



RSC NEWSLETTER

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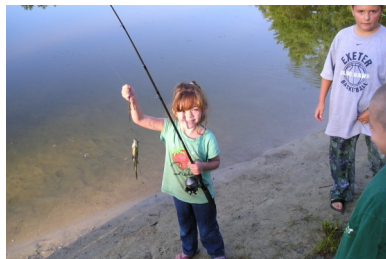
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RSC Family Camp-out a Hit

By: Norm Pinard

The second annual RSC Family Campout was held on July 30th & 31st on the Raymond sportsman's Club grounds. The weather was perfect! The camp-out drew about 30 kids and 35-40 adults. The children had plenty to do with swimming and



fishing in the pond and playing ball. Harry Jencks's son-in-law provided the entire gathering an introduction to American Indian culture. The kids loved the war dance that closed the activity and all of the candy they were given.

For supper on Saturday, the kids all ate hot dogs and burgers while the adults feasted on sausage subs that were provided by Joe Brackett, a long time member of the

club. After supper, the children took part in a watermelon



and ice cream social followed by a boatload of "s'mores" at the fire pit.

When Sunday morning rolled around, everyone was served pancakes and bacon for breakfast. And finally, it wouldn't be a RSC campout without a hayride with "pullin" horses and a wagon provided by honorary member Wayne Welch. All in all it turned

out to be a great weekend.



RSC Open Rifle Shoot

1st Place: Bob Werner
2nd Place: Paul Hammond
3rd Place: Wes Nickerson

We had a great day for a rifle shoot, a nice breeze and sunny. We had eighteen shooters and plenty of all kinds of iron for shooting. We shot 25, 50, 100 and 150 yard targets. We all, for the most part, had a good time. We had some drama, some controversy, someone shooting someone else's targets, a disputed target score and someone picking up all his toys and going home early. Thanks to Joe and Thad Krause for bringing Tyler

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and Courtney to the shoot. I got Courtney to try my AR-15 in .223 cal..she liked it so you better start saving your change, Joe. I also found out who at least one person is, who is placing rocks on the range. He was pretty proud of it when he told me and not so much when I explained to him he is not to place rocks on the range! WE also noticed before the shoot that someone had shot the Running Deer cable again! We're coming up with a plan to be able to take it down and store it between shoots. Like I said, plenty of drama and lots of things happening, you don't want to miss it all. See you all at the next shoot. I can't wait!

Committee Reports July 20th & Aug. 3rd

- Archery: The next Granite State Bowhunter's 3-D archery shoots, hosted by Raymond Sportsman's Club, will be September 11th.
- Boy Scouts: Nothing to report
- By Laws : Off for the summer
- Building: There are still a few painting projects and a few other small repairs to be completed by or Wednesday work parties.
- Grounds: Wayne Welch (Radio Grove Hardware) donated a small truckload of bark mulch to use at the club. The grass planted in the area surrounding the clubhouse is growing, so please be careful and tread lightly on it until it is better established this fall.
- Hunter Ed: The next Hunter's Ed Field Day is scheduled for August 27th, so be sure and go to the NH Fish & Game website to register and complete the on-line course.
- Kitchen: The next Kitchen Committee event will be the RSC Annual Picnic on September 10th and then the 3-D Archery Shoot on September 11th. Volunteering to become part of the Kitchen Committee and help at these events is a great way for new RSC members to meet and greet other active members of the club, as well as a good way to log your annual work hours.
- Newsletter: The newsletter is in desperate need of members willing to take a stab at researching or writing some simple articles out our club or club related events. We also need members that will commit to attending club events to take photos to publish in the RSC Newsletter. Please contact Tim Layman at nhlayman3@comcast.net or at 244 8925, with any and all ideas.
- Range: The next shoot will be a "Running Deer" shotgun slug shoot held on August 21st at 10am.
- Space Town: The next Beagle trial will be held on October 1st & 2nd.
- Town Fair: Nothing To Report
- Way & Means: Nothing to Report
- Web site: Nothing to Report

Misc. Notes

50/50 Drawing July 20th
Won by: Richie Houde Sr.

Steve Robbins has ordered more **RSC apparel** (t-shirts, sweatshirts & hats). This new apparel should be available at the RSC Annual Picnic on September 10, 2011.

Charter Fishing Trip

Raymond Sportsman's Club is planning a Deep Sea fishing Trip for September 17, 2011. It is a full day charter and will likely depart from North Hampton. If you are interested, you must contact Steve Robbins at 978 317 8218 and provide a deposit of \$50 no later than the RSC August 17th meeting. The total cost, which could range from \$50 to \$65 plus a tip, will be determined once we have a final count. Don't wait to commit, because the first 40 with a deposit gets to go!

Future Event Dates

RSC Annual Deer Pool Opens: August 3rd, 2011

Separate categories for "in-state" and out-of-state deer taken. Judged based on registered weight. Pool closes September 14th, the day before bow season opens. Pool is open to RSC & SBC members family.

Shotgun Slug— Running Deer: August 21, 2011

50 yards— 5 Rounds Total

Hunters Education Field Day: August 27th, 2011

Hands on certification day following on-line course

RSC Annual Picnic: September 10, 2011

Contact Steve Robbins @ 603 734 2541 with headcount ASAP. Adults \$5, children 16 & under FREE

RSC Deep Sea Charter Fishing Trip: Sept. 17th, 2011

See adjoining article for details

Muzzle Loader Shoot: September 18, 2011

50 yards— 5 Rounds Total

Turkey shoot— Multiple Targets: October 23, 2011

Bird Shot— shotgun— 5 Rounds Total

Halloween Party

Linda Wason is organizing a Halloween Party for "kids" of all ages to be held on Saturday October 15th, 2011 from 2-5pm.

Please RSVP by October 10th with the number of participants and their ages. Contact Linda Wason at 895-2197.

Help with the refreshments will be greatly appreciated!

The following activities are being planned for the Halloween Party:

- Dunking for Apples
- Donuts on a String
- Pumpkin Drawing
- Costume Contest

Welcome New Members

July 20th, 2011

Matthew Tombarello

Richard Hebert

August 3rd, 2011

David Hutchinson

Richard Hinkson (youth)

Louis Lanseigne

Honorary Members Inducted on August 3rd, 2011

George Plante

Wayne Welch