HARDHOLDER - FEBRUARY 1999

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB, INC.

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB MEETING MINUTES - February 15, 2000

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM.
- 2. A motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the January minutes.
- 3. Guests were introduced: Robin Speiser, David and Kate Brown, Horace Robertson, Guy Pease and Larry Hawkins.

4. TREASURER'S REPORT

- · The Treasurer's report showed a checking account balance of \$7,719.99 and \$11,630.99 in CD's.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Treasurer's report as presented.

5. HIGHPOWER REPORT

- · No contact made as yet with Steve Works regarding registration of matches with the NRA. Jim Starr is expected to assist with registering matches for this season, and Heidi Volk will register championship matches.
- · New match directors are still to be appointed.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Highpower report as presented.

6. MEMBERSHIP REPORT

- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to return Bill Delaney's application and \$80 check along with a new application and directions to appear at a board meeting as a new member.
- · Motions were made seconded and passed to accept new members: Joseph Dupont, Raymond Harting, Dave and Kate Brown.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Membership report as presented.

7. NEWSLETTER REPORT

- · 169 January newsletters were mailed and none returned.
- · A one-page February newsletter will be mailed to publish the upcoming bullet buy.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Newsletter report as presented.

8. SMALLBORE REPORT

- · 38 shooters are currently signed up for the Winter League, and about 30 are actively participating.
- · Announcements for the annual banquet will be mailed in early March.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Smallbore report as presented.

9. RANGE OFFICER'S REPORT

- · Cost of materials for work on the pits was discussed.
- · An inventory of materials available for target construction will be taken.
- · The possibility of hauling out old deck materials from the pits to begin construction was discussed.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Range Officer's report as presented.

10. CMP REPORT

- · The CMP has shipped 2600 collector grade M-1's.
- · The CMP is still selling M2 ball and M73 Military Match ammo \$172 for 400 rounds, shipping included.
- · The club's M-1's have been completely inventoried, including serial numbers, condition and disposition.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to prepare a similar inventory of the club's .22 target rifles and M-1 carbines, with copies of all inventories to be retained by the CMP Executive and the Secretary.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the CMP report as presented.

11. SILHOUETTE

No report

12. CLINICS

No report

13. OLD BUSINESS

- · Dabney Crump reviewed changes in the new BCGC membership application, and additional changes were discussed.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the new application form as discussed.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to hold the 2001 Annual Meeting at the County Line Barbecue.
- · George Kruger presented a list of possible auditors for this year's audit; review of the list was tabled until after adjournment.
- · Changes in the Club Policies were discussed; George Kruger will prepare an updated version for next month's board meeting.
- · Changes in the Club By-Laws were discussed. Some items will be deleted from the By-Laws and/or reworded to reflect current board membership, club activities and procedures; other items will be addressed in updating the Club Policies.
- · Ray Barrett will have a BCGC table at the Tanner Gun Shows on March 18 and 19, and April 20 and 21, and at the Collectors Show on May 13 and 14. He still needs to have a sign for the table made.

14. NEW BUSINESS

- · George Kruger proposed a new form for reporting income and expenses from club sponsored events.
- · A motion was made, seconded and passed to require directors of all club sponsored events to file a report form (available from the Treasurer), listing expenses, income and cash advances.
- · Robin Speiser suggested offering the newsletter on the Internet to save postage; he also appealed to the board for more information about club sponsored activities to be included in the membership packet given to new members. Additions to the packet are being prepared.

· Larry Hawkins proposed more communications with members regarding club sponsored events. Jack Gaynor will prepare a one-time mailing this spring after the required information is available.

The meeting adjourned at 9:06 PM.

NOTICES

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Membership cards for year 2000 are being mailed with the February newsletter to those who have paid their dues by the February 15, 2000 board meeting. Payments received after the meeting will be processed and membership cards mailed next month. If your dues have been paid and you did not receive your card please call the Membership Chairman.

ADDITION TO THE RANGE OFFICER'S REPORT - MAJOR PIT RECONSTRUCTION

The range is reserved for work parties for all weekends from March 11 through April 23, 2000 (Easter weekend). Sorry for the inconvenience or disruption of your shooting plans. Please schedule your availability and ability for work with Dan Gabel.

