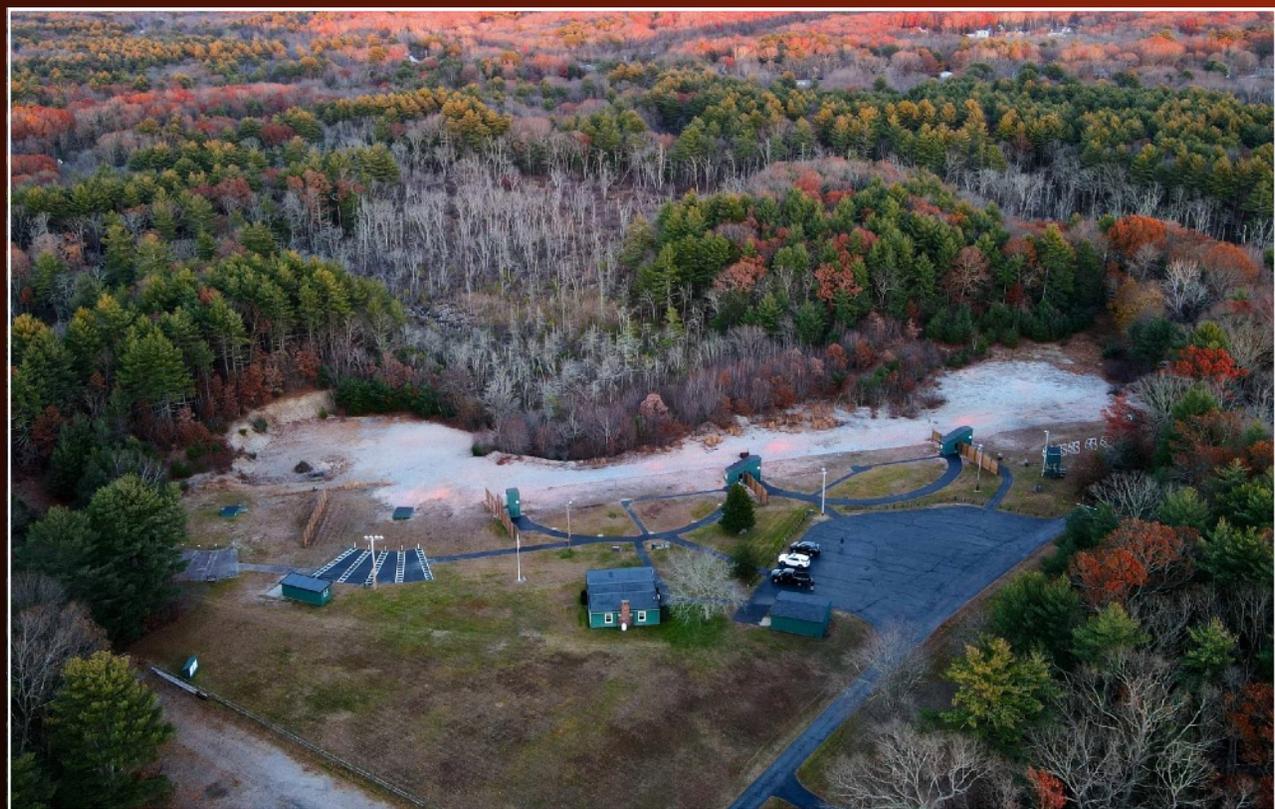
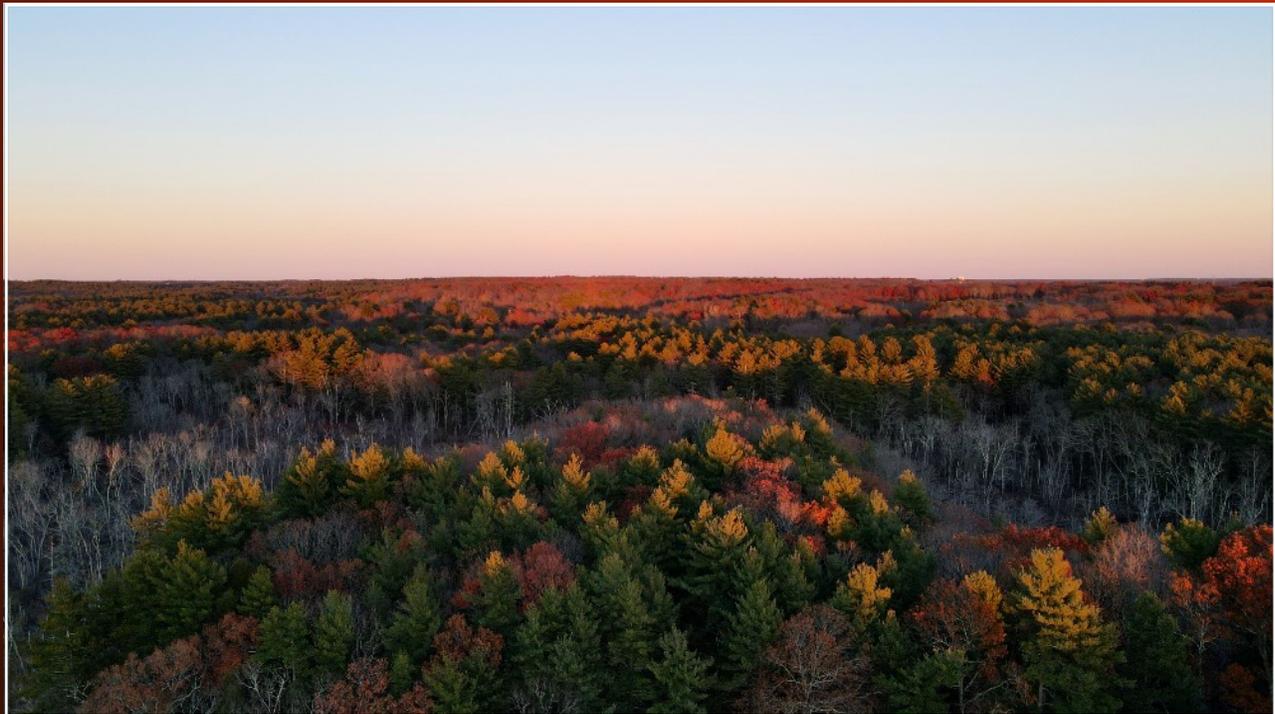


