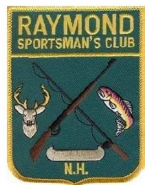
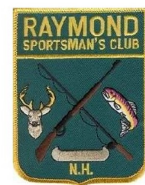


Raymond Sportsman's Club Newsletter



January 2023

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Officers

President	Norm Pinard	603-498-5875
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Treasurer	Frank Knowles	603-502-6022
Sergeant at Arms	Don Crete	603-321-6162

Advisory Board

Richard Gorman	March 2023	603-895-6103
Bill Lane	March 2023	603-895-9042
Ed Knowles	March 2023	603-923-8209
Earl Sweet, Jr.	March 2023	603-382-2236
Richie Houde, Jr.	March 2023	603-235-7288

Committees

Archery	Scott Rogers	Kitchen	Mike Desjardins
Boy Scouts	Rob Lopez	Newsletter	Ed Knowles
Building	Jon Goulet	Range	Bill Lane
Bylaws	Ed Knowles	Spacetown Beagle	Richie Houde, Sr.
Grounds	Richard Gorman	Town Fair	Tim Layman
Hunter Ed	Tom Faunce	Ways & Means	Elected Officers
		Web Site	Brian Handley

Upcoming Events

Regular Club Meeting	January 4th	Regular Club Meeting	January 18th
Yankee Swap	January 21st		

Newsletter Input

Any club members having information or photos they would like to have posted in the club newsletter can address them to Ed Knowles at rsc_newsletter@proton.me. Be sure to state what you would like written with each photo.

Meeting Minutes for December 2022

Officers:

- President: Ron Digou' passed away on November 29, 2022 - The outside fuel tank filter was replaced by Norm Pinard and Bill Lane - Patrick Vallera scrapped the club road - Bill Lane winterized the club tractor - The attendees for the Berry Camp are Will Wilson, who elected to take the Junior Conservation Officer course and Joseph Lopez chose the North Country Adventure - The club Yankee Swap will be on January 21, 2023 and the Game Dinner will be February 18, 2023. Both events will start at 6:00pm. - There is one nominee for the Cote-Margaritis award.
- Vice President: Nothing to report
- Secretary: Sent a card to the Digou' family.
- Treasurer: Club received a Christmas card and had magazines for members viewing.
- Sergeant at Arms: Nothing to report.
- Advisory Board: Question was asked if the Berry Camp participants would receive an information packet informing them as to what to expect. The answer was yes.

Committees:

- Archery: Nothing to report.
- Boy Scouts: Nothing to report.
- Building: Treasurer received the receipt for the downstairs windows
- Bylaws: The next window for changes to the bylaws will be next July. If any member has a recommended change, be sure to tell the bylaw committee NLT the first meeting in May.
- Grounds: Nothing to report.
- Hunter Ed: Nothing to report.
- Kitchen: Nothing to report.
- Newsletter: Need photos and info on any game taken this hunting season.

Meeting Minutes for December 2022 (cont.)

Range:	Maintenance completed	
SBC:	No date for the trial yet. The Tree Farm sign fell off the club house.	
Town Fair:	Nothing to report.	
Ways and Means:	Nothing to report.	
Web Site:	Nothing to report.	
Unfinished Business:	Question was asked what the age requirement was for Berry Camp participant. The age is 12 to 17. - Mike Cramer will be talking to Sig Saur about donations for the game dinner.	
New Business:	Brian Palladino showed off the new club hoody jacket. Most of the club apparels are on back order. - There are some range targets all shot up.	
Rollovers:	None	
Applications:	Waiting list is up to around 47 applicants	
50/50 Winners:	Bill Lane Fred Plante	December 7, 2022 December 21, 2022

RSC Member Trophy for 2022



Guy Cilluffo tagged this 173 pound, 9 pointer in Chester, New Hampshire on November 9th with a shotgun.

A Successful Deer Season for The Lighthall Family

John's son, Jordan, got a buck and his daughter-in-law, Tiffany, got a doe in New Hampshire. John had his chance in New Hampshire, but blew both shots that he had.

The New York season was a good one this year. John invited his good friend and neighbor, Steve Demers, this year. Steve got a deer on the second day. Another friend, Sean, got a deer with his crossbow and also one with his rifle. Cally got a 6" spike horn buck the first morning. Tiffany got a 4 point buck and a doe on the second day.



John was able to take a deer with his crossbow and two with his rifle. The last weekend of rifle season, John, Jordan and grandson Charlie, headed back to the NY camp. They decided to put a small, one man deer drive, to get some deers moving that first morning. Jordan pushed some deers toward John and his grandson's direction. John's grandson, Charlie, was excited to see a buck taken on that drive.

Later that same day, John walked up above the land to a spot they usually move several deers out of. He was about half way on his push, when he heard a shot. Jordan had taken a nice 10 point buck that came off the ridge. Jordan's son Charlie saw the whole thing. It was great to see his excitement. It was a great year! John is thankful for his family and friends.

RSC is having a

Annual Holiday Yankee Swap

***Come and join RSC
members and guests to
celebrate the post holidays
with your favorite snacks.
Soft drinks will be provided.
BYOB***

January 21st at 6 PM

***Bring a gift, wrapped, of your choice
to exchange (optional).***

**At the Raymond Sportsman's
Club House**

