

# Independent Sportsmen's Club

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Treasurer  
**Richard Wall Jr.**

Editor  
**John Young**

# From the Directors

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Dear Members,

It's been a long couple of months but we are now open for business again! My thanks to the Board of Directors and Club Officers for their careful consideration of the COVID-19 challenges and the subsequent development of new Club safety standards and protocols.

As I said in the reopening announcement on Thursday, the health and safety of our members is paramount.

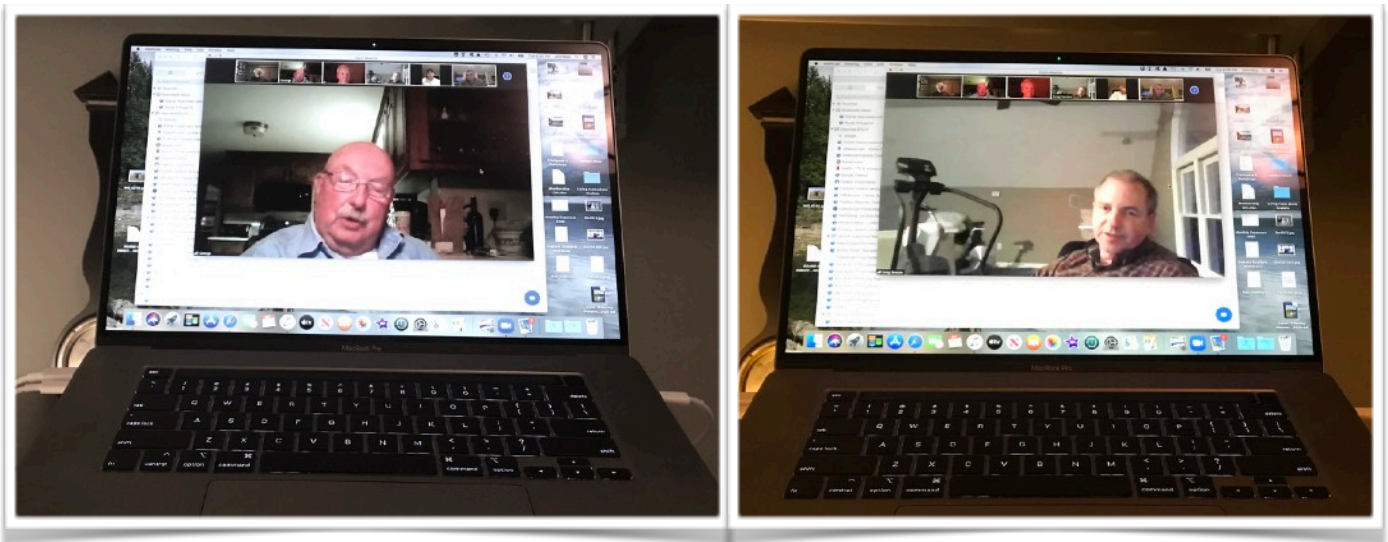
Please review these new rules and enjoy the remainder of our Spring season.

Also, on the following page is a list of important facts, please take a moment to check them out.

Greg Sexton  
President

Please forward thoughts/comments to:  
[independentsportsmensclub@gmail.com](mailto:independentsportsmensclub@gmail.com)

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- There are now bottles of hand sanitizer on the rifle and pistol ranges and in the Warm Up House.
  - There are 4 bottles of disinfectant available in the Warm Up House and the rifle/pistol pavilions.
  - Rubber gloves are available in the Warm Up House.
  - "Members Only" signs have been attached to both gates.
  - Copies of the new rules have been posted on the Warm Up House door and desk as well as at the rifle/pistol ranges.
  - Gates are to remain closed.
  - Groups are limited to a maximum of 10.
  - Members who have never obtained a fob and have never attended an orientation, can request a fob via email, a "main gate only" fob will be issued.
  - Shotgun shooters need to clearly note their name, rounds shot and amount paid on the daily log sheet. Please deposit cash in the green refreshment can.
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The May board meeting was a Zoom video conferencing event. 13 board members attended. It went very well and it lasted for over an hour. Best of all, everyone got home from the meeting early!

I'd like to draw your attention to the photos of two of our members participating in the video conference. On the left, Secretary **George Bohnenberger** working from his kitchen "studio." No props just everyday life. On the right, President **Greg Sexton** obviously having given some thought to his "studio" surrounds. Exercise equipment in his gym...very Presidential!

Elections were held on Tuesday, March 3, 2020 during the **Annual General Members Meeting**, below is the current list of Officers and Directors. Please plan on attending future Directors Meetings held on the third Tuesday of each month, it's a good opportunity to meet the officers and directors as well as new member applicants. Meetings begin at 7:30PM.



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## Membership Committee

### Please Note

Applicants for membership must appear at the Board of Directors meeting when their application is to be reviewed. Applicants should arrive to the meeting a few minutes early so that their paperwork can be reviewed. Paperwork includes a signed application, a signed liability waiver, a check or cash for the application fees, and some proof of NRA membership. NRA membership can be either a copy of a current NRA membership card or an email confirmation of a submitted order from the NRA if the applicant has only recently joined the NRA.

Welcome to the following new members!

