

# NORTH SPORTSMAN'S CLUB

## Happy November!

Hope all you hunters are ready. Looks like no more "nice" weather this year. The archery 3D targets are down for season. The archery pit still open.

We have a new shed at rifle range. This is much more convenient to store range supplies than the old barn.

Many thanks to Patsy and Betty for running kitchen during trap events!

Thanks also to Bill Burnell for improving the club house benches, and making the new folding tables against the rear wall of the clubhouse as well as the usual grounds upkeep.

The pop open roof is finished for trap house 1 and work is coming along on house 2. This will make it much easier for us old guys to reach and reload the machines.

There is a phone in the rifle range club house intended to be used for emergencies at the range. It should be plugged into the wall socket on charge.

As per our bylaws officer nominations are now being accepted. We will vote at the December meeting.

### Club Officers

**President: John Hudson**  
315-452-0060

**Vice President: Dave Shaffer**  
315-532-7340

**Secretary: Kyle Jones**  
315-530-3028

**Treasurer: Gene Pierson**  
315-698-8927

**Sgt At Arms: Walt Ellmaker**  
315-391-3124

**Membership: Sue Shaffer**  
nsclubmembership@  
gmail.com

### Board of Directors

**Ken Humez** 315-436-8064

**Bill Burnell** 315-668-9287

**Greg Jones** 315-530-3024

**Chris Nutter** 315-416-3984

**John Knittel** 315-440-3466

**New member orientations** are held on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays each month from 9 AM - Noon or by appointment. Please pass the word to any prospective members, or stop by at these times if you'd like a quick refresher to re-acquaint yourself with the latest club facilities.

Visit us on the web at: <http://www.northsportsmansclub.net>

**Club Address:**  
1708 County Rte. 37 North  
West Monroe, NY 13167

**Club e-mail:**  
northsportsmansclub@yahoo.com



**Club Mailing Address:**  
P.O. Box 1345  
Cicero, NY 13035

**Membership Renewals:**  
Sue Shaffer  
47 Blount Road  
Hastings, NY 13076

**Raffle Results:**

9 gun raffle winners were notified -- we had a great response from the membership-- thanks to all!

**NYCC News**

The latest issue of the *Grass Roots News* includes:

- Convention Review
- Awards at Annual Meeting
- Mepps Seeking to Buy Squirrel Tails
- Dutchess County Youth Pheasant Hunt
- Changes Ahead for Waterfowl Task Force

The NYCC is also our best resource to track legislation.

When voting next week turn over your ballot to find the propositions. There are two proposals that affect our access to outdoor activities in NY State:

**Proposal 1** - Shall there be a convention to revise and amend the New York Constitution?

**The NYCC advises that you vote NO on Proposition 1**

**Proposal 3** - Authorizing the Use of Forest Preserve Land for Specified Purposes

**The NYCC advises that you vote YES on Proposition 3**

Details for these can be found in the latest issue of GRN (see links to right)

**Winter Trap Starts January 6**

Winter trap league starts Saturday January 6. This is an informal club league (no travelling). Shooting is from 10 AM to 1 PM each Saturday, and you can shoot ahead or make up lost days within reason. Come on out to join in the fun!

As a reminder, open trap shooting is \$2 for members, \$3 for non members. **Look for emails announcing weekend trap shoots-- all are welcome.**

**Trophy Buck / Fish Contest On line**

We're having an informal Big Buck/ Trophy Fish contest on line. Feel free to submit photos!

**For Online Members:**

**Our club Facebook page:**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/351722931699678/>

**NYCC Grass Roots News Oct-Nov 2017 issue:**

[http://www.nyscc.com/images/Oct-Nov\\_2017GRN.pdf](http://www.nyscc.com/images/Oct-Nov_2017GRN.pdf)

**NYCC Grass Roots News back issues:**

<http://www.nyscc.com/previousyeargrn.html>

**NYCC Legislative Report:**

<http://www.nyscc.com/legislativeinformation/billsinterest.html>

**REMINDER:**  
No hunting on club grounds

**Club Calendar**

Nov 13 – Meetings 6:30, 7:30 PM

Dec 11 – Meetings 6:30, 7:30 PM

Jan 6 – Winter Trap starts

Saturdays 10 AM - 1 PM

Jan 8 – Meetings 6:30, 7:30 PM

Feb 12 – Meetings 6:30, 7:30 PM

\*Note: Board meetings are scheduled the same day as regular membership meetings -- they start 1 hour earlier