



MID-CAROLINA RIFLE CLUB
3435 FISH HATCHERY ROAD
GASTON SC 29053-9033

NEXT MEETING: Monday, April 10, 2023, 6:30 PM at Murray's in Edenwood Plaza.

Reminder #1: Membership renewals are due 30 days before your membership expires.

Reminder #2: Get your STEEL Targets approved for use at the range. All steel targets must be approved by the club President Roy Mullis.

Matches and Upcoming Events Schedule

Cowboy Action – Palmetto Posse	1 st Saturday	9:00am
Small bore Rifle	1 st Saturday	9:00am
NRA Light Rifle	1 st Sunday	9:00am
USPSA (IPSC) Practical Pistol	2 nd Saturday	9:00am
NRA High Power Rifle	2 nd Sunday	9:00am
NCOWS (no match 2 nd Sunday in November)	2 nd Sunday & 5 th Saturday	9:45am
MCRC Meeting at Murray's	2nd Monday	6:30pm
Precision Pistol (Feb – Nov)	3 rd Saturday	9:00am
Steel Challenge	3 rd Saturday	10:00am
Metallic Rifle Silhouette	3 rd Saturday	11:00am
Cowboy Action – Savannah River Rangers	3 rd Sunday	9:30am
Black Powder	4 th Saturday	9:00am
IDPA Defensive (Carry) pistol	4 th Saturday	10:00am

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Swap Meet (no firearms) – April 29, 2023. Lunch will be provided.

MID-CAROLINA RIFLE CLUB

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Dues payments may be made at the meetings, at the range office or mailed to 3435 Fish Hatchery Rd, Gaston SC 29053-9033. Please send the renewal in the first 15 days of the month in which your membership expires. For fastest processing, bring your completed form and payment to the office at the range. If you have questions about dues, please contact Vice President Linda Chico at 803-629-7095 or email vp@midcarolinarifleclub.com.

Report apparent violations of range rules or unsafe or discourteous behavior, with vehicle license tag numbers, to club President Roy Mullis for investigation. If you want the club to continue operation, members must be self-policing in this manner.

Minutes – March 2023

There were forty-one (41) members and guests in attendance:

Roy Mullis	Duane Sharpe	Russell Eubanks	William Richardson
Linda Chico	Jane Sharpe	Marci Phillips	Deborah Easterling
Kim Wales	Robert Marcotulli	Thomas Washington	Kevin Krist
Wesley Bommer	Ruth Marcotulli	Joseph Shahoud	Robert Lipe
Richard Boyd	Samuel Jones	Charles Hedgepath	George Henderson
Eric Wright	Julie Holling	David Davis	Charles Fortner
Derrick Hernandez	Lee Rouse	James (Jim) Boyd	Bill McEntire
Michael Wingard	Steven Phillips	Willard (Ed) Sharpe	One illegible name
Charles Schenck	Mike Phillips	Judy Lilly	
Donald Guevara	Kenneth Aycock	Patten Watson	
Wayne Corley	Nelson Thompson	Lewis Hoover	

Roy Mullis called the meeting to order and led the club in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. He also led the club in a prayer. The minutes from the last meeting were approved by voice vote.

PRESIDENT’S REPORT: Roy Mullis, roym788@gmail.com, 803-360-1490
Roy Mullis reported.

1. The gate is functioning properly. The only quirk has to do with how the executive committee locks the gate open and closed. The officer, match director, has to open the gate normally, drive in and allow the gate to close completely. He/she, then has to go to the inside keypad and lock open the gate with a code Linda supplied to them. The keypad light will turn green and the gate will stand open. When it is time to close the gate after the match they only have to use the lock open/close code to shut the gate. They do not have to log out. On days when there are multiple matches going on the last match director leaving the range is the one to close the gate. We have had a problem with this. Match directors need to check with each other to see who’s match will be ending last and they are responsible for making sure the gate is closed.
2. Renewals are turning around within a week or so. Linda will give you some more info on this.

