



# STRAIGHT SHOOTER

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## 2021 Match Schedule

The 2021 Match Schedule is ready. A copy can be found in this newsletter, on the website and at the range. The schedule is long this year with many dates when the range will be in use for matches. Put up a copy somewhere so you can check it before going to the range. Look it over and pick some matches to be in and have fun. The club matches are for fun and to hone your shooting skills. Come out and have fun with your fellow club members.

## Range Maintenance

We're at the beginning of a full year of range usage. We as members have the obligation of keeping our range looking nice and well kept. By doing this it shows that we care and that we're proud of what we have.

A lot of work was performed around the property last year to brighten up the grounds. New rock was placed at the pistol, rifle, and high power portions and needless to say, it looks "GREAT".

With that said, while your at the range enjoying a shooting session, if your not keeping your spent brass to reload please pick it up and put it in one of the blue half barrels that are close by.

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## Club Officers

**President:** Greg Robbs (573) 430-8611

**Vice-President:** Tom Bridgewater (573) 883-6953

**Secretary:** Larry LaChance (573) 915-2952

**Treasurer:** Cynthia Courtway (573) 517-3527

**Executive Officer:** Tony Robbs (573) 701-3200

**Safety Officer:** Tony Miano (573) 756-0462

**Membership Total: 489**

## President's Corner

Let's all say farewell to a year of grief, sickness and uncertainty, and hello to a New Year, 2021, a year that we can all hope brings us joy, happiness and good health. Club renewals ended as of 31 Dec. with the Club Secretary reporting a membership total of 489, the lowest it's been for a number of years. That will change as we get into the new year.

In the near future as you enter the range, please take notice of the new signs on the property. One at the gate as you enter that will identify who we are. Two at the handgun range that are new rules signs. Then finally, an 8' tall sign that you can't miss seeing. This sign has all the Club rules on it that we all need to make ourselves very familiar with. These rules must be observed at all times, your safety and everyone around you depends on you and you alone.

Any questions, call a Board Member, if you observe something wrong, make a note of the day, date and time it happed and a vehicle tag number, then get it to us. Let's all remember to keep our membership cards on our person while at the range, that's a must!

When you get the 2021 Match Schedule look it over very well and check it out before you make a trip to the range, there are some changes and additions made. Also look over the individual match rules for changes that you will need to know.

4H Youth will return again this year with more days on the schedule along with the addition of a second swap meet day in the spring.

A lot of Club information has been going out via Club E Mail with great success, if we don't have your E Mail address, please get it to us.

Everyone mark your calendars as to the upcoming Awards Banquet, 6 March 2021, at the American Legion Hall in Farmington, Mo.

Let's enjoy our range to it's fullest potential but with the utmost regard to our safety, also let's start a new trend this year, come to a club meeting!!

Our Club is based on our voices, our opinions, our care and our decisions, all of us, get on board to help make things happen.

Greg Robbs  
President  
67 Gun Club Inc.

## 54<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

This year's annual Awards Banquet will be held on 6 March 2021 at the Farmington American Legion Hall, located at 1604 W Columbia St. in Farmington. We will start at 6pm with the dinner catered by Harps of Park Hills, serving fried chicken, baked ham, green beans, corn, mac-n-cheese, mashed potatoes with gravy, rolls, ice tea, lemonade and water. Cost is \$10 if is paid in advance or \$12 per person at the door. We need a head count by 20 February. Tickets can be purchased in person at 22 Crane St. in Park Hills or by mailing a check with your name to 67 Gun Club Inc, PO Box 255, Farmington MO 63640. Come out and have a great meal and enjoy time with your fellow members. We will also hold the annual election of officers for 2021 and pass out the awards for the 2020 matches.

There will be door prizes, and silent auction items.

### Range Safety

#### Notice Notice Notice

When the firing line is called SAFE, the lights are running and the warning horn is sounding, this means someone is down range!!! During this time of SAFE, all firearms are to be on top of the shooting benches or in a rack, actions open, and not touched again until everyone is back from down range.

#### **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**

We don't want or need anything going wrong. We all need to follow the rules.

### Membership Cards

All members of the 67 Gun Club must have their current membership card on them while at the range. This is a Club policy that we need to follow. If asked to show you're your card, please do so, If you do not you will be asked to leave. Members should be proud to be a part of this Club and don't hesitate to prove it.

### Spent Brass

While you're at the range enjoying a shooting session, if you're not keeping your spent brass to reload please pick it up and put it in one of the blue half barrels that are close by.

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## Two Swap Meets

This year we will have two swap meets, one in the spring and one in the fall. The first one will be on Sunday May the 23<sup>rd</sup> 9am – 2pm. The fall swap meet will be on Sunday October the 31<sup>st</sup> 9am – 2pm. Mark the dates on your calendar and come out and buy, sell and BS with fellow shooters.

### NRA Membership Discounts

Did you know that if you renew or join the NRA through your club that you can get a great discount? Current NRA membership rates though the club are:

Annual - \$35 (\$10 savings)

3 Year - \$85 (\$15 savings)

5 Year - \$125 (\$25 savings)

Life - \$1000 (\$500 saving)

Contact Larry LaChance to get signed up for these great savings.

### 4H Youth Schedule for 2021

The local 4H youth will be using the range this year on select Thursday nights. Be sure to check the match schedule for dates they are using the range. Please do not bother them, let them use the range. They have a range captain and all the help they need.

### Meeting Attendance

The club monthly business meeting attendance is very poor. We are 485+ strong but we allow about a dozen members to decide what goes on within the club, then members complain about the decisions made. Come to some meetings, make your voice heard, tell us your ideals on improvements, but most importantly be a motivated member in the Gun Club you enjoy.