# Independent Sportsmen's Club

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Aerial photos of the club courtesy - **Paul White**

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# From the President

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Another Fall season has rushed by...for those of you that ventured out into the woods, I hope that you were successful.

We continue to have an increase in shooting activity in both shotgun sports and rifle/pistol. Not surprisingly, some of that is being driven by a historic increase in ISC membership. Our membership today is 473; last year at this time it was 440.

During the November Board of Directors meeting, there was a discussion regarding new member orientation and range safety. The result of that discussion is that the Board approved a recommendation to appoint **Paul Farrington** and **Paul Belanger** to handle all new member orientation beginning January 1, 2022. Both members are qualified Range Safety Officers and members of the ISC Rifle/Pistol committee. They will develop a guide to ensure that new members will be familiar with all aspects of ISC safety rules and protocols. This is a significant undertaking and the BOD appreciates the challenge that both Pauls have taken on. Details will follow and the materials will become part of the new member information package.

Last but not least, some volunteer efforts really need to be spotlighted. **Peter "Chief" Maxon** has spent countless hours repairing and replacing the lighting poles and fixtures on skeet field 2. He has removed broken pole stumps, excavated and set up new poles, and attached and connected the new LED fixtures. The results are remarkable! (see page 10)

**Jay Rothmeyer** took on the task of painting the interior of the rifle pavilion by himself. No longer a dimly lit structure, shooters can now make sight adjustments without the use of flashlights. (see page 9)

Thank you Paul F., Paul B., Chief, Jay, and so many other volunteers who keep our club going!

Greg Sexton, President

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## 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!

Steven Durning	George Pellegri
Mark Elfman	Gerard Provost
Ben Greenfield	Matthew Provost
David Johnston	Curtis Raymond
Kristopher Keene	Michelle Raymond
Brian Leroux	Paul Raymond
Steven Lewis	Zachary Raymond
Jason Marshall	John Saunders
John McGrath	Sotiri Sugars
Richard McLaughlin	Arthur Tgibedes

Current Membership Count

4

7

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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

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## *Shotgun Leagues & Other Events*

### **New 5-Stand Winter League**

Wednesday, December 1, 2021 - January 5, 2022

Six week 5-Stand League, 2 rounds each evening - 50 targets total

Competition will take place on Field 3, 5pm - 8pm

The new 5-Stand course has been designed utilizing 8 traps, all targets are reachable using skeet and/or IC chokes.

Cost is \$11/week members, \$15/week non-members - with a league dinner following the competition and make-up week.

Sign-up sheets can be found in the main warmup house.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Perry Altemese - [paltemese@amfire1.com](mailto:paltemese@amfire1.com)

Dan Carter - [d16ga@verizon.net](mailto:d16ga@verizon.net)





Beautiful fall night for shooting.



Paul Belanger getting things started.



**George Bohnenberger** was next up.



**Dick Wall** shooting from station 2.



Dan Belanger shooting a double.



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*Rifle/Pistol Events*  
**Rifle/Pistol Results**

**Rifle Plate Shoot**  
**Saturday, September 11**

Chris Pray  
Bill Gardner  
Marc Sarazin



Dan Belanger, Bill Kelley, Dennis Brooks,  
Bill Gardner, Billy Gardner, and Chris Pray

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**.22 Rifle Plate Shoot**  
**Saturday, September 18**

Bill Gardner  
Dennis Brooks  
Marc Sarazin

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**Pin Head and Know Your Limits Shoot**  
**Saturday, September 25**

Bowling Pin Head  
Tim Mahoney

Know your Limits

**Tim Mahoney** and **Mike Sarceno Sr.** shot to a 55-point tie after five tries at the array of decreasing size hanging steel targets. They elected to a shoot-off using the KYL array at 25 yards. Ultimately Tim won.

