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2023



Wisconsin Firearm Owners
Monthly Newsletter

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April 4



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2023

WI Indoor State Pistol Champion



Rob Kovach

Our very own President - Rob Kovach - took home the 2023 Wisconsin Indoor State Championship title this past weekend.

Rob has been a prominent member in the shooting community, not only in Wisconsin, but nationally.

He is also active in local and state politics to protect our rights as firearm owners -as well as being active in the sport of shooting.

Rob leads the Wisconsin team at the National Matches in Camp Perry every year.

Please feel free to reach out and congratulate Rob for this awesome accomplishment!

All of us here at Wisconsin Firearm Owners are very proud to call Rob our President!



Indoor Pistol Championships!

A big thank you to Jon Nortemann and everyone at Beloit Rifle Club for hosting this awesome event each year!

If you are looking to participate in the next Indoor Pistol Championship, keep an eye at Beloit Rifle Club's website! Also, join them for the Outdoor Pistol Championship that will be coming up later this year.



If you have events like this, we want to share them! Please send events and other things you would like featured on the Trigger [here!](#)



Represent Wisconsin at Camp Perry!

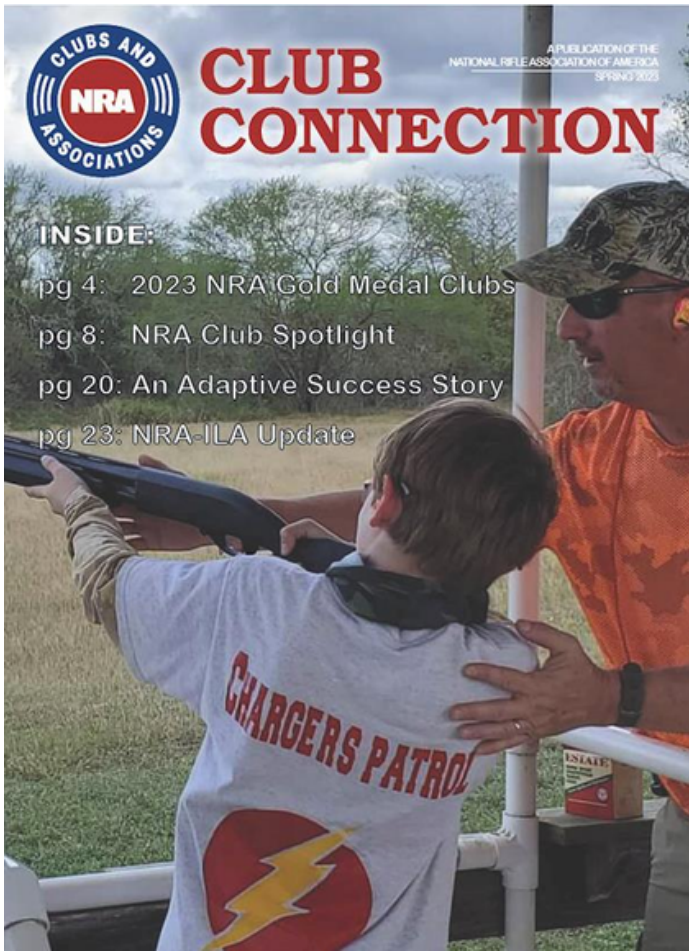


Do you want to join in on the fun at Camp Perry? A week of shooting, camping (glamping), meeting new people and eating great food - what more is there to ask for?

Reach out to Rob Kovach to get a hut reservation. Don't wait! - Spaces go fast.

Email rob at kovach_robert@hotmail.com

Click the Cover to Read the Entire Magazine

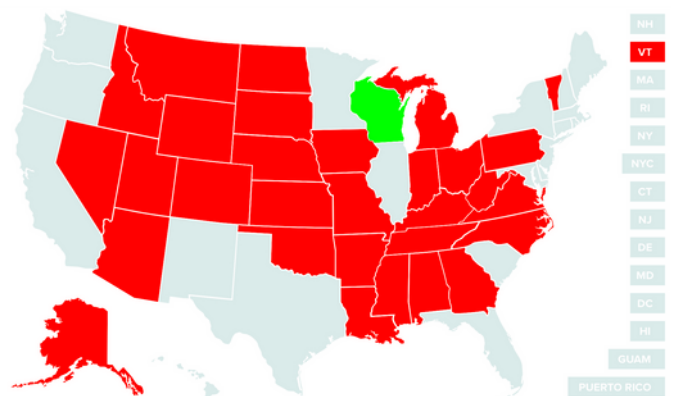


NRA-ILA **Wisconsin Gun Laws**

STATE CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISION -
WISC. CONST. art. 1, § 25

The people have the right to keep and bear arms for security, defense, hunting, recreation or any other lawful purpose.

[View Complete Info Here](#)



These States recognize Wisconsin's permit

- PERMIT-ISSUING STATE
- RECOGNIZING STATES
- NON-RECOGNIZING STATES

Trigger Deadlines!

Plan Ahead – Please allow up to two month's lead time to announce any date specific events.

It typically takes a month to compile each newsletter, for release the following month.

Submission Deadline: The 10th of the month.

We want, and need your contributions! Please help us serve the WFO community by allowing enough times to announce your special events!

Wisconsin Gun Laws

WI Department of Justice

The official source for WI Concealed Carry information.

[Click Here](#)

WI Dept of Natural Resources (DNR)

For hunting and recreational information.

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WI Laws as codified by the NRA

For a comprehensive listing of current* Wisconsin laws and related Second amendment information.

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Concealed Carry Information

Provided by the *U.S. Concealed Carry Association*
The USCCA page provides comprehensive Concealed Carry information. They also offer essential Concealed Carry insurance.

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Want your link here? Email our editor!

