

RED BRUSH RIFLE RANGE, INC.



June 2026 Newsletter

June MEETING Thursday 2nd

Club Member's Meeting – 6:30 PM
Board Meeting – After the General
Meeting

Education/Training Building
at the Red Brush Range

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...

500-yard rifle range – Tue Jun 2 & 16

The 400-yard range will be closed.

7:30 AM to 11:30 AM. ([see Upcoming Events](#))

AR-15 & 22 RF Match – Wed Jun 3, 10, 17, 24

Tony Short (812-455-3455) isetta1956@gmail.com

Time: 8:00 PM at 400-yrd (Weather Permitting)

Note that there will be no match on the 25th.

IDPA Pistol – Sat Jun 6, 13

Brad Eadens (270-854-4090)

On the 6th 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM, Bays 2- 3, 5 M.R.

On the 13th 8:00 PM – 4:00 PM, Bays 4 and 5

Practical 2 Gun Match – Sun Jun 7

11:00 AM – 6:30 PM, Bays 3, 4, 5

Red Brush Steel – Sun Jun 8, 10, no shoot in the 14

Doug Kemmerer (dkemmerer1192@gmail.com)

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Bays 1,2,3,5,6,7 WTF ([see Upcoming Events](#))

IDPA Pistol Evening – Thu Jun 11

Brad Eadens (270-854-4090)

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Bays 4 and 5

Bowling Pin Shoot – Thu Jun 11, 18, 25

Charlie Hallam (812-424-2358)

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM, Bay 1

Cost \$2.00 for .22 Pistols with .22 Rifle Match following

Range Maintenance – Sat Jun 13

Jeff Webber (812-431-6226)

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM **Rifle Range Closed for Workday**

Come out to help and get your hours.

NRA Youth Day – Sat Jun 20

Kathy Herron redbrushyouthfest@yahoo.com

([see below article](#) and the [Flyer](#))

All Ranges Closed

Metal Madness, 22 LR steel match – Sat Jun 27

Brian Martz (812-306-7832) (martz.brian@hotmail.com)

WTF 7:00 AM - 9:00 AM

Time: 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM, Bay 1 ([see Upcoming Events](#))

Sub-Gun – Sun Jun 28

Mike Maurer (812-305-2767) (mikemaurer@astound.net)

Setup at 10:30, Event 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM ([see Upcoming Events](#))

Bays 1

Precision Rifle Challenge C.F. – Sun Jun 28

Adam Leonberger (redbrushprc@gmail.com)

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

400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED**

FROM THE PRESIDENT, JOE LUTZ

Ladies and Gentlemen

With heavy heart I must announce that long time Board of Director member and Gun of the Month coordinator Mr. Randall Hansen passed away on May 11, 2026. The club has lost an individual who had a wealth of knowledge of Indian artifacts, militaria, and firearms. Randy will be surely missed.

With that being said, first alternate, John Lee, is now welcomed on the board. Cory Crowell now becomes the first alternate.

Respectfully,

Joe Lutz

FROM THE GROUNDS CHAIRMAN, JEFF WEBBER

I would like to thank Tim Doan, Allen Branch, Kevin Dugan, Eric Sipe, Tony Schnarr, Charles Cunningham, Terry Risner, Mark Buddemeyer, David Garrett, Frank Kosobuki, Hayden Deem, Robert Duncan, Richard Cruz, Dave Hetherington and Eric Craig.

Thank you to everyone who came out to work and keep our range looking great. Special thanks to Pete Tofani for running the workday in my absence.

For the June workday I will need a lot of weed eaters and some brush cutting equipment. I also need some welders and electricians. There will be a lot of other smaller tasks, so come out before the heat gets turned on and get your workday in.

