



Chatuge Gun Club, Inc.

P. O. Box 86
Hiawassee, GA 30546



Volume 19

Issue 11

November 2015

NOVEMBER MEETING

The next meeting of the Chatuge Gun Club will be Tuesday, 17 Nov. 2015 at 7:00 pm at the Towns County Civic Center, 67 Lakeview Circle (upper level), next to the Library in Hiawassee. [Google Map](#)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR.....BE THERE!!

CLUB OFFICERS

President	Art Douville	(706) 374-2634	artdouville@tds.net
Vice-president	Matt Van Steen	(706) 896-1782	mvs@windstream.net
V-P/Operations	Arthur Delpup	(845)521-4320	delpupa@aim.com
Treasurer	A.T. Sorrells	(706) 835-2616	atsorrells@windstream.net
Secretary	Frank Alexander	(706) 745-5214	frank.alex@windstream.net
Range Officer	Carol Rosenqvist	(706) 781-4392	rosenqvist@windstream.net
Executive Officer	Gene Blackburn	(706) 379-1707	blkbrn@windstream.net
Past President	Ed Jones	(706) 896-1783	edjones@brmemc.net
Range		(706) 896-4065	

Check out the Chatuge Gun Club website:

www.chatugegunclub.com

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

More photos at

www.chatugegc.com

●●●●● Coming Events ●●●●●

DATE	EVENT	START	RGE CLOSED	CONTACT PERSON	TELEPHONE #
1-Nov	Air Rifle/Air Pistol (indoors)	1300		Steve Curlee	706-781-3551
7-Nov	Cowboy Rifle Silhouette RF & PC	1000	0900-1600	Bill Christine	706-781-7192
14-Nov	Steel Plate RF & CF	1000	0900-1700	Jerome Schreiber	828-361-0684
15-Nov	Air Rifle/Air Pistol (indoors)	1300		Steve Curlee	706-781-3551
21-Nov	RF & CF Revolver/Pistol Match	1000	0900-1600	Jim Vance	828-361-0215
28-Nov	Sub Compact Pistol Shoot	1100	1000-1700	Nelson Fagan	706-781-6078
5-Dec	Cowboy Rifle Silhouette RF & PC	1000	0900-1600	Bill Christine	706-781-7192
6-Dec	Air Rifle/Air Pistol (indoors)	1300		Steve Curlee	706-781-3551
12-Dec	Modified Bowling Pin Match	1000	0900-1700	Arthur Delpup	845-521-4320
19-Dec	RF/CF Revolver/Pistol Match	1000	0900-1600	Jim Vance	828-361-0215
20-Dec	Air Rifle/Air Pistol (indoors)	1300		Steve Curlee	706-781-3551

Ending times are approximate and may deviate by as much as an hour. Depending on attendance.

NOTE: The range will be closed for Law Enforcement use on the 3rd Tuesday + the following Thursday each month, from daylight to 1220 Hrs. Please stay away!

NOTE: Starting May 6th. The Shotgun Group shoots Trap EVERY WEDNESDAY beginning at 10 am until all squads have fired. Please do not come to shoot before the Trap Group starts set-up at 9:30 am, as Artie does the Range Maintenance (target repairs, grass trimming, garbage cleanup, ect.) every Wednesday morning beginning at sunrise until 9:30 am. Trap shooters should be there by 9:30 am for squadding and helping with setup.

For more information: Russ Schoetker at 706-896-1645 or Dick Fille at 321-403-3959.

NOTE: There is OPEN RANGE for anyone on the second Sunday of the month from 1330 to 1530.

Black Powder/Cast Bullet ~ August 29, 2015 "Correction"

OOOOPS!! I have made an error in reporting the winner of the Muzzleloading match. The REAL winner should be listed as Gary Caines. Sorry Gary for the error. My Bad. Ed Jones



On 28 May 1997 Ray Rogers, Chatuge Gun Club Secretary, passed away suddenly. One member that was present at most all the meetings, stood around too long at the 17 June meeting and was offered the job. Frank Alexander has held that position since then and is the board member that has held his position longest.

With the exception of business conflicts, Frank has been there for all the regular meetings as well as all board meetings and special activities of the club. Frank has been a valuable contribution to the maintenance and development of the range facilities at work parties as well as range improvements.

Next time you see Frank, Tell him *THANKS FOR HIS 18 YEARS OF SERVICE TO YOUR CLUB.....*



Cowboy Action Match - September 19, 2015



[More photos here.](#)

We had 10 shooters. The weather was perfect all day. We shot 5 stages and everyone did great, all had fun. First place was won by Maverick Milt (John Sluder), second place was Deputy Trouble (Bill Tribble), third place was Adam Gaddis (Lonesome Cove), a new shooter to the sport, fourth place was Frank Alexander(Trackrock Buffalo).

Our next match will be Oct. 17, 2015, I look forward to seeing our cowboys back for this match and anyone else that might be interested in participating or just watching. We will set-up at 8:30, sign-up is 9:00 to 10:00, shooting starts at 10:00 sharp.



3-Gun Match - 10-3-15

A total of 7 shooters turned out for the morning match and 7 for the afternoon match. It was the most rain I have played in since I was a young boy. **It rained all day.** The 3-Gun match allows the

shooting of three different disciplines. It is a timed match, with the shooter required to shoot a handgun, rifle, and shotgun at three different target setups.

