

RED BRUSH RIFLE RANGE, INC.



July 2022 Newsletter

July MEETING

Thursday 7th

Board Meeting – 7:00 PM
Club Member's Meeting – 7:30 PM

NOTE: American Legion in Newburgh
corner of State Road 261 and Sharon
Road

RANGE ADDRESS

3299 West Eble Rd.
Newburgh, IN 47630

www.redbrush.org



RANGE HOURS

Sun – Thu 6:00 AM – 10:30 PM

Fri – Sat 6:00 AM – 12:00 AM

UPCOMING RANGE EVENTS...

IDPA Pistol – Sat Jul 2

Brad Eadens (270-854-4090)

7:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Bays 1, 2, 3, 5 & M.R. ([see details](#))

AR-15 Match – Wed Jul 6, 13, 20, 27

Jason Short (812-455-3455)

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM (Weather permitting), 400 yd. Bay.
400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED for other shooting.**

Range Maintenance – Sat Jul 9

Jeff Webber (812-431-6226)

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Rifle Range Closed
Come out to help and get your hours.

WW2 Military Rifle Match – Sat Jul 9

Mike Maurer (812-305-2767)

12:00 PM - 4:00 PM Bay 4 ([see details](#))

Red Brush Steel – Sun Jul 10

Michael Loy (see email below) Signup on practicore.com

Setup 7:00 AM, Registration 8:00 – 8:50 AM, Match 09:00 AM

6 stages and up to 2 guns per shooter. Cost is \$10.00 for the first gun and
\$5.00 for the second gun. Bays 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, & M.R. & Shelter

Bowling Pin Shoot – Thu Jul 14, 21, 28

Charlie Hallam (812-424-2358)

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM, Bay 1

Ultimate Bench Rest – Sat Jul 16

Chester Bradford (812-431-5254)

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

400-yard range

Sub-Gun – Sun Jul 17

Mike Maurer (812-305-2767)

Setup at 10:30, Event 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM, Bay 1 ([see details](#))

500-yard range open to members for shooting targets placed at any distance – Tue Jul 19

Shooting 7:00 AM – 12:00 PM at the 500-yard shelter. The 400-yard
range is CLOSED

500-yard range open to members for shooting targets placed at 500- yards only – Sat Jul 23

Shooting 12:00 PM – 6:00 PM at the 500-yard shelter. The 400-yard
range is CLOSED. ([see details](#))

Precision Rifle Challenge C.F. – Sun Jul 31

Adam Leonberger (redbrushprc@gmail.com)

Time: 7:30 AM to 3:00 PM at the 500 yd. Bay.

See Attached Flyer at the End of the Newsletter.

400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED**

FROM THE PRESIDENT, JOE LUTZ

Ladies and Gentlemen of Red Brush:

Anticipated Bay Closures

I want to take a moment and inform everyone that August will be a busy month at the range. Red Brush will be the site of the IDPA Night Hawk Custom Regional Championship Match on August 6, 2022. Preparation for this event will begin on Monday August 1st with the closure of Bays 6-10. As the week progresses Bays 1-10 will be closed beginning Wednesday, August 3rd, for inspection by an IDPA representative. The Bays will remain closed Thursday, August 4th through Saturday, August 6th for the IDPA Senior Staff to have a run through shoot with the Regional Match being held on Saturday, August 6th.

Also, the Southwest Indiana Law Enforcement Academy will be training on Bays 3 & 4 on Tuesday, August 9th through Friday, August 12th from 7:00 AM through 5:00 PM. These two bays will again be closed on Monday, August 15th from 7:00 AM through 5:00 PM. At the end of the month, August 30th and 31st, SWILEA will again be utilizing Bays 3 and 4 from 7:00 AM through 5:00 PM.

I encourage everyone to read the club's newsletter and review the Range Calendar of Events, continuously updated by Bob Adams (Thanks Bob), prior to travelling to the range to shoot. The calendar may be found on our website under Member's Info.

Respectfully,

Joe Lutz

RED BRUSH GUN OF THE MONTH

Savage Axis in 6.5 Creedmore



(stock photo)

Firearms provided by:

Randy Hansen

Winner of the Gun of the Month
Raffle may choose either firearm!
Tickets only \$10!

Springfield XD 9 MM



(stock photo)

LOST AND FOUND

Members continue to leave items behind at the range, and other members are great about finding and reporting them to me.

Please notify me if you lose or leave something valuable at the range. The same goes for finding other member's items. Unfortunately, I get both calls (finding and losing), but very few that connect.

If you take possession of found property, it must be reported within 24 hours.

Contact Mike Maurer (812-490-0949 or mikemaurer@wowway.com) or Joe Lutz (812-431-3672 or joerlutz3@gmail.com).