## **Bowling Pin Shoot**

### **Saturday, October 2**

Tim Mahoney  
Mike Saraceno Jr.  
Dennis Brooks

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## **.22 Rifle Bullseye Shoot**

### **Saturday, October 16**

Bolt action with optics - **Mike Saraceno Jr.**  
Semi-auto with optics - **Bill Gardner**  
Semi-auto with red dot - **Paul Needham**

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## **Gentlemen's 3-Gun Shoot**

### **Saturday, November 20**

Mike Saraceno Sr.

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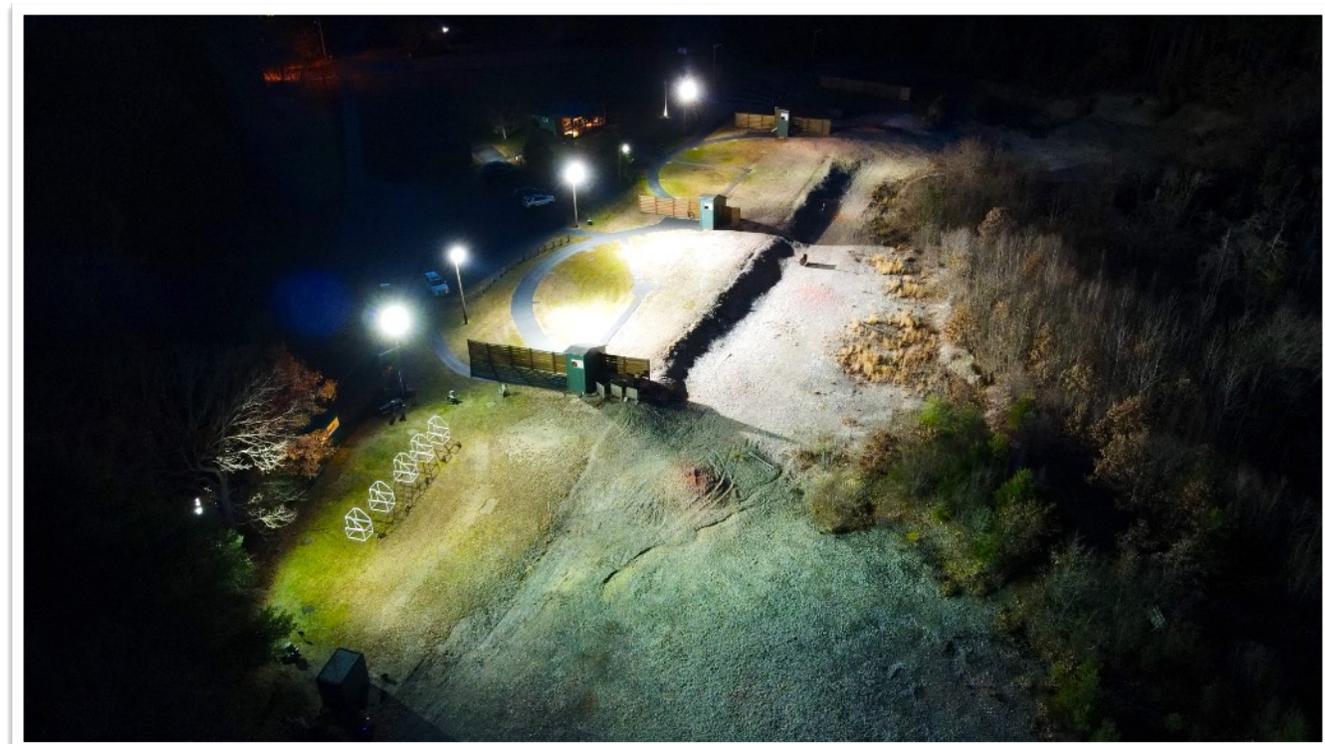
Rifle range pavilion - **Before**



Rifle range pavilion - **After** There is a big difference in overall brightness within the rifle pavilion.



Skeet Field 2 with new lighting.



Bottom to top: 5-Stand Field, Skeet Field 2, Skeet Field 1. A significant difference in light intensity and area of coverage.

Photos courtesy of **Paul White**



Weary but successful bird hunters. From left to right: **Jack Fowler** (Joe Dugan's nephew), **Owen Dugan**, **Joe Dugan**, and **Greg Sexton**. Foreground **Rylie** and **Winston**.

## *Editor's Notes*

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Thank you to those who responded to my request for photos. Please continue to submit photos that you feel would be enjoyed by fellow club members; I'll find room for as many as I can. Also, if you have any suggestions regarding things that you would like to see within the newsletter, let me know.

When you send photos, please provide a description so that I can create an appropriate caption and photo credit.

Send photos and suggestions to [independentsportsmensclub@gmail.com](mailto:independentsportsmensclub@gmail.com)

Thank you,

John