



Country Pond Fish & Game Club - Newton, NH

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## **Upcoming & Ongoing Events**

www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com

## **New Member Orientation**

10:00

## 2nd Sunday of each month



August 2013

### **Trap Shooting**

Tuesdays: 18:00 - 20:00 (May thru September) Saturdays: 13:00 - 15:00 Sundays: 09:00 - 12:00



## Rifle League

Mondays, 18:00



### Trap Doubles Tournament

Wednesdays, thru 11 September 17:00 - 20:00



## NRA Basic Rifle Shooting Course

Saturday, 27 July, 08:00 - 16:30+



#### CMP AR-15 SHOOT

Sunday, 28 July, 12:30



#### **Indoor .22 Rimfire Pin Shoot**

Tuesday, 30 July, 19:00



#### **Board of Directors Meeting**

Thursday, 1 August, 19:00 (Email Piney if you'd like to have something placed on the agenda)



#### **Indoor .22 Rimfire Pin Shoot**

Tuesday, 6 August, 19:00



#### **Indoor Centerfire Pin Shoot**

Thursday, 8 August, 19:00

## **Bowhunter Education**

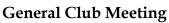
Friday, 9 August, 19:00 & Sunday, 18 August, 08:00

THIS CLASS IS FULL



## CMP SEMI-AUTO SHOOT

Saturday, 10 August, 09:30



Thursday, 15 August, 19:00
Your attendance would be appreciated.



#### **Outdoor Pin Shoot**

Saturday, 17 August, 09:00



## 22 Steel Plate Shoot

Sunday, 18 August, 12:00



## **Indoor .22 Rimfire Pin Shoot**

Tuesday, 20 August, 19:00



#### **Indoor Centerfire Pin Shoot**

Thursday, 22 August, 19:30



#### NRA Basic Pistol Shooting Course

Saturday, 24 August, 08:00 - 16:30+



## Cowboy Action Shooting Match

Sunday, 25 August, High Noon



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## **RANGE CLOSURES**

## thru August

(Hours shown are ACTUAL TIMES CLOSED)

#### **OUTDOOR RANGE**

Every Sunday  Trap and Membership Tours		12:00
Saturday, 17 AUG	09:00 -	13:00
Sunday, 18 AUG22 Plate Shoot	10:00 -	16:00
Sunday, 25 AUG	09:00 -	17:00

#### TRAP RANGE

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Tuesdays	18:00 -	20:00
Saturdays	13:00 -	15:00
Sundays	10:00 -	12:00
Regular Trap (closed to othe	er activii	ties)
Wednesdays thru 11 SEP Trap Doubles Tournament	16:30 -	20:30
Thursday, 8 AUG	17:30 -	21:30

RANGE CLOSURES ARE ALSO POSTED NEXT TO THE RANGE SIGN-IN BOOK

#### **INDOOR PISTOL RANGE**

Saturday, 27 JUL07:30 - 17:30 Basic Rifle Training Class
Tuesday, 30 JUL
Tuesday, 6 AUG
Thursday, 8 AUG18:30 - 23:00 <i>Centerfire Pin Shoot</i>
Friday, 9 AUG18:30 - 21:30 <i>Bowhunter Ed</i>
Thursday, 15 AUG18:00 - 21:00 <i>Monthly Meeting</i>
Sunday, 18 AUG07:30 - 17:30 <i>Bowhunter Ed</i>
Tuesday, 20 AUG
Thursday, 22 AUG18:30 - 23:00 <i>Centerfire Pin Shoot</i>
Saturday, 24 AUG07:30 - 17:30 Basic Pistol Class

SHOOTING ON A CLOSED RANGE IS A <u>SERIOUS</u> SAFETY VIOLATION MEMBERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR KNOWING WHEN RANGES ARE CLOSED

## Stay in touch with your Employees

(that's right... they work for YOU.)

http://www.congress.org/ has links to the White House, the US Senate, the US House of Representatives, and all of your state government representatives.

