HARDHOLDER - MARCH, 1997

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB, INC.

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB MEETING MINUTES - January 25, 1997

- 1. The Annual meeting was called to order by the president Steve Benninghoven at 7:30 PM.
- 2. Dinner was served and enjoyed by all.
- 3. Roger Noland's contributions to the club were remembered.
- Short discussions were held concerning the shelter, use of donations to the juniors, and the building of rifles in Roger's name.
- 5. The club officers elected for 1997 were Steve Benninghoven, Jim Starr, Craig Siegel, Steve Hawks, Larry Hawkins, Jack Gaynor, Dabney Crump, Norm Austen, Perry Welch, Mike Walton and Mike Bogard.
- 6. Additional discussions were held concerning the Shooting Calendars and the SASS Feb. 22 \$100.00 a plate benefit dinner at the Fort Restaurant.
- 7. The door prizes were given out.
- 8. The meeting was closed at 9:30Pm.

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB MEETING MINUTES - February 18, 1997

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 7:05PM.
- 2. The minutes of the January 21, 1997 meeting were read and approved.
- 3. TREASURERS REPORT

The Treasurer's Report was accepted as presented.

The elected club officers for 1997 are:

President - Steve Benninghoven Vice President - Perry Welch Secretary - Craig Siegel Treasurer - Norm Austen Range Officer - Larry Hawkins Newsletter - Jack Gaynor Juniors - Jim Starr Membership - Dabney Crump Silhouette - Steve Hawks Small Bore - Mike Walton At Large - Mike Bogard

The Appointed Board Members for 1997 are:

High Power - Stan Todd Cowboy Executive Officer - Ed Wisler

5. MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Applications for membership were received from Richard Boman, James Ketchledge and Edward Wisler. The applicants were accepted into the club by unanimous vote.

The membership data is being updated by the new chairman.

6. RANGE OFFICERS REPORT

Removal or burial of the rock in the road at the second turn was added to the work party list. The supply of Buffalo pins should be adequate for this season.

7. JUNIORS REPORT

The Juniors are gearing up for the raffle and the next shooting season.

8. OLD BUSINESS

- -Tables are reserved for the March 15/16 and April 26/27 Tanner Gun Shows.
- -Jim Starr will call to schedule the May Crossroads show.
- -Jim Starr will deliver the rifles to be rebarreled to McCoy as soon as possible.

NEW BUSINESS

- -A discussion was held concerning the relationship between SASS and BCGC. Ed Wisler will be the liaison official between SASS and BCGC.
- -There will be a joint SASS and BCGC Work Parties on April 5 and October 18.
- -A discussion was held concerning how seasoned shooters might act as sponsors for those just starting in the sport. Stan Todd will prepare an article explaining the idea to be published in the newsletter.
- -A letter was received from the DCM stating that the state rifles had to be purchased or returned. A discussion was held on how BCGC might help support the purchase of the rifles.
- -A discussion was held about setting up a reserve to purchase surplus air rifles for the Junior Program. This item was tabled for the time being while Jim Starr obtains more information.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:55pm.

SYMPATHY

The club would like to express it's sympathy to Mr. & Mrs. Perry Welch on the loss of their baby.

CALENDER CHANGE

Please note that the NRA Palma Championship will be held on June 25-29 at the Whittington Center. Thanks to Howard Jensen for this correction.

WORK PARTY

As stated in the minutes, a joint SASS & BCGC work party is scheduled for April 5, 1997 at the range. Members of both clubs can satisy their work bond requirements on this day.

<u>LEGISLATIVE NEWS</u>
The following was contributed by Ray Barret