

## April 2021



### President's Corner, by Sue Olsen

Spring is here, the weather is finally getting warmer, and summer leagues are starting. It's a great time to join a summer league if you haven't done so already.

The Annual Meeting is on April 26<sup>th</sup> at the club. Please join us for our business meeting, dinner, and camaraderie. See below for more details, and the sample ballot for the officer and director elections is posted in the Clubhouse.

Stay safe, stay healthy, and have a great summer shooting season! See you at the Club!

Happy Shooting! – Sue Olsen, President

## Club Calendar

### April 2021

- **04/04 – Easter Sunday – Club closed**
- 04/05 – Training – Introduction to Handguns, 4 pm to 6:30 pm
- 04/10 – Training – Permit to Carry & Renewal, 8:30 am – 3:00 pm
- 04/13 – Summer Leagues Begin
- 04/16 – 04/18 – Bunny Shoot (NSCA-registered shoot)
- 04/19 – Training – Drawing from a Holster, 4 pm – 6 pm
- 04/19 – General Business Meeting, 7 pm
- **04/26 – Annual Meeting, at South St. Paul Rod & Gun Club** (doors open at 6:00 pm)
- 04/30 – 05/02 – MNYSSF Youth Shoot

### May 2021

- 04/30 – 05/02 – MNYSSF Youth Shoot
- 05/03 – Training – Introduction to Handguns, 4 pm to 6:30 pm
- 05/07 – 05/09 – State Super Sporting Championship (NSCA-registered shoot)
- 05/15 – Training – Permit to Carry & Renewal, 8:30 am – 3:00 pm
- 05/17 – Training – Drawing from a Holster, 4 pm – 6 pm
- 05/17 – General Business Meeting, 7 pm
- 05/23 – Summer Leagues 1/3 point; 6 weeks have been completed
- 05/29 – 05/30 – Memorial Day Weekend – Club Open

### June 2021

- 06/07 – Training – Introduction to Handguns, 4 pm to 6:30 pm
- 06/12 – Training – Permit to Carry & Renewal, 8:30 am – 3:00 pm
- 06/13 – Summer Leagues 1/2 point; 9 weeks have been completed
- 06/19 – Border Battle – Shooting starts at Game Unlimited (NSCA-registered shoot)
- 06/21 – Training – Drawing from a Holster, 4 pm – 6 pm
- 06/21 – General Business Meeting, 7 pm

## Prices & Fees

We are not increasing membership or shooting prices for 2021. All member targets will remain at \$.38 per target, meaning all 25-round venues will be \$9.50 per round and sporting clays will be \$19 per round. Non-members will continue to pay \$.50 per target. High school league prices will remain at \$8 per round.

## Summer Hours (March 16 – September 15, 2021)

	<b>Shooting Hours</b>	<b>Clubhouse Hours</b>	<b>Kitchen Hours</b>
<b>Tues. &amp; Thurs.</b>	4 pm – dusk	3 pm – 9 pm	4 pm – 8 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Noon – dusk	Noon – 9 pm	Noon – 8 pm
<b>Friday</b>	Noon – 4 pm	Noon – 6 pm	Noon – 2 pm
<b>Sat. &amp; Sun.</b>	10 am – 4 pm	9 am – 6 pm	9 am – 2 pm

## COVID-19 Update

This has been a difficult time for everyone. We hope your families are safe and healthy and we all come through this soon.

Shooting is in full operation, and the clubhouse is open again. We are following the Governor's current rules of how we can operate in the clubhouse. As of this writing, masks are still required in the clubhouse unless you are seated at the bar or at a table. Otherwise, we are in full operation.