Let them know how you feel about things.



#### Classified Ads

All Classified Ads may be found on the Club website at <a href="http://www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com/classads.html">http://www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com/classads.html</a>

Send your classified ads to: piney@pineywoodsplace.com

Classified ads must be received by 17:00 the day after the monthly General Meeting. Ads may be edited as space requires.

Commercial Ad Rates				
	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	Full Year
Full Page	\$100	\$270	\$480	\$840
1/2 Page	\$50	\$135	\$240	\$420
1/3 Page	\$30	\$81	\$144	\$252
1/4 Page	\$25	\$68	\$120	\$210
Business Card	\$10	\$27	\$48	\$84



## **New Members**

Four new members were accepted as Members into Country Pond Fish & Game Club this month.

MEMBER SPONSOR
Robert Little Bill Doherty
Fredrick Stafford Gary Tilden
Kevin Surette Dan Karapanagiotis
Bob Valentine Andy Gaunt

We're looking forward to getting to know each of you on the ranges and at our Club activities and events.

#### DISCOUNT BULLETS

Country Pond Members - 5% discount on lead bullets at Missouri Bullet
Company. Go to "Members Only"
on the Club Website for details.

## CPF&G Club FFL Fees & Rules

THIS SERVICE IS FOR CLUB MEMBERS ONLY

All purchases: Cost + shipping + 3% All Transfers: \$10

PURCHASES THROUGH THE CLUB FFL ARE LIMITED TO FIREARMS ONLY

Club Members may contact Jeff Gersbach at <u>igersbach@gmail.com</u> to order firearms or to complete firearms transfers by appointment.

Club Members may also order guns themselves, to be delivered to the Club, but must have the sender include a copy of the Club's **Firearms Order Form**. This form is available on the "Members Only" page of the Club website and at the Club. If this form is not included, the firearm will be returned to the sender, and return shipping plus a \$10.00 service charge will be assessed to the Member.

There will be an additional \$20.00 charge for items shipped to the Club via FEDEX. Choose UPS or the US Postal Service instead.

# **NRA Basic Rifle Shooting Course**



Country Pond F&G Club 82 Pond St, Newton, NH

Seats for qualified applicants will be confirmed on a first come, first served basis, determined by when your application is received.

## STUDENTS MUST REGISTER IN ADVANCE

A course application is available online at

http://www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com/DOCS/basic\_rifle\_app.pdf

The cost of this course is \$100 for CPF&G Club Members, and \$125 for non-members. All required course materials will be provided.

# STUDENTS MAY NOT BRING ANY FIREARMS OR AMMUNITION TO CLASS

Any student under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian throughout the class. The parent or guardian may register and take the course as well, but this is not required.

## THIS CLASS IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC BUT IS LIMITED TO TEN STUDENTS

For more information, contact Paul Gilberti - 603-426-2025 - pgis@comcast.net

## Cowboy Action Shooting



THESE **MATCHES** ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

CPF&G Members \$5.00 Juniors (under 17) shoot FREE Everyone else \$10.00

A real fun time shooting with great people! Registration: 10:30 - 11:45

Shooting starts at High Noon

For more details, go to

http://www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com/cas.html

Piney Woods 603-659-2096 piney@pineywoodsplace.com Wild Bill Blackerby 603-895-9554 nhwildbill@comcast.net

Granite State Bowhunters 3-1) Archery Match



8 September 2013 All Archers Welcome This Event is Open to the Public



The .357 Magnum has become one of the most ubiquitous cartridges in the United States, if not the world. There are rifles, semiautomatic pistols, and of course, revolvers chambered for it. Some 65 years after its introduction, it remains the pre-eminent medium bore handgun round on the market. Despite more powerful cartridges available, there are few, if any, that match the .357's versatility and broad appeal. The .357 can trace its roots back to a free market and its responses to consumer demand.

