



Jackson Purchase Rifle & Pistol Club  
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## NEWSLETTER AND MINUTES

### JPRPC OFFICERS

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### JPRPC Meetings

Olivet Baptist Church  
5186 Hinkleville Road/US 60  
Paducah, KY 42001  
(opposite Kohl's)

## FEBRUARY 17

PROGRAM BY DR. BRAD RANKIN  
MONDAY - 6:30PM

President Ken Stanly call the Jackson Rifle and Pistol Club meeting to order at 6:30pm, January 20, 2020.

**Minutes: MOTION I:** Glen Newtown moved to accept the December 9, 2019 minutes as distributed. Seconded and accepted.

**Financial Report:** Richard Roof, Treasurer stated that we have a negative flow for December but positive for the club fiscal year which ends February 29. Income included membership dues, payable by March 1. The major expense was the December 9, 2019, Annual Meeting and Christmas Pot-luck.

**MOTION II:** Glen Newtown moved to accept the Financial Report. Seconded and accepted.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

**Membership:** Glen Newtown reported to date he had received 21 renewals, 4 family, 1 new membership and 2 Life Memberships. The latter do not pay dues but send in their 'renewal' each year.

**Match Schedules:** The match schedules have been submitted to Paducah Shooters to coordinate with its use of the range. When approved, the 2020 schedule will be posted on the Club's website.

**CCDW:** Richard stated that Kentucky CCDW is recognized by 38 states and its CCDW passes for ID when purchasing firearms. Illinois will allow carrying in the vehicle when traveling through the state but not into buildings. Illinois has a three day wait when purchasing.

**Program:** 'Show and Tell' – Mike Turner and Robert Cantrell

**February 17 program preview:** Dr. Brad Rankin, Revolutionary War Re-enactor, will speak on shooting flintlocks, his custom rifles and display his uniforms.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Carolyn Roof  
Secretary

**If you have not renewed your membership, do so now. The renewal form is on the back of your address sheet.**

## What Type of Uniforms Did Revolutionary War Soldiers Wear? What Rifles Did They Carry?

presented by Dr. Brad Rankin

Come to the Monday, February 17, 6:30pm, Olivet Baptist Church meeting, to learn and see what they wore and what they carried, including items from Brad's collection of authentic uniforms and rifles.

Learn about his hunting experiences and more.

Brad is a Revolutionary War re-enactor who for many years has participated in the annual Fort Massac Encampment and was part of the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commemoration visited.

### What did the Continental Army wear prior to and after Gen. Washington ordered uniform clothing?

Even afterward, it is said that the soldiers wore a rainbow of colors.

Learn what the Continental Army wore prior to and after Gen. Washington ordered uniformity. It is said that the soldiers wore a rainbow of colors. Virginia (including Kentucky County) wore brown and later modified the official uniform to include white facings (red was the standard), linings and buttons. Connecticut alone had 66 styles of uniforms between 1775-83. Of course, trim depended on the commander and rank.

Casimir Pulaski ordered fur trim as he did in his native Poland.

Brad is bringing three of his uniforms. Which will they be and what is his rank?

### What rifles did they carry?

Rifles were as varied as uniforms were? Between 1775-83 you would have seen (from History Junkie - historyjunkie.com)

**Brown Bess:** a muzzleloading smoothbore musket and one of the most common weapons from the Revolutionary War. It originated in Great Britain and was a British weapon but was the primary musket used by the Americans.

The musket was used to fire a single shot ball, or a cluster style shot which fired multiple projectiles giving the weapon a "shotgun" effect.

There were two variations of the Brown Bess: Short and long – more common but bulky

**Charleville Muskets:** Due the influence of Marquis de Lafayette, the Charleville Model 1763 and 1766 muskets were imported to America even before the French Alliance.

The Charleville would influence the Springfield Musket of 1795.

**American Made Muskets:** for the Continental Army. became known as "Committee of Safety" muskets because the musket often did not bear the makers name.

**Long Rifle:** much more accurate than the Musket, a longer reload time and could not be fitted with a bayonet.

George Washington did not like it but its effectiveness at Saratoga and the Battle of Cowpens could not be denied.

**March 16, Installation of Officers** (elected in December) and  
Presentation of the Most Valuable Member Award for 2019.

**Jackson Purchase Rifle & Pistol Club  
Membership Application & Renewal Form**

**Annual dues are payable by March 1**

Please return the form to: **Jackson Purchase Rifle & Pistol Club**  
**Attn: VP, Membership**  
**P. O. Box 862**  
**Paducah, KY 42002-0862**

**Annual Dues**

Full Membership (with voting rights) (\$25)  
 Spouse Membership (with full membership rights) (\$10) (receive membership card)

Member Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse Member \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth for each of the above \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to support the club by participating in the following:

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Want to</b>	<b>Will help</b>	<b>Not sure</b>	<b>No</b>
		when called	will learn	
Hunter sight-in	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Matches*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Website	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- includes set-up, take-down, assisting during match for Cowboy Action, High-power Rifle, CMP Garand Match and Vintage Rifle, etc.

***Affidavit of Consent and Liability Waiver***

I hereby certify that the above information is true and that I will always comply with the rules for safety and range conduct under penalty of membership forfeiture for violation thereof.

The undersigned, releases the Jackson Purchase Rifle & Pistol Club, Inc. its officers, members, guests, and owner of any and all property used, leased or rented by the club and/or members, from any liability for any damages, loss of property, or personal injury occurring to myself or my family and my property, and agree not to file any action at law against said organization or individuals on account of any injury to myself or my family which is created by our negligence or failure to obey the rules and regulations of the club.

The undersigned agrees not to file any action at law against said organization, its officers and officials, members, and guests for any damages, loss of property, or personal injury occurring to myself or any member of my family while traveling to or from any and all individual or group instruction, matches, or practice, held either locally or out of town.

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 Date signed                      Signature of Member (and Spouse if applying for full membership rights)