The shooter started at the handgun stage and shot at 12 steel plates set approx 20 to 25 yards out, that required 1-shots each, (missed shoots adds a 10 second penalty each to the time). For both Open Class and Limited (Iron Sight) ammo per magazine was 10 round max, unlimited magazines allowed.

The shooter then moves to his rifle and shoots at 8 IDPA silhouette paper targets. Three set at 15 yards that required two head shots and 5 targets set at 40 to 50 yards that required 1 head shot and 2 body shots, (missed shoots adds a 10 second penalty each to the time). A bonus steel gong at 100 yards allowed the shooter to reduce time by 10 seconds (if shot resting on the bench) or 20 seconds (if shot off hand). For Open Class and Limited (Iron Sight) ammo per magazine was limited to 30 rounds, unlimited magazines allowed. Unlimited magazines allowed for both classes.

The shooter then moves to the Shotgun stage with targets consisting of 1 steel knock down target and 11 clay pigeons, with one of the clay pigeons a pop up shot. Targets were set approx 15 yards out. For Open Class and Limited (Iron Sight) ammo per shotgun is a full capacity. Shooter can reload as many times as needed.

The match consisted of two timed stages. Each stage is independent.

If you missed this 3-GUN match your next opportunity is January 16th, 2016.



Benchrest Match - 10-3-15

Only 6 of us braved the very wet day. Two new shooters Bob Riddle (new club member) and Mason Jackson (non-member), the other four of us have shot before. We were only able to issue three first place plaques.

Jim Vance



LAST CALL..... Our last **compact pistol clinic** was somewhat successful so we will try another one on November 28. Most of the criteria will remain the same as the last one but the stages will be different and should be both fun and interesting. Again, this clinic is directed toward the occasional pistol shooter. We hope to see you and your guests at the clinic.

PS. You may, want to dress a little warmer at this one. [Get all the details here.](#)



Smallbore Silhouette ~ 10-24-15



October was the last of Smallbore for this season. The fall colors were beautiful and we had a great match and all look forward to the next season that will start again in March, 2016.

[Tradin' Table is always on the website on the Bulletin Board](#)



Notice:

It is suggested that all members wear their membership card while at the range or other club activities. It makes it easier to identify members from guests and also let us know who you are so we can say "Hi".

When you visit any of the businesses shown below, let them know we appreciate them.

GUN COMMANDERS
706-865-GUN1
5290 HIGHWAY 129 SOUTH
CLEVELAND, GA 30528
WWW.GUNCOMMANDERS.COM

Mountain Sports and Pawn
BUY, SELL, TRADE
Guns, Ammo, Army Surplus & MORE
2047 HELEN HWY CLEVELAND, GA 30528 (706) 865-5917

Propane & Supplies Ammo
TV/VCR Repairs Hunting Supplies
DISH Satellite Fishing Supplies

CLAY COUNTY TV
Area's Largest Selection of Trout Flies & Tying Materials
146 Highway 64 Business
Hayesville, NC 28904 828-389-8311

BARRETT & ASSOCIATES INSURANCE
Auto • Home • Life • Health

Amy Barrett 333 Big Sky Drive
Tim Barrett Hiawassee, GA 30546
Darrell Barrett Off. (706) 896-7281
Michael Barrett Fax (706) 896-6011
Toll Free 877-583-3766

www.hiawasseeinsurance.com

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Georgia are independent licensees of Blue Cross Blue Shield Association. The Blue Cross Blue Shield name and symbol are registered marks of the BCBSGA. 2006 BCBSGA.

Azzarello Photography Studio
Lisa Azzarello
OWNER / LEAD PHOTOGRAPHER

ENGAGEMENTS - WEDDINGS - FAMILY PORTRAITS - MODEL PORTFOLIOS
SPECIAL EVENTS - GRADUATION PHOTOS - BABY PORTRAITS

FOR ALL YOUR PHOTOGRAPHY NEEDS
www.azzarellophotography.net
Azzarellophotography@briemc.net
Phone: 706-633-3396
307D Cleveland Street, Blairsville, GA 30512

Charlie's Custom Leather
770-533-0300
Repairs • Belts • Hat Bands • Holsters
Cowboy Rigs • Spur Straps • Knife Sheaths
charlesleather@charter.net



*Mountain Creek
Antiques*

1604 GA Highway 76 & 17
Young Harris, GA 30582

Harvey Ballenberg
706-896-5543

**SHOOK'S
BODY SHOP**

Auto & Body Repairs + Dent Repair
Paint & Collision + Restorations

(706)896-4932

(828)835-8866

1885 Foggy Bottom Road
Hiawasse, GA 30546

P.O. Box 988
Murphy, NC 28908

shooksbodysshop@gmail.com

Josh Shook Mark Shook Justin Shook



Everything under the Sun
4966 Town Creek School Road
Blairsville, Georgia 30512

Mark Alexander
Sporting Goods Manager

Phone: (706) 745-6450
Fax: (706) 745-2381
Cell: (706) 994-2289



MountainGraphics
FINE PRINTING SIGNS

Alec Therrel

382 Bel Aire Drive • Hiawasse, Georgia 30546
(706) 896-4257 • Fax (706) 896-3963
email: mountaingraphics@yahoo.com