FRANKLIN REVOLVER & RIFLE ASSOCIATION, INC.

Meeting Minutes

4/17/23

**Call to Order:**

The monthly meeting was called to order by Mike Luongo, at 7:00 pm on March 17th.

**Reports:**

The secretary’s report was read by Diane.

The treasurer’s report was read by Colette.

**Correspondence:**

* Made motion to donate $100 to the First Aid Squad and the Franklin Fire Department
* Club received gold award which is a special recognition given by the NRA

**Leagues:**

* Sunday was the last day for the pistol and rifle winter league
* Junior Rifle league starts Tuesday at 6pm after the 4th of July

**Old Business:**

* Spring brunch:
  + 46 people came
  + Rifle shoot was fun. Each round was different. 8 participated. Each round was a $1.00
  + Food was great

**New Business:**

* If interested in helping the Club, sign-up sheets are on desk for the different Committee’s

**Buildings & Grounds:**

* 75 yard berm:
  + Need about 10-12 loads of dirt for 75yard line berm
  + Person dumping dirt would spread it. Motion was made to get dirt
  + Jim Williams will look at quality of dirt where they are digging for septic
  + 8-9 bales of straw and 50 pounds of contractor mix seed is needed. Seed cost is approximately $60 and straw is $8 a bale
  + Wood by berm can be buried since most of it is rotten
  + Purpose of a back stop is to stop the bullet. Having a slant on the berm could potentially cause the bullet to ricochet
  + Set up sound test with rifle. Do it when the rifle league starts. Rifles should be way under 80 decibels
  + Gordon can get a 4 X 6 plexiglas which would be used at the 75 yard line pavilion. It would let the light in and help with the sound

**Matches:**

* See website for matches or go to njpistol.com
* May match:
  + May 6th. So far only 16 people signed up. That’s the average unless you are at Nationals
  + Can sign up at njpistol.com
  + Need more of our own members to participate in our Club events
  + Kitchen will be open

**Other:**

* 50/50 - $11.00 won by John Worobok
* Helen is our NRA recruiter. When you purchase/renew your NRA membership through Helen, our Club receives a commission.
* GGG – in July. If there is an overflow, we will have a 2nd one in August
* Club sponsor a benefit match for “Remembering the Fallen”. Held the 1st weekend of September
* Masonic organization would be interested in having an event at our range
* Sign guest form in book on desk in three ring binder before you go shoot
* Target backers - $5.00 double thick, see Mike
* White boards – $1.00 not cut to size, see Mike
* Club patches - See Colette
* Safety flags – See Helen. Always insert the yellow flag in firearm to “make it safe” after shooting. The flag does not need to be yellow.

**Membership:**

* Motion was made to vote in Robert Sole as a probationary member. All accepted by voice vote.

**Adjournment:**

Meeting ended at 7:53pm 24 members present

Secretary – Diane Carroll