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Hello Members!

The next Board/Membership meeting is October 11 at 7:00 pm! Come on out and see what's happening at RSC!

It's Hunting Season ~ stay safe and aware out there.

MICHIGAN HUNTING 2023

<p>Liberty Hunt Youth & Hunters with Disabilities Hunt Sept. 9 – 10</p> <p>Early Antlerless Firearm (Limited-License) Sept. 16 – 17</p> <p>Archery Oct. 1 – Nov. 14 & Dec. 1, 2023 – Jan. 1, 2024 <small>Urban deer management zone of Macomb, Oakland and Wayne counties open through Jan. 31, 2024</small></p> <p>Independence Hunt Hunters with Disabilities Hunt Oct. 19 – 22</p> <p>Regular Firearm Nov. 15 – 30</p> <p>Muzzleloader Dec. 1 – 10</p> <p>Late Antlerless Firearm (Limited-License) Dec. 11, 2023 – Jan. 1, 2024</p>	<p>Cottontail Rabbit & Snowshoe Hare Sept. 15, 2023 – March 31, 2024</p> <p>Crow Aug. 1 – Sept. 30, 2023 & Feb. 1 – March 31, 2024</p> <p>Ducks, Coots & Mergansers North: Sept. 30 – Nov. 26 & Dec. 2 – 3 Middle: Oct. 7 – Dec. 3 & Dec. 16 – 17 South: Oct. 14 – Dec. 10 & Dec. 30 – 31</p> <p>Pheasant (male only) Zone 1 (partial): Oct. 10 – 31 Zones 2 & 3: Oct. 20 – Nov. 14 Zone 3 (partial): Dec. 1, 2023 – Jan. 1, 2024</p> <p><small>Opossum, porcupine, weasel, red squirrel, skunk, ground squirrel, woodchuck, Russian boar, feral pigeons, starlings and house sparrows may be taken year-round with a valid Michigan hunting license.</small></p>	<p>Quail Oct. 20 – Nov. 14</p> <p>Ruffed Grouse Sept. 15 – Nov. 14 & Dec. 1, 2023 – Jan. 1, 2024</p> <p>Sharp-tailed Grouse Oct. 10 – 31</p> <p>Squirrel – Fox & Gray (black phase included) Sept. 15, 2023 – March 31, 2024</p> <p>Fall Turkey (Limited-License) Sept. 15 – Nov. 14</p> <p>Woodcock Sept. 15 – Oct. 29</p>
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It is highly recommended that the Michigan Hunting Digest, or other species-specific hunting digests, be consulted for a more complete list of dates and regulations regarding each hunt period: [Michigan.gov/DNRdigests](https://www.michigan.gov/DNRdigests)

DOUG WOZNAK
State Representative

Check the DNR Website for updates and other information:

https://www.michigan.gov/dnr/-/media/Project/Websites/dnr/Documents/LED/digests/hunting_digest.pdf?fbclid=IwAR3i4WOWq73O9GvI29x6poAXdEa2iaXtGbVRpp-DM8xBfkes5wxy9ZzTT_g

Here is what is coming up at the Club!

READY, AIM, FIRE!

TURKEY SHOOT

Saturday, October 7, 2023

11 A.M.-Until

Richmond Sportsman Club

Contact for more information:

Alyssa 586-477-7426 or Jennifer 586-557-3819

TEAMS OF 6

\$6 PER ROUND



FOOD

50/50 RAFFLE

RAFFLE BASKETS

BAKE SALE

CASH BAR

HAVE FUN.

WIN A TURKEY.

SUPPORT RHS TRAP TEAM.

HONOR TOMMY PRIEMER.

The Armed Women of America celebrated their one-year anniversary at Richmond Sportsman's Club in September! AWA, Macomb & St. Clair County, is a ladies only shooting group that meets the third Thursday of the month from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

The next meeting will be October 19th and will be the last outdoor shoot for the year. There are currently 29 ladies in our chapter and we are accepting new members.

Every month is a different topic. Our November through March indoor meetings cover topics like holsters, gear, gun cleaning, bug out bag, Stop the Bleed, situational awareness, laser shooting and our live shooting meetings from April through October cover different shooting skills with both pistols and long guns.

Your first meeting is always complimentary and to join is \$75 per year!

For more information on AWA and to join <https://richmondsportsmansclub.com/armed-women-of-america/> or contact Sue at armedwomenofamerica.mscc.mi@gmail.com.



RSC has room for new members! If you have friends that enjoy shooting sports, bring them out to the Club! There's definitely something for everyone.



The Winter League is fast approaching! We had a great league and a fantastic Banquet last year. Don't miss out this year ... gather your friends and enter a team!

Mark your calendars and don't miss it!!!

The Captain's meeting will be held on November 5, 2023 at 2:00 pm.

This kickoff meeting will be held in the RSC Clubhouse.

