

Southern Michigan Sportsman's Club

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

MEMBERSHIP DUES NOW \$60.00 — TIME TO PAY YOUR SIXTY DOLLARS (\$60.00)

The month of May is here again and that means it is time to pay your Club Dues. At the April Meeting, the Board of Directors, by a majority vote, increased the yearly dues from \$50.00 to \$60.00. Remember — The Hold Harmless Agreement must be completely filled-out:

1. MUST BE DATED
2. PRINT YOUR FULL NAME TO INCLUDE: 1st NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL, AND LAST NAME.
3. FULL SIGNATURE TO INCLUDE: 1st NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL, AND LAST NAME

Complete the HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT Form, Renewal Form along with your CHECK or MONEY ORDER for \$60.00 and mail to:

SOUTHERN MICHIGAN SPORTSMAN'S CLUB
P.O. BOX 341
Temperance, Michigan 48182

****DO NOT MAIL TO STREET LOCATION** **POST OFFICE WILL RETURN IT TO YOU****
****DO NOT SEND CASH****

Visit us on the web!

WWW.SMISCLUB.ORG

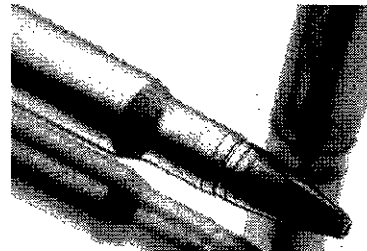
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RANGE SAFETY DEPENDS ON YOU

1. Always keep your gun pointed in a safe direction (down range).
2. Always keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.
3. Always keep your gun unloaded until ready to use.
4. Always know your target and what is beyond it.
5. Always be sure the firearm is safe to operate.
6. Always know how to safely operate the gun.
7. Always use the correct ammunition for you gun.
8. Always wear ear and eye protection at all times.
9. Never use alcohol or drugs before or while shooting.

Always store guns so they are not accessible to unauthorized persons



TARGETS

Shoot ONLY at PAPER Targets clipped, stapled or inserted into a Club Authorized target frame. Do NOT suspend cables or wires from the ceiling to make up a target. Again, use only Club Authorized target frames or devices.

Security Cameras

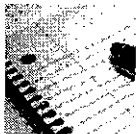
Security Cameras have been installed in several areas of the Club. The Cameras have helped in reducing damage to Club Property and Unauthorized Persons from using the Club's Ranges.

COMMON RANGE RULE VIOLATIONS

1. Not signing Log Books at time of arrival-Sign in Before You Shoot.
2. Not Signing-In Guests by NAME at time of arrival.
3. Same Guest shooting at Range more than once.
4. Being Responsible for Guest's

MEMBERSHIP WAITING LIST

Our Club currently has a Waiting List of over 100 people wanting to join. For membership inquiries, please contact the Club Secretary at 419-475-2446 or those interested in joining come visit us at the Monthly Meetings which are held on 2nd Tuesday of each month.



Calendar of Events

Monthly Meetings	2nd Tuesday of each month	7:30 pm
.22 Senior Rifle League	Monday Night	7:00 pm
Action Pistol	Thursday Night	7:00 pm
Junior .22 Rifle League	Saturday Morning	9:00 am
Toledo High-Power Rifle League	Every other Sunday	9:00 am

ALL THE ABOVE LEAGUES ARE LOOKING FOR SHOOTERS. PLEASE COME AND JOIN IN THE ACTIVITIES!

LEAGUES START THE 3RD WEEK OF SEPTEMBER

Concealed Carry Permits for Ohio & Michigan

For Club Members and their families, a Safety Training Course is being offered by several of our members to obtain a Concealed Carry Permit.

Instructors offer training for the Michigan and Ohio CCW



NRA NEWS

Bill Burpee has:

NRA App... \$ 25.00 /
10.00 Off

Club Patches..... \$5.00

Club Hats..... \$10.00

Maumee Valley Gun Collector's Shows

MAY... 15-16 2010
SEP... 25-26 2010
NOV... 13-14 2010

Location

Lucas County Rec Cntr.
Maumee, OH

2010

National Matches

Camp Perry, OH

Southern Michigan Sportsman's Club Newsletter

Club Contacts

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SAFETY AND CARING FOR OTHERS ON CLUB PROPERTY

All Club Rules and Safety Guidelines must be followed at all times. Each Member must do his/her job to enforce all Safety Rules. Club Members have the responsibility to police each other and make sure that others abide by the Club Rules.

Shooting Hours:

Outside Ranges _____ 9:00 AM to Dusk
Indoor Ranges _____ 9:00 AM to 11:00 PM

MICHIGAN COALITION FOR RESPONSIBLE GUN OWNERS

The Michigan Coalition for Responsible Gun Owners (MCRGO), the largest state based firearms advocate in America, mission is to promote safe use and ownership of Firearms through education, litigation, and legislation. The Southern Michigan Sportsmen's Club (SMSC) is an affiliated Club and many of our club members are members of MCRGO.

MCRGO holds the privacy rights of its members in the highest regard. MCRGO does not give, sell, or allow unauthorized access to its membership records. Membership information is collected and used by MCRGO for the purpose of distributing its newsletter and other mailings which help fulfill MCRGO's mission.

To Join or Renew your membership with MCRGO, contact MCRGO at 517-484-2746 or go online at www.mcrgo.org for current membership options and prices. Mailing address is:

MCRGO
P.O. Box 14014

OHIOANS FOR CONCEALED CARRY

Ohioans For Concealed Carry (OFCC) is an organization which was instrumental in assisting in the creation of a new law that defines the details of applying, training for, and the carrying of a Concealed Firearm in Ohio. The Ohio Constitution states in part "The People have the Right to Bear Arms for Defense and Security" but, over the years, obstacles (GUN LAWS) have come into play which prohibited citizens from their 2nd Amendment Right. The new law allows individuals to secure a license to carry a Concealed Firearm.

Many Ohio members of Southern Michigan Sportsmen's Club (SMSC) are members of OFCC. Those who have joined the OFCC help support the efforts of OFCC main activities of interacting with legislators, lawyers, the media, and any other action that helps to further the cause of Concealed Carry and Gun Rights in Ohio.

Those interested in joining can do so by printing their name, address, city, state, zip code, telephone number, and e-mail address on a piece of paper along with a check for \$25.00 and mail to:

OFCC Membership
P.O. Box 25488
Cleveland, OH 44125

Contact can also be made at: www.ohioccw.org for more information.

2010 YEAR ELECTIONS

Next Year, Voters across America will elect at least (36) U.S. Senators, all (435) Members of the U.S. House of Representatives, (37) State Governors and thousands of other elected officials at the State and Local levels. Remember, these are the people who work for you — They Spend your Tax Money — You Pay Their Wages.

Important to all of us is the Second Amendment, National Security, and our Men and Women in the Military, the U.S. Constitution, Taxes, and how our Tax Money is Spent. Before casting your vote, please look at where the Candidates stand on the issues that affect you, this Country, and your State.