

Aurora Gun Club
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AURORA GUN CLUB

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CLUBHOUSE
303-361-9091

Shooting Hours 7:30am - Sunset
7days a week



Winter Weekend

Clubhouse hours

9am - 2pm

If the forecast high is 34 degrees or less, the clubhouse will be closed.

Call first if the weather is bad.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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The Aurora Gun Club is affiliated with:
Amateur Trap Association (ATA)
CMP Affiliated
Colorado State Trap Association (CSTA)
National Muzzle Loading Rifle Association
National Rifle Association (NRA)
Practical Shooting Association (PSAC)
United States Practical Shooting Assoc.

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RELOCATION: Harold Lee, 303-340-8811
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RELOCATION: Nick Norman, 303-766-4396
Trap Chairman: OPEN
TRAP (WEDNESDAY) CHAIRMAN: Don Philips, 303-366-7481
TRAP 50-50-50: OPEN
WEB PAGE: Refugio Silva, 303-574-0108

Minutes

AGC BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING MINUTES 1/10/2012

Meeting called to order at 7 PM by President Mark Harper.

Present: Benoit, Benskin, Bonner, Braton, Caldwell, Harper, and Steinman
Excused Absence: Boyd, Magaziner

I. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance.

II. MINUTES

No corrections to the Minutes from BOD Meeting 12/13/2011.

*1.10.12.a Motion to accept the minutes from the 12/13/2011 BOD meeting.
Motion seconded and passed.*

III. MEMBERS FORUM

AGC Member, Frank Hoffman: In reference to a discipline losing money, I feel that the BOD needs to follow the rules. 2nd VP Dave Bonner responded that measures are in place to reduce the losses and increase revenues on weekend trap.

AGC Wednesday Trap Chairman, Don Philips: We need a trap chairman, but I think since our clubhouse manager Dan Cochran is handling everything there is no need for anyone to step forward.

AGC Member, Ray Prager: I have been to the range during the week and have noticed that there are people there without badges. When questioned they say they left their badge at home. I find it odd that they then pack up and leave. Response: All members need to wear their badges at all times and need to check others to insure they are members. If you forget your badge, you need to see the caretaker or clubhouse manager to confirm membership and obtain a temporary badge. People who use the range without a member present are trespassing and are subject to prosecution.

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT REPORT

Wait List - We are now at 327.

Membership Renewals - I have received and processed 790 Membership renewals.

V. BUSINESS

President, Mark Harper:

Financial Statements for September 30, 2011 – There were discrepancies with cash and cash equivalents.

*1.10.12.b Motion to approve the September 30, 2011 Financials with the reconciliation rectified.
Motion seconded and passed.*

Financial Statements for October 31, 2011 - There were changes made to the layout of the financials which makes it simple to read.

*1.10.12.c Motion to approve the October 31, 2011 Financials with the understanding that the awards column will be changed to the Schedule of Management and General Expenses.
Motion seconded and passed*

Minutes Continued

President, Mark Harper Continued:

Financial Statements for November 30, 2011

*1.10.12.d Motion to approve the November 30, 2011 Financials as stated.
Motion seconded and passed.*

AGC Flyer Advertising Trap Events - The flyer was passed out for everyone to look over.

*1.10.12.e Motion to approve the flyer.
Motion seconded and passed.*

Member Rules

44. After looking this rule over it was decided that the exception did not need to be in there. (Exception: During sanctioned bench gun matches, participants shall be allowed to set wind flags and clean guns while the range is closed. Bolts must be removed from the firearms during this process. This exception applies to match participants only.)

*1.10.12.f Motion to remove the exception from Member Rule 44.
Motion seconded and passed.*

Prohibited Devices/Firearms - Chief Range Officer Pete Benoit wanted the prohibited Devices/Firearms removed from the Member Rules. After a brief explanation from CRO Pete Benoit, no board member wanted to discuss removing it.