2024 Winter League Schedule

Bank Shoot	December 3	Week 6	March 3
Week 1	December 17	Week 7	March 17
Week 2	January 7	Week 8	March 24
Week 3	January 21	Week 9	April 14
Week 4	February 4	Week 10	April 28
Week 5	February 18	Banquet	May 11



Please do not post targets on the target frame posts.

Doing so, as you can see in the photo, ends up destroying the post.

This requires us to find another utility pole for a replacement, and we have to remove the post which sometimes takes a lot of effort. Please post your targets on the plastic fencing with the clothes pins that are provided. Your help in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Reminder: It is club policy to only bring family members as guests to the range from October 1st to the beginning of deer season. This will cut down overcrowding on the range. Also, post your targets at the berm. This helps prevent possible ricochets over the berm.

If you feel that you have to move a shooting bench, please do not drag them across the range with your vehicle. This tends to cause the benches to loosen up. Also, please return them to the place that you moved them from. (See complete list of Range Rules, below.)

Check the club website for the calendar of events before you come to the range. <https://richmondsportsmansclub.com/calendar/>

Please remember to leave a donation of \$5 or more in the range vault on your way out.

Thanks!

Range Rules/Policies

1. Range hours by township regulation are 9:00 am to 9:00 pm. We would prefer that rifle and pistol shooting take place a little later in the morning.
2. Targets are to be posted at the backstop not in the middle of the field. This is to prevent possible ricochets over the backstop.
3. Fasten targets to the backers, and not on the uprights and crossbars of the target frame.
4. No fully automatic fire. Avoid rapid fire that sounds like automatic fire.
5. Target benches have been placed at 100 yards and at 50 yards. Please don't move them. If you absolutely have to move them, then return them to their proper places.
6. Do not shoot at glass targets. Remove all target debris and put it in the dumpster on your way out.
7. Limit the number of guests that you bring to use the range to two. In October and November limit your guest to two members of your immediate family. That time of the year sees heavy range use due to sighting in for hunting season. The range is intended for the use of club members and bringing extra people may limit member use.
8. On your way out, please drop \$5 (or more) in the range vault for each person using the range. The vault is located on the left side of the roadway across from the dumpster.
9. Lock the gate on your way IN, and on the way OUT.
10. Do not loan your gate key to anyone. The range is for members only. Membership card required while on the range.
11. Check the club calendar before coming out to the range to be sure that there isn't another event going on that would prevent you from using the rifle and pistol range.
12. The use of Tannerite and other explosive targets or projectiles have been BANNED from use.

Please Clean Up Behind You!

Richmond Sportsman's Club is run by its volunteers. Get involved with your Club!

*RSC is looking for more Hunter Safety Instructors. If you are interested go to the DNR website to get more information.

<https://www.michigan.gov/dnr/about/get-involved/volunteer-recreational-safety-instructor>

Or contact Pete: 586-306-3810.

- Please remember to ALWAYS have your membership card on you. You may be asked to show it at any time while on the premises.
- A benefit to a Regular Member or their child is a college scholarship fund for an approved environmental degree program. Call Angela Hemby at 586-552-7725 for more information.

Brick Paver Fund

Create and leave your legacy here at Richmond Sportsman's Club!

Participate in our Paver Fund.

Three Lines on a 4x8 Brick Paver that will be placed around our Flagpole area.

Honor your family, Military Personnel, deceased loved ones, etc.

Only \$40 for RSC Members and \$60 for non-members.

See or call Alex Balhoff, 586-709-5701.

Forms available at the Club or from Alex.

Check out the Website, <https://richmondsportsmansclub.com/>, for upcoming events and other information, range availability, etc., maintained by Scott Jackson and Paul Lipka.

Please send your Newsletter submissions in the format you would like them published (add photos, links, etc.) to Sue by no later than the 25th of every month, richmondsportsmansclubnl@gmail.com.

If you have other information or changes you need sent out in between Newsletters, send that to richmondsportsmansclub2022@gmail.com and it will be mailed separately.

Have a Spooktacular October and see you at the Club!





Richmond Sportsman's Club

Today ◀ ▶ October 2023 ▾

Print Week Month Agenda ▾

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Oct 1	2	3 8am Tuesday Crew 4pm RHS Trap	4 2pm range closes at 2pm trap practice 3pm 22 Yard League	5	6	7 Range closed for T Turkey Shoot RH T
8	9	10 8am Tuesday Crew 4pm RHS Trap	11 2pm range closes at 2pm trap practice 3pm 22 Yard League 7pm Board meeting 8pm Membership Me	12	13	14
15	16	17 8am Tuesday Crew 4pm RHS Trap	18 2pm range closes at 2pm trap practice 3pm 22 Yard League	19 6pm Armed Women 6pm Range Closed	20	21
22	23	24 8am Tuesday Crew 4pm RHS Trap	25 2pm range closes at 2pm trap practice 3pm 22 Yard League	26	27	28
29	30	31 8am Tuesday Crew	Nov 1 2pm range closes at 2pm trap practice 3pm 22 Yard League	2	3	4

Events shown in time zone: Eastern Time - New York

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