



South Cuyahoga Sportsmen's Association

Newsletter for February 2019

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New Range Policy for 2019

Please be advised of a newly adopted policy regarding all outdoor ranges. Effective March 1, 2019, every member accessing **ANY** outdoor range will be required to sign in a range book prior to shooting. This will apply to the outdoor rifle and pistol ranges along with trap, skeet, 5-stand, shotgun patterning board and the walk around sporting clays course. The range book will remain near the outdoor rifle range. All others shooting will have to sign the range book which will be located inside of Beeches Palace. This sign-in requirement applies to all guests brought out to shoot. Please remember that all ranges are unsupervised. The new sign in requirement is a safeguard to maintain unsupervised access to all outdoor ranges for SCSA members and their guests. Thank you for your cooperation. Any questions may be directed to Tim Zgrabik at 216-676-8095.

Notes from Mike

Field trial – A field trial will be held Sunday, February 17, at the Chatham farm. Game birds on the field will be chucker partridge. Committee persons should report at 8:00 a.m. Remember that the outdoor ranges are closed until the conclusion of the event. Contact Mike Kristof at 216-570-6526 and I should be able to give an approximate time the outdoor ranges will open for the day.

A note of thanks- Members of the South Cuyahoga Sportsmen's Association stepped up big time during our Christmas appeal for non-perishable food items and socks. Literally hundreds of pounds of non-perishable food items were delivered to our Medina neighbors at the Spencer Community Cupboard for distribution to those in need. I delivered three boxes full of socks to St. Augustine's Church in Cleveland's Tremont neighborhood to assist them in their ministry to the homeless. I extend the many "God Bless-You's" along with the profuse "Thank-you's" offered by the volunteers who assisted in unloading the boxes to my fellow SCSA members who participated in this. The actual joy in their words of thanks for our club's donation to their homeless ministry actually left me feeling humbled, and somewhat inadequate. I hope we can do it again next year. Thank you for the support, and may God bless you for your gesture of kindness to some of society's less fortunate.

Are you feeling lucky? The South Cuyahoga Sportsmen's Association field trial committee is selling raffle tickets to help underwrite the expenses related to the Fifty-Second Annual All-Breed Invitational Winners trial. Prizes for the five-gun raffle include a Henry Golden Boy 22LR, Smith and Wesson Shield 9mm, a Thompson Center Impact muzzleloader 50 cal., a Mossberg .450 Bushmaster and a Core 15 AR-15 5.56mm. Only 200 tickets sold and they are \$20.00 each. Tickets are available at field trials, the Pheasant Phinale and general membership and trustees' meetings until early April. Contact Mike Kristof at 216-663-6427 for tickets.

Sporting Clays will be adding a new event to its monthly registered shoots, which is called FITASC. You must be an NSCA registered shooter to shoot this event, so if you sign up on WinScore Online, please do not include yourself in the FITASC event if you are a club member, Also, there will be a score keepers' class in March for members who are interested in helping keep Sporting Clays a activity of South Cuyahoga Sportsmen's Association.

Indoor Winter Archery League forming

Signups are open for the indoor archery league at the Ridge Road range. This will be a Vegas round (45 arrows per round) at a distance of 20 yards. The league will be shot every Wednesday night at 4PM starting on January 9 and run for 12 weeks. Cost for the 12-week league is \$40 for members payable on the first night of league. Late entries will not be permitted so sign up now as space is limited. To sign up or for more information, contact: Doug Keppler at 440.655.3404 or Bill Kuhar at 330.635.1035

Outdoor Range Orientation class

Outdoor Range Orientation is mandatory for anyone who wishes to use the Outdoor Rifle/Pistol range and new members who have not taken the orientation class. Only those members who have taken the orientation and have a range access sticker will be permitted to use the range. Please remember that you must wear your name badge on any SCSA property or you will be asked to leave. Orientation classes are held at 7:00pm on the fourth Thursday of each month. For more information please call Jim Swartz after 4:30pm at 440-884-5394 or Tim Zagrabik After 4:30pm at 216-676-8095.

