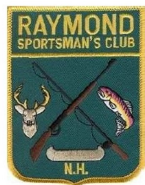
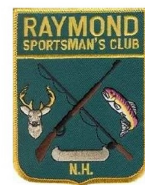


Raymond Sportsman's Club Newsletter



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Advisory Board

Richard Gorman	March 2026	603-395-1867
Bill Lane	March 2025	603-571-0100
Ed Knowles	March 2024	603-923-8209
Earl Sweet, Jr.	March 2024	603-382-2236
Richie Houde, Jr.	March 2024	603-235-7288

Committees

Archery	Scott Rogers	Kitchen	Norm Pinard
Boy Scouts	Scott Rogers	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	June 7th	Clay Target Shoot	June 11th
Regular Club Meeting	June 21st	GSB Shoot	June 25th
Regular Club Meeting	July 5th	Town Fair Bingo	July 7th - 9th
Open Pistol Shoot	July 16th	Regular Club Meeting	July 19th
	GBS Shoot	July 25th	

To All Regular & Lifetime Members

RSC Bylaws amendment votes will be on July 5th, not June 7th.



Hatsan Mod 125 Sniper Vortex QE (w/sling)
Price: \$200
Contact Frank Knowles at
musky3035@gmail.com

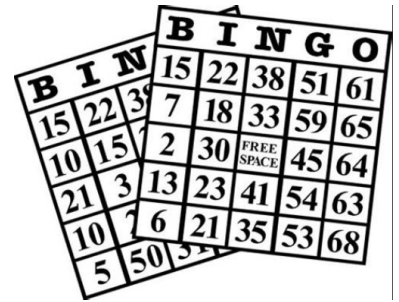
Remington Model 7400 Semi Auto 30-06
includes a 3-10 power scope and sling
Price: \$550 or best offer
Contact Steve at
978-815-6639

(Photo in add is just a pic of what the
rifle looks like. Not the one for sale.)



Raymond Town Fair Bingo

The RSC sponsored bingo, at the Raymond Town Fair, will take place on July 7th thru the 9th. Setup will take place on July 6th at 4:30pm. Any members wanting to build up their maintenance hours can show up at the clubhouse at this time. Any questions about the bingo can be addresses to Tim Layman at nhlayman4@comcast.net.



New ATF Pistol Brace Ruling

Summary of Change

The final rule's definition of "rifle" states clearly that the term "designed, redesignated, made or remade, and intended to be fired from the shoulder" includes a weapon that is equipped with an accessory, component, or other rearward attachment (e.g., a stabilizing brace), that provides surface area that allows the weapon to be fired from the shoulder, provided other factors (as described in the rule) indicate the weapon is designed, made, and intended to be fired from the shoulder.

Effective Date of Final Rule

The final rule was signed by the Attorney General on January 13, 2023 and was subsequently published in the Federal Register on January 31, 2023.

The Final Rule is effective on **January 31, 2023**.

The compliance date is 120 days from the date of publication, which is **May 31, 2023**.

Violation of this ruling can result in a felony charge with up to 10 years in jail and a \$10,000 fine!!

New ATF Pistol Brace Ruling (cont.)

Options Available to all Possessors

1. Remove the short barrel and attach a 16-inch or longer rifle barrel to the firearm.
2. Permanently remove and dispose of, or alter the "stabilizing brace" such that it cannot be reattached.
3. Turn the firearm into your local ATF office.
4. Destroy the firearm.
5. Register the weapon as set forth below, depending on your category of possessor.

ATF Resources

ATF website: Factoring Criteria for Firearms with Attached "Stabilizing Braces"

<https://www.atf.gov/rules-and-regulations/factoring-criteria-firearm-attached-stabalizing-braces>

Gun Owners of America (GOA) Statement

The GOA is encouraging every gun owner to call their Representative in Washington and tell them to support H.J. Resolution 44 to **#STOPTHEBAN**. Call Today (202) 224-3121.



