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Point Blank Range Offers FREE Hunter Education Program Required by State for all First-time Hunters

Mooresville, NC – Point Blank Range is pleased to announce that they will be offering the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission FREE Hunters Education seminar October 3rd – 5th, congratulating staff members Ally Allbright and Eric Grove for successfully completing requirements to become volunteer instructors for this state mandated course.

The Hunter Education Program of the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission is a mandatory 10 hour class delivered over three weeknights and is required for all first time hunting license buyers. More than a firearm safety course, instruction includes ethics and responsibility, conservation and wildlife management, wildlife identification, survival and first aid, specialty hunting and tree stand safety.

All first-time license buyers must first successfully complete a hunter education course. There are no minimum age requirements, however, classes are taught at a sixth grade level and tests must be completed without assistance. Courses are a minimum of 10 hours, taught by wildlife officers, hunter education specialists and certified volunteer instructors, and certification is accepted in every state and province in North America.

Due to hunter education, hunting accidents have decreased by over 50% during the last twenty years making hunting one of the safest recreational activities. This NC certification is accepted in every state and province in North America.

General Manager, Dave Driscoll states, “As with all shooting sport disciplines, Point Blank Range stresses safety as the most important consideration when firearms are involved. Offering this course is just another example of how we are committed to serving the needs of the shooting community in the greater Charlotte and Lake Norman region.”

New hunting enthusiasts can register for the free course at www.pointblankrange.com/hunter-ed Hunting and fishing licenses are also available for purchase at Point Blank Range as they are a licensed agent of the state of North Carolina.

Dedicated to American ideals, personal safety and family values Point Blank Range is committed to providing the Lake Norman area with an unparalleled shooting sports experience. The facility contains fifteen 25-yard lanes for pistol, rifle and shotgun use, featuring a cutting edge targeting system in our climate controlled range. A licensed “Class 3” firearms dealer, Point Blank Range stocks an impressive collection of the most sought-after hand-guns, modern sporting rifles and personal defense shotguns, as well as ammunition, optics and other accessories. Point Blank Range is also the home of Patriot Gun Club and **Shooting After Dark™** - an exclusive after-hours access program for Club members. For more information on memberships, training and corporate events please visit www.PointBlankRange.com.

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