See You at the Range,

Jeff Webber

NRA YOUTH DAY AND CMP RIMFIRE SPORTER CLINIC, KATHY HERRON

FREE day of firearm safety education and shooting experience. Youths age 9-18 are invited to join our instructors for classroom safety training and shooting experience. All shooting will be under the supervision of our Range Officers with one-on-one coaching from Red Brush Volunteers. The .22 Rifle and .22 Pistol will be fired as a CMP Rimfire Sporter Clinic. This is our 21st year of NRA Youth Day hosted at Red Brush Rifle Range. Educating and training the youths of today to continue our legacy of firearms ownership and enjoyment for tomorrow.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at redbrushyouthfest@yahoo.com.

Kathy Herron, Director

Red Brush NRA Youth Day

CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM (CMP), MIKE RASCHE

The CMP is proud to award up to \$1 million in scholarships this year to students involved in marksmanship activities! There are also big sales going on, please see the below web link.

If you would like notifications of CMP gun sales, you can sign up for an email at info@thecmp.org. You will also receive CMP for monthly developments.

Please go to <http://www.thecmp.org/> for further information.

THE CMP has a surplus of 1911 pistols. Please see web site for details.

RANGE OFFICER, FRANK FINDLEY

Reminder: Place Targets So Bullet Path is Towards Impact Berm, Not the Side Berms/Walls

The back berm of each bay is designated as its impact berm. Please set up your targets so that when you are shooting at them, the bullet path is downrange towards this impact berm. The berms on the side of the bay are not meant to be shot directly into. (Source: Range Facility Rules and Regulations Section 13. D.)

Additionally, on bays 6 through 10, place all targets a minimum of six feet from the concrete side walls when near the impact berm. If the target is placed closer to the firing line, make sure the target is placed so that a bullet will not pass through it and strike the concrete side wall. Look for a red post beside the walls on each side. Keep your targets inside the area between these posts. Finally, be sure to place your targets so that all rounds directly strike in the bottom half of the impact berm. (Source: Range Facility Rules and Regulations Section 19. B.)

Bay Layout

- All bays are set up in a similar manner
- Back berm keeps rounds in range
- Side Berms capture ricochets to the side (not to be shot into directly)
- Target Area is where targets are placed (not on berms!)
- Firing Line is where shooting takes place



Image Source: *Red Brush Brief Introduction to Range Safety and Etiquette*

Reminder: Fireworks Not 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®.

Recall: Ammo Dri Tabs

DriBiz has recalled Ammo Tabs fiber desiccant tiles that can fail to protect firearms and ammunition from humidity. The US Consumer Product Safety Commission warns that these failures allow moisture to cause rust or corrosion that can increase the risk of a malfunction: <https://www.cpsc.gov/Recalls/2026/DriBiz-Recalls-Ammo-Tabs-Desiccant-Tiles-Due-to-Injury-Hazard>



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 members' 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@astound.net) or Joe Lutz (812-431-3672 or joerlutz3@gmail.com).

AREA GUN SHOWS

Evansville Gun Show

Saturday Jun 6, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Jun 7, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Vanderburgh 4-H Center
201 E Boonville-New Harmony Rd
Evansville, IN 47725

General: \$6.00
Children under 12: Free w/ Adult
Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult

Indy 1500 Gun & Blade Show

Friday Jun 12, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Saturday Jun 13, 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sunday Jun 14, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center
1202 E. 38TH ST.
Indianapolis, IN 46205

Main entrances:
Gate 1 on 38th Street
Gate 2 on 42nd Street
Gate 5 on Fall Creek Parkway
Camping Hookups Available

Single Day Adult - \$15
12 & Under - \$5
3 Day Pass - \$20
Parking: \$10 facility charge per vehicle

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

UPCOMING RANGE EVENTS INFORMATION

500-yard Precision Rifle Steel Open Member Days – Fri Jun 2 & 16:

The 500-yard range will be open for members interested in shooting steel targets of various sizes at known distances. This will occur 1-3 weekdays per month. Set up will begin at 07:00 and break down at 11:30. These days will be posted on the calendar in the newsletter of the respective month. The 400-yard range will be closed during this time. We will do our best to coordinate this with the range schedule so that bay 4 is open for those interested in shooting paper etc. Eric Craig and Tom Ancona will be overseeing and acting as Range Officers for the 500-range on these days. We encourage anyone interested in long range shooting to come out and get involved! It should be a fun time and learning opportunity for everyone who chooses to take part (regardless of experience). We do ask that you have your rifle zeroed prior. We will be shooting steel only and spotting target impacts from the firing line. The line will remain hot unless target failure or other necessary reasons to go cold.

