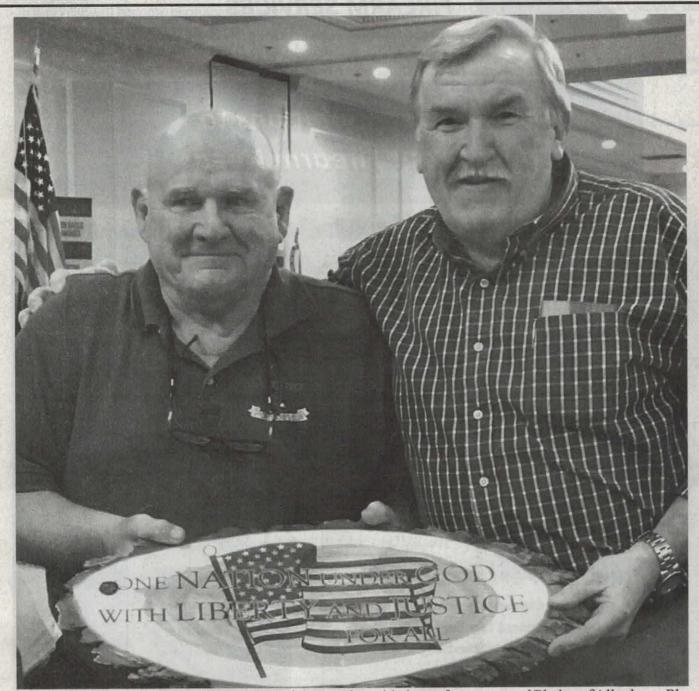
## **Worcester County League of Sportsmen's Clubs**

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#### **CLUB HOURS**

The club house is open:

Every Thursday evening: 6 pm to Closing Every Saturday afternoon: 2 pm to Closing

Get your Norco logoed T-shirt. T-shirts are now on sale at the clubhouse, sizes S-XXL, your color choice of white or gray. More sizes being planned. Show your club pride and wear it at upcoming meetings and the September clambake.

#### Hats

New hats are available for order. See Alexis at the lounge For your choice of 4 styles. Samples are at the Club \$18 each.

#### Work needed tto be done at Noco

Clear brush under power line from Houghton road to fish shack

Clear brush at the pheasant fields For details Contact Jaye Fitzgerald (978) 490-9035 Mike LaFountain (978) 464-5755 Dick Fontaine (508) 981-7803

Front Page Photo

At the September 2017 Central MA Friends of NRA annual banquet, Norco had 2 tables of representatives attending the fundraiser event. As part of the evening, special commemorative NRA packages and items were auctioned off. The last auction item of the evening was the Veterans Tribute which featured a NRA Dinner Bell and the Honor of Presenting the Pledge of Allegiance Plaque to the Eldest Veteran in attendance.

Though there were many veterans present and all recognized for their service to our country to protect our freedoms including the Second Amendment, Dick was identified as the Eldest Veteran in attendance, at a spry age of 80 born before WWII. Bob Hager was determined to have a Norco member win the bid, so bidding heated up and the wallets opened to benefit the NRA. Here Bob proudly presents Dick with the craftsman carved Pledge of Allegiance Plaque.

#### RIFLE RANGE HOURS

M-Sat: 9:00 AM to Dusk (no later than 9:30PM) SUN: 12:00 noon to Dusk (no later than 9:30PM) Carry in Carry out. Please do not place dud ammo in barrels

#### TRAP and SKEET RANGE HOURS (weather permitting)

Mon and Thurs 6 pm - 9:30; Sat 1 pm - 4 pm

Please, Keep the Ranges Clean

Calendar

October 5th.GOAL Seminar on MA Gun Law 7th. Youth Pheasant Hunt 12th Business Meeting and Officer Elections 20th Host monthly WCLSC Leadership Meeting 26thExec Board Meeting 29thPin Shoot November 9thBusiness Meeting 16 thTurkey Shoot 16 thExec Board Meeting 23thClub Closed Thanksgiving December 10th Norco Christmas Party 14th Business Meeting 14th Clubhouse Evening Social Christmas Party 17th Neighbors Breakfast

All Norco Ranges are closed on Saturdays during Pheasant Season, October 7 - November 25

Saturday breakfasts are available during Regular Pheasant Season October 14 - November 25

Seats are available for the October 5th GOALMA Gun Law Seminar. To register, send email to webmaster@ norco.club. If you don't register, you won't have materials reserved for you. Seminar will be led by GOAL Jon Green, 6PM-9:30PM. Come get your questions answered with the ever changing landscape of MA state laws. You can bring guests too, but they also have to be registered.

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The August Pin Shoot Winner was Pat Carney. Pin Shoots are on the last Sunday of the month, 12N-2PM. Remaining Pin Shoots are September 24th and October 29th .



Norco recently hosted a First Aid/CPR/AED and Gun Shot Wound Management Class for 15 members and community residents. The instructor Scott Goldstein, a high-energy Fire Dept Chief and trainer from Baltimore County Fire and Medical Training Inc, provided a full day of practical training that focused on muscle memory through immediate hands-on practicing of the proper techniques for CPR, using an AED, triaging wound types, learning to use several different types of tourniquets and bandages, and how to improvise a wound treatment with what you have on-hand. Every second counts to save a limb. Several students who were trained a while ago or eons ago learned several treatment methods have changed with the times such as for CPR getting right into compression first, instead of the past technique of ABC where airway and breathing were first.

The class included first responder practical scenarios, best told through the photos from the day, including gunshot wound to the chest, gut knife wound, loss of fingers and damaged limbs, extensive gunpowder burns while reloading, accidental arrow shooting to the torso, and an attempted self-injury with a fire-arm. First responders had to secure the scene, notify emergency services, and begin treatment. One outcome of the day will be the range committees improving the first kits we have on hand at the club ranges to include IFAKs to address gunshot wound management.

Captions for the four above photos. Student Steve Kroll applies pressure to seal off a gunshot wound to the chest. Students practice CPR and while Bob Hager sets up the AED Device, Student Barbara Adams prepares to apply Heimlich maneuver to clear airway -Student Jaye Fitzgerald applies bandages and dressing to injured hand