FROM THE GROUNDS CHAIRMAN, JEFF WEBBER

No Article submitted as yet as Jeff is having issues with his computer.

See you at the Range,
Jeff Webber

FROM THE 2022 YOUTH DAY CHAIR, CHARLES HALLAM

We would like to thank all of those who helped at this event. They were:

Adams, Bob	Greenwell, Adam	Maurer, Terry	Stasi, Robert
Barnett, Grant	Guthrie, Chris	May, John	Steurer, Chris
Beier, Eric	Hall, Bennet	Nisbeth, Larry	Stiles, Kevin
Betsworth, Brad	Hall, Carl	Oliva, Chris	Stiles, Savannah
Blanc, Pete	Hallam, Charlie R.	Patterson, Greg	Stirk, James
Brehold, Bryan	Haymond, Mark	Petkovsek, John	Sullivan, Neal
Brenner, Pat	Herron, Kathy	Rasche, Mike	Titzer, Scott
Campbell, Dan	Hile, Jay	Reynolds, Jason	Wagoner, Michael
Carter, Dean	Jones, Adam	Reynolds, Tracy	Wazny, Patti
Clements, Tim	Jones, Kevin	Russell, Marcus	Wazny, William
Combs, Greg	Kalt, Robert	Sanders, Mike	Weil, Adam
Cusic, Bill	Kemmerer, Beth	Schaefer, Brian	Weil, Brent
Cusic, Jonathan	Kemmerer, Doug	Schultz, David	Welte, Leonard
Downen, Brent	Klueh, Doug	Schultz, Nathan	Wilhite, Dewayne
Estep, Mikki	Koressel, Don	Scott, David	Willett, Butch
Estep, Walter	Loy, Michael	Seitz, Allen	Wilson, Rick
Fetter, Monte	Matsko, Lisa	Simonsen, Bob	Wood, Andy
Fitzsimmons, Bret	Matsko, Mike	Snodgrass, Kevin	Yeager, Alan
Freeman, Kirk	Maurer, Mike	Spurlock, Allen	

FROM THE CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM (CMP), MIKE RASCHE

The Southern Indiana Rifle & Pistol Club

Is holding a Southern Indiana Rifle and Pistol Club 2022 GSMM Matches on 07/23/22.

The location of the range is: 5950 Gun Club Road NE, Georgetown, IN. Clinic Begins: 8:00AM.
For more information you may contact the match director: George Eberhardt at ebbie5313@gmail.com.

FROM THE NRA REPRESENTATIVE, BRENT WEIL

SAVE THE DATE - Mark Your Calendar - Southern Indiana Friends of NRA Banquet and Auction

Yes, the Friends of the NRA Banquet will occur on Friday August ??, 2022, at the Vanderburgh County 4-H Center. All tickets, tables and sponsorships will be valid, and all raffles will be drawn at the Banquet. Tickets are still \$100 each with a raffle pack or Tables of 6 will be \$500 and we will try to maintain some distance at the tables. See you there or be Square. Indiana is having a record year despite in raising money at the banquets so let's break some records here in Southern Indiana. Let's top \$100,000 this year!

Please see [the flyer](#) toward the bottom of the newsletter.

Brent Weil
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FROM THE RANGE OFFICER, FRANK FINDLEY

REMINDER: NO EXPLOSIVES – INCLUDING FIREWORKS – ALLOWED ON THE RANGE

Please remember that no explosives are allowed on the range without explicit board approval. This includes fireworks and the use of exploding targets such as Tannerite®.

REMINDER: DO NOT GO DOWN RANGE ON 500-YARD BAY WHEN 400-YARD BAY IS OPEN

We recently had a major safety incident when a member walked down the West fence line while the 400-yard bay was open. This meant that the individual was downrange from the 400-yard firing line while in use. Luckily, the individual was spotted by other members and shooting was stopped. Please remember that when the 400-yard bay is in use, no one is allowed on the 500-yard bay South of the 400-yard shelter as there is no side berm separating the two. We are also investigating adding an additional gate at the 500-yard bay to remind members when that bay is closed to the membership.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REVIEWING POTENTIAL CHANGES TO LONG GUN HANDLING RULES

Please be aware that the Board of Directors is reviewing potential changes to the rules to clarify the handling of long guns when not on the firing line.

The third Fundamental Rule of Gun Safety states: Always keep the firearm unloaded until you are ready to shoot. In the past, loaded firearms were not allowed on the range when one was not on the firing line. This was changed to allow for the carry of loaded handguns when in an appropriate holster and handled safely. This modification has been well received as it meant that members who carry a handgun for personal protection wouldn't have to unload/load them prior to entering/leaving the gates of the property, which itself could create a potentially less safe situation.

