

# Independent Sportsmen's Club

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# From the President

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## Links

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### **NRA**

[home.nra.org](http://home.nra.org)

### **Goal**

[goal.org](http://goal.org)

### **NSSA**

[nssa-nasca.org](http://nssa-nasca.org)

### **ATA**

[shootata.com](http://shootata.com)

### **TacticalDynamics**

[tacodynamics.com](http://tacodynamics.com)

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**O**ur new insurance carrier requires that any non - member who is engaged in shotgun shooting on the shotgun fields (Trap, Skeet, 5 - Stand or Sporting Clays) be accompanied by a member or a Range Safety Officer. As a result, the club is no longer open to the public for shotgun activities. However, members may continue to bring non - member guests, as long as the member is accompanying the non - member during shotgun shooting activities. The non - member will also be required to fill out a daily liability waiver which must be co-signed by the sponsoring member. This satisfies the insurance company requirement.

Thank you,  
Paul Belanger, President



## Cover Photo

Tough day at the pistol range if you're a bowling pin. For more information about Pin Shoots, Steel Shoots and other rifle and pistol events, check out the rifle/pistol calendar on the ISC website.

# Membership Information

## Membership Committee

### Please Note

Applicants for membership must appear at the Board of Directors meeting when their application is to be reviewed. Applicants should arrive to the meeting a few minutes early so that their paperwork can be reviewed. Paperwork includes a signed application, a signed liability waiver, a check or cash for the application fees, and some proof of NRA membership. NRA membership can be either a copy of a current NRA membership card or an email confirmation of a submitted order from the NRA if the applicant has only recently joined the NRA.

Welcome to the following new members!

Pierre Abiramia	Andrew McCally
Brian Belanger	Aimee Medicke
Patrick Callahan	Paul Medicke
Cheryl Chase	David Meyer
Ryan Cullinane	Timothy Morrish
Cleber Faiole	Elizabeth Perkins
Daniel Faiole	Cody Pflomm
Simon Fares	Benjamin Ryter
Joshua Harrison	Zachary Shea
Adib Karam	Jack Simmons
Victor Lopez	Lori Simmons

Current Membership Count

4

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Orientations are now held at 10:00 am on the Sunday following the monthly Board of Directors meeting where/when new applications are reviewed. Orientation is **REQUIRED** for all members who intend to use the Rifle/Pistol ranges. Contact **Paul Farrington** if you plan to attend an orientation.

Paul can be reached at: [pfarrington7.62@gmail.com](mailto:pfarrington7.62@gmail.com)

New members: Remember to check the ISC website for current activities, shotgun leagues, and rifle/pistol competitions. Join in and meet other members.



# Current Club Activities and League Results

## Shotgun Leagues & Other Events

### Winter 5-Stand League Results

High Over All Champion	<b>Vinny Lambiase</b>
Runner Up	<b>Oliver Kenney</b>
Top Shooter Class A	<b>Vinny Lambiase</b>
Top Shooter Class B	<b>Oliver Kenney</b>
Top Shooter Class C	<b>Greg Sexton</b>
Top Shooter Class D	<b>Mike Saraceno</b>

After delays due to iced equipment and unsafe footings the 5-Stand shooters finally completed 8 weeks of frigid competition.

**Vinny** continues to dominate the league competitions but he was unavailable for a photo op on the night of the 5-Stand Celebration Dinner .

Photo below is **Dick Wall** presenting the Runner Up Trophy to **Oliver**.