Work Party efforts for this spring will include replacement of the flooring in the pit area. After extensive discussions at the board meetings the decision has been made to install a concrete floor for the pit area after removal of the existing wooden floor. This effort will require coordinated work parties over several weekends (minimum four weekends). To allow several contingency weekends for weather delays, we would like to start the project as early as March 11 - 12 weekend. The proposed schedule and tasks by weekend as follows:

WEEKEND 1 - Remove wooden flooring in the pit area; build concrete forms along front (west) edge, retaining wall at north end, and steps at south end; drill existing concrete floor for rebars; and trim trees along entry road to assure that a concrete truck can get to the range. Also, dig a hole for a flag pole base and pour concrete either second or fourth weekend.

A. Special Equipment Needed - generator, rotor hammers (minimum of two able to drill ½", 5/8", or æ" holes), chain saw and tall platform to trim trees, forming materials, rebar cutter, and rebar. Also needed are general hand tools including cordless drills to remove all screws from used lumber.

B. Manpower Needed - minimum 6-8 guys each day.

WEEKEND 2 - Place concrete in forms build Weekend 1 and cover to allow curing. Hopefully a concrete truck can get into the impact area to sluice over the wall into forms. This must be verified Weekend 1 so that proper plans can be made. A field built funnel to help direct the concrete into the forms would be helpful. Alternatively, mix concrete on site with engine driven mixers at least for the front edge and leave north wall and stairs until Weekend 4.

- A. Special Equipment Needed concrete vibrator, form release agent, curing blankets, wheel barrels, and shovels.
- B. Manpower Needed minimum 6-8 guys for one day. Will need 10-12 guys for each day if concrete is mixed on site and work as two crews operating two mixers.

WEEKEND 3 - Strip inside form from front edge of floor (leave outside form to hold top slab when poured); backfill and compact dirt under floor; bend rebars in front edge down into plane where floor will be poured; build impact areas for pistol shooting at 200 yard, 300 yard, and 600 yard firing lines; build-up the impact area at firing points 1 and 2; remove dirt from impact area at firing points 12 through 15; create a 500 yard firing line with minimum 4 firing points. A field built funnel to help direct the dirt into the area below the pit floor would be helpful.

- A. Special Equipment Needed plate compactor, 2 1/2 3 yard front end loader, rebar cutter, rebar bender, rebar, wheel barrels, and shovels.
- B. Manpower Needed minimum 6-8 guys each day.
- WEEKEND 4 Place concrete floor in pit area with slope to drain (1/4" per foot) towards west, finish with stiff broom, and cover to allow curing.
- A. Special Equipment Needed concrete finishing and edging tools, curing agent, curing blankets, wheel barrels, and shovels.
- B. Manpower Needed minimum 6-8 guys for one day.

MATERIALS LIST

Forms - 25 sheets of æ" plywood or rent forms Concrete (delivered from LaFarge of Evergreen):

Form Ties - as needed North wall - 9'*4'*0.5'=18 cf/27=.7cy

#4 or #5 Rebar - 9' long *150'/4' on center + 4*150'= 1000 feet West wall - 150'*1.5'*0.5'=113 cf/27=4.2 cy

Imbed plates (if used) - 60 units each 2"x6"x1/4" Stairs - assume 3 cy

Reuse wood from floor for bracing Floor - 150'*6'*0.5'=450 cf/27=16.7 cy

Backfill material 150'*6'*1.5'= 1350 cf/27= 50 cy Flag pole base - assume 3 cy

OTHER WORK PARTY ITEMS - Flag pole base, vent for 600 yard outhouse, screens for all outhouses, and cardboard and faces for bare target frames (need generator to run air compressor).

We do not expect everyone to attend each weekend. There will be enough work for all to share. Please call Dan Gabel at 303-429-8041 to sign up for specific weekends, to verify that a weekend work party will proceed or be cancelled, and for work party coordination. During weekends 2 and 4 we need to assure good attendance to place concrete at least two days ahead, otherwise, the concrete truck will be cancelled. If you wish to work during the week, work assigned to weekend 1 (remove existing floor) would be available. Again, please call before beginning. Your patience and assistance is greatly appreciated. Please be polite and patient to Dan's wife otherwise Dan will be moving to BCGC permanently.

2000 HORNADY BULLET BUY

Time to restock your Hornaday bullet supply. Mike Bogard will organize a drop shipment from Hornaday for BCGC members and friends.

Match Bullet Pricing per box of 100

224. 68gr BTHP \$9.42/box

224. 75gr BTHP \$9.60/box

224. 75gr AMAX \$10.12/box

30. 168gr BTHP \$14.33/box

We can order any Hornaday bullet in lots of 500 for this shipment. Minimum order for drop shipments is \$1200.00. So, send me a post card or letter by March 15, and let me know what you would like. I will call you with pricing on bullets not listed per your request.

Mike Bogard

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Have a complaint or question - contact a club officer.

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