



HARDHOLDER – NOVEMBER 2011

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB, INC.

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB MEETING MINUTES NOVEMBER 15, 2011

1. The monthly board meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by the president.
2. The minutes of the October 18, 2011 BOD meeting were read by the president.
 - A motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the minutes as read.
3. **MAIL CALL**
 - No Report
4. **TREASURER'S REPORT.**
 - The BCGC and Camp Fickes accounts are in order.
 - The insurance bill for the club still has to be paid.
 - A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Treasurer's report as presented
5. **NEWSLETTER REPORT**
 - No Report
6. **ARMORER'S REPORT**
 - Camp Fickes has purchased a two new safes to provide secure storage of the club's assets.
 - A member asked about the insurance covering the club's rifle. Sam Morris responded that the weapons are insured by the club.
 - A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Armorer's report as presented
7. **CLINIC REPORT**
 - Pete Jend wanted to know what clinics should be held in 2012. Mike Brazell suggested that more pistol clinics - similar to the one held in 2011 - be held as well as a possible youth shooter clinic
 - It was suggested that next year's rifle clinics follow the same format as was used this year.
 - Gavin Weekly proposed that the club sponsor the Project Appleseed for a clinic. Gavin said a representative from the Project Appleseed would be willing to give a half hour presentation at a BOD meeting. The tentative cost for a 2 day shooter clinic at our range would be \$70 plus the range fee. This would be open to the public. Gavin will invite the representative to the December 2011 BOD meeting.
 - A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Clinic report as presented.
8. **MEMBERSHIP REPORT**
 - A prospective member and a prospective members wife were present at the meeting, Kent Fairweather and Gavan Duemke wife Joy. Kent brought his son Michael to the meeting. Gavan Duemke was not present but his wife Joy was present to provide background information on Gavan. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept Kent and Gavan as new members.
 - Dan Gabel asked for members of the BOD to send him a list of club members that did work for the club under the direction of the individual board member that would qualify as work days.
 - Dan said that he had prepared letters that he was sending to the 22 individuals who had not paid their 2011 dues.
 - A motion was made, seconded, and passed to accept the membership report.
9. **HIGH POWER REPORT**
 - Pete Jend stated that he had given Sam Morris the results for the sanctioned matches.
 - Since the club no longer has a High Power Director, a volunteer is needed to compile the results for the sanctioned matches and submit them to the NRA.
 - One more high power match will be held in December at Byers, Colorado.
 - A motion was made, seconded, and passed to accept the hi power report.
10. **JUNIORS REPORT**
 - No report
 - John Williams will contact John Downey who has moved from the Denver area to discuss what his plans are for the junior program, and if he desires to remain as the Junior Executive on the BOD or wishes to resign.
11. **SMALL BORE REPORT**
 - Mike Brazell stated that, since there have been no small bore reports for several years, that this item be deleted from the minutes and newsletter.

- A motion was made, seconded and passed to remove the small bore report from the meeting minutes and newsletter.
12. **RANGE OFFICER'S REPORT**
- The roof materials for the large target shed have been delivered to the range; some material is stored in the large target shed and other material is stored outside the shed on the driveway. The material stored outside will be marked and some kind of protection provided to prevent accidental damage by vehicles using the driveway.
 - A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Range Officer's report as presented
13. **OLD BUSINESS**
- Gavin Weekley said some of the signs are installed and others are in the large target shed. We will need to rent a post hole digger and mix concrete to install the remaining signs. It is planned to finish installing the signs when we have the roof replacement work party.
 - Dabney Crump reported that Camp Fickes has selected a contractor to repair and install berms on the short range. The new configuration on the short range will be 8 positions for 100 yards, 3 positions for 50 yards, and 10 positions for 25 yards. The firing line will be cleared and smoothed. Dabney will review the plans with the US Forest Service before the work commences.
 - The discussion on obtaining additional plastic target backers for the public's use was tabled until the next meeting.
 - The location for the annual dinner meeting was discussed. Dabney presented three choices for the location. The Great Wall Super Buffet near US 285 and Wadsworth was selected by a vote of those present. The annual dinner and membership meeting will be held on Saturday, January 14, 2012 between 6 pm and 9:30 pm. A door prize consisting of a rifle will be awarded to a lucky BCGC member. **Each paying adult club member in good standing attending the Annual Meeting will get one chance for the door prize.** The member must be present to win the rifle. The cost for the dinner is \$15 per person for members and adult guests; \$7.50 for children under age 11.
 - The BOD voted to contribute up to \$500.00 to purchase additional door prizes for the dinner meeting.
 - Sam Morris reported that the liability insurance for both Camp Fickes and the Buffalo Creek Gun Club is in effect. The Directors and Officers (D&O) insurance for the BCGC Board is in effect.. The D&O insurance for the Camp Fickes Board is pending.
 - Rental of the range was discussed in regards to insurance. All renters are required to have liability insurance to protect both Camp Fickes and the Buffalo Creek Gun Club, however some carry the NRA insurance which only applies if the renter is teaching NRA programs. The club must verify that the renter's insurance is valid for each rental.
 - The Camp Fickes shareholder issue was finally put to bed.
14. **NEW BUSINESS**
- Gavin Weekley stated that the test page for the business cards is completed. Business cards will be given to the club Directors and Officers to hand out to prospective new members. The cards will be valid for one day of free shooting at the range. The cards will be numbered so that Dabney can verify their authenticity.
 - Members are reminded that they are required to wear their membership badges when on the range. If they do not comply, they will be asked to leave.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 pm.