200 Yard - *1.10.12.g Motion to add: All targets must be positioned in the center of target frames and no hanging of targets to the frames.
Motion seconded and passed.*

50. (Due to the length of this range, members are allowed to sling their rifle and take it with them when changing targets. Rifles will be carried muzzle up or down, and empty with the action open. Members must ensure that they control the muzzle of their firearm when changing targets.)

*1.10.12.h Motion to eliminate rule 50 under the 200 Yard.
Motion seconded and passed.*

1st VP, Chuck Steinman:

Trap - I would like the board to reconsider Alex Ragulsky's offer to teach trap training. The board referred to: 12.14.10.c....**Motion:** Henceforth, the Aurora Gun Club will not allow any outside groups to use our facility for firearms training of any kind.

MEC Training - I would like the board to reconsider having the MEC reloading representative hold a training seminar. The Board of Directors declined; stating liability issues from improper reloading procedures by those who attend such classes.

2nd VP, Dave Bonner :

Sable Altura Fire Inspection - The last of the corrections needed to pass our yearly inspection are almost completed. We need to install lighted exit signs in the clubhouse and purchase a Knox Box to be installed on our property by the gate.

Secretary, Emmanuel Boyd:
Excused Absence.

Treasurer, Bill Magaziner:
Excused Absence.

Mark Harper for Bill Magaziner: The total revenue for November was \$14,196.82 and expenses of \$12,207.47; leaving a positive net income of \$1,989.35. For the first 11 months we have a positive net income of \$18,277.38.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION TO ADJOURN. SECONDED. MOTION PASSES

President's Message

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family and friends of longtime AGC member Al Smith who passed away on January 16, 2012. Al was known to many of us as the gentleman who maintained our Club House cash register for years. He will be missed.

Construction: Construction on our property has finally started, with equipment, machinery and manpower coming off the hill to the South of the creek – heading North. The pieces for the pipeline and other structures necessary for the project are beginning to appear on our property. In talking with the construction foreman the estimated time for completion of the project should be 4 months. Do not forget that while there are construction activities going on – the 200-yard range will be closed. Call ahead and check with Caretaker Steve Dolan before your drive out to the club. There will be days during the weeks that construction will be dormant – which days will be determined by the needs of the project itself.

Dues Renewal: We are in the final stages of our dues renewal process. Do not forget that you have until January 31st at midnight to complete and have your renewal application postmarked. At that time the renewal period closes. If you have any questions contact any Board Member or our Administrative Assistant.

Letter From Member: Received a very nice letter from the gentleman who received horrific injuries when his gun blew up while sighting in on October 13, 2009. He detailed his long battle and many surgeries to recover from his accident. He also wishes to thank everyone who was involved with saving his life at the AGC. He will not be renewing his membership this year as he is moving to Oregon. Good luck to this member who does not wish to have his name in the newsletter.

Dues: Dues increases will be discussed at the February 14th AGC-BOD meeting.

Respectfully,
Mark Harper
President
AGC-BOD

Announcements

Range Officer Classes

R.O. classes are scheduled for Sat Feb 4th and Sun Feb 12th from 10 a.m. to noon in the education trailer. If you want work off some of your dues, this is your chance. If you are a discipline head and need to re-certify, this is your last chance. Please call to confirm.

Pete 720-939-5396

Gate Code

The gate code for 2011 will work until January 31st.

Member Rules

The updated rules are at the end of the newsletter. All other versions of the Member Rules are invalid. You may want to remove them and put them with your shooting gear for future reference.