Red Brush Steel – Sun Jun 8, 10, the shoot on the 14 has been cancelled:

We shoot the 2nd Sunday of every month. The minimum number of rounds is 200.... if you don't miss. Standard safety equipment (eye pro, ear pro) required. If you shoot a .22 rifle or pistol you do not need a holster. Center fire pistols and revolvers require a holster. Your long gun, rifle or pcc, need to be cased. .22 pistols need to be cased.

Basic match format: there will be 6 or 8 stages. Each stage is 5 targets. Each stage is shot 5 times, with the slowest string being dropped. The farthest targets will be 35 yards. 7 of the 8 stages require no movement. One stage, outer limits, requires movement on the clock but you only move 6 feet.

There is a great YouTube video that explains everything:

https://youtu.be/fni4BlduAyy?si=acBXgm4TA_ttWz-c

Sub Gun Match, Sunday Sun Jun 28:

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.

Metal Madness, 22 LR steel match – Sat Jun 27:

Metal Madness players shoot in a lane consisting of 4 numbered square plates and 1 round STOP plate that must be shot in numerical order. Players will shoot once in each of the 10 lanes per pass. Scoring is time based, plus penalties for missed plates or shooting plates out of sequence. With misses costing 3 seconds each, hitting plates in the proper order is extremely important. The eight fastest times from ten lanes fired are added together for each shooter's bracket time. To put up a top score in Metal Madness, you must have seriously good speed and accuracy skills. With more than 60,000 different combinations, it's impossible to completely master the game.

- We shoot the 4th Saturday of the month Weather permitting (above 40 degrees).
- All match registrations will be done online at www.mmssa.net.
- You DO NOT have to be a member of Metal Madness Shooting Sports Association (MMSSA) or Red Brush Rifle Range to participate (non-MMSSA members will not be able to see the total time).
- Final check-in and payment will be made at Red Brush on match day, walk-ons are welcome (Cash Only).
- Setup starts at 8:00am, Check-In starts at 9:00am, Safety meeting at 9:50am.
- Match starts at 10:00am.

For more information visit <https://www.facebook.com/groups/redbrushmetal>.

Practical 2 Gun Match – Sun May 3rd Red Brush 2-gun is a match that runs on the PCSL 2025 ruleset. Using both a rifle and pistol in distances ranging between 5 yards and 85 yards. We run 2 stages twice, with both guns being used on every given stage. Stages usually take between 40 seconds up to 2 minutes per time. On average a stage will have 20 rounds of pistol shooting and 20 rounds of rifle. Targets include silhouettes, Texas star, plate racks, spinners, and large gongs. We have positional shooting off of barricades and prone shooting on roof props. The March match has/had a complete shoot-house with 3 rooms and blacked-out walls. I'll be adding some sandbags and brutality props throughout the summer season.

Shooters need to bring: 1 centerfire rifle, 1 centerfire pistol and holster, (3) 15rnd pistol magazines, (2) 30rnd rifle magazines, 100 rounds of pistol ammo, 100 rounds of rifle ammo, A chamber flag for your rifle, Water and hearing and eye protection

The only division offered is Open. Any combination or number of optics and accessories. Pistol braces are allowed on "rifles." Suppressors are allowed. If you have a minor that'd like to compete they may use 22LR instead of centerfire equipment.

Match registration is \$20, partly because of the massive investment in steel and props. Expected to lower next season. Those willing to RO may shoot for free. All matches are listed on Practiscore, and extra information like YouTube videos of stage designs and shooter suggestions and carpooling are on the Facebook group "Red Brush Multigun." Matches are held on the first Sunday of every odd-numbered month from 12pm-5pm. Stage Walkthroughs for March

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qgLoRO_pLv8
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OybKR-wuL_Q

We have 24 registrants already, and 3 short, simple, fast stages planned for this first match. Registration on-line at [Practiscore.com](https://www.practiscore.com).

