

**Inter-County Rifle League  
League Meeting Sunday March 1, 2009**

Neal Showalter, League President, called the meeting to order at 2:01 PM. All clubs were represented.

The minutes from the Fall 2008 meeting were read and approved.

The minutes from the Spring 2008 meeting were also read as requested by Bob Gibilisco, New Holland representative.

Dean Kreamer gave the Treasurer's Report which was approved. There is a balance of \_\_\_\_\_ (omitted for internet publication).

Old Business:

The team leaders discussed the Scholarship Match which is to be hosted by New Holland on Friday, April 3, 2009.

Rebecca Picone's application for the 2009 ICRL Scholarship was read by Dean Kreamer. This was the only application received. The applicant was very well qualified, however, there was some question as to whether or not the applicant will or has met the League participation requirement – having to shoot in 60% of the matches in the junior and senior years of high school. It was decided to waive this requirement as her participation in matches outside of the league was quite extensive. The league leaders voted 6-0 in favor of this applicant.

While the scholarship application questions were improved, there is still some concern and questions regarding the selection process, for example, do we give multiple scholarships and do we grant scholarships by need. For example, two of the three scholarship winners last year had "full ride" scholarships to service academies. To this end a committee was appointed chaired by Bill Burkert and includes Doug Nace and Erin Gestl. Their work will be completed by March 20, 2009.

This year's banquet hosted by SRC was discussed. Doug Nace provided banquet hosting guidelines which were given to SRC, this year's host club. It was suggested that SRC keep track of any issues which come up so that the document can be improved. A motion was made, but not seconded, that we eliminate free meals for those shooters with perfect attendance. Bob Gibilisco will put this document on the website for future reference.

Bill Burkert is to ask Paul Irvin if he was able to obtain league affiliation with the NRA as was approved at the Fall 2008 meeting. *Note as of 3/3/09 that this has been done. Paul indicated that the costs were higher than he'd been lead to believe. The cost was \$7.00 per shooter for both summer and winter rosters. He is revisiting this to make certain that his understanding is accurate.*

New Business:

Bob Gibilisco presented the results of his work on the League Flag. His pattern was adopted but the colors were revised to red, white and blue. Vote was 6-0 that he purchase six (6) flags, one for each club.

The adoption of a new target to replace the A36 was discussed, but no vote could be taken as the agenda item was submitted too late. This issue will be addressed, with a possible vote, at the Fall Meeting. A general consensus was that, if a change is made, it would be desirable to shoot the A50 in lieu of going back to the A17 "Bucket Target".

Bob Gibilisco presented his Indoor/Outdoor range cost data. The findings were that while the \$3.00 match fees continue to be adequate, the share ratio between league and clubs may require some adjustment. Bob volunteered to provide his suggestions for revised ratios at the Fall Meeting.

Dave Reinfried, CFG representative, brought it the League's attention that the Traveling Trophy is missing the most recent plate which notes the League Indoor Championship winners. It appears that the plate became missing while in Palmyra's possession. George Schuckers will look into this.

Bill Burkert, League Secretary, noted the following:

- 1) Some, not all, rosters for Indoors and Outdoors are poor or nonexistent and could lead to an unneeded squabble in the future.
- 2) Some clubs are very slow in providing match results. It should not be necessary to constantly email reminders.
- 3) The 2009 Outdoor Schedule will be provided as soon as a copy of local, non-league matches is obtained. Because the Saturday match last year had more participants than the Sunday matches, there will be no Sunday matches scheduled this year. **Palmyra will host two Saturday matches with sign-up starting at noon.** The Palmyra matches will be scheduled prior to Camp Perry. The match at SRC will be shot in the morning as usual.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:45 PM.

Submitted by,

Bill Burkert  
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Secretary