

AGC NEWS FEBRUARY 2007

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Newsletter submission deadline is the 20th of each month **AT NOON**. You may mail, FAX or email it to Karen. Submissions (other than match results) must be approved by the BoD Secretary per motion 08.10.04.f.

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Please - NO phone calls before 9am or after 9pm

Thank you.

-Bill Chin, BOD Secretary

THANK YOU

Lou Beltowski has resigned as the chairman of Wednesday Trap. The Aurora Gun Club would like to thank Lou for his years of dedication and hard work. If someone is interested in filling this position to continue this Wednesday tradition please contact one of the Board of Directors. Again thanks for the job very well done, Lou!

REZONING UPDATE

There is nothing new to report. The issue is currently being placed in the inactive file. Please give Karen your email addresses so we can keep you posted. Any information will be posted on our website. Thanks.

-Bill Chin

CMP SERVICE RIFLE CLASSES

The classes for February will be:

M1 Carbine, Saturday, February 10th 9am

1917 Enfield, Saturday, February 24th 9am

History, function, loading and stripping will be covered. You may bring your rifles, no ammo.

-Pete 720-939-5396

-John 303-840-2372

MEETING MINUTES

AGC BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING JANUARY 9, 2007

Meeting called to order at 7:05pm by Vice President Terry Humbargar.

Present: Adams, Ames, Chin, Cromie, Dankowski, Davis, Hamblen, Humbargar, Lee, Miller, Sether, Still.

Absent: Rathburn, Immel, Visnak (all excused)

I CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of allegiance

II MINUTES

Correction: Huber was listed as a board member and not Cromie. Cromie attended December's meeting. No further corrections. Minutes stand as reported.

III PRESIDENT REPORT

Rob was planning on attending but was delayed at work. His health is doing well and thanks everyone for their help.

IV MEMBERS FORUM

AGC Member, Cal Shipley:

Kitchen Duty: would like to withdraw his proposal for running the kitchen. AJ thanked Cal for all the hours he put in with the snow removal out at the club.

AGC Member, Joe Benskin:

Trap Issue: Non-members shooting trap should be paying the same fees as all other disciplines.

AGC Member, Jimmie Compton:

Trap Kids: Concerned with their poor work ethic.

AGC Member, Dean Ames:

Commercial Hunting: John Stulp has been appointed by Governor Ritter and we need to learn more about him. He also talked to one of the state legislators about hunting issues. Meeting at: 1580 Yarrow St 5:30pm-9pm. Will try to keep track of the meetings scheduled. Jim Compton knows John Stulp. Stulp is honest and will represent sportsmen and hunters well.

V FINANCIAL REPORT

Treasurer's report:

Change in accountant, weather & mail we are running 30 days behind. Mike has the November numbers: \$239,293.96 revenue, \$179,234.87 expenses, \$60,059.09 difference. The net deposit for this past weekend was \$80. He hopes to have a 2006 end of year report at the February meeting.

Administrative Assistant's Report:

Passed out Hunter Education Summary for the Board from Bill Newman.

VI OLD BUSINESS

1st Vice President, Terry Humbargar:

Membership: Current list of members we have 680 paid for 2007. We usually lose 150 members. Waiting list is at 119 people. If we don't reach 1000, Terry will propose that our waiting list as of July 1st he would like to take in those names and take in ½ dues. We will pick dates and start the member orientation in February.

2nd Vice President, A J Davis:

Snow Removal: The range is in good shape. We removed a lot of snow. He would like to thank Jim Compton for snow removal @ \$100/hr which saved us over \$300. We paid \$950. AJ is concerned about snow shoveled against back impact berm in pistol berms.

Secretary, Bill Chin:

Zoning Update: The rezoning issue is still in an inactive file. Fuji did not see any changes on the website. We should be contacted if it comes out of the inactive file.

Shooting Scenarios: We are concerned with some of the shoot scenarios at the 200 yard range. During a 3-gun shoot there were some shots that hit the side bank. We feel that these scenarios should be reviewed by the Chief Range Officer and maybe some Board members before they are run in the shoots so that the safety can be maintained. He would hate to lose the club to an accidental discharge that left our property.

Board of Directors, Harold Lee:

Appreciation: He would like to thank the Board for the 2006 year. We got a lot accomplished and we got fruitful results.

Board of Directors, Randy Still:

Trap Fees: **01.09.07.a Motion to raise the Wednesday afternoon trap fees from \$2 to \$3 for members and \$5 for non-members. Seconded. Discussion. Roll Call Vote requested: Hamblen-Y, Ames-Y, Adams-abstain, Dankowski-Y, Miller-Y, Humbargar-Y, Chin-N, Sether-Y, Lee-abstain, Davis-Y, Cromie-Y, Still-Y. Motion passed. Motion amended that the new trap increase fees become effective February 1st Seconded. Motion passed.**

Board of Directors, Fred Hamblen:

Cowboy Shooting: wondering if there is any interest in starting up cowboy action shooting at the AGC. Fred would like to investigate this further. Mike Miller would like to see this re-established without SASS. Anyone interested, contact Fred.

VII NEW BUSINESS

Board of Directors, Jess Adams:

Employee Hours: 21.5 hours for trap shooting for the amount of time we were open. He doesn't see the need for more than 4 trap kids. He would like to bring up other personnel issues in executive session.

Board of Directors, Gary Ames:

Employee Hours: **01.09.07.b Motion amendment to the personnel policy - to cut down the employees that come out here and clock in, receive a maximum of 2 hours (instead of 4 hours). They must work the entire 2 hours. Seconded. Discussion. Motion passed.**

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Began at 8:35pm and ended at 9:20pm. Personnel issues were discussed. General meeting reconvened.

VIII ADJOURNMENT

MOTION TO ADJOURN. SECONDED. MOTION PASSES. Meeting adjourned 9:25pm.

- Bill Chin, Board of Directors, Club Secretary

MATCH RESULTS

ROCKY MOUNTAIN MEN BLACK POWDER RIFLE

Cabin fever got the best of us and we held our regular monthly shoot January 7 despite the considerable snow on the range. Thanks to Mike Miller for removing some of that snow and Rick Geist for clearing off the tires so we could put up target frames. We held the Ham Shoot we were not able to have in December. We were lucky with the weather. The temperature was cool but the sun gave us some warmth, and there was no wind. Thirteen hardy souls were there to shoot at four targets that followed a pig theme. Al Main scored a 168x for the first place aggregate, Tom Foster was second with a 157xx, Deak Flinchpaugh shot a 148x for third place and Dave Allen rounded out the Top Four with a 143x. Willie Conradson won the 4 Pig target with a 36, Chris Baker shot a 44 to take the Sitting Pig target, the Six Bull Pig was won by Bill Hensley with a 39, and Jim Jeffreys took the Standing Pig target with a 48. Tom Foster, being the gentleman that he is, donated his ham back which allowed the remaining five shooters to take home a ham. Those five shooters were Rick Geist, Ashton Miller, Mike Miller, Les Lokken, and Don Philips. Hopefully the weather will allow us to have our monthly shoot on February 4. We will try to make it a Gong Shoot, but will adjust if that is not possible.

-Al Main

MILITARY RIFLE

March will kick off our first match. Remember, we shoot stock military rifles—primarily WWI and WWII era. If you have any questions please contact me. Our first match will be off the bench at the 200yd range. Any suggestions to increase interest are always appreciated. Match grade rifles and sights will be scored separately to insure a level playing field.

-Bill Chin

CONTACT INFORMATION

CLUBHOUSE: 303-361-9091
Clubhouse Hours: 9am - 4pm * Saturday & Sundays
Shooting Hours: 7:30am - sunset * 7 days a week

Weekend Winter clubhouse hours:
(December-April)
9am-2pm
Kitchen: 10am-1pm

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Rob Rathburn '09 - President
303-795-1772

Terry Humbargar '07 - 1st VP Membership
303-671-9592

AJ Davis '07 - 2nd VP Facility
303-751-3533

Bill Chin '07 - Secretary
303-841-2168

Michael Miller '09 - Treasurer
303-690-8504

Martin Visnak '09 - Chief Range Officer
303-232-4685

Jess Adams '08, 303-343-3115
Gary Ames '07, 303-364-8262
Russ Cromie '09, 303-227-1971
David Dankowski '09, 303-934-8625
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Greg Sether '08, 303-693-6880
Randy Still '08, 303-338-9408

CLUBHOUSE: 303-361-9091
Shooting Hours: 7:30am - sunset
7 days a week

COMMITTEE & PROJECT CHAIRMEN

ACTIVITY COORDINATOR: Richard Immel, 303-797-7481
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PSAC, Roger Briden, 303-402-0682
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SKEET: Gary Ames, 303-364-8262

SPORTING CLAYS: Lloyd Knapp, 970-587-4655

THREE-GUN: Blane West, 720-297-0072
TRAP CHAIRMAN:

WEB PAGE: Refugio Silva, 303-574-0108

AMATEUR TRAP ASSOCIATION (ATA)
CMP AFFILIATED
COLORADO STATE HUNTER EDUCATION
COLORADO STATE TRAP ASSOCIATION (CSTA)
NATIONAL MUZZLE LOADING RIFLE ASSOCIATION
NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION (NRA)
PRACTICAL SHOOTING ASSOCIATION (PSAC)
ROCKY MOUNTAIN 3-GUN
UNITED STATES PRACTICAL SHOOTING ASSOC

CALENDAR

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4 7:30am: PSAC 10am: Black Powder Rifle			7 Wednesday Trap			10 9am: CMP Rifle Class (M1 Carbine) 9am: NRA Action Pistol
11 9am: Club Trap Shoot		13 7pm: Board of Directors Meeting	14 Wednesday Trap			17 9am: Rocky Mountain 3-Gun 10am: Black Powder Trap 10am: Cowboy Rifle Silhouette (pistol cartridge)
18 9:30am: Magnum Handgun		20 <u>12pm:</u> <u>NEWSLETTER</u> <u>DEADLINE</u>	21 Wednesday Trap			24 7:30am: PSAC 9am: CMP Rifle Class (1917 Enfield) 10am: Cowboy Rifle Silhouette (.22 Smallbore)
25 10am: NRA Silhouette			28 Wednesday Trap			

FOR SALE

10.14.03.a - Motion: Members are limited to five items that can be listed, if space is available. Keep use reasonable. No businesses allowed.

12 GAUGE BROWNING CITORI TRAP, OVER AND UNDER, FULL AND MODIFIED, NO CHOKE TUBES, 30 INCH BARRELL, VERY GOOD CONDITION. \$425 OBO.

10 GAUGE ZABALLA , SIDE BY SIDE, FULL AND FULL, NO CHOKE TUBES, VERY GOOD CONDITION. \$325 OBO.

30-338 RIFLE; SAKO LEFT-HAND BOLT ACTION; HART STAINLESS STEEL BARREL WITH MUZZLE BRAKE, SYNTHETIC STOCK; SCOPE BASES AND RINGS; (BUILT BY ROBERT HART) \$525 OBO

-Frank 303-238-0337