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JULY 2021 MEETING

The next meeting of the Chatuge Gun Club will be on Tuesday,
July 20th, 2021, at 7:00 pm.

Location: The Towns County Civic Center, 67 Lakeview Circle
 (upper level) next to the Court House in Hiawassee.

Meetings are held 4 times a year,
 on the third Tuesday of meeting months,
 January, April (Annual Meeting), July and October.

Have a question or idea!

BE THERE!! COME AND BRING A FRIEND!

**Check out the
 Chatuge Gun Club
 website:**

chatugegunclub.com

It has schedules,
 match descriptions,
 directions, range
 rules, photos, club
 contacts,
 newsletters,
 shooting related
 links and a complete
 calendar of ALL
 club events and
 activities.

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2021 MATCH SCHEDULE

Match dates and times are subject to change.

Check back here before you go to the range.

July 3	Defensive Pistol Class & Match	9:00 AM	8:30 AM-5:00 PM	Rick Klopp	706.781.4526
July 10	Lever Action Silhouette	11:00 AM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Joan Moody	706.747.1226
July 11	*Open Range Day	1:30 PM	1:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Carol Rosenqvist	706.781.4392
July 17	3-Gun	10:00 AM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Dave Ochs	850.264.2326
July 20	Club Meeting	7:00 PM	Towns County	Civic Center	
July 24	Smallbore Rifle Silhouette	12:00 PM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Carol Rosenqvist	706.781.4392
July 25	Women On Target (training)	10:00 AM	9:00 AM-4:00 PM	Carol Rosenqvist	706.781.4392
July 31	Bench Rest	10:00 AM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	William Parker	860.798.8646
July 31	NEW Cast Bullet Benchrest	1:00 PM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	William Parker	860.798.8646
July 31	NRA - RSO class	8:30 AM	for details email	Ed Jones	at email below
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Aug. 7	Steel Plate Duel	10:30 AM	9:00 AM-4:00 PM	Thad Bynum	706.490.0523
Aug. 8	*Open Range Day	1:30 PM	1:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Carol Rosenqvist	706.781.4392
Aug. 14	Lever Action Silhouette	11:00 AM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Joan Moody	706.747.1226
Aug. 21	Bowling Pin	10:00 AM	9:00 AM-4:00 PM	Keith McMahan	828.557.2160
Aug. 28	Smallbore Rifle Silhouette	12:00 PM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Carol Rosenqvist	706.781.4392
Sept. 4	BLOCKED				
Sept. 5	Steel Plate Challenge	10:00 AM	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Steve Boatright	828.342.6217

STEEL PLATE DUEL

29 MAY 2021

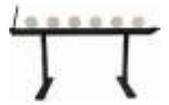
THAD BYNUM - MATCH DIRECTOR

On Saturday May 29th, we had a good turnout with 18 shooters competing in the Steel Plate Duel.

This match consists of 2 shooters competing against each other standing side by side attempting to knock down their respective targets first before their opponent. It is a double elimination match so if a shooter gets beat once they still have a chance to compete and win.



Mike Clare won 1st place in the rimfire with Josh Warman 2nd and Barry Dean 3rd.



In the centerfire match Mike Clare again came in 1st with Josh Warman 2nd and Jerome Schreiber 3rd.

Thanks for everyone that came and shot along with those that helped to set up and take down the targets.



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Today, I placed my Glock Model 21SF .45 cal. automatic pistol with laser on the table right next to my kitchen door. I left its clip beside it, then left it alone and went about my business.

While I was gone, the mailman delivered my mail, the next-door neighbor mowed the yard, a girl walked her dog down the street, and quite a few cars stopped at the "stop" sign near the front of my house.

After about an hour, I checked on the gun. It was quietly sitting there right where I had left it. It had not moved itself outside. It had not killed anyone.

Certainly, even with the numerous opportunities it had presented to do that. In fact, it had not even loaded itself.

Well, you can imagine my surprise, with all the hype by the Democrats and

their propaganda media, about how dangerous guns are and "How They" kill people. Either the media is wrong, or I'm in possession of the laziest gun in the world.

The United States is 3rd in murders throughout the world. But if you take out just 5 'left-wing' cities: Chicago, Detroit, Washington DC, St Louis, and New Orleans--the United States is 4th from the bottom, in the ENTIRE world, for murders.

These 5 cities are controlled by Democrats. They also have the toughest gun control laws in the USA. It would be absurd to draw any conclusions from this data, right?

Well, I'm off to check on my spoons. I hear they're making people fat.

LEVER ACTION SILHOUETTE

JUNE 12, 2021

JOAN MOODY - MATCH DIRECTOR

June 12, 2021 was the 3rd Lever Action Silhouette match of the year, 3 more to go.

