



Barre Sportsman's Club, Inc.

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Membership

The Club welcomed Aaron Graves of Barre, MA and Pete Nagle of Oakham, MA as new Club members in October. John Billings and son of Gardner, MA were welcomed as new members this month. There are now a total of 138 members as of tonight's meeting. We have openings currently available.

Outdoor Sporting Functions 2018 Season (POC contacts at the end of Newsletter)

All Sporting Functions are winding down

Archery – 2018 Season has ended. POC: Fig

Range-Pistol – POC: Bert

Range-22 Rifle – 2018 Season has ended. POC: Tony

Range-200 yard – 2018 Season has ended. POC: Pete

Sporting Clays – Currently no activity. Looking for a volunteer to head this up.

Trap – 2018 Season has ended. POC: Mike

Annual Election of Officers

Nominations and election of the 2018-2019 Club Officers were held. The results are as follows:

President ... Mike Nobilini

Vice President ... Katie Caruso

Secretary ... Warren (Jack) Farnham

Treasurer ... Janet Pierce

Bar Manager ... Glenn Carter

BOD Members, 3 year term ... Rob Deschenes and Zackary Glidden

BOD Member, 2 year term ... Aaron LaTulippe (replaces Mike N.)

BOD Member, 1 year term ... Ed Pollack (replaces Katie C.)

By-Law 2018 Revisions

At the August Club Meeting the Secretary presented a newly revised By-Law document. I explained that the objective for doing this was to "make it clearer to understand". The original Articles were not changed.

According to our By-Law's in order to alter this document it must be presented to the Members present at a Club Meeting. A hardcopy was given to each Member present on August 2, 2018. The new document was posted on our website to read. An e-mail message was sent to those Members we have addresses for. A vote is required by the Club membership at three (3) consecutive Club Meetings. **At the October 4, 2018 Club Meeting 32 members out of 32 Members present voted in FAVOR of the new changes. The third and final vote will be conducted at the November Club Meetings. Please read and support this significant revision.**

Fall Hunters Kickoff and Gun Raffle

Another very successful year for this popular annual event. John Neri (Fig) and the entire kitchen staff served up cheese, Pepperoni and cracker appetizers. Meatball and Spaghetti supper that included rolls, salad and desert soon followed. The 'tin can' Raffle was a popular attraction again this year with 'bigger & better' prizes than ever before. The BSC accommodated nearly 400 guests in our Hall, under our Pavilion and two large tents. Thanks go to Cabelas, Old Glory Guns & Ammo, Minute Man Armory, Neri Painting, The French Family and all others who contributed to this year's prizes.

The Gun Raffle winners that were present are shown below as well as random photos of our guests.











REMINDER TO ALL SHOOTERS ON OUR RANGE

Please pick up your brass at the end of the day. How difficult is that to do!!! Thank you.

Range Guidelines for Law Enforcement Agencies

Procedural changes have been drafted for Law Enforcement Agencies use of our Range. This has evolved as a result of inadequate Range housekeeping. It is hoped that this mandate will result in a cleaner Range for all to enjoy.

A Range Use Form will be provided to the Requestor representing the Law Enforcement Agency. This form is to be completed by the Firearms Instructor or Chief of Police and handed or mailed to the Club Secretary as follows;

Warren (Jack) Farnham
842 Daniel Shays Highway
New Salem, MA 01355

A RANGE USE FEE of \$200 is payable to the Club Treasurer, Janet Pierce or mail to W. Farnham (address above) along with the completed Range Use Form.

RANGE HOUSEKEEPING

As a friendly reminder ... Leave the Range *'Better Than You Found It'*. This includes picking up your spent cases, replacing your target frames and discarding any waste in the barrels provided.

OTHER CLUB REMINDERS

- The **Entrance Gate Lock** has changed BUT the code to unlock it remains the same.
- The updated membership cards should be available at the July Club meeting.
- **Crowd Control Manager(s) are required by Mass Law for ALL indoor Club functions.** All members are urged to go online to take this 30 minute course to get certified as a Crowd Control Manager. The Website address is <http://public.eopslearning.com/> and click on the DFS-Crowd Manager Training.
- When you leave the property; PLEASE close the gate & lock the new combination lock.
- NO ALCOHOL IS ALLOWED TO BE BROUGHT ONTO THE PREMISES AT ANY TIME – this is NOT a club rule but is a STATE LAW due to our liquor license.
- Please 'POLICE' the range after use to clean up your cartridges/shells.
- By-Laws are available online.

BARRE SPORTSMAN'S CLUB 2018 EVENT & FUNCTION CALENDAR

NOTE: The dates in italic have NOT been confirmed by the POC

OCTOBER

Thursday, 4th - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM

BOD Meeting - TBA

Saturday, October 6th - Fall Hunter's Kickoff & Gun Raffle, 6PM

POC's: Rob Deschenes & Meridith Young

Saturday, 27th - Youth Pheasant Hunt, 9:00AM, POC: Chris Duggan

NOVEMBER

Thursday, 1st - Club Meeting @ 7:30PM

BOD Meeting - TBA

Sunday, 25th - Turkey Shoot, 10:00AM, POC: Janet Pierce

DECEMBER

NO Club Meeting this month, resume in January 2019

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Sunday, 9th - Children's Christmas Party, 1:00PM, POC: Dave Fleming

OTHER POCs for Sporting Functions:

Trap - POC: Mike Noblini (508) 889-7839

Sporting Clays - POC: (looking for volunteer(s) to fill this position)

Archery - POC: John (Fig) Neri (978) 355-4071, Mondays at 6pm (~April to Oct.)

Range .22 Shoot - POC: Tony Pitisci (978) 355-4474

Pistol Shoot - POC: Bert DuVernay (508) 413-6529, 3rd Saturdays 9am until time change

200 Yard Rifle - POC: Peter Stalker, Mondays at 6pm

(CHECK WEBSITE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION)