



HARDHOLDER – NOVEMBER 2013

BUFFALO CREEK GUN CLUB, INC.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Greetings,

I wanted to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
I hope to see you at the upcoming Annual Dinner. Please contact Dabney to make reservations.
We will be auctioning off a number of Target .22s.

I wanted to remind everyone that SAFETY is Job One!! We cannot continue to have safety violations.
We are very lucky to not have had any serious problems or incidents. We must remain vigilante and
remember that the range and club rules are for everyone safety and protection.
I look forward to another great year at Buffalo Creek Gun Club.

Again Happy Holidays and thanks for everything that you do.

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.

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 November 17, 2013

Board Members, etc in Attendance

- Gavin Weekley
- Barrett Benson
- John Williams
- Dennis Conlon
- Jerry Fischer
- Owen Maddox
- Jeff Monroe
- Ken Haxby
- Sam Morris
- Frank McKeon
- Dabney Crump
- Jim Madere
- Dean Bar
- Mike McCabe

1. The monthly Board of Directors Meeting was called to order at 6:02 pm.
 - Prior Months Meeting Minutes-- no issues to discuss from last month's meeting
 - Prior Months Newsletter? nothing
 - Any changes, corrections? none
 - Motion by Jeff, seconded by Barrett to accept the Minutes.
2. **MAIL CALL**
 - Bill from Phila Insurance for \$500 – paid.
 - Motion by Jeff, seconded by Barrett to accept the report.
3. **TREASURER'S REPORT - Sam Morris**
 - Club financials are available at the head table
 - \$2700 has been paid for liability & umbrella insurance - covered through 2014.
 - Current BCGC checking account Balance: \$17,633
 - Current BCGC savings account Balance (NRA Grant): \$3,501
 - Current Juniors Account Balance: \$223
 - Current Raffle account: \$3734
 - Bookkeeper has been directed to transfer the remainder of the range access fees to Camp Fickes. These fees will be returned to BCGC to pay off the Fickes loan.
 - The loan to Dabney has been paid off in full.
 - Motion by Jeff, seconded by Barrett to accept Treasurer's report as presented.
4. **MEMBERSHIP REPORT – Owen Maddox**
 - 216 members on the books; 9 will be dropped as of January
 - 2 new members:
Kenny Crowley

Matt Lapinski

After brief intros all were voted in unanimously by the Board.

- Motion by Jeff, seconded by Jim to accept Membership report as presented.
5. **NEWSLETTER REPORT – Mike McCabe**
- Discussion deferred to New Business.
6. **ARMORER’S REPORT**
- Same as previous meetings.
 - Motion by Denny, seconded by Jeff to accept Armorer’s report as presented.
7. **CLINIC REPORT – Pete Jend**
- Pete couldn’t make the meeting. No report.
 - Need help with clinics, especially when Pete can’t be there. Need instructors & admin help.
 - Pete also needs help with reloading ammo.
 - Sam: For next year’s gun shows, we will have a pamphlet describing all of our clinics & matches.
 - Motion by Jeff, seconded by John to accept the Clinic Report as presented.
8. **HIGH POWER REPORT – Greg Hawke**
- Greg couldn’t make the meeting. No report.
9. **JUNIORS REPORT – Mike Brazell**
- Mike couldn’t make the meeting. No report.
 - Matt Sanders will be conducting Juniors Program sessions on Saturday mornings (3 in December).
 - Matt has the Juniors rifles in his possession.
 - Motion by Jim, seconded by Jeff to accept the Juniors Report as presented.
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10. **RANGE OFFICER’S REPORT – Denny Conlon**
- We’re losing part of the Stat House roof due to wind – needs repair.
 - This Sunday at 9, the berm work will continue. Dean has documented the progress.
 - 22 workers at the last work party.
 - Motion by Jeff, seconded by Barrett to accept the Range Officer’s Report as presented.
11. **OLD BUSINESS**
- No response from noise control lady.
Jim M – based on the contract language, a visit from the NRA will not provide us with any real range planning assistance. Since we must pay \$\$ for the privilege, Jim made motion to cancel the NRA visit, seconded by John, passed unanimously.
 - Owen: the final grant report is ready to go. Expenses = \$4130, \$2325 of that is our labor.
 - Denny followed up on the repost in previous meeting regarding range shooting boundaries. Apparently there was some confusion, and the new member making the report might have been at fault. In any case, range shooting restrictions will be presented again to all members and acknowledged by all members.
 - Owen: everyone should sign up for the NRA through the BCGC web site. It costs only \$25, and the club gets a cut.
 - The By-Laws vote has been postponed due to some inconsistencies with the Camp Fickes By-Laws and letters of incorporation.
 - 40 minutes of discussion regarding voting electronically. Owen will send “option for electronic voting” to all members, & an “opt-in” option will be added to the BCGC application.
12. **ASSIGNMENTS**

None

13. NEW BUSINESS

- Mike wants another meeting regarding the 5-yr plan, to discuss new range, range improvements, training facility, etc.
- Denny: the Wounded Warriors shoot went well.
- To ensure that all members are cognizant of safety procedures, shooting rules will be re-sent to all members, who will then be required to initial their agreement in writing. Violations of “where-to-shoot” rules will result in immediate dismissal from the club.
- Gavin: Bailey Challenge will be Dec 14. Can we waive range fees for the event?
- Dabney: Annual Dinner being planned for Jan. 18. 2 venues were discussed (DiCiccios & VFW 322). The VFW won out on a vote of 12 – 8.
- John: Have compared insurance rates & found Phila to be most reasonable. Others charge per member.
- Owen: Suggests we consider using Raffle money to subsidize BCGC shirt sales.
- If anyone is interested in running for a BCGC board position – contact a board member & attend the next board meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 8:28 pm.

The next regular BCGC BOD meeting will be held on Tuesday December 17, 2013 at the Golden Community Center, 1470 10th Street, Golden, CO 80401 (303) 384-8100 from 6:00 to 8:00pm.

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