

2016 Eastern Region Annual Meeting Minutes

Respectfully Submitted, Lee Hachigian, ER Secretary / Treasurer
November 5, 2016, (APPROVED BY VOTE 12-11-17)

Jack Neary ~ Eastern Region, Director
Stan Buchtel ~ Eastern Region, Alt. Director
Lee Hachigian ~ ER, Secretary / Treasurer

The 2016 NBRSA Eastern Region Annual Meeting was held on November 5, 2016 at the Cabelas in Dundee, Michigan and was opened by Eastern Region director, Jack Neary, at 10:00 AM. There were 23 members present.

The Eastern Region Secretary/Treasurer (Lee Hachigian) presented the Draft 2015 Annual Meeting minutes for review and final approval. A motion was made by Ken Hottenstein to approve the 2015 minutes, seconded by Dominic Grunas. The motion passed by voice vote.

2017 Eastern Regional Annual Positions Election:

2017 Alternate Director

Jack Neary called for nominations. Lee Hachigian nominated Stan Buchtel, seconded by Don Rosetti. There were no other nominations and Stan was elected by voice vote.

2017 Secretary / Treasurer

Jack Neary called for nominations. Steve Theye nominated Lee Hachigian for the position of Secretary/Treasurer, seconded Gary Conaway. There were no other nominations and Lee was elected by voice vote.

2016 Treasurers Report:

The Treasurer's Report summarizes activity from 10/31/2015 to 10/31/2016. Respectfully Submitted by Lee Hachigian - Secretary / Treasurer.

Balance as of 10/31/2015: \$4,421.89

Net Income / (Expense): \$410.80

Balance as of 10/31/2016: \$4,832.69

Total Income: \$1,516.98

Income:

- 2016 Match Fee Income: \$665.00
 - WWCCA, Spring Tune Up (April): \$60
 - Fairchance, Hog Roast (May): \$180
 - Holton's President's Cup (May): \$50
 - WWCCA, Wolverine Challenge (June): \$38
 - Shelby County, Briar Hail Memorial (June): \$28
 - Holton, Michigan State Championship 3-Gun (July): \$76
 - Fairchance, 2nd Annual Roy Lackembe Match: Canceled
 - Kane, Penn State Championship (July): \$111
 - Holton, Eastern Region Championship 3-Gun (Sept): \$81
 - WWCCA, Fall Classic (Sept): \$41
 - Shelby Co., Season Finale (October): Not received as of 10/31/16
- Lowell Hottenstein donations in lieu of flowers: \$850
- Interest income from 11/1/2015 to 10/31/2016: \$1.98

Total Expenses: \$ 1,106.18

Expenses

- 2015 Expenses (after meeting):

- Shelby Co., Season Finale (October 2015): \$26
- 2015 Meeting Room and Lunch (Cabelas): \$567.59
- Great Lakes Trophy: \$502.00
- Roll of 50/50 Raffle Tickets: \$10.59
- 2016 Expenses:
 - None

A motion was made by Pat Metcalf to approve the 2016 Treasurers Report submitted by Lee Hachigian, seconded by Steve Theye. The motion passed by voice vote.

2016 Director’s Report:

Meeting Agenda:

- Call to Order – Opening Remarks
- Review of 2015 Meeting Minutes
- Review of Old Business
- 2016 Treasurer’s Report Review
- Review of Status Vote of 2016 Agenda Items
- New Business Items Review
- Working Lunch Break.....
- Top Eastern Region Shooter Performances – SS and NBRSA Nationals
- Eastern Region Hall of Fame Update
- 2016 Eastern Region Awards
- Small Aggregates, Grands, Group and 2-Gun Awards
- 2016 Eastern Region Shooter and Rookie of The Year Awards
- 2017 Eastern Region Group Schedule Review
- 2016 Eastern Region Shooter Loyalty Incentive Program - Prize Drawing
- Open Discussion
- Motion to adjourn

Jack Neary started the meeting by recognizing those that have passed away including Lowell Hottenstein, Roland Paolucci, Ed Shilen, Brady Knight and Claude Smith.

Jack provided the members with a brief overview of the region and its membership, match participation trends and an overview of key discussions at the NBRSA Annual Director’s meeting.

NBRSA Eastern Region:

- 16 States (plus Canada)
- 263 Current Members (21 Canadian members).
- Largest membership of all 8 US NBRSA Regions.
- As of October 1, 2016 there are 1463 members in the NBRSA



2016 Eastern Region Match Attendance Year over Year Comparison:

- 2016 Matches: 10 Matches ~ Total Shooter's: 323
- 2015 Matches: 12 Matches ~ Total Shooter's: 354
- 2014 Matches: 12 Matches ~ Total Shooter's: 423
- 2013 Matches: 10 Matches ~ Total Shooter's: 378
- 2012 Matches: 13 Matches ~ Total Shooters: 447
- 2011 Matches: 11 Matches ~ Total Shooters: 438
- 2010 Matches: 12 Matches ~ Total Shooters: 476
- 2009 Matches: 11 Matches ~ Total Shooters: 491
- 2008 Matches: 11 Matches ~ Total Shooters: 454

