

RIDGWAY RIFLE CLUB

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IDPA DECEMBER 2009

Paul Day Takes December Match

The Ridgway Rifle Club held the International Defensive Pistol Association combat match on Saturday, December 19th at the Ridgway Rifle Club in Ridgway, Pennsylvania. Paul Day, match director, won first honors using his Smith and Wesson .45 ACP. Wayne Steele of Ridgway took second place with his Glock 21 .45 caliber handgun. Both Paul and Wayne consistently displayed both speed and accuracy during the competition. Despite the snow, the Club's match hosted 29 competitors from 4 counties. Fathers and sons came from as far as Coudersport to participate. A Christmas party followed the match with great comradery with brother members.



Jim Maletto of Kersey shooting his .45 ACP Colt 1911 style handgun blazes through Stage 3

The IDPA match featured 4 defensive stages and the shooters fought through these scenarios with speed and accuracy. The match Safety Officers Mike Newell, Bob Gnan, Keith Van Horn, and Paul Day gave everyone safety instructions before the match which included the basics that "no loaded guns behind the line of fire, no gun handling except in an adjacent "safe room", and the field of fire must be kept clear of any bystanders.

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The competitions are held the second Saturday of each month, and anyone who would care to watch or compete is welcome. Ear and eye protection is a must. The Ridgway Rifle Club is located on Grant Road on the west side of Ridgway.

Match Director – Paul Day