



# Palmetto Knife News

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We had a total of 13 members present for the April meeting. Hydrick was under the weather and unable to attend so the important stuff was handled by our VP Frank Glenn, who by the way done a fantastic job! But, we missed you Hydrick and looking forward for your return next month.

We still do not have a delivery date for the 2020 knife. We believe they are close but no cigar! Dickie Simmons will be providing barbeque for the show again this year. Please bring items for our bake sale if you can. This has always been a great help to us for the show.

Also, if you are able, please meet us at the recreation center on Thursday afternoon, May 12 around 4 PM to set up tables and lights.

A discussion was held regarding how to handle the door prizes and auctions at the show.

As mentioned in the past, we have been giving a raffle ticket to each person as they enter the show and we draw for a prize approximately every hour.

The problem encountered with this is most patrons stay a couple of hours before leaving therefore most of the tickets we draw are for people who have already left. Wayne and Peggy Patrick have suggested we try using a system similar to the one used by the Lakeland Florida show. It has three steps:

1. On Friday we can have a silent auction for vendors where every vendor can auction 1 item per table. Cost would be \$5.00 which would go to the club.
2. Also on Friday, we would have a "grab bag" where members and vendors donate items and/or cash or gift cards. These will go into 1 big bag that will become an auction item.
3. On Saturday we have a "50-50" raffle. Tickets are sold to vendors and guests. \$1.00 per ticket or 6 for \$5.00. The drawn winner gets 50% of the proceeds and the club gets the other 50%.

We plan to discuss this further at the May meeting and vote on it. Bring any questions or concerns you may have and we will address them.

## UP COMING SHOWS

April 30-May 1	South Carolina Arms Collectors Assoc.	Greenville Show @TD Center
May 7-8	Asheville Gun and Knife Show	Mike Kent N.C. Agriculture Center Fletcher, NC
May 13-14	Palmetto Cutlery Show	Tryon Street Rec. Center Greer, SC
May 21-22	South Carolina Arms Collectors Assoc	Jamil Shrine Temple Columbia, SC
June 3-4	Blade Show	Cobb Galleria Atlanta, GA
June 4-5	Charleston Gun and Knife Show	Ladson, SC

Remember that our next meeting will be Tuesday, May 3 at the Greer Recreation Center. That will be the last meeting before the show on the 13th. A lot of important information will be discussed and brought up at this meeting. Please make your plans to be there if at all possible.

Tell others about the show and let's have the greatest one ever!

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