Your Contributions Matter!

We can't have much of a newsletter without news, and that's where you can play an important part!

After all this is YOUR NEWSLETTER!

Any contributions, large or small, are gratefully appreciated. Whether it be text, photos or graphics, they are all welcome. It could be important "hard" news — light (nice-to-know) news — or even editorial opinions.

There are only a few things we ask:

- Make sure your work is original, not just copied from another source (with your name as author);
- If you are briefly quoting a source, be sure to include the name of the source;
- Double-check to make sure the spelling of names and references are accurate;
- If you're submitting a photo, the larger the file size the better. DON'T bother editing it, we'll take care of that;
- If people can be easily recognized in your photo, be sure to include their name and title or position (i.e. Senator);
- If the photo is taken in public, a "release" shouldn't be necessary. But if the photo was taken in a private setting, legally your safest bet is to get a "release". After all, who can afford a lawsuit? (Contact us for more info)
- **Most important:** Include your name, contact information (phone, email) and topic source.

Imagine — Your name in print !!!

WFO Article Submission: Image and Text "Releases"

Some of our readers expressed concern, when considering submission of an article for our newsletter, about Copyright laws pertaining to "releases" for names and images.

According to Stanford Libraries: Copyright and Fair Use, these guidelines would apply (Reprinted with permission):

When to Use a Release

Whether you need to obtain a release depends on why you want to use a person's name or image. If your use is for commercial purposes— for example, using a person's photo in an advertisement—you need to obtain a release. If your use is for informational purposes such as a documentary film or news article, you may not need a release.

Informational Uses

You do not need a release to use a person's name or image for informational purposes. An informational (or "editorial") purpose is anything that informs, educates, or expresses opinions protected under the First Amendment of the United States Constitution—freedom of speech and of the press. An informational use would include using a person's name or photograph in a newspaper or magazine article, educational program, film, nonfiction book, or informational website.

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Wisconsin Firearm Owners Ranges, Clubs & Educators Inc. (WFO)

WFO Mission

- ◆ To support, promote and preserve the Constitutional Rights of every American, specifically including the SECOND AMENDMENT.
- ◆ To protect and preserve the gun rights of all American citizens!
- ◆ To provide a respected, effective political voice for all Wisconsin citizens.
- ◆ To defend and preserve those rights against encroachment by political and anti-gun zealots.
- ◆ To aid in the safe, effective and cost efficient establishment and perpetuation of public and private firearm ranges.
- ◆ To promote all forms of firearm safety.
- ◆ To provide safe and effective firearms education and training to both adults and youth.
- ◆ To support and promote the principals and objectives of the National Rifle Association.

Firearm Safety

Wisconsin Firearm Owners (WFO) is committed to promoting Firearms Education and ensuring absolute firearm safety and the constant practice of all firearm rules of safety.

Whether it be for recreation, hunting, concealed carry, competition or Law Enforcement, all facets of safety are emphasized.

Club and Range Support

Wisconsin Firearm Owners (WFO) is the recognized State expert for advising the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, as well as clubs, and businesses, WFO is the recognized resource for designing, improving and upgrading ranges.

Competitions

Wisconsin Firearm Owners (WFO) is proud to provide an on-line resource calendar for known matches and events throughout the State. NRA discipline championships are authorized and promoted through the WFO. Match Directors are encouraged to utilize our on-line registration to list their upcoming activities

What Wisconsin Firearm Owner (WFO) Does

WFO is the only NRA State Chartered Association in Wisconsin.

WFO is your NRA and CMP State Association.

WFO sanctions State Championships for multiple shooting disciplines.

WFO is committed to advancing hunter rights and mentored hunting in Wisconsin.

WFO's lobbying efforts have helped clean up Wisconsin's handgun restrictions.

WFO, partnering with the NRA, led the lobbying efforts for Right to Carry.

WFO, partnering with the NRA, led the lobbying efforts for The Shooting Ranges Protection Act.

WFO provides Club and Range support for those looking to expand and improve their ranges.

WFO actively provides you a voice in Madison's Capitol to protect your Second Amendment Rights.

Join Us Today!

Help Us – Protect Your Gun Rights.

www.wisconsinfirearmowners.org

Self-Mailing Membership Application

Being a **Wisconsin Firearm Owner Member** is extremely important!

- ✓ You get the inside information on the latest events.
- ✓ You get to support one of the most important gun rights organizations in our State
- ✓ Your membership is critical to the future of WFO!

To use the enclosed self-mailer:

- just print this last page
- Complete the requested information

— If you are under 18 years old, also include your date of birth

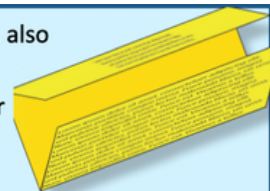
— Be sure to include either your membership check or complete the PayPal information

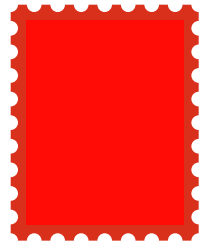
(FYI – Paypal can also accept Visa, MasterCard or American Express)

— When done, fold the Application information page (on the dashed lines) toward the center

— Then fold the mailing address portion on top of the information section.

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MEMBER APPLICATION

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Name * DOB

Cell Phone Land Line Phone

Email

Street Address

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As an applicant, I promise to uphold the Wisconsin Firearm Owner's mission, in its entirety and our United States Constitution & Amendments.

Donations to Wisconsin Gun Owners Association are not tax deductible as charitable contributions and are neither refundable nor transferable.

MEMBERSHIPS

Individual

- Annual \$20 Life \$250
- Junior Membership* (under 18 *) FREE

Club or Business

- Standard \$30 *Patriot* \$250

Payment

- Check (enclosed) PayPal

Card Number

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