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Santa Claus is Coming to Town!!! December 13th 2pm - 5pm

Sunday, December 13th, from 2pm-5pm

Mrs. Santa will join Santa Claus and may even read a Christmas story.

There will be food and drinks, and if your name is on Santa's List we will have a present for you.

Teenagers will have bowling, food, and presents if you have your name on the list. Bring your CD's so you can enjoy your own music.

We're looking for all of you, so make sure your mother puts you on Santa's List which is in the Lounge on the Bulletin Board. The elves will be very busy helping Santa Claus.

See you at the Ladies Aux. Children's and Teen's party in December.

Dolly Young, Chair Elf & Elves

Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Party

For the Ladies by the Ladies

December 7. Free Dinner . Open Bar. If you want to exchange a present bring one and don't forget to bring a dessert (THE AUXILIARY PROVIDES THE DESSERT FOR DINNER OR FINGER FOOD FOR THE LADIES CHRISTMAS PARTY) Hope to see you there.

Reminder: Items for the Ladies Auxiliary semi-annual Charities Shower should be brought to the December 1st meeting. Items do not have to be wrapped. The charities are: MUSC babies, My Sister's House, Nursing Homes, Ronald McDonald House, and Winward Farms. If you need an idea of what to bring call Doris Tylee at 552-3379

January 23rd

Oyster Roast

CRC Pavilion

7PM



\$15 Oysters / \$8 Hotdogs and Chili

Per Person

Angel Tree

The Angel Tree is displayed in the foyer of The Charleston Rifle Club. Please help decorate it by bringing in an ornament in honor of a passed member. This tree will grow in beauty and love as we add to it in remembrance of our late members and friends.



NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

Live Entertainment by
PLANE JANE

\$65/per member \$70/per non-member

Heavy Hors d'oeuvres, Open Bar, Full Breakfast

The Club will be Closed for this event and only open to ticket holders.



Member Christmas Party

December 12th
 Doors Open at 6:30 PM
 \$10 per person
 Open Bar
Members ONLY

The club will be closed this night
 Bring a Covered Dish to Share
 Entertainment by
DJ Doug

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**From the Desk of
The CRC President**
John Robertson



Well it looks like the holidays are officially upon us, and there are many events on tab. We sure could use the participation from all our members! I believe that we have the greatest members of any club in Charleston, so let's prove it.

Some of you may be aware of the issues we have had with our electrical in the kitchen for quite some time now. Thanks to John Oakley and the crew from Charleston Electric, they have rectified the situation and we appreciate all of your hard work and contributions to the club. The main hall ceiling was painted and looks great. There is still quite a bit of work for the hall to be completed, but it is a step in the right direction. I would also like to thank the Turkey Shoot Gang for all of their great work this year.

Now onto another important issue for the membership. As I announced at the November General Membership meeting, the December Gunsite will be the last issue mailed. This is a huge savings for the club, between seven and nine thousand dollars. Beginning in January, you will need to access the Gunsite online at the club web-site, www.charlestonrifleclub.com. For those members that do not have access to a computer a few copies will be available at the club. We do have members that cannot make it to the club, but are still interested in the goings on and they will be sent a copy. If you are one of these members, please fill out the form in this issue of the Gunsite and return it back to the club no later than January 4th. Once again, please keep in mind this will be a huge savings for the club and we need to save money every way we can.

Remember to buy your Christmas Party and New Year's Eve Tickets. Everyone have a happy and safe holiday and I will see you around the club.

Visit us on the Web www.charlestonrifleclub.com

In order to access the "members only" section of the web-site you must first visit:

<http://www.charlestonrifleclub.com/signup>

(or click on the gray star located on the bottom left hand corner of the home page) to create your personal user name and password for the web-site.

Please keep in mind that the site is a work in progress. I will be working with the web designer to make this web-site better. I'll be adding pictures and a monthly event calendar soon. Any comments or questions, please free to contact me at tony@rtrinc.net or call 514-1924, Tony Redondo

Meetings Called

Meetings of the General Membership and the Ladies Auxiliary have been called on Monday December 7th, at 7PM. Collation Dinner from 5:45 to 6:45 PM. Menu will be the traditional Ham Dinner

Chaplin's Corner

Please keep in mind the following who are noted on the lists of our Chaplin's. Members who are sick or have been in the hospital:

Marjie Dick, Ruth Fagerstrom, Elise Mills, Jonsey Jones, Patrick Birt, Myrtle Roberson, Mary Fredrick, Bob Beilstein, Jeff Williams, Bud Thompson, and Eddie Dawson

Our Condolences and Prayers go out to the following members and their families who have lost loved ones this past month.

George Wells, Faye Fryar, Wilhelmena Rodgers, Bruce D'arcy on the passing of his mother, and Paul Grizzle on the passing of his mother.

If you have news of a member who is ill or one who has had a death in the family, please call the club at 722-4853 or for the Auxiliary, Barbara Vaughn 873-5701 or 209-8204.

