

Officers/chairman										
	Shed	Boy Scouts	No specific date	19-Mar	16-Apr	21-May	18-Jun	16-Jul	20-Aug	
Alan Moss							x			
Andy Huffstickler	1		1	x		x	x		x	
Anthony Gimmellie	4	1				x	x	x		
Brian Hodgson		1								
Ben Manuel		4	18	x	x	x	x	x	x	
Bob King	4	2	3	x	x		x		x	
Brion Southhall								x		
Bruce Huffstickler						x	x		x	
Buzz Boykin				x						
Carl Quann							x	x	x	
Charles King			2							
Chenee Tillett									x	
Chuck Boyer							x		x	
Cliff Byrum		2	x			x	x		x	
Dale Hundley		2		x		x	x		x	
Dale Otterbacker						x		x		
Darryl Breitenstein	4			x	x	x	x	x	x	
Dave Arthur									x	
Dave Johnson					x					
Dennis McCauley									x	
Dick Boyce		2				x		x		
Doug Richmond				x	x				x	
Ed Budzynski	4		11							
Edd Nickols				x				x		
Ernie Jones		1				x		x		
Frank Baker			1							
Fred Kolbrener					x	x	x	x		
Gary Smoller (P)					x		x			
Gary Tacke		9								
Gary Van Horn				x	x	x			x	
Gene Hodgson	4	25								
Greg Harrod						x	x	x	x	
George Kirby										
Henery Mathis					x	x				
Jack Huffstickler		1				x	x		x	
James W. Miller				x	x	x	x	x		
Jason Falbe		1		x						
Jay Stewart					x	x		x	x	
Jerry Arel				x						
Jerry Gibson	4						x			
Jim Barlet (P)					x					

	Officers/chairman									
	Shed	Boy Scouts	No specific date	19-Mar	16-Apr	21-May	18-Jun	16-Jul	20-Aug	
Jimmy Huffstickler										x
Jim Morgan		8		x			x			x
Joe Maddox			1	x		x				x
Joe Petruzzo						x				
Joe Primerano	2	3	2	x	x	x	x	x	x	
John Gilmer	1		1							
John Klochak	4	1	15	x			x	x		
John Lenihan	1									
John LoBuglio	4			x	x	x	x			x
John Magerowski							x			
John Mayberry	1									
Jon Yagla	4	2				x	x	x	x	
Joseph Comfort				x						
Kevin Montrief			1				x	x	x	
Mario Jimewez				x				x		
Mark Dillick	1									
Mark Varney	4		4							
Mel Amos							x			
Mike Arthur			1		x			x	x	
Mike Richter				x						x
Perry Fridley	4									
Phil Bushong		2	2	x	x		x	x	x	
Ray Burle										x
Richard Kinek				x						
Robert Menuet							x			
Rodney Shojinaga					x					
Russ Manuel			2			x				
Sam Huffstickler	1		1			x				
Scott Armstrong	1					x	x			
Sean Ryan							x			
Seath Rinaldi	1			x			x	x	x	
Shawn Palivoda	1									
Tim Carsola					x					
Tim Gorder	4			x						x
Tim Neel	4						x			
Tim Spivak	4									
Tom Hackett					x		x			x
Tom Pasko				x	x			x		x
Tom Skeer			2				x			
Tom Wilkes										x
Udo Goff	1									
Vincent Penoso						x	x	x		
Wm. R. Wood							x			