We had 2 new shooters among the 15 participants. The day got off to a good start, will almost, there was a short delay due to someone trying to put the wrong ammo in a rifle, we know who it was. ☺ The rifle was taken apart, the round removed, and the match went on.

We had a nice breeze for most of the day, but no wondering that it is summer.

We had many shooters, Bill Christine, Kim Clingan, Josh Warman, Scott Bosso, Laura Hahn, Joan Moody, Frank O'Hara, and Nick Hughes all hit 5 animals in a row and won pins for their good aim. Others won pins



for hitting 10 in a row, Dale Clingan and Josh Warman, great job guys.

In the Pistol Cartridge match, the Match Winner was Dale Clingan, 1st AAA, Frank Ledford, 1st AA, Josh Warman, 2nd AA, Keith McMahan, 3rd AA, Joan Moody.

In the Rimfire match, the Match Winner was Charles Meli, 1st AAA, Frank Ledford, 2nd AAA, Dale Clingan, 1st AA, Laura Hahn, and 2nd AA, Kim Clingan.

The next time to give it a go at the 40 steel animals will be on July 10, come join us, you will have a fun day.

As always, to see more photos of this match and many others go to the club pictures at <https://chatugegc.com/>

STEEL PLATE CHALLENGE

JUNE 6, 2021

STEVE BOATRIGHT - MATCH DIRECTOR

10 competitors turned out for the June 6th Steel Plate Challenge.

Beautiful day, shame about the shooting!!!

Thanks to everyone who helped set and tear down.

We couldn't hold these competitions without you.

Looking to see everyone on the next one.

Thanks

Steve

CENTERFIRE OPEN

1st Dave Hickerson time 66.19

2nd Steve Boatright time 72.73

3rd Josh Warman time 74.11

RIMFIRE OPEN

1st Dave Hickerson time 63.32

2nd Josh Warman time 78.65

3rd Jerome Schreiber time 99.01

CENTERFIRE LIMITED.

1st Steve Boatright time 77.15

2nd Wayne Chapman time 95.67

3rd Erly Gardner time 412.42

CHATUGE GUN CLUB SUPPORTS A GROWING MINISTRY

On Tuesday June 22, 2021, Ed Jones, President of Chatuge Gun Club presented a check to Becky L Dyer, Executive Director of WEC Family Resources. In presenting the check, Mr. Jones explained the members of Chatuge Gun Club are dedicated to supporting organizations that build up families.

WEC Family Resources is celebrating their 30th anniversary. The ministry opened its doors in July of 1991 under the name Appalachian Area Crisis Pregnancy Center. At the time, the focus was to minister to pregnant women. Over the years however, the staff of WEC Family Resources has recognized the need to serve not just expectant mothers, but fathers, grandparents and foster families also.

As Mrs. Dyer explained to Mr. and Mrs. Jones, our advocates are trained to assist our clients in finding the help they need. That help might come in the form of referrals to other organizations such as Georgia Mountain Pregnancy Center, 9th District, Family Connections, Avita or any of the other numerous connections the ministry may have.



Carol Blackburn, Becky L Dyer, Ed and Verlee Jones

WEC Family Resources also provides our clients with material needs through a program that allows clients to earn points for items such as car seats, baby beds and diapers. Every client also has the ability to shop in our Children's Shoppe twice a month for children's clothing (0 to 5T).

Other resources include our new Parent Education

Program. BrightCourse includes classes that cover everything from the first trimester of pregnancy, basic life skills, classes specifically for fathers, safety instruction such as the proper way to install the various kinds of car seats, and single parenting. All courses can be completed from the convenience of a client's home. There are over 180 topics that are updated monthly.

The Center also provides free Childbirth Education Classes facilitated by trained Child Birth Educators. There is also Certified Life Coach on staff who works with couples and individuals looking to make a change in their lives. For the fathers, the Center also offers a men's ministry, Fishers of Men, led by two local pastors.

**2021 North
Carolina
Smallbore
Hunter Rifle
State
Championship
1st Place
AA Class**



Frank Ledford

*Geezz Frank,
How 'Bout A Little Smile, Huh!*



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SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTE

JUNE 26, 2021

CAROL ROSENQVIST - MATCH DIRECTOR



Standard Rifle Class		Hunting Rifle Class	
Match Winner	Mark Maglothin	Match Winner	Laura Hahn
1st AAA	Frank Ledford	1st AA	Scott Bosso
1st A	Laura Hahn	1st A	Bill Christine
2nd A	Joan Moody	1st UNC	Tom Halasz
1st UNC	Keith Bishop		
2nd UNC	Sith Griffin		

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When patterning shotguns, please use the patterning paper on the roll at the rear of the firing area.
Do place it directly on the boards!
Place it between two of the target boards so the shot does not destroy the target boards.



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