FRIENDS OF THE NRA, DOUG SPRICK

Location: Vanderburgh 4H Center on HWY 41, Friday, July 31, 2026 at 5PM

Dinner at 6:30PM.

This banquet generates funding to support youth shooting sports in the state of Indiana. For 2026 there were ten groups in the surrounding area that received grants and over \$600,000 was distributed in the state of Indiana for 2026.

We have raffles, games, silent auctions, and live auctions, on firearms and associated items.

Dinner ticket costs are \$100 each and can be purchased from a committee member or online at Friends of NRA. The dinner ticket includes entry, dinner, and bucket tickets for many firearms.

Sample Raffle Tickets:

FRIENDS OF NRA **CMP INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER M-1 RAFFLE** \$20 or 3 for \$50

Ticket #229

Custom Shop Special - International Harvester M-1

This Custom Shop Special M-1 rifle is meticulously hand crafted to be competition-ready, fully meeting all "As-Issued" CMP standards. Assembled to perform as a one-to-two MOA (Minute of Angle) rifle, it offers the precision and accuracy demanded by competitive shooters.

- Deluxe Barrel Installation
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- Rifle Metal Refinish
- Stock Set Refinish
- Trigger Clean-Up

Certificate of Authenticity
CMP

Drawing Held July 31, 2026 at the SW Indiana NRA Banquet
Winner need not be present to win • 600 tickets

Indiana Charitable Gaming License Number 0034

HUNTERS RAFFLE

1 SAVAGE ARMS AXIS 10P 308 LEGEND CALIBER: 308 WIN	3 SAVAGE 110 TRAIL HUNTER LITE CALIBER: 270 WIN
2 LEGACY SPORTS NOVA HUNTER 300 WIN CALIBER: 300 WIN	4 BROWNING AXIS 270 WIN CALIBER: 270 WIN

1 COLT ANACONDA 4" STAINLESS 44 MAG CALIBER: 44 MAG	2 COLT PYTHON .357 MAG 3" CALIBER: 357 MAG
3 COLT VIPER .357 MAG 3" CALIBER: 357 MAG	FRIENDS OF NRA

NRA YOUTH DAY FLYER



NRA Youth Day and CMP Rimfire Sporter Clinic at Red Brush Rifle Range



Place: Red Brush Rifle Range

3299 W. Eble Road, Newburgh, IN

Date: Sat. June 20, 2026

Time 7:00am - 1:00pm

Youth from 9-18 years of age are invited to Red Brush Rifle Range for a FREE day of firearm safety education and shooting experience. After a safety talk and instructions, all youth participants will have the opportunity to safely fire:

.22 Rifles

20-Gauge Shotguns

Air-Rifles

.22 Pistols

Archery

The .22 Rifle and .22 Pistol will be fired as a CMP Rimfire Sporter Clinic. This will consist of a 30 minute class in each discipline with individual instructors and live fire exercises on the range. Course of fire will be: 15 rounds of live fire for each discipline on paper targets and one-on-one coaching from Red Brush Member Volunteers.

Red Brush Rifle Range will provide instructors, firearms, ammunition, eye & ear protection and targets and lunch.

Schedule of Events

7am - 8am Pre-Registration Check-in

8am - 8:30am Registration for Wait List and Walk-ins

8:30 - 9am Intro to Range, Safety Briefing, Pledge of Allegiance, Opening Prayer

9am - 12pm Instructor-supervised shooting activities and CMP Clinic

12pm - 1pm Lunch, Certificates of Completion and Drawing

Visit www.redbrush.org for REQUIRED registration packet and directions to the range.

(Pre-registration will open March 30, 2026).

Attendance will be limited to the first 60 participants and pre-registration will be confirmed by email. There will also be the opportunity to Wait List if pre-registration is full. If you pre-register and later determine you will be unable to attend, please email your cancellation notification to open up your slot for another to attend. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Kathy Herron @ redbrushyouthfest@yahoo.com

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