



HARDHOLDER – April 2014

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB, INC.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Hello BCGC Members,

Thanks to the members who attended this month's Membership Meeting. BCGC/Camp Fickes T-Shirts will be ordered very soon & should be available for purchase prior to the public shooting season opening. All of you who pre-ordered will receive the first choice of shirts prior to offering them to other members and the public.

The NRA Basic Range Safety Officer Course will be conducted on April 19th at the Camp Fickes Range Stat House. By the time you read this, we will have at least 15 new NRA certified RSOs. We will continue to offer these courses in the future if there is interest, so let me know.

We will have a work party to repair the road, spruce up the Short Range and do some major improvements to the Long Range. If you are interested in helping, be at the range May 4th at 8:00AM. Hopefully, we will have a couple of tractors and a skid steer. We will need shovels, rakes, & weed eaters. Lunch will be provided & you will be credited with one of your Work Bond days. I hope to see several of you out there.

There are still a lot of vacancies on the GateKeeper and GunShow schedules. It would help tremendously if you would schedule yourself now and not wait until the last minute. Please remember, we have to man the GateKeeper position for public shooters in order to keep our Permit with the Forest Service and ultimately keep Camp Fickes/BCGC open for all of us. We now have Match Directors for all of our shooting events but we still need several volunteers. Check out the High Power and Clinic schedules and help out if you are available. If any of you witness an unsafe situation or inappropriate behavior on our range, please inform me as soon as possible with as much detail as you can gather, to include names or license plate numbers.

Our next meeting will be at the Indian Hills Community Center. We will have pizza & drinks after the meeting in the Community Center. Hopefully, many more of you will attend the May meeting.

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BCGC NOTICES

1. New Member Orientation

- Frank McKeon is available for new member orientations at the range. New members should contact Frank at 303-838-4026 to make an appointment.
- Need to update your NRA Membership? For a 1 year membership go to our website: bcgc.com You save \$10 and the Club gets an additional rebate from the NRA. If you want a multi-year extension for a much better deal, call Owen Maddox, NRA Recruiter, at 720-250-6075. Not only do you save a lot on the membership, but the Club also gets a good rebate. Three-year: \$70 Five-year: \$100 LIFE: \$750 65 or older Distinguished LIFE: \$375

Visit the BCGC website at WWW.BCGC.COM for an up to date list of all Camp Fickes and BCGC club events and notices.

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB MEETING MINUTES - April 15, 2014

Members in Attendance

➤ Owen Maddox	Rich Brownson	Tom Grawe
➤ John Williams	Dean Barr	
➤ Dennis Conlon	Jim Madere	
➤ Sam Morris	Frank McKeon	
➤ Jeff Monroe	Brian Hunter	
➤ Dan Bassett	Matt Sanders	
➤ Ken Haxby	Jack Gaynor	
➤ Charles Morey	Greg Gerganoff	
➤ Dave Stockton	Chuck Morey	

1. The monthly Board of Directors Meeting was called to order at 6:00.
 - Motion by Jeff Monroe, seconded by Jim Madere to accept last month's Minutes.
2. **MAIL CALL – Owen Maddox**
Advertisements, nothing from the NRA.
3. **TREASURER'S REPORT - Sam Morris**
 - Club financials are available at the head table.
 - Current BCGC checking account Balance: \$27,268
 - Current BCGC savings account Balance: \$3,502
 - Current Juniors Account Balance: \$205
 - Current Raffle account: \$2,110
 - Motion by Jeff Monroe, seconded by Dan Bassett to accept Treasurer's report as presented.
4. **MEMBERSHIP REPORT – Dan Bassett**
 - 199 members on the roster.
 - Range Access cards have been distributed.
 - New Member Candidates:
Chuck Morey, Tom Grawe.
After brief intros and reading the Bylaws Pledge, all were voted in unanimously by the Membership.
 - Motion by Jeff Monroe, seconded by Jim Madere to accept Membership report as presented.
5. **NEWSLETTER REPORT – Mike McCabe**
 - NA
6. **ARMORER'S REPORT – Sam Morris/Matt Sanders**
 - All rifles are accounted for.
 - Motion by Jeff Monroe, seconded by Jim Madere to accept the Armorer's report as presented.

7. **CLINIC REPORT – Pete Jend (did not attend) Report given by Owen via email**
- All CMP matches sanctioned for July 4.
 - Need more participants.
 - Motion by Dennis Conlon, seconded by Jim Madere to accept the Clinic report as presented
8. **HIGH POWER REPORT – Greg Hawke (did not attend) Report given by Owen via email**
- Summer matches now have match coordinators.
 - Motion by Jeff Monroe, seconded by Jim Madere to accept the High Power report as presented.
9. **JUNIORS REPORT – Matt Sanders**
- The juniors schedule will change to every 1st and 3rd Thursday from 5:30PM – 7:30PM.
 - 6 RSVPs for May 1.
 - Motion by Jeff Monroe, seconded by Denny Conlon to accept the junior's report as presented.
10. **RANGE OFFICER'S REPORT – Dennis Conlon**
- Making new targets for the short range – 52 are coming.
 - Have the materials for the new Long Range targets.
 - Motion by Dean Barr, seconded by Jeff Monroe to accept the Range Officer's Report as presented.
11. **OLD BUSINESS**
- T-shirt update: got 3 bids; our previous supplier (Windy City) has the best deal. Samples are on the way.
 - 5-year planning update:
 - We have additional volunteers
 - We're staking out new areas
 - Getting competitor bids
 - Ready for Dave's environmental impact report
 - Looking at questions re: the movement of the Colorado Trail
 - Focusing on the next 2 years – needed for NSF -> NRA -> NRA grants
 - Appleseed update: Sam is waiting on Appleseed to confirm the date change.
 - RSO Training at the Stat House 4/19 with 19 member participants. The 600 yd position will be closed. Another course will be offered with continued interest.
 - Dean will represent the club with regard to the Eagle Scout project – might be replacing target numbers on the long range.
 - NRA has concerns about berm height and thickness for 50 BMG shooting. Will look into it.
 - CF/FS stewardship – Jim took elevation readings & coordinates for each area where we impact the FS. pH readings are good – middle of recommended range for dealing with lead.
12. **ASSIGNMENTS**
1. Owen will call the Eagle Scouts
 2. John will work with Donnie on the web site.
 3. Owen will advertise the May 4 Work Day.
 4. Owen will contact Dabney re: medical emergencies.
 5. Chuck suggested a cheat sheet for shooters on the long range.
13. **NEW BUSINESS**
- Waivers to By-Laws are forbidden.
 - Sam – Projects to look at: erosion control; new flag poles, new surface on shooting berm, painting inside of pits, new lane markers for target pullers.....
 - May 4 is the big Work Day.
 - We need an Emergency Preparedness Plan, implemented with defined processes & procedures.

The meeting adjourned at 8:02 PM.

The next regular BCGC BOD/Membership meeting will be held on Tuesday May 20th, 2014 at the INDIAN HILLS COMMUNITY CENTER 5381 Parmalee Gulch Rd, Indian Hills, CO 80454 (C470 to US 285, go 4 miles south to Parmalee Gulch Rd., then go .6 miles off of US 285 on South side of Parmalee Gulch Rd) 720-250-6075 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM.

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