Match Results

Magnum Handgun 1/15/2012

Lever Action Rifle

- 1. Russ Cromie 16
- 2. Bob Shigemura 15
- 3. Bob Steil 13
- 4. Randy Still 11
- 5. E. Boyd 6

- 1. B. Steil 20
- 2. E. Boyd 13
- 3. B. Shigemura 12
- 4. R. Still 8

Speed Shoot	Time	Shots
1. R. Cromie	12.70	6
2. B. Steil	33.36	13
3. R. Still	33.47	9
4. E. Boyd	79.97	13

Emmanuel Boyd

For Sale

Ruger M77RSM MKII, 375 H&H, 23 inch barrel, quarter rib with open sights, Weaver 1X3.5 compact scope. Fired to sight it in, not many rounds, I have some ammo that will go with it. **\$1300.00**

Carl 303-981-0017

- 1. **26" Barrel** for Remington Model 700, 300 Win Mag - New, never been fired. **\$40.00**
- 2. **Black Synthetic Stock** for Remington Model 700, 300 Win Mag - New, never been used. **\$40.00**
- 3. **Redding Full Length Die Set**, 300 Win Mag. **\$24.00**
- 4. **RCBS Full Length Die Set**, 300 WBY Mag. **\$21.00**
- 5. **Lee Collet Neck Die** - 300 Win Mag. **\$13.00**

Duane 303-870-6884

Newsletter Submission

Newsletter submission deadline is the 20th of each month **AT NOON**.
 You may mail, FAX, or email it to Candy Nonnemacher Administrative Assistant
 P.O. Box 4038
 Parker, CO 80134
 Phone: 303-841-3150
 Fax: 303-840-7784
 Email: AuroraGunClub@q.com

Winter Trap Hours

The new winter trap hours are from 10am - 1pm. If the forecast high is 40 degrees or less the trap kids will not be there and no trap will be shot.

Possible Range Closures

There will be ongoing construction and range improvements at the Aurora Gun Club during the course of the next 6 months. It will be necessary to close different parts of the range from time to time. If you have a question about your favorite shooting area of the Club – call ahead at 303-360-8301 and ask our Caretaker Steve Dolan if the range is open before you drive out.

Calendar of Events for February

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact Person</u>
2/1	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
2/4	Saturday	10am - 12pm: Range Certification Class	Education	Pete Benoit
2/5	Sunday	7am - 3pm: PSAC-IPSC Match	pb3-pb6	Roger Briden
		9:30am - 2pm: Trap 50-50-50	trap	
		10am - 2pm: Black Powder Rifle	100 yd.	Dave Allen
2/8	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
2/11	Saturday	9am - 2pm: NRA Action Pistol	pb2 & pb3	Don Fisher
		10am - 1pm: Blackpowder Trap	trap	Deak Flinchpaugh
2/12	Sunday	9:30am - 2pm: Trap 50-50-50	trap	Paul Wiggins
		10am - 12pm: Range Certification Class	Education	Pete Benoit
2/14	Tuesday	7pm: BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING	clubhouse	
2/15	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
2/18	Saturday	10am - 2pm: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge)	sil	Joe Benskin
2/19	Sunday	9:30am - 2pm: Trap 50-50-50	trap	Paul Wiggins
		9:30am - 1pm: Magnum Handgun	mgp	Emmanuel Boyd
2/20	Monday	<u>12pm: Newsletter Submission Deadline</u>		Candy Nonnemacher
2/22	Wednesday	9am: Trap	Trap	Don Phillips
2/25	Saturday	7am - 3pm: PSAC-IPSC	pb3-pb6	Roger Briden
		10am: Cowboy Silhouette (Smallbore)	sil	Joe Benskin
2/26	Sunday	8:30am - 2pm: NRA Silhouette	sil	Dave Bonner
		9:30am: Trap 50-50-50	trap	
2/29	Wednesday	9am: Trap	Trap	Don Phillips

February

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Saturday

			1 Wednesday Trap	2	3	4 10am: Range Officer Certification Class
5 7am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Black Powder Rifle	6	7	8 Wednesday Trap	9	10	11 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Blackpowder Trap
12 9:30 am: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Range Officer Certification Class	13	14 7pm: Board of Directors Meeting	15 Wednesday Trap	16	17	18 10am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge)
19 9:30am: Magnum Handgun 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50	20 Noon - Newsletter Deadline	21	22 Wednesday Trap	23	24	25 7am: PSAC-IPSC Match 10AM: Cowboy Silhouette (smallbore)
26 8:30am: NRA Silhouette 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50	27	28	29 Wednesday Trap	March 1	2	3