#### Velocity?

In the early part of the 20th century, American firearms companies placed little import on increased handgun cartridge muzzle velocity. Early smokeless powder cartridges, such as the .44 WCF and the .45 Colt were designed to mimic the performance of their progenitor black powder loads. As late as 1929, only one American handgun cartridge was being produced with a velocity in excess of 1,000 feet per second: the Colt .38 Automatic, which had remained in comparative obscurity since its introduction in 1904. This was in no small part due to the fact that the only firearms chambered for the .38 Automatic, were the old Colt "parallel ruler" pistols that dated to before the turn of the century. The round was quite good, with a muzzle velocity of 1,150 fps with a 130 grain bullet, and capable of very good accuracy at long ranges.

#### Bulletproof Vests and Bad Guys

During World War I, a number of products were marketed as bullet proof vests, were tested by the military. As it turned out, these were unsuited for use by soldiers, being cumbersome and heavy, and vulnerable against rifle fire. However, in the post-war gangster era, these vests became very popular with the underworld, when it was realized that the would effectively stop almost all handgun bullets. This worked out well for the criminals for a while, as the police at that time were dedicating Government Model .45 autos to serious business, and the slow .45 ACP was easily stopped by the vests. Many tests

## The .357 Magnum

were conducted, demonstrating that currently available police equipment could not defeat the vests. The problem was turned over to Colt. They found that the vest would stop every round from every gun, including the 45 ACP and 45 Colt, except for the virtually forgotten .38 Automatic. That cartridge punched a neat little hole right through the vest. To increase the round's efficacy. Colt increased the muzzle velocity to 1,300 fps, and the .38 Super Automatic cartridge was born. The new cartridge was adopted by many police agencies, including the FBI, and performed well, not only on armored vests, but on automobiles as well.

#### Smith & Wesson Reacts

As may well be suspected, the Smith & Wesson corporation was not happy to see its regular police customers leaving! the K frame S&W revolver chambered for the .38 S&W Special had been a very popular police sidearm, but its ammunition simply couldn't punch holes in armored vests. In 1933, S&W compared the .38 Special and the .38 Super. Bullet diameters and weights were similar, with the .38 Super at .359" with 130 grain bullets, and the .38 Special at .357" and 158 grains. Muzzle velocity and energy, however, were vastly different, with the .38 Super



Automatic at 1,300 fps and 487 ft-lbs, compared to the 847 fps and 252 ft-lbs of the .38 Special. Things were not coming up roses for S&W.



However, there was one area where there was room to grow. The .38 Super had a length of 1.27" while the .38 Special measured 1.55." While there was still substantial space available for additional powder in the .38 Special, the .38 Super was packed to capacity. Experimentation demonstrated that additional powder could be safely added to the .38 Special case. In deference to the new cartridge's increased recoil and increased pressure, a new revolver was developed for it by mating a .44 frame with a cylinder and

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As an NRA affiliated club, it is important for us to support the National Rifle Association. By joining the NRA through CPF&G Club, \$5 of the annual \$35 fee (\$10 of the \$85 3-yr membership) is paid back to our club. The cost to you is the same as it would be if joining directly, or through any other NRA affiliated organization or group.

To join, renew, or upgrade your membership, go to <a href="http://membership.nrahq.org/default.asp?campaignid=XC004701">http://membership.nrahq.org/default.asp?campaignid=XC004701</a> or contact Sharon Theobald at <a href="mailto:shootinlady655@aol.com">shootinlady655@aol.com</a> or 978-374-8061.

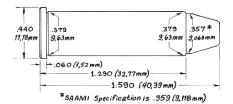
## The .357 Magnum

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barrel bored for the .38. S&W called this gun the ".38/44 Heavy Duty", and the ammunition was designated .38/44, so as to differentiate it from the standard .38 Special. Ballistically, the new cartridge was a success, coming within a few feet per second and a few foot pounds of the .38 Super, and slicing through both armor and automobiles with ease.