3. The rest of this month and next month are going to be busy. There is a gun show this weekend, MCRC is manning the NRA booth at the Sportsman's Classic next weekend, and the Swap meet is planned for the 29th of April. As far as the swap meet is concerned, you should keep watch at your email and the web site for more information as decisions are made.
4. I am repairing the tables in the Cooper Bays. I'm reminding you again to check the tables before you put anything on them because they may have just been painted. I am painting the tops grey instead of white because it is becoming hard to find oil base paint. I'm using porch and floor enamel because that's the only thing available. So if you see a grey table check to make sure it's dry.
5. I have noticed a couple of times that some of the members have driven down to the berms on the General Purpose and Silhouette bays to set steel targets. Driving on these ranges is not allowed. Steel and other targets must be walked down to be placed.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Linda Chico, lichico@sc.rr.com, 803-629-7095
Linda Chico reported.

Linda asked for club volunteers for the NRA booth at the upcoming Palmetto Sportsman's Classic Show at the State Fairgrounds. The NRA recruiter who was supposed to cover the show had an urgent family problem and we were asked to cover the booth since it is paid in advance. This is a great opportunity for visibility at the largest show of its kind in SC. And the club will get around \$5 for each new NRA member or renewal.

MCRC member William Caskey (wmcaskey@comcast.net) has volunteered to serve as Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) liaison. He is working on our annual report to the Division of Civilian Marksmanship (DCM). Linda will again send out a reminder to any match directors who have not submitted competitor numbers for 2022.

Linda reported that 72 people so far had indicated that they planned to attend the Swap Meet. We will need volunteers to help cook burgers and hot dogs. We need at least 4 volunteers to prepare and serve food. Roy will get the food, plates, water, drinks, cups and condiments. We will cook outside of the juniors building and eat inside or setup in the parking lot according to the weather. Please volunteer! If it is only Roy, he will get cranky.

REMEMBER * * Please submit renewals early in the month when your membership expires. If your ID indicates your membership expires on 05/23 (last day of May 2023), please send the renewal in the first 15 days of the month. For fastest processing, bring your completed form and payment to the office at the range. If you are using an Apple mobile device to complete a renewal form, you may need to install an Adobe Forms App (available free in the App Store).

SECRETARY'S REPORT: ActingSec@midcarolianrifleclub.com
No report.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Patten Watson, duck.tail@yahoo.com, 803-463-6533
Patten Watson reported.

So far this year we have nearly \$13,000 in revenue with expenses of \$10,500 which gives us a bottom line of about \$2,500.

Patten is a CPA in SC. If you would like to have more information regarding our finances, please contact him (after the latest IRS deadline if possible).

CRO/RANGE MAINTENANCE REPORT: CRO: Kim Wales walesk3@gmail.com
803-760-3670 Range Maintenance: Julie Holling, jwholling@bellsouth.net, 803-755-7397
No report.

COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING - Palmetto Posse: Charles Fortner cfortner@yahoo.com
803-622-2537
Charales Fortner reported.

The Palmetto Posse held our monthly match on Saturday, March 4th. We had a total of 25 shooters representing 15 different categories. The top 3 shooters were #3 Kid Ray, #2 Sue Render and #1 Stone Ground. The top three finishers were also the only clean shooters.

The next match will be Saturday, April 1st, starting at 9:30 in the morning and visitors are always welcome.

SMALLBORE PRONE RIFLE Richard Byers, mrcrcsmallbore@gmail.com, 803-240-9678
Roy Mullis read the report.

We had a light turn out for a beautiful day at the range.

We had 4 sling competitors and one F-Class.

Josh Aycock was first sling with a very good 1197-75.

Ken Aycock took first, (second, third and last) place as the only F-Class competitor today. 1151-68.

NRA LIGHT RIFLE: Robert Shaffner, Robert_shaffner@yahoo.com, 330-409-3799
No report.

