



WGC Newsletter

June 2025

We will meet at the Clubhouse on for the June 12th club meeting. Bring a comfortable folding chair if you don't want to use the steel folding chairs.

Members, wear your badge on the range. This will set the example for our new members.

RANGE UPDATES

Lots of updates here:

- The gate has been relocated and installed. We are using a chain and combination padlock for now. The combination has been emailed to members.
- Septic tank has been serviced.
- Bay 2 concrete crack has been fixed by professionals.
- Urinal installed in the men's restroom.
- Gate electrical lines have been traced and located.

JULY 10TH ANNUAL MEMBERS COOK OUT

We will grill and relax at the Clubhouse the afternoon of July 10th. Our kitchen won't be rebuilt by then. If some of the members can bring a few grills, and tables, that would be great. The Club will buy the burgers and hotdogs, buns.

The club provides hotdogs and hamburgers with the fixings. Everyone please plan to bring something else along, following the guidelines below according to the first letter of your last name. Thanks!

A-F Bring drinks and chips.
G-L Bring Salad, Slaw or beans.
M-Z Bring Desserts.

We will start eating at 6pm.
Official Club discussion at 7pm.
Clean up directly afterward.

NEW MEMBERS

The following folks have started the process to join the Club:

- Carole "Cak" Newell
Purlear, NC
- Ethan Krauss
Deep Gap, NC
- Jeff Winkler
Boone, NC

DISCIPLINE UPDATES

All of the disciplines are hosting matches. Our investments in gravel, fixtures, the 40' container, and hard physical work have brought us here. Have a great season.

TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

Voting on gate repair proposals to fix what was damaged by TS Helene. We have three proposals to discuss and vote on.

RANGE UPDATES (CONT)

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has contracted debris removal companies to clean up public and private land in the County. The EC has requested debris clean up on Meat Camp Creek. We are on the work list.

We expect for the crews to show up in June. I'll try to find out when, if possible.

HUGE THANKS TO KEVIN HARTLEY

Kevin brought his tractor to the Club to help us move dirt in the TS Helene clean up effort. Most recently he managed the Memorial Day WW2 era weapons competition. We appreciate your energy and time.

PASSING OF JOHN RUNDALL

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our fellow shooter and WGC Member, John Rundell. John was a long time member and regular competitor in the Watauga Rimfire Benchrest Match, beginning with the very first match in November of 2011.