AURORA GUN CLUB MEMBER RULES

1. Treat all guns as if they are always loaded.
2. Never let the muzzle cover anything you are not willing to destroy.
3. Keep your finger off the trigger until the sights are on target and you are ready to fire.
4. Always be sure of your target and what is behind it.

GENERAL RULES ALL RANGES

5. Range officer commands are to be obeyed immediately. Failure to obey the order of a range officer, or destruction of club property, is a major safety violation and will be cause for revocation of club membership.
6. Club members shall display their membership card on their person at all times.
7. Members are to make sure the gate is closed when entering or departing the range except on weekends (9am to 3pm) or during a scheduled, weekday event. No member is to give the gate combination to any non member.
8. Eye protection is required on all ranges. Ear protection is recommended.
9. Hunting or harassing wildlife on club property is prohibited.
10. The use of alcoholic beverages is not permitted on AGC Property.
11. Walking or otherwise being on the dirt banks, sand banks, or berms is prohibited.
12. Vehicles are not to be parked inside of any berms or on any ranges while shooting.
13. Shooters are expected to clean their shooting areas when finished, including collection of spent brass.
14. All projectiles are to impact in the impact area and come to rest on AGC property. No projectile is to be allowed to leave the AGC property.
15. The side berm is there to protect people and objects in the area to the side of the berm area and is not to be used as an impact area.
16. On flagged ranges, the range is open only when the flag is up and closed when the flag is down. There is to be no handling of firearms while the flag is down. Flagged ranges are the 100 & 200yard ranges & the Silhouette range.
17. Sanctioned matches take precedence over casual shooting.
18. All dogs must be leashed at all times. No dogs in the clubhouse.

FIREARMS

19. All un-cased long-arms are to be carried, unloaded, with the muzzle pointed up or down.
20. All long guns shall have the action open when not on the firing line. No long guns are to be shouldered except on the range firing line and then they are to be pointed only down range. No pistols are to be pointed except on the firing line and then only down range.
21. All shooters will exercise muzzle control at all times, ensuring that they never cover any person with the muzzle of their firearm.

22. Holstered pistols will be carried empty. Semi-autos will have the magazine removed and the hammer down on an empty chamber. Persons possessing a concealed handgun permit must comply with current state laws.
23. Firearms shall only be loaded on the firing line, or loaded and holstered on the firing line under the direction of a range officer, for "from-the-holster" scheduled events.
24. Toy guns and BB guns are to be treated as real firearms. Persons handling such arms shall comply with all club rules.

TARGETS

25. Proper/appropriate targets must be used at all times. All members/visitors are to furnish their own targets, stands, and sandbags, except for sanctioned shoots in which they participate. Items such as cans, bottles, bowling pins, golf balls, etc., are not permitted as targets. Shooting at tires or range equipment is forbidden and is a major safety violation. Proper/Appropriate targets include steel targets, paper targets and Clay Pigeons.
26. All targets are to be positioned so all projectiles fired will impact into the impact berm (Exception: Trap). Any round fired that skips or otherwise leaves the facility constitutes a major safety violation and the member is subject to loss of club privileges.
27. Steel targets are prohibited on 50 yard berms #1 and #7.
28. Use of proper/appropriate steel targets on the 100 yard range, or the 50 yard ranges #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, and the Silhouette range, must be positioned and angled against the end berm so all projectiles fired will impact the proper berm or be driven down into the dirt.
29. A shotgun patterning board is located in berm 1.