## Bulk Target Purchase and Member Rewards Programs

- *One-time purchasers of \$150 to \$499 receive 10% in additional targets*
- *One-time purchasers of \$500 to \$999 receive 15% in additional targets*
- *One-time purchasers of \$1000 and more receive 20% in additional targets*
- *Teams (5-10 members) may pre-pay for all league rounds twice/year and receive 5% in additional targets*
- *Purchasers of \$1,500 or more on any one card in a calendar year receives a \$100 target card*

## 2021 Summer Leagues are Underway

We are just starting Summer League practice as this is being written. We are again using score books for all league scoring this year, including sporting clays. All scores must be scored or transposed in the books. Loose sheets should be put in the marked tray after being transcribed in the book but the loose sheets themselves will not be scored. Each week, the league scorer goes through the books and updates the scores on the website. There are a few rules changes this year; all the league rules will be available at the Club, and you can always find them online at [League Rules – South Saint Paul Rod & Gun Club \(sspclub.com\)](http://sspclub.com).

## Website & Newsletter Notes

For the most up-to-date information about what's happening at the Club, our website is updated regularly and is available at this link: <http://sspclub.com/>.

For those members for whom we have an email address on file, we email the newsletter to you; for others we mail a paper copy. We also keep a small number of paper copies at the Club. **If you see this but are not getting your newsletter either by mail or email**, check with General Manager Tim Rossbach so he can update your customer record.

## Rifle/Pistol Range Update

Our rifle/pistol range has been very busy. As a reminder, members can buy an Annual Pass, or a One-time Pass, at discount prices from what we charge non-members. Full details are available on our website at: <http://sspgunclub.com/shooting-1/rifle-range/>.

## Military Discount

Don't forget about our military discount; a 10% military veterans' discount applies to the membership-only portion of the membership price, and to rifle/pistol Annual Passes, for Minnesota residents who are Active Military, Active Guard/Reserve, Retired Military, and Disabled Veterans. Show their Veteran/Military ID card to qualify for the discount. **Please note:** anytime multiple discounts could apply for any rates or prices at the Club, only one discount, the largest one, may be used.

## 2021 Registered Shoots

In 2021 we are hosting eleven registered sporting clays shoot at the Club, plus one registered NSSF skeet shoot. Try to make it down and try at least one of these shoots. These shoots are a lot of fun and are also very profitable for the Club. We make every effort to keep some trap and skeet fields open for member shooting during the shoots, but sometimes it is not possible, such as any state tournaments we host and the Border Battle, which is a Saturday-only event.

## Jackpot Shoots

This past fall and winter we had a number of jackpot shoots that were very popular. We hosted trap, 5-stand, and FITASC jackpots that ran for a number of weeks, with weekly jackpot payoffs and end-of-season jackpot payoffs. We plan to start the jackpots back up in the fall, after summer league season.

## Shoot Results

We post the results of all shoots on our website, and when space is available, we also post some results here in the Scrap Sheet. [Full results of all events are available here.](#)

## Shoot Volunteers Needed

We have several shoots coming up this summer where we could use some volunteer help to pull targets and score. The first is the annual MNYSSF shoot, taking place April 30 – May 1. The Club will be closed this weekend for this shoot. We need volunteers at all the sporting clays stations for the weekend, as well as for other duties.

The second event is May 7-9, when we host the Minnesota Super Sporting Championship. Again, we need volunteers for all of the stations to pull targets and score.

Anyone working special events, such as State Shoots, receives their choice of either a \$100 bird card or \$75 cash, per day, for serving as a trapper/scorer. Half day workers receive half that amount.

## Annual Meeting

This year's Annual Meeting is being held at the Club due to COVID-19 restaurant/meeting restrictions. We are holding it later than usual so we can meet outside in warmer weather. The date of the Annual Meeting is April 26. The Club will be open at 6:00 pm, with the meeting starting at 6:30 pm. Dinner will follow the meeting at 7:30 pm, with awards at 8:30 pm. Your 2021 membership will be required to attend the meeting, and membership renewals will be available at the Club that evening. We hope to see you there!

# THE SCRAP SHEET

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## ***SOUTH ST. PAUL ROD & GUN CLUB***

### ***Membership Information***

Membership Forms are available at the Club, or find them on our website at:

**<http://sspgunclub.com>**