NOTICES

1. Road Closed Sign

The Forest Service has posted a "Road Closed " sign on the Gate leading to the range. This does not apply to BCGC or Camp Fickes members.

2. High Power Director Needed

The position of High Power Director is open. This person would be responsible to register the matches with NRA or CMP, organize the match directors and assure the match fees are paid and results are reported. Ability to apply friendly persuasion (arm twisting if necessary) to obtain match sponsors is a desirable trait. Reluctant volunteers please contact any Club Officer.

3. 2012 Board Nominations

The 2012 BCGC Board of Directors election will be held at the January Annual Dinner. If you would like to run for a position on the BOD please contact one of the following:

MIKE BRAZELL / jmbrazsam@wispertel.net

GAVIN WEEKLEY- Weekleyclan@juno.com

RON SMITH -PJ@IDcomm.com

MIKE WALTON - (303/757-4304) / bigbadgerboy@yahoo.com

4. Area Club Events

TOYS FOR TOTS 50 SHOT RIFLE MATCH-CLINIC

A 50 shot fun match geared toward any safe as-issued rifle with iron sights. Bring out your AR, M1 Garand, SKS, or AK. Optical sights or match rifles are welcome. No prior competitive experience required. This match is very suitable for brand new shooters. This is a modified version of a combat rifle EIC (Excellence in Competition) match.

Location: Colorado Rifle Club, Byers, CO at 1000 yd Hi Power Range. www.crci.org

When: Saturday, Dec 10, 2011

No divisions, categories, classifications, or prizes

Entry fee: 1 toy, unwrapped. More is better.

Ammunition: Approx 60rds of safe ammunition. No tracer or incendiary

Equipment: Minimal. Mats allowed. No heavy competition shooting coats. Binoculars are helpful. Pen, pencil, notebook.

At least 2 mags or stripper clips. Hearing and eye protection. Small pack for food, drink, etc. No shooting carts.

Start: Free clinic at 1000 yd line pavilion 0800-0900. Will cover safety, scoring, pit procedures, range procedures, marksmanship fundamentals, and positions All are welcome.

Firing begins approx 0930 til approx 1230.

Parking: Vehicles may be parked near pits (behind berm is recommended), or behind the 500 yd line during match.

COF: 2 Relays. Relay 1 fires 500, 300 and 200 yds. Pit change. Repeat for relay 2.

500 yds 5 min unlimited sighting shots

10 slow fire shots in 10 min, single loaded. Pull and mark each shot.

Prone Rapid fire. Start in position. 10 shots with a magazine change from the body in a time limit of 70 seconds.

Mags loaded 5 + 5, except M-1 Garands

300 yds Prone rapid fire from standing. 10 shots fired in 70 seconds with a mag change from the body, loaded 5 + 5

200 yds Standing from high ready/alert position. 2 shots, one 12 second exposure

Standing from high ready. 3 shots, one 12 sec exposure

Standing to kneeling. 2 shots, one 15 sec exposure

Standing to kneeling. 3 shots, one 15 sec exposure

Rapid fire. Standing to sitting. 10 shots in 60 seconds with a mag change from the body, loaded 5 + 5.

COF subject to change. Target: E silhouette (20 in x 40 in.).

Prone support: Sling or pack allowed

Slings: Loop or hasty sling allowed in all positions.

If there is sufficient interest, there will also be a 2 man sniper team match at 1000 yds and possibly 600 or 800 yds. Scoped rifles recommended. 5 shots per team member at each yard line. Spotter may use a spotting scope (recommended). Teams may be formed on site. Each team may use 2 rifles or may share 1.

Pre-register at epjend317@gmail.com or 303-564-5077

Match will take place regardless of weather if roads are safely passable.

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

WEB SITE OF THE MONTH: NATCHEZ SHOOTING SUPPLIES <www.natchezss.com>

**Buffalo Creek Gun Club
ANNUAL MEETING / BANQUET**

DATE – Saturday January 14, 2012

WHERE - The Great Wall Super Buffet
3215 S. Wadsworth Blvd.
Lakewood, CO 80227
720-963-1888

TIME – between 6 pm and 9:30 pm
After dinner we'll hold the Annual Meeting

COST - \$15 per adult - \$7.50 for children under 11

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PLEASE CALL or EMAIL DABNEY CRUMP AND LET HIM KNOW THE
NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN YOUR PARTY BY THURSDAY JANUARY 12th.

Phone: 303-324-1084

email:dabney@dhcrump.com

2011 BCGC OFFICERS

PRESIDENT / MIKE BRAZELL / jmbrazsam@wispertel.net

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ASSISTANT RANGE OFFICER / JERRY FISCHER / jerry.fischer50@gmail.com

HIGH POWER DIRECTOR / **OPEN**

CMP COORDINATOR / **OPEN**

TRAINING OFFICER / PETE JEND / epjend317@gmail.com

JUNIOR EXECUTIVE / JOHN DOWNEY – (303-456-8694) / moosy50@hotmail.com

NEWSLETTER EDITOR / JACK GAYNOR / BCGC_E_NEWS@q.com

BOARD MEMBER-AT-LARGE / **OPEN**

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION / FRANK McKeon / (303-838-4026)

CO-ARMORER / SAM MORRIS - (303/838-0702) / samelamorris@gmail.com

CO-ARMORER / JOHN WILLIAMS (720-352-4783) / westminsterarms@yahoo.com

The next regular BCGC BOD meeting will be held on Tuesday December 20th at the Golden Community Center, 1470 10th Street, Golden, CO 80401 (303) 384-8100 in the Beaver Brook Room from 6:00 to 8:00pm.



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