Light Rifle is a club oriented match using the NRA Light Rifle format. There are 4 easy to see targets, with unlimited "sighters" in a 5th target. 10 shots for each target. 2 targets (20 shots total) shot offhand (standing), 1 target sitting or kneeling, and 1 target prone. All easily done within the 55 minute time limit. Total possible score of 400.

Come on out and enjoy a low pressure fun with a great group of people interested in helping anyone asking!

USPSA-IPSC PISTOL: Mike Wingard, mhw_uspsa@yahoo.com, 803-521-0886; Derrick Hernandez, rangeraa45@gmail.com, 910-580-8343
Derrick Hernandez reported.

We really got lucky with the weather. We had the best shooting weather of the weekend on Saturday. Both Friday and Sunday were pretty miserable conditions. Big thanks to Mike Wingard, Derrick Hernandez, Aaron Banks, John Edens, Eric Jackson, Ryan Lee & Chris Payeur for all the hard work at setup. I was so excited to see the HUGE number of first time shooters registered. We ended up with 13. And we hope the “first time” shooters felt welcomed, enjoyed the shooting, and return for our April match.

Just a reminder that there are still slots Saturday morning & Sunday morning in the SC Sectional Championship at Belton Gun Club March 25-26.

1st place Limited: John Edens
1st place Open: Rafael Revollo
1st place Carry optics: Ryan Lee
1st Place PCC: Aaron Banks
1st Place Single Stack: Jason Karstedt
1st Place Production: Patrick White

Results are posted at <https://practicore.com/results/new/196511>. The results will also be available at www.USPSA.org (for those of you who are USPSA members - club code SC02)

The usual USPSA - IPSC matches are held the second Saturday of each month. We are using online registration which starts the Monday prior to the match. Contact Linda Chico at LChico@sc.rr.com to add your name to the notification list. Sign in at the range starts at 8:00 am. Shooting starts at 10:00 am. (Winter Hours) Juniors are free. New shooters are half price (\$11). Set-up for the match is on the preceding day on Friday afternoon. If you are interested in coming out and trying a shooting sport that involves running and gunning, you can start with very nearly any centerfire pistol if you have enough magazines for it.

Our Next Match will be 08 April 2023.

NRA HIGH POWER RIFLE: Scott Johnson, scottjohnson641@gmail.com

No match.

NATIONAL CONGRESS OF OLD WEST SHOOTISTS (NCOWS): Henry Schlein, henryschlein@yahoo.com, 843-821-9999 or Richard Boyd, Assistant Match Director, okbuckshot@comporium.net, 405-206-3314 – **SC_OldWestShootists@yahoo.com**
Henry Schlein reported.

The NCOWS match scheduled for yesterday, was postponed due to the weather. Our next match will be held April 9, 2023, which will be the second Sunday of next month. Hope to see everyone down on the range, then.

Our matches are normally held on the second Sunday of each month (except November) and on the 5th Saturday of such months in which they occur. Match fees are \$15.00, \$10.00 for accompanying

family members, no charge for age 12 and under. Please come and check us out; or better yet, come join in the fun. We are a very friendly, family friendly group. New shooters and beginners are welcome. Coffee, donuts, sweet rolls, bottled water and Gatorade are provided at most matches.

The National Congress of Old West Shootists (NCOWS) was founded in 1994 to promote safe Western Action Shooting including the re-enactment and promotion of the historical Old West heritage of the United States during the period 1865 to 1899. NCOWS members enjoy Western Action Shoots which are timed shooting matches in which shooters compete in a series of different shooting scenarios, called stages. Participants are attired in period correct, Old West style clothing and use firearms typical of the guns used in the Old West.

