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October 2016

Treasurer: Jim Beck Secretary: John Usher

President: Guy Gamello Vice Pres: Steve Melita

Quarterly Meeting

The Regular Quarterly Meeting of the Forbes Rifle and Pistol Club will be held on Tuesday, October 25th, 2016 at 7:30PM at the American Legion Zaloga Post at 4 Everett Rd Ext, Albany, NY 12205. The post can be reached by travelling on I-90, exiting at Exit 5 (Everett Road). Continue northbound on Everett Road a short distance, reaching Exchange St. A Sunoco gas station is towards the left. The Post is slightly ahead and towards the right.

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2017 Membership Dues and \$20 Late Fee

Membership dues for 2017 continue at \$40.00 and are payable no later than January 31st, 2017. The membership fee includes immediate family members (spouse and children up to and including 18 years of age) designated in writing by the member. An electronic gate key card can be obtained by sending a onetime payment of \$10.00 with your membership fee. Newsletters and important updates are sent by e-mail, so to receive them you must provide your legible e-mail address on the dues slip below. *Mail your dues payment with the <u>completed slip</u> to <u>Jeff Liddle</u>, <u>28 Colleen Road</u>, <u>Troy, NY 12180</u>, or bring them to the meeting. Electronic cards will be deactivated on Feb 1, 2017 if dues are not received by January 31st, 2017, and there will be a \$20.00 late fee for membership dues paid after that date.*

Electronic Target Demo

Special thanks to Ron LeBlanc and Holly Stowe for making the long trip from Rhode Island to demonstrate the set-up, calibration and use of the Silver Mountain electronic target system at our last 1,000-yard practice (see photos below). Ron and Holly are regular participants in our long range matches, so it was nice to have a fun and informal demo by fellow shooters. They were kind enough to let a number of Forbes shooters join in the fun, and we all learned a great deal about the benefits of the system. The lower two pictures illustrate a comparison of the shots registered on the laptop display and the actual shots on the target, showing the capability of the system at 1,000 yards. During our last season the reliability and performance of the target pullers varied widely, so this option will be under serious consideration by the club in the future.





<u>**Presidential Election**</u> – The importance of getting out and voting during the upcoming Presidential election cannot be overemphasized. For information about registration and polling locations and schedules, please visit the New York State Board of Elections web site at: <u>http://www.elections.ny.gov/INDEX.html</u> or call 1-800-367-8683.

As always, please check our Website for the most current information at:

WWW.FORBESRIFLEANDPISTOLCLUB.ORG

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