Business meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month a 7 pm at the St. Francois County Weber Road Facility located at 1101 Weber Rd. in Farmington.

Come to a meeting and meet the members that run your club!!

# 2021 Match/Event Schedule

Range will close 1 hour before match time

MARCH 2021				
March 6	Saturday	<b>ANNUAL BANQUET</b>	6pm – 9pm	Farmington American Legion
March 11	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
March 13	Saturday	Stinging the Steel #1	9am – 2pm	Handgun Range
March 20	Saturday	Bowling Pin #1	9am – ?pm	Rifle Range
March 25	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
March 27	Saturday	High Power #1	10am – 2pm	Rifle Range
APRIL 2021				
April 3	Saturday	PPC #1	9am – 3pm	Handgun Range
April 8	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
April 10	Saturday	100 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #1 200 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #1	10am – 3pm	Rifle Range
April 17	Saturday	50 Yard Scoped Rimfire #1	10am – 1pm	Rifle Range
April 22	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
April 24	Saturday	Rifle Pin #1	9am - ?	Rifle Range
MAY 2021				
May 1	Saturday	100 Yard Hunting Rifle #1 100 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #1	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range
May 8	Saturday	Stinging the Steel #2	9am – 2pm	Handgun Range
May 13	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
May 15	Saturday	Bowling Pin #2	9am – ?pm	Rifle Range
May 22	Saturday	<b>RANGE WORK DAY</b>	9am – 2pm	<b>NO SHOOTING</b>
May 23	Sunday	<b>Spring Swap Meet</b>	9am – 2pm	<b>NO SHOOTING</b>
May 27	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
May 29	Saturday	PPDS #1	9am – 2pm	Handgun Range
JUNE 2021				
June 5	Saturday	200 Yard Varmint Match #1 300 Yard Varmint Match #1	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range
June 9	Wednesday	Bullseye 900 Rimfire #1	6pm – 8pm	Handgun Range
June 10	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
June 12	Saturday	PPC #2	9am – 3pm	Handgun Range
June 16	Wednesday	Revolver Hunter #1	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
June 19	Saturday	200 Yard Varmint Match #2 300 Yard Varmint Match #2	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range
June 23	Wednesday	Bullseye 900 Centerfire #1	6pm – 8pm	Handgun Range
June 24	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
June 26	Saturday	Bowling Pin #3	9am - ?	Rifle Range
JULY 2021				
July 3	Saturday	PPC #3	9am – 3pm	Handgun Range
July 8	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
July 10	Saturday	100 Yard Hunting Rifle #2 100 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #2	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range
July 14	Wednesday	Bullseye 900 Rimfire #2	6pm – 8pm	Handgun Range
July 17	Saturday	50 Yard Scoped Rimfire #2	10am – 1pm	Rifle Range
July 21	Wednesday	Revolver Hunter #2	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
July 22	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
July 24	Saturday	Stinging the Steel #3	9am – 2pm	Handgun Range
July 28	Wednesday	Bullseye 900 Centerfire #2	6pm – 8pm	Handgun Range
July 31	Saturday	Rifle Pin #2	9am - ?	Rifle Range

## AUGUST 2021

August 7	Saturday	200 Yard Varmint Match #3 300 Yard Varmint Match #3	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range
August 11	Wednesday	Bullseye 900 Rimfire #3	6pm – 8pm	Handgun Range
August 12	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
August 14	Saturday	PPDS #2	9am – 3pm	Handgun Range
August 18	Wednesday	Revolver Hunter #3	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
August 21	Saturday	High Power #2	10am – 2pm	Rifle Range
August 25	Wednesday	Bullseye 900 Centerfire #3	6pm – 8pm	Handgun Range
August 26	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
August 28	Saturday	100 Yard Hunting Rifle #3 100 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #3	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range

## SEPTEMBER 2021

September 4	Saturday	PPC #4	9am – 3pm	Handgun Range
September 9	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
September 11	Saturday	Rifle Pin #3	9am - ?	Rifle Range
September 18	Saturday	50 Yard Scoped Rimfire #3	10am – 12pm	Rifle Range
September 23	Thursday	4-H Youth	6pm – 8pm	Rifle Range
September 25	Saturday	100 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #2 200 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #2	10am – 3pm	Rifle Range

## OCTOBER 2021

October 2	Saturday	200 Yard Varmint Match #4 300 Yard Varmint Match #4	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range
October 3	Sunday	Stinging the Steel #4	9am – 2pm	Handgun Range
October 9	Saturday	Bowling Pin #4	9am – ?pm	Rifle Range
October 16	Saturday	100 Yard Hunting Rifle #4 100 Yard .22 Centerfire Varmint #4	10am – 12pm 12pm – 3pm	Rifle Range Rifle Range
October 16	Saturday	PPDS #3	9am – 3pm	Handgun Range
October 23	Saturday	High Power #3	10am – 2pm	Rifle Range
October 30	Saturday	50 Yard Scoped Rimfire #4	10am – 12pm	Rifle Range
October 31	Sunday	<b>Fall Swap Meet</b>	9am – 2pm	<b>NO SHOOTING</b>

## December 2021

December 4	Saturday	<b>Range Work Day</b>	9am – 2pm	<b>NO SHOOTING</b>
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**See match rules for updated rules and Match Captain contact information.**

Match Rules can be found on the Club website at:

[67gunclub.org/match\\_information/](http://67gunclub.org/match_information/)

Or at the range in the document boxes located on the north wall of the restroom building.