

West Gardiner Rod and Gun Club
297 Collins Mills Road
West Gardiner ME 04345

Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of the West Gardiner Rod and Gun Club

To be considered for membership, please complete the attached membership application form and sign the "Hold Harmless" Statement. These documents, plus the application fee of \$55.00, which includes the first year dues, must be presented in person at a regularly scheduled club social meeting, unless a waiver is granted by the Membership Coordinator (See contact info below.). These meetings occur at 6:30 pm on the first Thursday of the month, September through May. Note that the summer schedule (June through August) is different and will be posted on the club's website and Facebook page.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP:

Membership is per family. Spouses/partners enjoy all member privileges as well. Children under the age of 18 may use the facilities as long as they are closely supervised by the adult member and adhere to all safety rules.

Members are entitled to the following.

Reduced rates for clubhouse rental

Free use of the firing range year round per appropriate rules and regulations.*

NEW MEMBER REQUIREMENTS:

New members must become familiar with the club bylaws, SOP's and firing range rules and agree to abide by them. New members are also required to attend at least two meetings per year for the first 2 years of membership. New members must also agree to help with the ongoing activities at the club by attending at least one work bee per year. These work bees are outlined on the following page. Before using the shooting arange, new members must participate in a range orientation given by a club range safety officer.

Failure to meet these minimum requirements may result in loss of membership.

Looking Forward to Meeting You,

Paul Okerholm, Membership Coordinator
126 Bog Hill Road
West Gardiner, ME 04345

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Membership Application

Name: _____ Spouse's/Partner's name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number(s) : _____ - _____ Email _____

Occupation: _____ Place of Employment: _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes___ No___

Please indicate which of the following work bees you would support. Check all that apply.

Rifle Range <input type="checkbox"/> Assist with public shoots There are 12 /yr. Each takes approx 4 hrs <input type="checkbox"/> Grounds Keeping (TBD)	Building Maintenance <input type="checkbox"/> Roof clearing during the winter (A/R) <input type="checkbox"/> Work bees (A/R)
Public Function Support Setup, Kitchen help cleanup. etc <input type="checkbox"/> Public Suppers (2 per yr) est 4 hrs each <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing Derby est 6 hrs <input type="checkbox"/> Indoor Archery (12 – 15 per yr) est 4 hrs ea <input type="checkbox"/> Hunter's Breakfast est 4 hrs ea <input type="checkbox"/> Hunter Safety Classes (? Per yr) est 4 hrs ea	

I certify that I am not a member of any organization or group which has as its purpose or one of its purposes the overthrow by force or violence the government of the United States or any of its political subdivisions and further that I have never been convicted of any crime of violence. I certify that if admitted to membership I will fulfill the obligations of membership and good sportsmanship.

I also agree to abide by the purpose of the West Gardiner Rod and Gun Club, which is to promote interests in fishing and wildlife conservation in order to insure good hunting and fishing for future generations, provide facilities for the younger generation to develop their interests in hunting and fishing and to teach them safety afield and on the water, to keep ourselves informed about game management and wildlife conservation and practices and to oppose any action or practice against our best interests.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Sponsor's Signature: _____ Printed: _____ Date: _____

BOD (3 reqd) _____ Date _____

*Club Contact: Paul Okerholm, Treasurer & Membership Coordinator
207-441-5907 pokerholm@hotmail.com*

Club Use Only

Date Presented to Membership: _____ Date Voted On: _____

West Gardiner Rod and Gun Club Shooting Range
Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

I, _____, understand that my participation and use of the West Gardiner Rod and Gun Club shooting range carries with it the potential for certain risks, some of which may not be reasonably foreseeable.

I further acknowledge that these risks could cause me, or others around me, harm including, but not limited to, bodily injury, damage to property, emotional stress, or death.

By signing this agreement, I agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the West Gardiner Rod and Gun Club, as well as all its employees, agents, representatives, officers, successors, etc. from all losses, claims, theft, demands, liabilities, causes of action, or expenses, known or unknown, arising out of my or my personal guest's use of the West Gardiner Rod and Gun shooting range.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____