#### Enter Elmer Keith

Smith & Wesson didn't rest on its laurels with the .38/44. While the .ne gun held the fort with respect to market share, the company set out to settle the issue with the .38 Super once and for all. With Keith's assistance, the experiments with the .38 Special and the .38/44 continued. The powder charge was consistently increased until a cartridge was developed that would launch the 158 grain bullet at some 1,515 fps muzzle velocity with 807 ft-pds of muzzle energy. Tests showed that while the heat-treated cylinders would withstand the new round's great pressure, recoil was a problem. The solution was to design yet another new revolver. The final product retained the general lines of the .44 frame while adding metal to various portions of the gun, and restoring the top rib to the



barrel, which had not been seen on large frame S&W guns since the .44 Russian. With an 8 3/4" barrel, the weight of the new gun came in at 47 ounces - a weight not seen since the days of the Colt Dragoon! The new model was named Magnum, to indicate its unparalleled status, and was chambered to allow use of standard .38 Special, .38/44, or .357 Magnum ammunition. However, in order to avoid the unpleasant consequences if the new ammunition were used in an ordinary .38 Special, the case was lengthened about 1/8" so as to prevent a .38 Special cylinder closing on the Magnum cartridge.

Threatened by a Colt product, S&W replied with not one but two products. One, the .38/44 paralleled the Colt cartridge, and the other, the .357 Magnum, far surpassed it. The .357 Magnum is proof that necessity is the mother of invention.

# Trap Shooting



\$3.50 per round or \$30.00 for a 10-round card

# THESE SESSIONS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

THE TRAP RANGE IS CLOSED TO OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THESE SESSIONS

For more information, contact Ken Schultz 603-895-3083 papa.schulz@myfairpoint.net



Saturday Matches start at 09:30 Sunday Matches start at 12:30 Setup starts 1/2 hour earlier

\$10.00 Entry Fee Ammo Required: 50-60 Rounds Open Sights Only

# CMP MATCHES

(CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM)



THESE MATCHES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

For more information, contact Steve Sousa at 603-772-5422 or <a href="mailto:shooter1911@hotmail.com">shooter1911@hotmail.com</a> or go to <a href="http://www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com/cmp.html">http://www.countrypondfishandgameclub.com/cmp.html</a>

Sunday, 28 July AR-15 Shoot

Saturday, 10 August Semi-Auto Shoot

Sunday, 22 September Semi-Auto Shoot

Sunday, 20 October Bolt-Action Shoot

## **Gun Rights Organizations**

"A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed."

- United States Constitution - Amendment II - ratified 1791

American Sheepdog	http://americansheepdog.com/Forum/
Citizens Committee for the Right to Keep and I	Bear Arms http://www.ccrkba.org/
Gun Owner's Action League (MA)	http://www.goal.org/
Gun Owners of America	http://www.gunowners.org/
Gun Owners of New Hampshire	http://www.gonh.org/
Jews for the Preservation of Firearms Ownershi	p http://www.jpfo.org/
Maine Gun Owners Assoc	http://www.mgoa.com/
National Rifle Association	http://home.nra.org/#/home
National Shooting Sports Foundation	http://www.nssf.org/
Pink Pistols	http://www.pinkpistols.org/
Second Amendment Foundation	http://www.saf.org/
Second Amendment Sisters	http://www.2asisters.org/
USA Carry	http://www.usacarry.com/
Women Against Gun Control	http://www.wagc.com/

## **Brass & Lead Recycling**



The black steel barrels located outside the door to the Indoor Range are for Scrap Lead Recycling, not trash. Please don't throw trash in them.

Also, please don't throw spent brass in the trash. There are dedicated receptacles on both the indoor and outdoor ranges for that. Please use them.