Concealed Carry class available

SCSA is offering NRA Basic Pistol Classes to its members, their families, and friends. These classes satisfy the requirements of the state of Ohio to receive a CCW License. The course is eight hours of classroom lecture and range time. This course will supply all the books and information necessary to receive your CCW license. The cost of the course is only \$95.00 and includes lunch. The next class will be offered February 16. To register, please contact Jim Swartz at 440-884-5394.

IDPA Continues at the Indoor Range

IDPA continues to be active throughout the winter months indoors on Monday and Tuesday evenings at 5:30 pm. Not familiar with IDPA? We would like to invite all members and board members to come out to one of our matches. Our Safety Officers and experienced shooters will gladly answer any questions and explain the IDPA sport to you. For more information contact Bill Masler at masler3@roadrunner.com

For Sale

Up for sale is a Swedish Carl Gustavs 1896 in the original stock, minus the stock disc, which was removed at some point in the past. The rifle shows very slight use; the overall condition of the metal, stock, and bore is great. I'd conservatively rate the bluing at about 70%, with even more than that on the trigger guard, barrel, ladder sight, and receiver, but less than that on the butt stock and sling swivels, which show slight wear. \$550. This must be a face-to-face cash transaction with required credentials. E-mail me for additional pictures. Thanks! Phil Eagan uncle.philly@gmail.com



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2019 SPRING

HAM / MEAT SHOOT

To be held at 19300 Ridge Road, North Royalton
(We shoot snow, rain or shine. Covered firing points)

Prizes of Money - Giant Eagle Gift Cards - Hams
Turkeys - Chicken - Steak - Bacon - and MORE!

Doors open at 6:30 a.m.

Breakfast will be served from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m.

Shooting starts at 9 a.m.

Shotgun Only "Lucky BB" 15 Shooters on the line

The SCSA Spring Ham/Meat Shoots will begin on Sunday
January 20 and continue every Sunday through April 14.

Raffles will be included.

SCSA will supply the shotgun shells with 12, 16, 20 gauges
and .410 available. Minimum choke size for 12 gauge is .670

For More Info – Call Joe at (440) 724-7149

Calendar of events for February 2019

Ranges closed February 17

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Indoor Pistol Chatham 6:00pm	2
3 At Ridge Trap Practice Air Rifle 12pm Meat Shoot 7am Youth Archery 4pm At Chatham General Meeting 2pm	4 IDPA Chatham Indoor Range 5:30pm	5 IDPA Chatham Indoor Range 5:30pm	6 Indoor Pistol Chatham 10am Indoor Archery Ridge Rd 10am- 1pm & 4pm-8pm Trustee Meeting Ridge Rd. 7pm	7 Trap Ridge 9am At Chatham 4-H 7pm	8 Indoor Pistol Chatham 6:00pm	9
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17 At Ridge Air Rifle 12pm Meat Shoot 7am Youth Archery 4pm At Chatham Field Trial 8am All Ranges Closed Until Event Concludes	18 IDPA Chatham Indoor Range 5:30 pm	19 IDPA Chatham Indoor Range 5:30 pm	20 Indoor Pistol Chatham 10am Indoor Archery Ridge Rd 10am- 1pm Indoor Archery Ridge Rd 4pm- 8pm	21 Trap Ridge 9am At Chatham 4-H 7pm	22 Indoor Pistol Chatham 6:00pm	23
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Information regarding the Newsletter

Information to be included in the Newsletter must be submitted by 11:59pm on the Friday following the Trustee's Meeting. Please make sure your information is complete – we need to know who, where, what day, what time, phone numbers, and any other necessary information in order to avoid delays. We require that your material be in DOC or DOCX format. Do not send PDF format! We prefer that your info be e-mailed to scsaeditor@gmail.com, but you can also drop off printed or typewritten hardcopy at any general meeting or trustee meeting. Please remember that you will be graded on penmanship and neatness (just kidding).