# Results from the June Shotgun Challenge

## Winners Class A

1st Place - **Eddie Karam**

2nd Place - **Andy Hopkington**

3rd Place - **Paul Belanger**

## Winners Class B

1st Place - **Bruce Potter**

2nd Place - **Weston Dufort**

3rd Place - **Chris Mahoney**

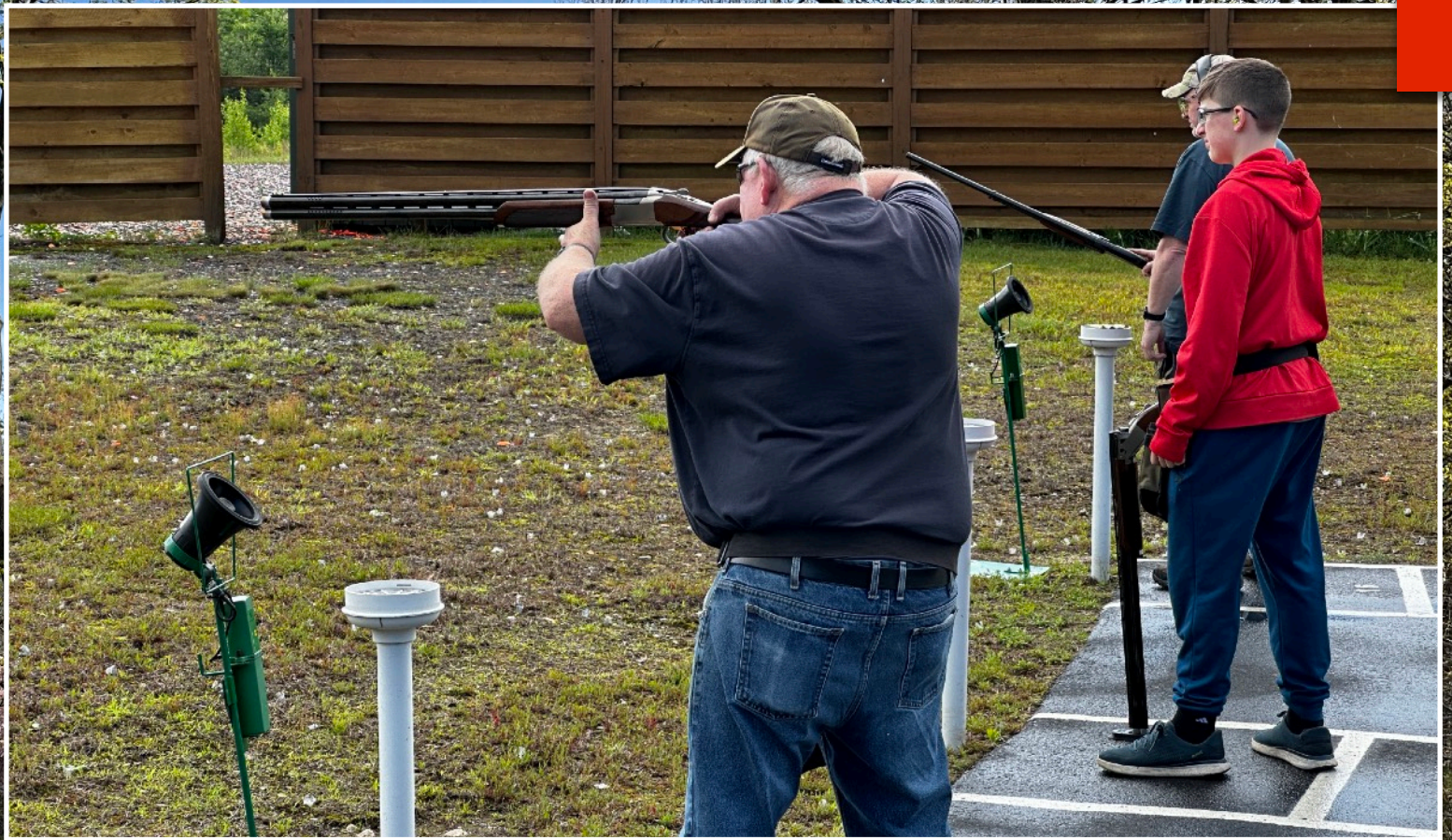
## NEWS

A big week for **Eddie Karam**, days before the June Challenge he shot 100 straight in skeet.













ISC President **Paul Belanger** presenting Junior ISC Member **Weston Dufort** with prizes for shooting a perfect round of skeet during the June Shotgun Challenge. Weston is 11 years old and competed very well in all phases of the Challenge. Congratulations Weston!





These events don't just happen, there are a lot of moving parts to make a fun and safe day.

Thank you to **Paul Belanger** and **John Beaul'** for organizing the **May Triple Play Shotgun Challenge**.

Thank you to **Paul Needham** and his family for doing all of the cooking.

Thank you to members including **Peter Cmaylo**, **Monty Montgomery**, and others who were there to reload machines, pull, score, and finally clean up.

Great day!



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# Summer Skeet League



12-week Summer Skeet league. Winners based on your best 8 out of 12 scores. The more weeks you shoot, the better your chances of being "top gun".

A dinner get-together to be held after week 12.

Starting Wednesday night June 11th for 12 weeks

\$12 per week for 50 targets

A signup sheet is in the club Warm-Up House



## 5-Stand Maintenance

Construction is underway to upgrade the shooting pads on the 5-Stand field. During rainy or snowy conditions, shooters find themselves standing in 2-3 inches of mud. Volunteers have built frames in preparation for delivery of concrete.

Thank you to **Peter Cmaylo, Greg Sexton, Paul Needham, Paul Belanger, Oliver Kenney, Vinny Lambiase, and Dick Wall.** The new & improved 5-Stand field should be ready mid - June.





# Current Club Activities & Results

## *Rifle/Pistol Events*

### Bowling Pin Shoot













# Dueling Trees and Plates at 50 & 100 Yards

## Rifles, No Magnification.





# Spring PCC League

Top score once again - Tony Parsons





The storage container located at the rifle/pistol range had settled making it difficult to open the doors. Many thanks to **Tony Parsons** (Spring Steel League Winner) for making the arrangements for the equipment to lift the container, the stone, and the labor for placing the new stone.







## **2025 Rifle/Pistol Activities Calendar**

**Over the last 3 months, the Rifle/Pistol Committee has organized and run more than 20 Rifle/Pistol events.** These events are suitable for beginners and experienced shooters. Give it a try, there are always a few seasoned shooters around to help you get started.

Please check the ISC website for time and dates of the Rifle/Pistol events. You can click on the activity that interests you and see more detail.

For more information, contact Paul Farrington.

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## Editor's Notes

Thank you to those who respond to my requests for photos.

Waterville Valley, New Hampshire