During the Fishing Derby, this young man, whose name is Hunter, caught this Northern Water Snake around the RSC pond.

Meeting Minutes for May 2023

President:

This years turn out for the Spring cleanup was a big success. There were 40 people who showed up and not all were members yet. The club property looks great! Following are a list of people who brought equipment to the cleanup:

Patrick Valera - backhoe and pond dredging. Using ours and his backhoe. He did some work the night before also.

John Lighthall used his son's, Jordan, excavator

Dennis George and his dump truck

Meeting Minutes for May 2023 (cont.)

President: (cont.)

William Dawson and his truck

Some non-members brought their equipment, Bill Dawson's kids
- Ryan and Sean Dawson

Wally Paige and his tractor/york rake

People with waders

New windows installed by 2 members. They came back Tuesday
and framed them in to complete the job.

Bill Lane , Richie Hood Sr. and Norm met the environmental folks on
May 15th for the tests wells. Two test wells were placed on the RSC
property and the first sample will be taken in 3 weeks. They will also
test the clubhouse water. - Mike Cramer installed some new targets. -
Bruce Winchell and Bill Lane prepped the archery course. - Bill Lane
changed the clubhouse lawn mower oil. - Jeff Sargent provided
meatballs and hamburgers for the cleanup crew.

Vice President:

The pistol brace ban takes effect on May 31st. If you don't register it,
you could end up breaking the law.

Secretary:

Nothing to report.

Treasurer:

Had some magazines for members to view.

Sergeant -at-arms:

Suggested the club sponsor a turkey pool.

Advisory Board:

Nothing to report.

Committees:

Archery:

Next archery shoot will be June 25th

Boy Scouts:

Thanks RSC for allowing them to use the club facility. - The
survival camp might be conducted behind the pond this Fall. -
A family campout was requested for June 2 and 3rd for the
scouts graduation. Present club members voted to approve this.

Building:

Nothing to report.

Bylaws:

Amendments will be handed out under new business.

Meeting Minutes for May 2023 (cont.)

- Grounds:** Any members wanting to build up their maintenance hours can join the cleanup committee on Wednesday nights, where there is no club meeting scheduled. The time to meet at the clubhouse is at 5pm.
- Hunter Ed:** There were 25 people who completed the course on April 22nd. Next class will be August 19th.
- Kitchen:** Special thanks to Jeff Sargent who provided lots of food, plates and desserts for the Spring cleanup. The company, Favorite Foods, donated all the food, via Jeff Sargent. The club provided the soda, bread and odds and ends for the kitchen.
- Newsletter:** Nothing to report
- Range:** Swapped out some targets. Fred Plante fixed some archery targets and the black bear archery target was repaired.
- SBC:** There are still some raffle tickets available. Win \$\$ and fishing trip.
- Town Fair:** Information about the bingo is posted on page 2 of this newsletter.
- Ways & Means:** Nothing to report
- Website:** Nothing to report
- Unfinished Business:** All seats are filled for the chartered boat for June 3rd.
- New Business:** Passed out proposed amendment changes for the RSC bylaws. The club members will vote on the amendments on July 5th.
- Rollovers:** No rollovers during May.
- Applications:**
- Juniors:** Sid A. Dodge
Logan Aboud
Lucas Aboud
- Associates:** James Regal (previous member)
David Thompson

Meeting Minutes for May 2023 (cont.)

Applications (cont.)

Associates:
Chris Barley
James Taber
Jonathan Prins
Kevin Fitzgerald
Aleksander Mitov
Leanne Miner
Steven Allen

50/50 Winners:
Fred Plante May 3rd
Michael Haggstrom May 17th

Newsletter Input

Any RSC or SBC membes having information or photos that they would like to have posted in the RSC newsletter can address them to Ed Knowles at rsc_newsletter@proton.me. Be sure to state what you'd like written with each photo. Also a reminder of items for sale in the newsletter, let Ed know when the item sells, so he can remove it.