**Michael Morrill**  
**Shayne Cossette**  
**Marc O'Brien**

Current Membership Count

3

9

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New members: Remember to check the ISC website for current activities, shotgun leagues, and rifle/pistol competitions. Join in and meet other members. **Sporting Clays** on Saturdays and Sundays beginning promptly at 1:00. **5 Stand** on Wednesdays between 5:00 & 8:00 and the third and fourth Sundays of the month between 1:00 & 4:00.

# Current Club Activities

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## *Shotgun Leagues & Other Events*

### **Winter Skeet/Trap League Final Results**

The Winter Skeet/Trap League competition scheduled for 12 weeks was suspended following week 11 due to the Covid 19 mandatory shutdowns. The competition is considered completed now with the following standings as official.

Congratulations to the winners!

H.O.A. Champion - **Paul White**

First Place Class B - **Victor Rinaldi**

First Place Class C - **John Young**

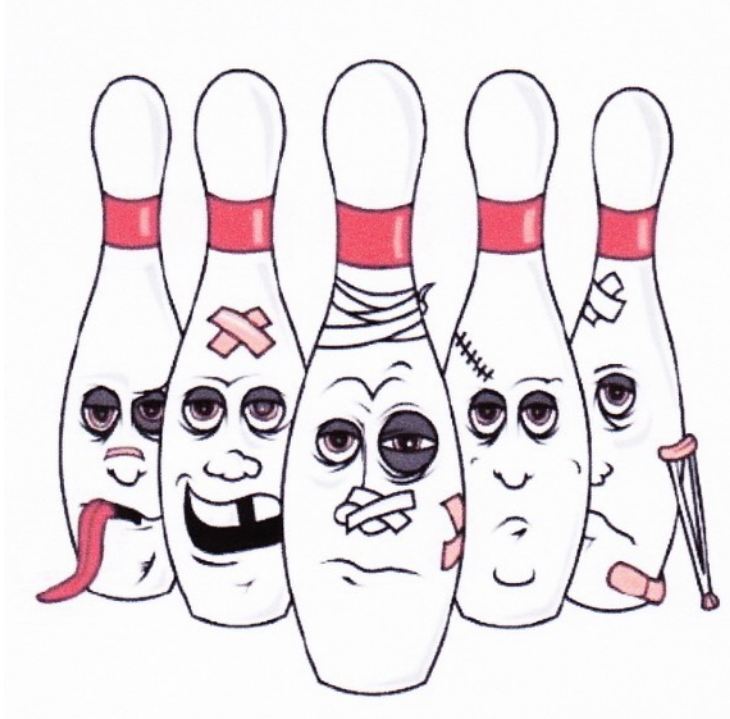
First Place Class D - **Mike Delvental**

### **Summer Skeet League**

Due to the lengthy club shutdown and a cautious reopening, it is unlikely that there will be a Summer Skeet League. Please check in to the News section on the ISC website for the latest updates.

## Upcoming Rifle/Pistol Activities

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**.22 Rifle Shoot**  
**Saturday, June 13**

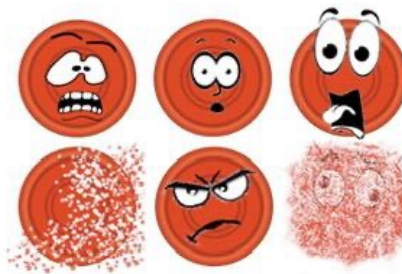
**Static Clay Shoot**  
**Saturday, June 27**

**.22 Pistol Shoot**  
**Saturday, July 11**

**.22 Rifle or Pistol Shoot**  
**Saturday, August 8**

**Bowling Pin Shoot**  
**Saturday, August 22**

**Rifle Plate Shoot**  
**Saturday, September 12**



For all questions/information and to register for any of these events, contact Paul Farrington  
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**Paul Farrington** and **Chris Shanks** added some new and improved signage to the rifle pavilion. Paul and Chris also replaced all the homasote backings on the rifle range. We are “good to go” for rifle activity.





A collection of target shooting materials is displayed on a wooden wall. On the left, a 'Wood Frames' target features a central bullseye and is accompanied by instructions on mounting and use. Below it, a flyer titled 'KNOW WHAT IS BEYOND YOUR TARGET' provides safety guidelines. In the center, a large red and white 'THANK YOU' sign is prominently displayed, with an 'INFOBOX' sign below it. To the right, a 'FREE' flyer offers assistance to those who see wood flying off the target. Further right, a 'CHAMBER FLAGS' target is shown, featuring a graphic of a handgun and the text 'USE THEM AND LET YOUR NEIGHBORS ON THE RANGE KNOW YOUR WEAPON IS EMPTY AND SAFE'. The bottom of the image shows the edges of several other informational sheets.

## Editor's Notes

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**Dan Carter's** son **Rick** with grandson **Tom**, following a successful hunt in NY. Tom collected his turkey with a .410. Impressive!

Photo courtesy Dan Carter

Thank you to those who responded to my request for photos. Please continue to submit photos that you feel would be enjoyed by fellow club members, I'll find room for as many of them as I can. Also, if you have any suggestions regarding things that you would like to see within the newsletter, let me know.

When you send photos, please provide a description so that I can create an appropriate caption and photo credit.

Send photos and suggestions to [independentsportsmensclub@gmail.com](mailto:independentsportsmensclub@gmail.com)

Thank you,

John