



Board Minutes – January 2015 BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB, INC.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

2015 Annual Membership Meeting: thanks go out to many of you but I will only mention three for the sake of brevity: Linda & Dabney Crump for organizing the entire event; and Earl Colm, a BCGC member and VFW Post 4171 Member, who was instrumental in securing the venue for us.

Thanks to all of the members and guests who attended the 2015 BCGC Annual Membership Meeting last night. We had 130 in attendance. That is a 75% increase over last year's Annual Meeting. We know we had a big problem getting you through the payment line while trying to collect for the Banquet and Membership dues at the same time. We have a fix for that and I will do my best to ensure you will not experience the "bottle-neck" next year.

We gave away about 30 Door Prizes, to include: a Lyman .54 caliber Muzzle Loader, donated by BCGC Member Gregg Randall, won by BCGC Member Jim Barkdull; an H&R .22 Target Rifle, donated by BCGC and won by BCGC Member John Carter; a High Power Shooter's Cart, donated by Polly Starr and won by BCGC Member Del Befus. Thanks to all of the members who donated the many other items (too many to list here).

The "Silent Auction" consisted of three rifles; an H&R .22 Target Rifle which was a BCGC Club rifle won by BCGC Member Bob Carter, with a winning bid of \$475; a Kimber .22 Target Rifle, which was also a BCGC Club rifle and it was also won by Bob Carter, with a winning bid of \$400; and a Savage 93R17 Rifle, donated by BCGC Charter Member Ed Keller and won by BCGC Member Devin Weekley, with a winning bid of \$250. Mr. Ed Keller donated the Savage rifle with the intent that the proceeds will go to the Juniors Program. So, \$250 will be deposited into the Juniors account.

Our 2015 BCGC Raffle for the CMP H&R M1 Garand Rifle being won by BCGC Member Pete Jend, who was in attendance. Congratulations Pete! Thanks go out to the 62 members and 7 non-members who purchased the 250 Raffle Tickets. This Raffle earned \$3,235 for your Club.

BCGC Member Dave Sullivan gave an eloquent presentation on long time member Jim Starr, now deceased. Jim was instrumental in producing the best Juniors shooting program in the nation. His time, effort and dedication, positively influenced the lives of many young shooters and he will forever be remembered by this Club and the High Power Shooters throughout the community. This very brief synopsis of Dave's presentation does not do it justice. However, the Club will soon erect a Red Flagstone in on the 600 yard shooting line in memory of Jim Starr.

On another positive note, last night, just before the meeting started, I received a text from one of our Grant Coordinators, Rich Manzer. He informed me that the club has a very real possibility

of receiving an \$8,000 Grant that we had requested from the Friends of NRA. If we receive this Grant, we will start refurbishing the Jim Starr Range berm as soon as the frozen ground allows. We will have the berm completed by May 31st, 2015.

The Friends of NRA are truly a friend of Buffalo Creek Gun Club. Their annual event is coming up soon. As soon as I get the details of the event, I will inform all of you. This is a fun event and I encourage all of you to support this worthy organization. The cost will be \$75 for the banquet and it will be held at the "Memorial Barn" in Marshdale (between Evergreen & Conifer). The date is Friday, March 13th, doors will open at 5:00 PM. There will be many guns and other prizes to win or bid on, to include Big Game hunts.

A Life Membership in the BCGC Steel Challenge Club is open to any BCGC member in "Good Standing". Membership fee is \$100. Specifics on the Memberships can be found in my previous emails sent to all BCGC Members. We are now affiliated with the United States Practical Shooting Association (USPSA) and the Steel Challenge Shooting Association (SCSA). If you have further questions, send them to me at bcgc777@gmail.com

We currently have a Match on the 1st Thursday of each month (next Match is February 5th, 2015). **We will start shooting an additional Steel Challenge match in March 2015**. So, two Matches per month: one on the 1st Thursday of the month and the other on the 3rd Saturday of the month. Details will be posted on the BCGC website. Check the Marquee.

I look forward to seeing many of you at the next Board of Directors meeting on February 17th, 2015 at the Indian Hills Community Center. We will once again, have pizza & drinks after the meeting.

Owen Maddox President, BCGC 720-250-6075 bcgc777@gmail.com

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 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES – January 17th, 2015

Members in Attendance

• All 13 BCGC and Camp Fickes Board of Directors were in attendance in addition to 117 members and guests.

The Annual Membership Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM

- 2. MAIL CALL Owen Maddox
 - None

3. TREASURER'S REPORT - Sam Morris

- Current BCGC checking account Balance: \$29,660.52
- Current BCGC savings account Balance: \$3,503.71
- Current Juniors Account Balance: \$308.89
- Current Raffle account: \$2921.41
- 4. <u>MEMBERSHIP REPORT</u> David Stockton
 - 48 new members for 2014
 - New Candidates: Roy Johnson & Gary Uhland
 - After a brief intro, Roy & Gary were voted in unanimously by the Membership.

5. NEWSLETTER REPORT – Mike McCabe

- Nothing
- 6. ARMORER'S REPORT Sam Morris
 - Nothing
- 7. <u>HI-POWER REPORT</u> Jason Roosa
 - Nothing

8. <u>TRAINING/CLINIC REPORT</u> – Pete Jend

• Nothing

9. JUNIORS REPORT – Owen Maddox

• Nothing

10. RANGE OFFICER'S REPORT – Dennis Conlon

Nothing

11. OLD BUSINESS

- Three Board of Directors were elected/re-elected by the Membership: Dennis Conlon - Range Officer; Mike McCabe - Secretary; and Brian Hunter - Executive Officer
- Raffle Drawing for a M1 Garand was held at Annual Membership Meeting with Pete Jend being the lucky winner.
- 501(c)(7) to 501(c)(3) Owen Maddox. Another meeting was held with the Forest Service to see if a change in our status changes our standing with the Forest Service. Owen solicited help with the issue through the Pueblo office with some success. More to come on the extent of the help.

12. ASSIGNMENTS

• Owen: Follow up with Stone Company on Jim Starr stone

13. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>

• BCGC Member Susan Gumm volunteered to run the "Silent Auction" for next year's Annual Membership Meeting. With Susan's expertise in events like ours, we are guaranteed to have a fun, professional and lucrative meeting. Thanks Susan!

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.

The next regular BCGC BOD/Membership meeting will be held on Tuesday February 17th, 2015 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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