

Rod & Gun Minutes

7 January 2013

Meeting called to order at 1730hours.

Art Reimer led the membership in the flag salute.

The membership stands at 121+

Committee Reports

- **Fish-** Tom Hardigan – Ice fishing will begin when we have sufficient ice. Hans will check on local ice conditions and make announcements on the PICA web. Tom anticipates trout stocking will be in early April.
- **Pig Roast-** John Morgan has not picked a date for the Game Dinner. John asked that all members of the PRGA support the annual event. The Game dinner probably requires more manpower than any other event we hold. As usual we'll need donations of fish and game..
- **Pheasant-** Major Frappier reported that the program is doing well and birds are surviving. He asked that hunters police the pheasant hunting areas and not leave any pheasant parts readily visible in the hunting areas before leaving for the day.
- **Skeet/Trap/Archery** – Shooting at the Sparta Range Tuesdays and Sundays 1300 – 1700. See Art Reimer for details. Archery classes are being held at the indoor range. Check with Hans for dates. We will be installing a 3D range in B3311 to go along with the target range already there and painting the walls white to help with the lighting conditions.
- **Federation-** Federation meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at the Mine Hill Legion. Guests are always welcome.
- **MWR** Hans reported that a total of 6 bears were taken on Picatinny. There are still some minor printing delays with the NJ permits that Hans is working out. Hans also reported that the Wounded Warrior program was very successful. Taxidermy services were also donated to the program.
- **Kitchen** The kitchen crew asks that you please police the area before you leave. The Kitchen Committee is in need of a “Few Good Men” to assist with the meeting night chores.

Good & Welfare

- There was a discussion regarding pheasant hunting areas and the procedures for disposing of pheasant carcasses. The hunting areas are used by the military and civilian workforce for jogging and walking paths. The R&G members must be responsible and insure that these areas are presentable to all visitors. All members are urged to properly dispose of trash, clean up any refuse observed in the areas, and report such occurrences to ODR. Members are reminded that Hunting and Fishing is a Privilege on Picatinny and that we are stewards of that privilege.

Meeting adjourned at 1750 hours

Respectfully Submitted

Art Reimer

Act'g Secretary

Next Meeting, Monday, 4 February 2013, 1700 HOURS