NVGC Calendar

9 September	4 pm	Annie Oakley's & Chinese Skeet
16 September	4 pm	Annie Oakley's & Chinese Skeet
17 September	9:00am / 12 noon	Work Party/Club meeting
17 September	After NVGC mtg	NVSF Annual Stockholders Meeting
23 September	4 pm	Annie Oakley's & Chinese Skeet
24 September	All day	NVGC OPEN HOUSE (Nat'l Hunting & Fishing Day)
24 September	8:30am – 12 noon	Smallbore Benchrest Match (IR50 - .22 rimfire) *TBD*
25 September	9:00am – 4:00pm	Cowboy Action Shooting – Match (Register 9-10am)
30 September	4 pm	Annie Oakley's & Chinese Skeet
2 October	12:00- 4:00 pm	Caledon Black Powder Qualification
7, 8, 9 October		BSA Troop 1887 James Miller
15 October	9:00am / 12 noon	Work Party/Club meeting
22 October	8:30am – 12 noon	Smallbore Benchrest Match (IR50 - .22 rimfire)
23 October	9:00am – 4:00pm	Cowboy Action Shooting – Match (Register 9-10am)
19 November	12:00 noon – 1:00 pm	Club meeting Gander Mountain Lodge on route 3 in Fredericksburg
27 November	10:00am-4:00pm	Cowboy Action Shooting – Match (Register 9-10am)
17 December	TBD	Club meeting (TBD)

Notes: All events are held at the Club unless specifically stated otherwise.

September Work Party:

The September work party (September 17) will concentrate on getting the property ready for the Open House on the following Saturday. Tools needed will include weedwackers, bow saws, shovels, rakes, pruners and mattocks. The cover above the spectators benches at the skeet field will also be on the agenda. Work may take place on the tractor shed but the tool list has not been assembled yet.

Club Logo Promotional Items:

Club logo promotional items will be on sale at the monthly meeting. There are Polo shirts, T-shirts and hats with the new club logo. Polo shirts (with pockets) are \$27; T-shirts (with pockets) are \$15; and hats are \$9. We only have mesh-backed hats at this time. Orders for special sizes and items on a future order will be taken. Please call me, John LoBuglio at (540) 644-9999 if you are interested in a specific size or color that we have in stock.

For Sale Section:

Matthews MQ 32 RH, 30" draw, with National Turkey Federation stamped on the handle grip. Also available with a Matthews quiver, Trophy Ridge drop rest, Trophy Ridge lighted pin sight. Shot 30–40 times. Bow only \$400; Bow with everything \$600. Call John LoBuglio (540) 644-9999

COURSE OF FIRE: Entry fee includes 30-06 M2 Ball ammunition or 30 Caliber M-1 Carbine ammunition.

Stage 1: 20 shots, prone, 20 minutes

Stage 2: 10 shots, standing to prone, 70 seconds;

Stage 3: 10 shots, standing to sitting or kneeling, 60 seconds

Stage 4: 10 shots, standing, 10 minutes;

FIVE SIGHTERS WILL ALLOWED BEFORE STAGE 1.

Three minutes prep time will be provided for each stage.

Fifteen minutes between stages 2 and 3 are required for scoring and target change.

SCORING: All scoring will be by the competitors.

Shotgun Report:

Our shotgunners made strong finishes in the 2005 shooting season. Our proudest proud is team member **Jason Falbe**, who ran his first 100 straight at the right time in the right place – the Virginia State Skeet Championships! He won the 12 ga. class C trophy, and finished strong in the shoot off for high gun, going a full box of shells miss and out in doubles at stations 3,4,5 against the best shooters in Virginia. **Bob King** won .410-D with a fine 92, which included his second 25 straight with the little gun. **Phil Bushong** claimed a 5th place medal in 20 ga. D. The team effort was rounded out by **Jon Yagla**'s 95 in doubles and a nice pair of 98's in 12 and 20 ga.

Our trapshooting has continued to make good progress: big honors at the Maryland State match by **Frank Baker**, and **Jeff Jones** and Jon Yagla at the Virginia State match, and a runner-up performance by Yagla at 24-25 yds at the Iowa State match (900+ shooters), are the highlights of the trap season.

The new seasons start in September for trap and October for skeet. We are a solid club and produce shooters capable of competing at the highest levels. Its fun to break targets, and the more you break the better it gets. If you want to learn to shoot come on out an try 'em. Shooting is very proportional: *the more you work at it the better you get.*

Annie Oaklies, Chinese Skeet, Jap Trap, and free hot dogs: 6 pm Fridays. Come on out and win a lot of money.