Christmas Raffle

The CRC Ladies Raffle benefitting the Youth Parties is going on.

Tickets are \$1 a chance.

This year's prize is a Ashton Drake Collectible porcelain Doll title Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary, donated by Joan and Jonesy Jones.

See Dolly Young or a Board Member for Tickets

Peanut Butter Food Drive

Please bring in your donation of
Peanut Butter

Thank You!!

Thank you from Julian Taylor to the membership for their continued support of Julian's Famous Fish Fry!! Also a special THANK YOU to all of those who helped to put on the Fish Fry and to Joan Dumont and Rhonda for their help with all the delicious cakes!!!

December 2009 at the CRC

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|-------------------------|--|------------------------|----------------|---|---|--|
| November 30th | Nov. 31st | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Youth Christmas Parties | Nov. 31st National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day Membership Meeting | Men's Bowling | Ladies Bowling | Mixed Bowling | Grilled Steak DJ "Sounds Like Fun" | Member Christmas Party see front page for details |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| Youth Christmas Parties | Men's Bowling | New Member Orientation | Board Meeting | Mixed Bowling | No Meal being served | |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| | First Day of Winter Men's Bowling | Men's Bowling | Ladies Bowling | Mixed Bowling | No Meal being served Merry Christmas Club Closed | Club is Closed |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | January 1 | January 2 |
| Club is Closed | Club Closed | Club Closed | Club Closed | New Year's Eve Party Club Closed to non-ticket holders | Club is Closed | Club is Open |
| January 3 | January 4 | January 5 | January 6 | January 7 | January 8 | January 9 |
| Club is Open | Membership Meeting Men's Bowling | Men's Bowling | Ladies Bowling | Mixed Bowling | Mixed Bowling | January |

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Welcome to our Newest Members

Russesell Cox
 Christopher Morgan
 Rober Richardson Jr.
 Timothy Rodgers
 AJoseph Rubenstein
 Nic Williams

Gentlemen we hope that you will enjoy your new home away from home and include yourself in our many events.

Feel free to call any of our board members if you have any questions or wish to get involved.

**The March of Dimes Bowling
 Tournament's Festivities will
 begin on January 30th**

News from the Lanes...

March of Dimes – The 62nd Annual March of Dimes Kick-Off and Tournament is right around the corner. Entry forms are available in the bowling center. It would be wonderful if every team in every league entered at least once. Volunteers are also needed to assist during the tournament itself which will be held all 4 weekends in February. To volunteer or if you have any questions please call Paul Tew at 469-8386.

Special Events –

December 5th – Nine Pin No Tap Handicap Tournament. Getting a 9 on the first ball is easy; why not make it a STRIKE! Come out and have some fun and possibly win some money. The entry fee is only \$20.00.

December 12th – No event will be held so we can all go to the Christmas Party.

December 19th – CRC 40 Frame Handicap Challenge. This unique event is growing in popularity. Come on out and give it a try. You will enjoy the bonuses for doing well. Only \$30.00 for a chance to win some cash within the game as well as cash for placing.

Open Bowling – Starting January 1st, 2010 there will be a nominal charge for the rental shoes. We are going to be charging \$1.00 per pair. This is necessary to help offset the cost of spending \$500.00 to replace worn and damaged shoes as well as adding shoes to give us a good selection. Remember, we still have the best deal in town!

Congratulations! – Jimmy Granger rolled a 290 game on October 27th. After starting with a spare in the first frame Jimmy rolled 11 consecutive strikes which will qualify him for a USBC Honor Score Award. Congratulations Jimmy.

We also had some 700 series this season. Roland Ireland had a 708 and 701, Mark Albers had a 704 and Ron Bush had a 701. Great bowling!

New Year's Dance - This year for the first time the Bowling Center will be available for bowling during the New Year's Dance. You must have a New Year's Ticket to get into the club for the dance so get your tickets while they are still available. What a great night this will be, food, drink, dancing, bowling and music by Plane Jane! You choose your fun. This is going to be fantastic!

As always, we welcome you to come out and bowl when lanes are available. If you want to book a group outing please call me or call Susan. Comments or questions that you may have are welcome. Thanks for supporting the CRC Bowling Center.

Yours for better bowling,

Paul Tew

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In order to save money the Gunsite will no longer be mailed out to members. However, it will be available on-line at our website www.charlestonriflclub.com and there will be copies available at the club. This will not only save on mailing costs but will make the Gunsite readily available in a more timely manner, keeping you up to date on all the events happening at the club.

If you do not have access to the internet and will not be able to pick up a copy at the club you may request for it to be mailed to you by filling out the form below and returning it to the club prior to January 4th. Requests received after this date will not be honored.

Please help us as we continue to strive to keep costs down at the club and put funds where needed, but visiting our website frequently to be updated on club events, or picking up your copy of the Gunsite at the club.

I do not have internet access and wish to have the Gunsite mailed to me at the address listed below.

Please Print Clearly

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