The South Carolina Old West Shootists is a charter posse (club) of NCOWS and the Mid-Carolina Rifle Club. NCOWS is comprised of many such posses throughout the United States, which hold their own matches and events using NCOWS guidelines. There are also periodic, national and regional matches and events. Safety is emphasized during all NCOWS events, both on and off the range. Loading, shooting, and unloading of guns, is closely structured in accordance with NCOWS and local safety rules. Typically, only one participant at a time will shoot during a match. Juniors and new shooters may be coached or supervised by a guardian or other experienced member, as the case may be.

NCOWS uses rules similar to SASS Cowboy matches, although NCOWS pays greater attention to historical accuracy concerning our guns, clothing and equipment, and more emphasis is placed on marksmanship. New participants are given generous allowances of leniency with the former, since it may take a long time to acquire the proper guns, clothing and accoutrements. Gun carts are optional, rifle racks are provided. We shoot in 2, 3 and 4-gun classes. Generally, any pre-1900 pistol, rifle in pistol caliber, and/or shotgun may be used, either originals in serviceable condition or reproductions. We shoot smokeless and black powder categories. There is no overall winner in NCOWS matches; each category is judged independently. **Prospective members are advised to not go out and buy any cowboy guns or accoutrements without first coming to a match and meeting with more experienced members, in order to avoid spending good money on things that may not be NCOWS-legal.**

For further information, please contact Henry Schlein, Match Director (aka, *Sgt. Rick Henry*) (843) 821-9999, email henryschlein@yahoo.com, or Richard Boyd, Jr., (aka, *MoonShine*) Asst. Match Director, okbuckshot@comporium.net, (405) 206-3314. See also, www.ncows.org.

PRECISION PISTOL: Mike Carr, afvet53@netzero.net, 803-408-0024
Roy Mullis read the report.

We had a great start for the 2023 season for the 2700 Bullseye Precision Pistol match. 8 shooters showed up and we had a great time. Some only were able to shoot part of the match because of physical limitations but it's all good. It's good to see some shooters that haven't shot in while. Scores ranged from 779-9x to 2485-58x. Weather was a little chilly at first but warmed up. Our next match is March 18th, the third Saturday.

STEEL CHALLENGE: Dennis Coggins, damocles1234@hotmail.com, 803-732-0663, Julie Holling, jwholling@bellsouth.net, 803-755-7397, or Lewis Hoover, nomad_777@netzero.net, 803-568-2976

Julie reported.

On February 18th, we had 35 shooters come out with 49 firearms to participate in Steel Challenge. The shooters included 1 new shooter and 3 ladies. David Strickland won Carry Optic in 64.00 and Rimfire Pistol Open in 47.51. Todd Syssa led Pistol Caliber Carbine Open with 45.23 and Rimfire Rifle Open in 41.72. There were 2 guns in the Rimfire Pistol Iron divisions and 1 shooter in the Open, Limited, Production, and Pistol Caliber Carbine Iron divisions. Thanks to Linda Chico for running registration.

Our next match will be on March 18th. We will be starting at 10:00. We will be running 5 stages. Preregistration thru Practiscore.com is required. If you have problems with registering, please contact me. Anyone who is not a new shooter will be charged an extra \$5 to register at the range on match day. If you are interested in helping set up for the match and getting a \$15 discount on your match fee, you can help with set-up on Friday, the 17th starting at 1:30. On Saturday, registration will start at the range at 9:15, ends at 9:50, and the match starts at 10:00.

On April 15, MCRC and the Special Forces Association, Chapter VI will host a match to support the Memorial 3-Gun Foundation, which raises funds for the Gold Star Special Operations Forces families. The fee for each shooter's first gun will go towards the Memorial 3-Gun Foundation.

Official Steel Challenge stages consists of 4-5 runs on 5 pieces of steel at set distances. Misses may be made up if it is done before hitting the "stop" plate, indicated by a red post. The longest string is tossed out and the remaining times are added together to get your stage time. Stage times are added together to get your match time. Occasionally, we run one unofficial stage during matches. Additional general information and stage diagrams may be found at <https://scsa.org/>. Contact Dennis, Julie, or Lewis if you have questions about our match.