GUESTS

30. A member may bring his/her spouse and children under age 18 to the range plus one other guest free of charge. Children must be supervised at all times
31. Members may bring a maximum of four guests at one time. A fee of \$3 per guest will be charged. The member is responsible for payment prior to setting up. During the week this is to be left in the drop box at the caretaker's garage. Weekends guests must sign in and pay the cashier in the clubhouse. Members with guests can only use one shooting position on any rifle or pistol range.
32. Club members bringing guests to the facility are responsible for the guest's compliance with all range rules.

TRAP RANGES

33. The maximum shot shell load allowed on the trap range is a 3 dram 1 1/8 ounce trap load with lead 7 1/2 or smaller size shot. NO HUNTING OR FIELD LOADS ARE ALLOWED.
34. Trap shooters must load only one shell at a time. (Exception: two are allowed when shooting doubles and/or wobble trap).
35. No shooter-owned traps are allowed.

50 YARD RANGES

36. All rounds fired must impact the end berm. Targets should be placed as close to the end berm as practical.
37. All firing on these ranges will be forward of the markers.
38. Berms #1 and #7 are for handgun, shotgun, and Rimfire rifle only. No steel is allowed.
39. Berms #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6 are for all rifles, handguns, and shotguns. Berms #1, #2 and #7 are not to be used for sanctioned matches.

MAGNUM HANDGUN RANGE

40. The magnum handgun range can be used as an overflow berm for handgun, rifle, and shotgun with steel targets when no magnum handgun matches are in session.

100 YARD RANGES

41. The range flag shall be used at all times. NO EXCEPTIONS. When the flag is up, the range is OPEN. When the flag is down, the range is CLOSED, and there is to be no handling of firearms.
42. Firing shall only be allowed from the designated firing line and from the bench except during scheduled events under the supervision of a range officer. Position shooting such as prone, seating, and off-hand from the areas next to the shooting benches and behind the line of fire on the 100 yard range is allowed so long as targets are placed at 100 yards.
43. Firearms will not be handled for any reason when the range is CLOSED and/or when persons are forward of the firing line. Shooters will stand back and away from their shooting position and behind the white line during this time. This includes cleaning, casing and un-casing or moving firearms to and from the shooting benches. All firearms remaining on the firing line will have their actions open with no live rounds in them prior to anyone going down range.
44. Firearms on shooting benches shall have the muzzle pointed downrange, action open in such a fashion that all concerned can see the firearm is unloaded and safe.
45. Black powder firearms are to be charged with the muzzle pointing up and at the tables furnished for that purpose. They shall not be capped or primed until on the firing line with the muzzle pointing down range.
46. There shall be NO SMOKING within 20 feet of black powder while black powder is in use.

200 YARD RANGE

47. This range is for 200 yard shooting only. Long range rimfire, center fire rifles, and long range hand guns are permitted on this range.
48. All 100 yard range rules apply to this range.
49. TARGETS: Steel targets on the 200 yard range must be positioned to the far right side of the impact berm so all rounds fired impact safely. Only lead bullets are allowed for 200 yard steel targets.
50. All targets must be positioned in the center of the target frames and no hanging or mounting of targets to the frames.

SILHOUETTE RANGE

51. Only pistol caliber firearms using lead bullets and rim fire firearms using lead bullets are allowed on this range. All shooting is to take place from the established covered firing line. Paper and approved silhouette targets may be used only when placed at each of the berms so that bullets impact into the berm. Proper use of the flag is required. No clay targets are allowed on this range.

SANCTIONED MATCHES

52. All sanctioned matches and classes are to be run by an AGC club member in good standing. The AGC member is responsible for seeing to it that all AGC rules are followed.
53. Match Exceptions: Exceptions to these rules during sanctioned matches as approved and published by the AGC Board of Directors.

PROHIBITED DEVICES/FIREARMS

54. Members may not use full-auto firearms at Aurora Gun Club.
55. Sure fire or any other bump fire device that increases the rate of fire is not allowed.
56. No 50 BMG firearms.
57. No exploding targets.