2016 NBRSA National Director's Meeting:

Director Neary reviewed the key items discussed at the NBRSA Board of Directors meeting held on October 8, 2016 at Ben Avery Range, Phoenix, Arizona. In attendance were:

Dennis Thornbury, President
Don Nielson, Vice President
Audrey Brown, Board Secretary
Jack Neary, Eastern Regional Director
Scott Hunter, Gulf Coast Region Director
Butch Fjoser, Mid-Continent Region Director
Bud Mundy, Mississippi Valley Region Director
Terry Meyer, North Central Region Director
Wayne Campbell, Southeast Region Director & International Representative
Dan Zaccanti, Northwest Region Director
Tom Libby, Southwest Region Director
Paul Holland, Northwest Region Alternate Director
Rodney Brown, Technical Representative
Gene Bukys, World Records Committee Chairman
Larry Costa, Financial Officer Elect
Steve Lee, Southeast Region Director Elect

The NBRSA BoD meeting minutes are posted at: <http://www.nbrsa.org/board-director-meeting-minutes>

Old Business:

All agreed to continue with notice of ER Annual Meeting in the magazine and online.

New Business:

Lee Hachigian proposed that ER fund a wall plaque for the Lowell Hottenstein Award annual winner. Second by Bob Scarborough Jr.. The motion passed by voice vote.

Eastern Region Shooters obtaining "NBRSA Hall of Fame Points" in 2016:

Bob Scarbrough, Jr.: 6 HOF Points! ***Congratulations to Bob on earning a position on the USA team competing in the WBC-14 US World Team.***

Jeff Gaidos: 3 HOF Points! ***Congratulations to Jeff on earning his 10TH HOF Point and entry into the Hall of Fame.***

Bart Sauter: 2 HOF Points!
Greg Walley: 1 HOF Points!

2016 Eastern Region Shooter Loyalty Award Drawing Winners:

1. Stan Buchtel – Bartlien Barrel
2. Pat Metcalf – Bartlien Barrel
3. Mel Newransky – Krieger Barrel
4. Margaret Jarrett – Krieger Barrel
5. John Petteruti – BAT Action

2016 Eastern Region “Shooter of the Year”:

Shooter of the Year: 1st Place - Ted Heindselman
Shooter of the Year: 2nd Place - Mel Newransky
Shooter of the Year: 3rd Place - Dominic Grunas
Shooter of the Year: 4th Place - Peter Smith
Shooter of the Year: 5th Place – Jack Neary
Shooter of the Year: 6th Place – Pat Metcalf
Shooter of the Year: 7th Place – Stan Buchtel
Shooter of the Year: 8th Place – Bill Mitchell
Shooter of the Year: 9th Place – Dale Dillingham
Shooter of the Year: 10th Place – Dwayne Wood

2016 Rookie of the Year ~ Zack Lemley

2016 Eastern Region Shooting Awards:

Two –Gun Aggregate; Tim Bassham	.1945
LV 100 Small Group: Kevin Hovis	.058"
LV 100 Aggregate: Howy Levi	.1512"
LV 200 Small Group: Tim Bassham	.165"
LV 200 Aggregate: Tim Bassham	.1525"
LV Grand Aggregate: Tim Bassham	.1689"
HV 100 Small Group: Mel Newransky	.045"
HV 100 Aggregate: Chuck Green	.1552"
HV 200 Small Group: Mel Newransky	.148"
HV 200 Aggregate: Peter Smith	.1970"
HV Grand Aggregate: Peter Smith	.1775"

2017 Eastern Region Schedule:

Jack Neary introduced the tentative Eastern Region’s 2017 Group schedule.

4/22 - 4/23:	WWCCA, MI - Spring Tune-Up
4/29 - 4/30:	Holton, MI - President’s Cup
5/6 - 5/7:	Fairchance, PA - Hog Roast
6/10 - 6/11:	WWCCA 1 st Annual Lowell Hottenstein Memorial
6/24 - 6/25:	Shelby County, Sidney, OH - Briar Hail Memorial
7/8 - 7/9:	Holton - Michigan State Championship
7/22 - 7/23:	Kane - PA. State Championship
8/5 – 8/6:	<i>Holton Summer Match (tentative date)</i>
8/19 - 8/20:	Chippewa August Match (tentative date)
9/2 - 9/4:	Fairchance, PA - Eastern Region 3-Gun Championship LV/HV/UNL
9/18 – 9/23:	Fairchance, PA – NBRSA Group Nationals (tentative based on future range improvements)
10/7- 10/8:	WWCCA – Fall Classic
10/21 - 10/22:	Shelby County - Fall Finale

Steve Theye made a motion to adjourn the 2016 meeting and Stan Buchtel seconded the motion. It was approved by voice vote. Jack Neary adjourned the meeting at 1:29 pm.