METALLIC RIFLE SILHOUETTE: Mical Bowling mical@blackwolfconsulting.com
(803-546-4742)

Roy Mullis read the report.

The monthly smallbore rifle silhouette match was held on Saturday the 18th of February. Temperatures were cool and the sky was cloudless and bright. Very strong shadows made the targets quite difficult to see. Scott Lurie down from North Carolina was the match winner in both disciplines.

This discipline consists of shooting offhand at steel chickens, pigs, turkeys and rams at 40, 60, 77 and 100 yards respectively. If you would like to try it, we permit the use of any 22 LR rifle but require the use of standard velocity 22LR ammunition so as to limit any damage to the targets.

Because of the non contact nature of this sport we expect no interruptions in our match schedule.

However participants should wear loose fitting gloves for handling of targets, spray cans, and rails.

On the third Saturday of each month, the smallbore rifle silhouette match begins promptly at **11:00 am**. Set up starts around **9am** with sight in and practice after set up is complete. The smallbore hunting rifle match usually begins around **12:30** after a short lunch break.

COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING - Savannah River Rangers: Joe Metz, jrmetz45@gmail.com
803-960-3907 and Matthew Haulbrooks
Roy Mullis read the report.

- *Match was February 19th.*
- *Weather was Cloudy and cool.*
- *29 shooters came out.*
- *5th – Kid Ray, 4th – Hoosier FN Daddy, 3rd – Groundhog, 2nd – Stone Ground, 1st – Lighthorse Pete.*
- *8 clean shooters. A clean shooter is one who hit all 146 targets, with no misses, in the correct order and had no penalties.*
- *Next match is March 19th.*
- *Registration begins at 8:30, Shooters Meeting at 9:30, shoot shortly after – we would love to have you come out and see what Cowboy Action is all about!*

In Cowboy Action we shoot steel targets of various shapes, sizes, and distances, it does not matter where on the target the bullet hits, it is ruled either a hit or miss. A miss adds 5 seconds to the shooters time, obviously we want to hit them “All” as quickly as possible! We typically shoot 6 stages with each stage having a different scenario consisting of differing number of targets, differing target arrangement, differing shooting locations, and differing gun order. We shoot 4 guns on each stage, 2 revolvers, 1 lever action rifle and 1 shotgun. Usually 5 rounds from each revolver, 10 rounds from the rifle and 4 rounds from the shotgun for 24 rounds per stage for a total of 144 rounds per match. When we give the monthly report and list the number of clean shooters we had, that means each clean shooter shot all 144 rounds and hit each target in the correct order.

BLACK POWDER MUZZLELOADING: Jim Boyd, 1949jwb@gmail.com, 803-356-9504 or Sam Jones, samandsandy@yahoo.com, 803-794-5476
Jim Boyd read the report.

We shoot the fourth Saturday of the month. This past month we had an all steel match.

February match results were: Wayne Robinson 1st, Jim Boyd 2nd, Charley Frances 3rd.

IDPA: Mike Phillips IDPAatMCRC@gmail.com, 803-530-9135 or Don Rawls drcrawls@live.com
Don Rawls reported.

We had 35 shooters come to our February 25th match at MCRC, despite early morning rain showers. Temp in the bays was 55 degrees. 5 scenario stages. Our IDPA State Coordinator Frank Scalise was in attendance and finished in first place in Stock Service Pistol (SSP) division.

Winners of each class and their division (from Practiscore):

High Expert: Bob Bailey (Carry Optics Pistol); (also Overall Match Winner)

High Sharpshooter: Carl Thompson (SSP);

High Marksman: Matthew Stugart (COP);

High Novice: Daniel Koval (COP);

High Unclassified: Kevin Crapps (Kilo Charlie) (COP);

Honorable Mention: Geraldo Cruzado had a 1-2 finish in the Most Accurate Category using a PCC and a COP. Also Kilo had a 5th place finish overall, I think this was the second IDPA match he has shot.