## **2013 BOWLING PIN SHOOTS**



Registration: 18:30 - 18;55 Shooting starts at 19:00

All matches are on THURSDAYS

8 AUG 22 AUG 12 SEP 26 SEP

Max Caliber: 44 Magnum

.38 Special or weaker calibers are not allowed due to bullet bounce back

\$7.00 per gun All sights welcome

## Indoor 22 RIMFIRE

Registration: 18:30 - 18;55 Shooting starts at 19:00

All matches are on TUESDAYS

**30 JUL** 

6 AUG 20 AUG 3 SEP 17 SEP 15 OCT 29 OCT 5 NOV 19 NOV 3 DEC 17 DEC

\$5.00 per gun All sights welcome

## **OUTDOORS**

Registration: 08:30 Shooting starts at 09:00

All matches are on SATURDAYS

17 AUG 21 SEP 26 OCT 16 NOV

.38 Special or weaker calibers are not allowed due to possible bullet bounce back

Centerfire: \$7.00 per gun
.22 Rimfire: \$5.00 per gun
All sights welcome

## THESE SHOOTS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Call or write Sharon Theobald - 978-374-8061 or shootinlady655@aol.com

# Your Right to Defend Yourself?

These maps show where you can legally carry a concealed firearm if you have a New Hampshire, Massachusetts, or Maine License to Carry a Concealed Weapon.

New Hampshire honors <u>Resident</u> Licenses from Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Missouri, Mississippi, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Utah, and Wyoming. New Hampshire does not honor Non-Resident Permits or Licenses. You must be a resident of the state they honor for your permit to be valid in New Hampshire.

Massachusetts doesn't honor any other states' licenses at all.

Like New Hampshire, Maine only honors <u>Resident</u> Licenses or Permits, and only from Arkansas, Delaware, Louisiana, Michigan, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, and Wyoming.

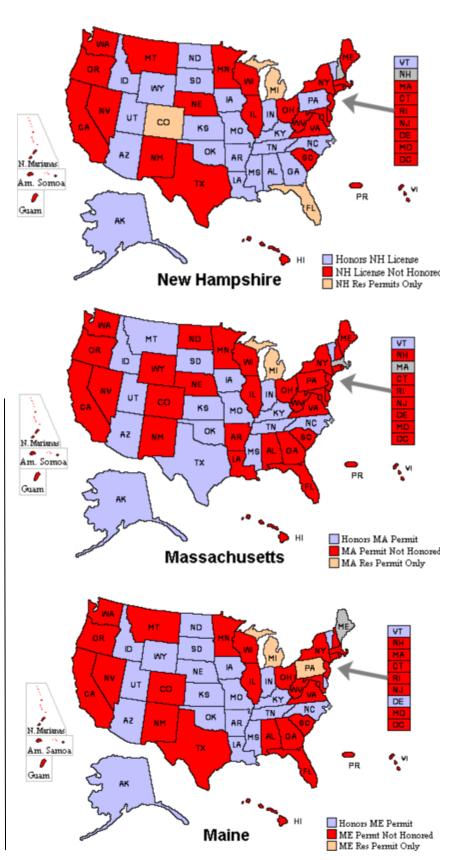
Source: www.handgunlaw.us (As of 8 Jul 2013)

## Who Ya Gonna Call?

If you have a comment, concern, or question about a particular item, event, or aspect of the Club, please consult the "Club Contacts" page for who to get in touch with. There's a copy of the list in every newsletter, it's on the Club Website, and it's posted at various places around the Club as well.



There are a good number of responsible people at Country Pond Fish & Game Club, and we've tried to divide up those responsibilities so that no one gets overloaded. If you've always gone to one particular person for everything, that doesn't mean you should continue to do so. That one person isn't supposed to do "everything" and it's not fair to assume that they will. Besides they'd probably just have to refer you to the correct person anyway.



## **CPF&G Club Contacts**

Revised: 1 July 2013

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These names are listed here for a reason. Don't be afraid to call or email your questions or concerns to the appropriate party.