However, when this was done, similar detailed information was not given on how long guns (i.e., rifles and shotguns) should be treated when not on the firing line. Oftentimes, people carry long guns from one bay to another. And some members, like those in law enforcement and security, must transport their long arms loaded. So, it behooves us to provide directions on how to handle these specific situations. Please watch for these clarifications to the rules to be announced in the coming months.

FOR SALE BY OUR MEMBERS

Red Brush

Red Brush 20oz tumblers are now available for \$20 each. If interested, please send an email to redbrushprc@gmail.com.



UPCOMING RANGE EVENTS INFORMATION

- **Military Rifle Match, Saturday July 9th** at 12:00 noon, maybe if the work crew does not go over on time, on Bay 4. Three different class guns for three matches. An M1 Garand only match, an M1 30 caliber Carbine only match, and any bolt action military rifle with iron sights match. Shoot one, two or all three guns. Targets are paper bullseyes at 25 yards, 50 yards, 75 yards, and 100 yards. Best “score / timed” (he who shoots the bestest the fastest) wins each match. The entry fee is \$1.00 per rifle. The winner of each class takes the pot for each class. Mike Maurer 812-305-2767
- **Sub Gun Match, Sunday July 17th** stage set up 10:30 on Bay 1, shooting starts at 12:00 noon. Pistol caliber sub Guns only. We shoot paper and steel targets at 25 yards. Bring yours or come out to watch. Mike Maurer 812-305-2767.
- **500-yard Range, Saturday July 23rd** the 500-yard Range is open to members only to sight in a scope, test loads, or just shoot for personal practice. The shooting will start at 11:00 A.M. and go until we are out of ammo or tired of shooting by 4:00 P.M. This is not a competition but an opportunity to see what your gun does at 500 yards. There will be someone in the pits pulling a target for each shooter for 45 minutes, then we swap and the shooter goes to the pits and the target pullers come to the firing line to shoot for 45 minutes. We rotate several times. Mike Maurer 812-305-2767.
- **Nighthawk Regional IDPA Championship is coming up on August 6th!** We will start constructing the match on August 1st beginning on bay 10 and work our way around. By Wednesday afternoon on the 3rd, all of the pistol bays will be closed until the morning of Sunday August 7th.

AREA GUN SHOWS

Bloomington Gun Show

Saturday Jul 23, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Jul 24, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Monroe County Fairgrounds
5700 West Airport Rd
Bloomington, IN 47403

General Admission: \$5
Children under 12: Free

Newburgh Gun & Military Collectible Show

Saturday Jul 23, 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Sunday Jul 24, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

American Legion Post 44
711 State St
Newburgh, IN 47630

General Admission: \$5
Veteran: Free
No one under the age of 18 allowed without an adult.

** Please confirm all dates and times of gun shows for yourself. Late changes do happen. **



FRIENDS OF THE NRA BANQUET FLYER

Waiting for the flyer from Brent...

RED BRUSH PRECISION RIFLE CHALLENGE

WHEN IS IT?
LAST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH

WHERE IS IT?
385- & 500-YARD RIFLE BAYS

WHAT IS IT?
ENGAGE STEEL STATIC AND
REACTIVE TARGETS FROM 200-510
YARDS – 100 ROUND COURSE OF
FIRE – ALL STAGES TIMED

NEW MOVING TARGET SYSTEM

SIGN IN AT 8:00am, ZERO RANGE FROM 8:15-8:45am,
SAFETY BRIEF AT 8:45, FIRST ROUNDS DOWN RANGE AT
9:00am

REGISTRATION / WEB ADDRESS

WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/GROUPS/REDBRUSHPRCS

WWW.PRACTISCORE.COM (SEARCH FOR RED BRUSH
USING THE LONG RANGE RIFLE FILTER TOGGLE)

MATCH FEE

\$20 FOR MEMBERS
\$30 FOR NON-MEMBERS

EQUIPMENT

ANY RIFLE BETWEEN .223 &
.30 CALIBER – MAX. 3200
FPS, NO MAGNUM CALIBERS
– 10 ROUND MAGAZINES
NECESSARY FOR MOST
STAGES

AWARDS

-TROPHIES TO TOP 5
OVERALL
-SEASON POINTS RACE

-END OF SEASON FINALE
WITH BANQUET AND PRIZE
TABLE

STYLE

50% PRONE OR MODIFIED
PRONE FROM A BIPOD AND
REAR BAG

50% POSITIONAL FROM
VARIOUS PROPS SUCH AS
BARRICADES, CATTLE GATES,
TIRES, ROOFTOPS, ETC.

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