Excellent job to both of them.

Setup Crew, Many Thanks: Mike Phillips, Geraldo Cruzado, Bob Bailey, Don Rawls. We need help with setup so if you attend our match, please volunteer at least one Friday a year. You will like seeing what goes on behind the scenes, and how stages are worked out on the ground.

Match Breakdown:

Ladies – 0

Juniors (17 and under) – 1

Seniors /Distinguished Seniors – 18

Military – 4

Law Enforcement – 0

Division and Classification breakdown:

Carry Optics Pistol had 13 shooters. Enhanced Service Pistol had 4; Revolver had 3; Stock Service Pistol had 7; Custom Defensive Pistol had 5; and Concealed Carry Pistol had 3 shooters. Pistol Caliber Carbine had 2 shooters. We had 15 combined Expert and Sharpshooters, 9 Marksmen and 16 Unclassified shooters.

Stage ideas:

Any shooter is welcome to submit a stage design, or even just some rough ideas for a stage design. Maybe something you have shot at another club. For April's match at MCRC, I am planning on using some of Frank's stages from the Battle of Belton Tier 2 match being held March 17-18 at BGC.

Stage Breakdown:

Stage 4, "Dog Stage"

Bob Bailey (COP) was fastest on this stage with a raw time of 19.41 seconds, with 0 down.

7 shooters hit a non-threat target and received a 5 second penalty; 1 had a procedural error; and 2 shooters went 0 down.

Next match will be Saturday March 25th, 2023. This will be our annual Classifier Match, with both 72 round Standard Classifier and 5 X 5 Abbreviated versions being offered.

JUNIORS: Charley Francis, cfrancis@ftc-i.net, 803-469-4584

Roy read the report.

We stay in contact with youth groups as they continue to open up their outside activities. If you are involved with a youth group and are interested in setting up an orientation program for the group, contact me. MCRC offers the orientation program free of charge and we can offer the program in several formats to meet your group's needs and schedule.

Additionally, if you have children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, etc., that you would like to get some firearm training for; contact me and let's see what we can set up. The program is for those ages 8 to 18.

CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM: William Caskey

Linda Chico reported.

Linda will send out a reminder to any match directors who have not submitted competitor numbers for 2022.

LEGISLATIVE LIAISON: Kevin Krist, kevin_krist@yahoo.com

Kevin Krist reported.

South Carolina House of Representatives Passes Bill to Allow Permitless Open & Concealed Carry and NC House Approves Bill to Repeal Permitting Requirement for Pistol Purchases.

For a full report, please check the **Legislative Updates** section of the MCRC website. New information and updates are posted frequently.

OLD BUSINESS:

Appleseed Event Dates: April 15-16, 2023 and October 7-8, 2023

NEW BUSINESS:

Joe Shahoud with Safe Family Defense is looking for a few RSOs to help a couple hours a month.

NEW MEMBERS:

No new members.

There was no further business & the club adjourned the monthly meeting.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help set up the Friday before the USPSA, IDPA, and Steel Challenge matches. The match directors would welcome any assistance. You do not have to be a participant in the match to help. Contact one of the match directors in this newsletter and volunteer to help.

METAL TARGET STANDS can be ordered from Roy Mullis. Contact Roy at 803-360-1490 or by email at president@midcarolinarifleclub.com.

Information on CWP Classes, Shooting Instruction, and Services:

APPLESEED RIFLE CLINIC: Duane Hogue SC@appleseedinfo.org or duane.fnp@outlook.com
Next event is April 15-16, 2023. Information and registration for upcoming events can be found at: <https://appleseedinfo.org>.

Project Appleseed is a non-profit organization that continues to have clinics at MCRC and elsewhere in SC. Our 25 yard clinics are designed to teach shooters the fundamentals of rifle marksmanship and the fundamentals of Revolutionary War history. They are designed for shooters of all skill levels with the goal being able to shoot an expert score on the Appleseed Qualification Test and earning a Rifleman patch which prepares the shooter for one of our full distance clinics out to 500 yards.