Jon Yagla
Shotgun Chairman

Special Request:

The Club is looking for several lengths of garden hose. If you have an older garden hose that is still serviceable, please drop it off at the picnic area. Thanks.

Stock Registrar's Report:

You should have received any shares you purchased by now. If you have shares you should have received your ballot for the Shooting Facility Election. Get the ballots in the mail soon, as we will finalize the election at the September 17 meeting.

Jon Yagla
NVSF Stock Registrar

8/27/2005

August 2005 Benchrest Results

sporter rifle

1	Perry Fridley	237
2	Dale Hundley	235
3	Gene Hodgson	233
4	Dan Tarpley	224
5	Seth Rinaldi	223
6	Fred Kolbrener	221
7	George Kirby Greg Thorsted	133
8	(dq)	230

10 1/2lb Rifle

1	Perry Fridley	242
2	Dale Hundley	236
3	Gene Hodgson	236
4	Dan Tarpley	225
5	Seth Rinaldi	212
6	Fred Kolbrener	208
7	George Kirby Greg Thorsted	164
8	(dq)	243

13 1/2lb Rifle

1	Greg Thorsted	246
2	Perry Fridley	242
3	Gene Hodgson	239
4	Fred Kolbrener	234
5	Dale Hundley	234
6	Dan Tarpley	220
7	Seth Rinaldi	214
8	George Kirby	209

2 gun aggregate (10.5 + 13.5)

1	Perry Fridley	484
2	Gene Hodgson	475
3	Dale Hundley	470
4	Seth Rinaldi	426
5	Dan Tarpley	445
6	Fred Kolbrener	442
7	George Kirby Greg Thorsted	373
8	(dq)	489

3 gun aggregate

1	Perry Fridley	721
2	Gene Hodgson	708
3	Dale Hundley	705
4	Dan Tarpley	669
5	Seth Rinaldi	649
6	Fred Kolbrener	663
7	George Kirby Greg Thorsted	506
8	(dq)	719

High Scores for 2005 as of Aug 27

Sporter Rifle

Perry Fridley 237 Feb 26

10 1/2lb Rifle

Perry Fridley 245 Feb 26

13 1/2lb Rifle

Perry Fridley 247 Jul 23

2 gun agg (10.5 + 13.5)

Perry Fridley 489 Feb 26

3 gun aggregate

Perry Fridley 726 Feb 26

All Time Best Scores for NVGC

Sporter

John Frankenburger 239 6/26/2004

10 1/2

Perry Fridley 245 2/26/2005

13 1/2

Perry Fridley 247 7/23/2005

2 gun agg (10.5 + 13.5)

Perry Fridley 489 2/26/2005

3 gun agg

Perry Fridley 726 2/26/2005

Individual best scores for 2005

sporter rifle

1	Perry Fridley	237	Feb 26
2	Dale Hundley	235	Aug 27
3	Gene Hodgson	233	Aug 27
4	Dan Tarpley	230	Jul 23
5	Kevin Drake (G)	223	Jun 25
6	Seth Rinaldi	223	Aug 27
7	Fred Kolbrener	221	Aug 27
8	Andy Amber (G)	219	Apr 23
9	Tony Gimmellie	219	Jul 23
10	Tim Neel	211	Jun 25
11	Jason McCoy (G)	210	Mar 26
12	Andy Hoffstickler	203	May 21
13	Jim Westendorf	182	Jan 22
14	George Kirby	133	Aug 27
15	Greg Thorsted (dq)	489	Aug 27

