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18 December 2018 at 7:00 pm is the next meeting of the Chatuge Gun Club. Location: The Towns County Civic Center, 67 Lakeview Circle (upper level), next to the Court House in Hiawassee. [Google Map](#)
Have a question or idea, be at the meeting!

Always Check the Chatuge Gun Club website:
www.chatugegunclub.com
for last minute changes to the match schedule, or range closures. Also range rules, club contacts, newsletters, and calendar of ALL club events and activities. Photos & match results at: www.chatugegc.com

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>>>>> Coming Events <<<<<<

Date	Event	Start Time	Range Closed	Match Director	Phone Number
Dec.1	Lever Action Fun Shoot - non NRA	11:00 AM	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Joan Moody	706-747-1226
Dec. 8	Steel Plate Rimfire & Centerfire	10:00 AM	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Steve Boatright	828-342-6217
	2019 Schedule will be on line soon.				

Always check the calendar of events on the website, as things can change between Newsletters.

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

*Please arrive **AHEAD** of start time to check your firearms if needed & sign in with the match director.*

Air Rifle/Air Pistol Matches (At this time we do not have a location for air gun matches)

TRAP: The Shotgun Group shoots Trap EVERY WEDNESDAY beginning at 9 am until all squads have fired. Trap shooters should be there by 8:30 am for squadding and helping with setup.

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

NOTE: There is OPEN RANGE for anyone, members and non-members on the second Sunday of the month from 1:30p to 3:30p. **Non club members need to be at the range by 1 pm for a short orientation on open range day.**

If you are a new member and have not been to a monthly meeting, come out and join us, we give match results, talk about upcoming matches or special events. You will get a lot of information and have a few laughs. Some times there are guns or supplies for sale. Always there are members there willing to answer any questions you may have. Don't be just a member on paper, come out and let us get to know you.



Is there any member out there that can tell us about these photos? In particular the location of where they were taken and approximat date? There are many other old photos at <http://www.chatugegc.com/History/> if anyone has info about any of them, please let me know at joan@chatugegc.com or call me at 706-747-1226.



New Berm Rail Ties

I would like to thank everyone who helped with the berm. The rain quit early and we had a nice day, the left side steps did not get done but we will finish them soon. Thanks again to all that helped.
Keith McMahan



Note: Please help keep the new berm rail road ties in good condition. *Never* mount a target or put clay birds on the ties. Put clay birds on the bank, not the ties. When you set up a target stand with your paper target, if you see your rounds impacting on the ties, please adjust your target stand.



Defensive Pistol - November 3, 2018

No photo, results, or report sent in.



Cast Bullet and Muzzle Loading Rifle November 10, 2018

The weather was very cold the morning of the Cast Bullet and Muzzle Loading Rifle matches. I arrived at the range very early and the temperature was 24 degrees according to the thermometer at the range and it was windy with a lot of gusts. I set everything up for the match, scheduled to start at 10:00 AM. A few people showed up after 9:30 wanting to sight in their deer rifles. I informed them that the range was closed for a

match and none of them were very happy. They had not looked at the website schedule. Unfortunately, no one showed up for the Cast Bullet match.

At 12:00 I cleaned up and put everything away for the Cast Bullet match and set up for the Muzzle Loading Rifle match. The only people that showed up for the match were my son-in-law Chris Church and my friend from the Czech Republic Jiri Martinovec, better known as George. Except for being chilly, the day was beautiful and the wind had died down to almost calm. We shot bullseye targets at 50 yards offhand, NMLRA Novelty paper targets at 15 yards and NMLRA Bottle paper targets at 15 yards. We also shot lollipops and lifesavers at 15 yards. Although no one else showed up for the match, we had a great time. We also shot at the Quigley bucket at 100 yards. Gary Caines won the match with a score of 225, Chris Church came in second with a score of 211 and Jiri Martinovec scored 207.

Name	Novelty	Bottle	50 Yard	Lollipop	Life Savers	Total
Gary Caines	46	42	17	75	45	225
Chris Church	61	52	8	45	45	211
Jiri Martinovec	55	45	17	45	45	207



Cowboy Action



Our last Cowboy match for the year was held Nov. 17th, 8 hearty cowboys attended. The day started off cold, but by shooting time it had warmed up nicely, and it got better as the day went on. The match winner and only clean shoot was Crazy Cajun (Greg Broussard). Second place went to Badlands Bob (Bob Evans). Third place was Maverick Milt (John Sluder). That's all I have to say.

John Sluder

As always, there are more photos and full results at www.chatugeqc.com

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At the November meeting, we all wished President Ed Jones a happy birthday and enjoyed a piece of Birthday Cake!



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For Sale: SKB Over/Under 12 gage Trap shotgun w/ 32"barrel, Mod # 90TSS Trap, Adjustable comb and butt plate, Incl. Breakdown soft case & 3 chokes. MSRP \$1800 – Used 6 times in 2017----- Asking \$1600
&
NEW (never fired) Smith & Wesson M&P .22 Cal. Compact Pistol Retail (Alexander's Store) \$379.99 -----
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