Our upcoming events are April 15-16 at MCRC and OCT 7-8 at MCRC.

NRA INSTRUCTOR, ADVANCED CLASSES, & CWP: Paladin Services LLC is Joseph KATZ (NRA Training Counselor, SLED Certified CWP Instructor, and NRA Certified Advanced Pistol Instructor and Training Counselor) and Janet KATZ (NRA Training Counselor, SLED Certified CWP Instructor, and NRA Certified Advanced Pistol Instructor and Training Counselor), paladin@busman.com (803-783-0590).

NRA Pistol Instructor special course package: NRA Basic Instructor Training, NRA Pistol Instructor and CWP Instructor special course package on March 25-26, June 24-25, and on September 23-24, 2023. The course qualifies instructors to teach the NRA Basics of Pistol Shooting and to apply to SLED for certification as SC CWP instructors. Instructor candidates must complete NRA Basics of Pistol Shooting student class before taking the NRA Pistol Instructor course.

NRA Rifle Instructor Training class offered May 20, 2023, for NRA instructors who have completed NRA Basic Rifle Shooting student class, NRA Basic Instructor Training and been certified in another discipline.

NRA Chief Range Safety Officer Training offered for NRA Certified Instructors who are also NRA Range Safety Officers Saturday, July 22, 2023. Upcoming Range Safety Officer classes will be held on Saturday, March 4, April 22, July 8, and October 21, 2023.

NRA Personal Protection in the Home Instructor training will be offered October 28, 2023, for NRA Instructors who are certified NRA Pistol Instructors and have completed NRA Personal Protection in the Home student class.

NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home Instructor training will be offered November 25-26, 2023, for NRA Instructors who are certified NRA Pistol Instructors who have completed NRA Personal Protection in the Home Instructor training and the NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home Basic and Advanced level student classes.

Defensive Shotgun course will help you learn how to protect your home and family using a basic shotgun and will be offered May 13, and December 9, 2023.

Home Defense (NRA Personal Protection in the Home) class September 9, 2023, takes you beyond the CWP and handgun basics to help you develop strategies so you can protect yourself and your family from home invasion.

Defensive Handgun 1 (NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home-Basic Level) on March 11, and October 14, and Defensive Handgun 2 (NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home-Advanced Level) on April 15, and November 11, 2023, to enhance your shooting skills and your ability to defend yourself while carrying concealed because the real world outside your home is infinitely more complex.

Personal Training is useful for both new shooters and experienced shooters to overcome fear of firearms or to hone your marksmanship skills. Scheduled by appointment on Friday afternoons from 1–3 or 3–5 p.m.

Go to the Paladin Services LLC website <http://paladin.busman.com> for detailed training information for advanced classes and personal training.

BULLETS BY SCARLETT, a locally owned business, specializes in reloading components: hard cast lead and Hi-Tek polymer coated bullets (projectiles) in dozens of calibers, weights, and profiles; Shooters World Powder (www.shootersworldsc.com); Federal Primers- Pistol (large and small), Shotgun and Large Rifle. Scarlett is a representative for Rugged Gear Gun carts (use code BU0770 for 10% discount on carts and accessories - online purchases only). www.bulletsbyscarlett.com

Scarlett's husband, Tommy, does custom molded ear protection - silicone ear plugs made on the spot (\$75), lab made silicone (\$110 and up), as well as a full line of digital ear plugs.

If you would like for Scarlett and Tommy to vend at your match, please contact her at bulletsbyscarlett@gmail.com or by phone 843-833-0770.

D@D Tactical CWP Class. Finger printing included at no extra charge. Cost \$75.00. Contact Dennis Rybicki at 803-315-2456 or visit the website ddtacticaltraining.com.