10 1/2 lb. Rifle

1	Perry Fridley	245	Feb 26
2	Tony Gimmellie	244	Jun 25
3	Andy Amber (G)	242	Jan 22
4	Jason McCoy (G)	240	Mar 26
5	Dale Hundley	236	Aug 27
6	Gene Hodgson	236	Aug 27
7	Kevin Drake (G)	235	Feb 26
8	Dan Tarpley	228	Mar 26
9	Rich McCoy (G)	226	Feb 26
10	Seth Rinaldi	225	Jun 25
11	Chad Howell (G)	224	Feb 26
12	Tim Neel	221	Apr 23
13	Jim Westendorf	210	Feb 26
14	Fred Kolbrener	208	Aug 27
15	George Kirby	164	Aug 27
16	Greg Thorsted (dq)	243	Aug 27

13 1/2lb Rifle

1	Perry Fridley	247	Jul 23
2	Greg Thorsted	246	Aug 27
3	Andy Amber (G)	244	Feb 26
4	Kevin Drake (G)	241	Feb 26
5	Gene Hodgson	239	Aug 27
6	Jason McCoy (G)	239	Feb 26
7	Tony Gimmellie	238	Mar 26
8	Fred Kolbrener	234	Aug 27
9	Dale Hundley	234	Aug 27
10	Chad Howell (G)	230	Apr 23
11	Dan Tarpley	227	Jun 25
12	Tim Neel	219	Jun 25
13	Seth Rinaldi	217	Jun 25
14	George Kirby	209	Aug 27
15	Jim Westendorf	206	Feb 26

2 gun aggregate (10.5 + 13.5)

1	Perry Fridley	489	Feb 26
2	Andy Amber (G)	486	Feb 26
3	Tony Gimmellie	480	Mar 26
4	Jason McCoy (G)	479	Feb 26
5	Kevin Drake (G)	476	Feb 26
6	Gene Hodgson	475	Aug 27
7	Dale Hundley	470	Aug 27
8	Dan Tarpley	449	Jun 25
9	Chad Howell (G)	447	Apr 23
10	Fred Kolbrener	442	Aug 27
11	Seth Rinaldi	442	Jun 25
12	Tim Neel	438	Jun 25
13	Jim Westendorf	416	Feb 26
14	George Kirby	373	Aug 27
15	Greg Thorsted (dq)	489	Aug 27

3 gun aggregate

1	Perry Fridley	726	Feb 26
2	Gene Hodgson	708	Aug 27
3	Dale Hundley	705	Aug 27
4	Tony Gimmellie	696	Mar 26
5	Kevin Drake	689	Jun 25
6	Andy Amber (G)	676	Mar 26
7	Jason McCoy (G)	669	Mar 26
8	Dan Tarpley	669	Aug 27
9	Fred Kolbrener	663	Aug 27
10	Seth Rinaldi	658	Jun 25
11	Tim Neel	649	Jun 25
12	George Kirby	506	Aug 27
13	Greg Thorsted (dq)	719	Aug 27

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King George, VA 22485

Postmaster: Address Service Requested

Archery News:

The biggest change to deer hunting regulations this year is the use of crossbows. Crossbow hunting has its own separate license this year, yet falls within the same season dates as the regular archery season. You will need to purchase this license if you intend to hunt with a crossbow during the archery or blackpowder seasons. You no longer are required to have a doctor's authorization; anyone can apply for a crossbow license this year. If you intend to hunt with both a bow and a crossbow, you must purchase both licenses. If you only intend to hunt with the crossbow then you would only be required to purchase the crossbow license and not need to purchase the regular bow license. If you have any questions, visit the VA State website: <http://www.dgif.virginia.gov/index.asp> for more information.

As a safety precaution when hunting with a crossbow, do not walk around with it cocked and loaded with a bolt (crossbow term for arrow). When walking, you can have cable cocked, but keep the bolt in a protected quiver until you are in your stand or blind. This should apply wherever you may hunt and not just on the club property.

As a note, Crossbows are not allowed for use on the archery range excelsior bales. You will be allowed to bring your own stand-alone crossbow target to shoot at on the archery range provided that broadheads are not used. John LoBuglio