

## **Norco News WCL May 2023**

### **Calendar**

#### **May 2023**

- 10 & 13, DH1 Class, Pistol range closed 13<sup>th</sup> 9am-5pm
- 11 Monthly Members Business Meeting
- 12 & 14 Monty Tech LTC Class, Pistol range closed 14<sup>th</sup> 12N-3PM
- 13 Clubhouse and Lawn and Range cleanup day, 8am-2pm
- 13 & 14 Metal Recycle Days, 8am-5pm
- 20 Fishing Derby #2 , 8am-12N ; no fishing May 15<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> until derby
- 20, Rifle/pistol range closed during derby, 9am-1PM
- 21 DH2 Class, Pistol range closed 12N-6PM
- 25 Executive Committee Meeting
- 28 Pistol Bowling Pin Shoot or skills drills, 12-2PM

#### **June 2023**

- 2&3 DH1 Class, Pistol Range closed 3<sup>rd</sup> 9am-5pm
- 4 CNEBC Rental, rifle, pistol, trap ranges closed 12-2PM; archery closed dawn-2PM
- 8 Monthly Members Business Meeting
- 9 & 10 Cub Scout sleepover, archery range closed 9<sup>th</sup> 5PM-dusk; 10<sup>th</sup> dawn-12N
- 10 Steakout 4-8PM \$20 pp; and Lucky 7 Raffle Drawing 5 for \$20
- 17 Kids Day, open to public, 10AM-2PM, Archery targets closed 10-2PM
- 18 MCA Raffle drawing, 5 for \$20 , 22 items
- 21 BSA event on lawn 6pm-dusk; archery closed 5pm-dusk
- 22 Executive Committee Meeting
- 24 NWTF Annual Heritage Banquet, starts 2PM, Spencer Fish & Game
- 25 Snubnose Noir program; pistol range closed 12N-3PM

❖ Basic Hunter Class scheduled for August

#### **Upcoming Scheduled Range closures:**

Pistol Range: May 13<sup>th</sup> 9-5, 14<sup>th</sup> 12-3, 20<sup>th</sup> 9am-PM, 21<sup>st</sup> 12N-6PM, 28<sup>th</sup> 12-2PM

Pistol Range continued: June 3<sup>rd</sup> 9am-5pm, 4<sup>th</sup> 12-2pm, 25<sup>th</sup> 12-3PM

Rifle Range: May 20<sup>th</sup> 9am-1pm; June 4<sup>th</sup> 12-2PM;

Trap/Skeet: June 4<sup>th</sup> , 12-2PM

Archery Target Lawn: May 13<sup>th</sup> dawn-2PM; June 4<sup>th</sup> dawn-3PM; 9<sup>th</sup> 5pm-dusk; 10<sup>th</sup> dawn-12N; 17<sup>th</sup> 10am-2pm; 21<sup>st</sup> 5pm-dusk

Archery 3D Course: no closure, 10 targets now setout as 4/22

Note: Pistol ranges closed during Defensive Handgun classes (9AM-5PM), Dimlight (5PM-9PM) and Bowling Pin Shoots (12-2PM). Note: all ranges closed all day during Pheasant Hunting Season on Saturdays, Oct 14 - Nov 25 and Youth Pheasant Hunt Day Sept 23.

Visit the Norco Events Calendar for more details on all events <https://www.norco.club/events/> The detailed event calendar for 2023 is posted and can be downloaded/printed out.

## **NEWS**

May 11th Members Meeting will be held at the clubhouse, meeting starts promptly at 7:30PM. Prior to the meeting, between 6PM-7PM. Norco will have a dinner to purchase; Mexican themed; fish tacos, deviled eggs, guacamole, salsa, pheasant fajitas.

May 13th 8am-2pm. Spring cleanup for clubhouse, clubhouse grounds, and more Bring hand landscaping tools, rakes, pruners, power tools chain-saw, weedwhacker, brush saw, gloves. Continental breakfast and hot lunch provided for volunteers.

May 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>, Metal recycle days, 8am-5pm; no after hour drop-offs. All types of metal collected including appliances, copper plumbing and wire, lead-based batteries, aluminum, steel, iron, old lawn and farm equipment, brass shells. Local town pickup available with rsvp and nominal donation of \$25. Program open to the public. Volunteers needed to help offload cars and load container. Questions and rsvp, [wayne@norco.club](mailto:wayne@norco.club)

May 20th Fishing Derby, 8am-12N. Prizes for all kids. Prizes for first fish and largest fish. Adult donation of \$5. Kids free, bring your neighbor kids. Lots of adults to help kids learn to fish. Food and beverage for purchase – donuts, coffee, egg sandwiches, soda, dogs, burgers, etc. Volunteers needed to help food setup and cleanup, run the derby with fees, prizes, etc. No Pond fishing May 15<sup>th</sup> -20<sup>th</sup>, until the derby opens.

June 10<sup>th</sup> Steakout tickets are \$20 pp, ribeye cooked your way with sides and game sausage & jerky.

June 24<sup>th</sup>, NWTF Annual Heritage Banquet, 2PM, Spencer, see club website for tickets and packages.

June 25<sup>th</sup>, special snubnose training class, rsvp with [wayne@norco.club](mailto:wayne@norco.club) or for class details

Many club pictures for March-April now on the club website, [www.norco.club](http://www.norco.club) , for April fishing derby, Mikes journal on the Continental Divide Trail, Turkey Hunter Ed, pheasant and beaver workshops.

Defensive Handgun Classes: Register with Joe Picariello at [wachusettfirearmstraining@yahoo.com](mailto:wachusettfirearmstraining@yahoo.com) or 978-697-6654 . Norco member discounts. Stay tuned for more DH classes in coming months.

License to Carry Class Openings: May 12& 14. Register through Monty Tech Night Class program, <https://www.montytechnites.com/> . Fee is \$150 per student. Instructors are club members Terry Bass and Jaye Fitzgerald.

Norco has launched its “Lucky 7” 2023 raffle: 4 gift cards, each valued at \$500 each; plus an ammo bundle, a compound bow, and a Gun Parlor gift certificate. For members who sell their \$50 or more allotment, you will earn 5 volunteer work hours. Tickets can be ordered by email to [raffles@norco.club](mailto:raffles@norco.club) or purchased at the bar. To receive volunteer hours, ensure the raffle stub has your name on the back.

The Norco Club is available for private rentals; e.g. family celebrations and parties, special interest group meetings and seminars, etc. For more details, contact [wayne@norco.club](mailto:wayne@norco.club) . To look-over the options and fees, visit <https://www.norco.club/about-us/norco-clubhouse-and-grounds-rental/>