

Directors meetings are held at 7:00pm, preceding is the general club meeting at 7:30pm. Club meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month. We encourage all members to attend the meetings to get the most up to date news and club information. Bring your shotgun and shoot a few rounds with us before and after the meeting!

President – Gregg Lopata. Secretary – Wayne Haines. Treasure - Bob Druga. Vice Presidents – Evan Martin, Joe Campbell, Rich Vensel and Jim McCormick.

Membership Dues for 2023 are due no later than January 31, 2023. If paid late - a penalty of \$15 will be assessed in addition to the \$25 membership fee. New memberships are \$40 the first year and \$25 each year thereafter as long as dues are paid by January 31. Please also note – the gate will be updated in January. If you paid your dues already, don't worry. We will get the updated gate code to you. **(Application at end of newsletter)**

January 2023 - We will be kicking off the year with our Winter League. This includes one round of 25 Skeet, and one round of 30 Wobble Trap. Due to the increased cost of things in general, we have lowered the cost to \$20/wk (in order to get more shooters). Although the cost is less, we will still include food and prizes. You can also shoot in two man teams, as well as, play the 50/50. Dates this year are Jan 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>rd</sup>, Feb 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>, March 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> and the post shoot April 2.

Please check the clubs website ([www.cirodandgun.com](http://www.cirodandgun.com)) for additional events that we will be holding this year.

In other news, Clinton Irwin will be splitting responsibilities in effort to better serve our membership base. What does this mean to you? We are looking to assemble committees to manage the demands of our shooters and the upkeep of our facilities. The small group of members that have mowed, fixed target boards, painted the houses, replaced boards, and in general maintained the facility are stepping down. Let's face it – we aren't getting any younger. **We need your help.**

If you shoot at the Club and enjoy what we offer, please know that it comes at a cost. **We are asking that ALL members make it to two meetings a year.** We need more folks getting involved beyond just coming to shoot. If you can't make a meeting, but you are shooting with other Members on the Range, just ask how you can help. We understand that everyone has other obligations. Share your contact info, reach out to the Club Directors and Officers, Organize a weekend, or weekday, that you can lend a hand. The Rifle Range is in desperate need of regular upkeep and maintenance. It has been open and in operation for over two years; in that time it has seen plenty of use. Each meeting we ask for a committee to be formed and we have yet to see any action. Donating your time is more valuable to us than donating materials or money!

As a reminder **- if you are a key holder to the clubhouse** - you will be asked to donate

your time as a volunteer during club events. More than half of our annual income comes from two NSSA shoot weekends. Shooter Participation has also increased and as a result we need more volunteers to help load houses, run squads, keep score, take money, serve food, and overall event preparation. Even a little bit of help goes a long way and does not go unnoticed.

In closing –We have built a strong and stable foundation. We personally believe we have the best overall Gun Club in the area. If we step back and look at what we have built together, Clinton-Irwin Rod & Gun Club is something to really be proud of. This goes without saying, but it cannot sustain this growth and prosperity without **YOU!**

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Thank you for taking time to read this annual newsletter. For those of you who have received this email, please pass the information on to other members or anyone who may be interested in joining as we will not be mailing newsletters out. All information about joining or renewing your membership will be done through the website or at the club. We look forward to seeing you out on the range!

Shoot straight,  
-CI Rod & Gun  
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**Renewal Application** Please send in this renewal application along with a check and a self-addressed stamped envelope to **Clinton Irwin Rod and Gun 333 Jones Road, Harrisville PA 16038**. If a self-addressed stamp envelope is not included member must pick up card during regular business hours.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_  
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