



Waiuku Pistol Club
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July 2021

Greetings Members

**Waiuku Pistol Club
Notice of Annual General Meeting 2021
To be held at
WPC Clubrooms Sunday 29th August 12.00 noon**

Nominations for Committee must be received by
Tuesday 24th August
Motions to be considered must be received by
Saturday 14th August

A separate notice with agenda, call for nominations, motions to be considered and proxy voting form is attached with this Newsletter



Club History Photo Album

Last month **Honorary Member Ivan G** presented Club Vice-President Paul H with a Photo Album documenting much of the Club's history. This represents a lot of thought and work. It is a very valuable record of the huge changes and developments the Club has undergone in the past 30 years.
Thankyou Ivan!



Attendance for Pistol Shooters

A reminder that the cards are no longer being used. Your attendances are now being recorded by the sign in system. Don't forget to sign out because attendance is not recorded if you don't. Note – calling in for a few minutes does not constitute an attendance!

Subs Renewal

The cut off for renewals is the end of this month. Late renewals will incur a penalty payment. If you have any problem making the payment please make contact with the Membership Secretary Shaun or Club President Frank to make an arrangement.

Club Safety Rules Survey

360 members responded to the survey – it highlighted a few issues.

1. Pistols may only be used on Range 1 from 50m forward
2. Pistols may only be used on R2 from 25m forward
3. A centrefire rifle may only be shot on the LEFT HAND side of Range 2. The right hand side is only for rimfire rifles (because of the silhouettes). This was the question that received the most wrong answers.

4. Shotgun designated steel targets may not be shot with a pistol or rifle.
5. You may only bring 2 guests to the range with you.
6. You may not move forward down range with any firearm on the bench. Even if it is unloaded and clear.
7. All rifles are to be cleared and racked, pistols to be cleared, bagged or holstered.
8. Non 'B' endorsed guests may not shoot pistols greater than .22 caliber.
9. A pistol can only be transferred from its carry case to a bag or holster in a designated safety zone. Under some circumstances a pistol can be transferred from its carry case at the firing line under the direct supervision of the Range Officer.
10. Moveable bullet catchers or stops e.g. rubber filled barrels must be placed behind targets if they are not placed in front of the berm or are close to the ground.

Next year the survey will be a compulsory part of membership renewal.

Feedback to the Committee

If any member has a question about what's happening at the club or want to give us some feedback please feel free to contact or talk to anyone on the Committee. You can also talk to one of the Section Directors who will pass it on to the Club Captain.

Range 5 Falling Plates

These are currently out of commission awaiting a major overhaul.

Cowboys in Action

Love the smell of Black Powder in the morning!



From the Club Captain's Desk

Club Captain Gavin G will send his report shortly.

This will be my last Newsletter, I am standing down from the Committee at the AGM after 36 years as a member of WPC as we have moved to the Bay of Plenty.

All the best and enjoy safe shooting

Gary P
Secretary

