



Gatlinburg Sportsman's Club

October 2023 Newsletter



October Meeting Highlights

- The Club President called a special meeting of the Board on October 10, 2023 to discuss the pending lease renewal of the King Branch property. The Treasurer is authorized to continue negotiations with the property owners.
- A motion to approve PFPD use of the 200yd range on November 7, 2023 was approved.
- The monthly meeting was held on Thursday, October 12, 2023 in the Bridgemont Room of the King Family Library in Sevierville.
- Sixteen members were present.
- President Rick McReynolds called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.
- The September treasurer's report was accepted.
- The September minutes were accepted.
- The Treasurer is in the process of reviewing bids for the club's liability insurance. 3 bids have been requested and are expected to be ready before the end of October.
- Openings for the First Shots classes for ladies are available with a minimum of 3 participants. Contact Samantha Barton at sbarton.gsc@gmail.com.
- Hold the Date: The Holiday Dinner will be December 14, 2023. Watch for details in the November newsletter.
- The changeover of the club telephone has been completed.
- The annual Family Day cookout will be held from 12PM - 2PM October 28. The event is sponsored by Volunteer Chevrolet.
- The lease negotiations for the King Branch property are entering the final stages. The Club is awaiting a decision from the King family on details.
- A motion to increase dues for members to the previous \$150 at signing of lease extension for King Branch passed.
- *Paul Wellborn made a motion to adjourn the meeting, the motion passed. Meeting Adjourned*

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MONTHLY CLUB MEETINGS

The Monthly Club Meetings are held at the King Family Library in Sevierville at 6:30 PM on the second Thursday of each month.

Thursday, November 9, 2023
Bridgemont Room - 1st floor

Thursday, December 14, 2023
Holiday Dinner

* Place your event on the GSC calendar by emailing gatsport@live.com

2023-2024

CLUB OFFICERS

PresidentRick McReynolds
 Vice PresidentBryan Kendrick
 SecretaryEric Faig
 TreasurerClarence Voyles
 Past President.....Dan Blalock
 Board memberEdward Mancke
 Board memberKen Schar
 Board memberBill Mills
 Board memberPaul Wellborn

The Club phone (865-436-0271) is administered by Clarence Voyles. The phone numbers or email addresses of individual Club officers are not posted on the internet for security reasons. If you need to contact an individual Club officer, Clarence can forward your message to the appropriate officer.

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LISTEN UP

The Annual Family Day Cookout will be held at the picnic pavilion on October 28th, 2023. Volunteer Chevrolet is sponsoring the event and will be cooking and providing fixings. It's a great day to meet and greet other members. It's also a great time to renew your membership and perhaps win a door prize and check out some new vehicles.

NEWSLETTER: You may view our current newsletter at anytime by going to our website:

<http://www.gatlinburgsportsman.com>

Then move the cursor over the heading *ABOUT US* and clicking on *NEWSLETTER* from the dropdown menu.

FOR SALE: As a service to GSC members, we will place a for sale advertisement for your firearm in the current monthly newsletter for free. Simply email gatsport@live.com with a description of your item, the asking price, and the email address or phone number by which you prefer to be reached. A picture of the item may also be shown with your ad. Ads for items which include a picture will attract much more attention than just a verbal description.

TRASH ON THE RANGE: Once you are done shooting, please remove your targets from the target holding board and place them in the trash container—OR— better yet take them to one of the county's trash convenience centers.

Targets left on the target boards will get wet the next time it rains and fall off of the target holding board and trash up the range. Then when the groundskeepers mow, the trash get shredded and multiplies the trashy appearance.

Food waste attracts critters, please police up your food waste and take it with you, trash cans are not emptied daily. Wasps and Hornets have been sighted on ranges, please be aware. The Club has had them dealt with, let us know if you see any.

PLEASE help us keep the range looking good by taking away your trash.