

The 2017 Annual Meeting

On July 21, 2017 the annual meeting was called to order at 6PM by President Seth Nadel. All of the board members were present, except Secretary Larry Kennedy who had a prior commitment, Youth Director Brenda Silva who was at a National Competition, and Chief RSO John Easterbrook who also had a prior commitment. A total of 19 WMSA members attended the meeting..

The Treasurers' report shows the club is solvent, with \$18,859.60 in the bank. Many of the expenses this year were 'one time' expenses, such as signage for the range and the addition of a 4th training/competition bay so the club could accommodate the W.M. Practical Shooters matches. WMPS and the new cowboy club, Cowboys of The High Country were provided startup and replacement money for equipment.

The five raffles brought in \$4,800, helping us grow.

The range has be going very well, with significant income. We have expanded to being open Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. The club purchased a new sign, now installed just off US 60, with the days and times of operation. Game & Fish continues to support us - in particular this past January, when the road into the range was damaged by weather. One week after they were contacted, they had a road crew making repairs.

We have had some turnover in Range Safety Officers, but not an excessive amount. Those RSO's who are not putting in the time will soon lose access to the range when it is closed.

Our future objectives include a cover over the 100 yard line; installation of a storage/range office on the 50 yard pistol range; acquisition of a storage unit placed to the West of the West berm on the 100 yard range for general club storage; and construction of the 300 rifle range, to the West of the 100 yard range, on the upper surface.

A motion was made by Cathy Parry, Seconded by Bob Kreher, to ratify the actions of the board for the prior year. It was passed unanimously.

Under New Business, a motion was made by Ken Josten, Seconded by Mike Melcher, to adopt the proposed changes to the bylaws. It also passed unanimously.

The first major match to be held at the range will be September 9, when the Show Low Lions hold the 'Shoot the Deuce' to raise funds for the Officer Darien Reed scholarship fund. The Lions anticipate 100 shooters. Most of this event will take place on the East side, utilizing the training/competition bays. The 50 yard bay will be used for the young shooters. The 100 yard range will remain open for public use.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:55 PM