



May / June 2022 Newsletter

DCGC Website:

www.dadecitygunclub.com.

From your Board of Directors:

Members, your club needs your help! We have several projects to tackle in the next few months. We are looking for members with experience in different trades to volunteer to help with these projects. Some of these abilities include roofing, carpentry, block masonry, painting and tile installation. These are neither large size projects nor require full time work. Depending on the scope of the work, we will work with any member who has experience in these trades regarding their membership dues. If you are interested in helping the club, please contact any Board member. Thank you! BOD.

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Painting projects in progress:



Compliments, comments, suggestions:

This is your club and we want to hear from you! Pasco County is rapidly growing and so is our membership and the number of public shooters. We are actively seeking your input to help steer our club into the future. Please email any or all of the board members to submit your ideas.

Range Safety:

The warm Florida weather is here already. We understand that you want to dress comfortably for the heat but don't forget about range safety and the DCGC dress code which is established to maintain a safe shooting environment, It must be followed.

- Closed toe shoes only, no sandals or flip-flops.
- No low cut collars. Brass is very hot, it will go into any opening and burn your skin.

Thursday Maintenance: Every Thursday volunteers get together to help keep the club safe, clean, and well maintained. If you have time, come on out.

Training classes:

NRA FIRST Steps Pistol Orientation

Successful completion of this course provides the required documentation to apply for a Florida Concealed Weapons License. This class is for first time and beginner shooters and covers: pistol safety, parts and operation, ammunition, fundamentals of shooting, shooting from the bench-rest, pistol cleaning & storage, and future training opportunities.

The cost for the class is \$75 per student which includes the NRA training materials and use of the shooting range for live fire training. Class will be held on the third Saturday of each month from 8:00am - 12:00pm in the Dade City Gun Club Clubhouse.

NRA FIRST Steps Rifle Orientation

Dade City Gun Club routinely organizes and offers the NRA's FIRST Steps (**F**irearm **I**nstruction, **R**esponsibility and **S**afety **T**raining) Rifle Program for area youth and those interested in learning how to properly handle a rifle.

The goal of this program is to provide the participants with a basic knowledge of firearm safety and proper rifle handling skills. The program is approximately 4 hours long and is offered throughout the summer and whenever there is sufficient interest (we need a minimum of eight people to have a successful class).

Cost is \$40 per participant and includes the use of a rifle (Ruger 10/22) and ammunition, NRA training materials, refreshments, professional instruction and a safe shooting environment. Participants may use their own rifle as long as it is approved, in advance, by the instructor(s).

For additional information, or to register for a class, please contact Larry Shrewsbury by completing the registration form at www.dadecitygunclub.com under Firearm Training.

Club Board Meetings:

Meetings take place on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 10:00 am in the clubhouse. Members are welcome to attend. If you have a suggestion or topic you would like discussed please contact Dennis Doll to have it added to the agenda. Upcoming meetings:

May 10, Jun 14, Jul 12, Aug 9, Sep 13.

GCGC Swap Meet:

The Swap Meet occurs on the 2nd Saturday of each month starting at 6:30am in the Clubhouse. It is normally over by the time the range goes hot at 9:00am. Only DCGC Members may set up tables to sell firearms and firearm related items at the swap meet, however, members and the public are welcome to purchase items at the swap meet. All sales are Private Seller to Private Buyer. The club assumes no liability for any items bought or sold.

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National Rifle Association Membership Renewal: Save ten dollars off your membership renewal through our www.dadecitygunclub.com website. Just click the NRA icon.

Seen at the Range! From incredibly lightweight, fast drawing and accurate competition guns like the STI 9mm to this powerful Weatherby 460 magnum “Elephant gun” for use in African hunts, we see a lot of beautiful, interesting, and powerful guns at our range. Introduce yourself to the shooter at the next bench and ask questions about their firearms. You might just learn something and make a new friend at the same time.



Monthly Shooting Matches: Test your skills in a friendly match. Compete against yourself or others. Come out and have fun. The cost for members is \$2 per match. Non-members pay a \$20 range fee, plus \$2 per match. Detailed descriptions of the matches are listed on the website www.dadecitygunclub.com.

If you are new to the matches, or you would like a refresher lesson on the proper NRA method of drawing from the holster, please meet Dennis on the 50 yard range at 8:00 am, for a free lesson on proper holster draw.

First Saturday at 9 am:	CCW and Balloon matches.
Second Saturday at 9 am:	PPC and Three Target or LEO and 5x5 matchs.
Third Thursday at 4 pm:	Dade City Precision Rifle Team.
Fourth Sunday at 2 pm:	Bullseye match.

Some humor:

A Physicist, a Biologist and a Statistician go hunting. They are hiding together in the bushes when they see a deer 70 feet ahead of them. The Physicist makes some calculations, aims and fires at the deer but his shot ends up 5 feet to the left of the deer. The Biologist analyzes the deer's movement, aims and fires but his shot ends up 5 feet to the right of the deer. The Statistician drops his rifle and happily shouts, "WE GOT IT!!".