

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



Summer
Clubhouse hours
8am - 3pm

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.

COMMITTEE & PROJECT CHAIRMEN

ACTIVITY COORDINATOR: Kevin Sonka, 303-870-3069
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RELOCATION: Nick Norman, 303-766-4396
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Minutes

AGC BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING MINUTES 6/14/2011

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

Present: J. Benskin, M. Benskin, Boyd, Braton, Caldwell, Harper, and Steinman
Excused Absence: Bonner & Magaziner

I. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance.

II. MINUTES

No corrections to the Minutes from BOD Meeting 5/10/2011.

*06.14.11.a Motion to accept the minutes from the 5/10/2011 BOD meeting as stated.
Motion seconded and passed.*

III. MEMBERS FORUM:

ATA Chairman, Loren Kohler: We are hosting an ATA match at our club on Sunday July 17. Loren asked that the club pay the \$100 fee to CSTA.

*06.14.11.b Motion to pay the \$100 fee to CSTA.
Motion seconded and passed.*

AGC Clubhouse Manager, Dan Cochran: Has had numerous complaints about the prairie dogs on the Trap range. Joe says it is time to call Pest Control person.

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT REPORT

Our wait list is at 280.

V. BUSINESS

President, Mark Harper:

T.E.V. Edelweiss Club - The club received an invite to their Schutzenfest. We will put into our newsletter in case any member would like to attend.

2010 Financials - After numerous meetings with our CPA, the financials are now ready. We have reduced it from 20 pages to about 8, and put them into categories that are easily read and understood by all. After looking it over by all the Board of Directors and the members in attendance, it was agreed that it looks good.

*06.14.11.c Motion to accept the 2010 Financial Statements.
Motion seconded and passed.*

1st Quarter Financial Statement - The format that we had agreed upon with our CPA was not used, so will meet with them and get this statement straightened out. We will have it ready for July's BOD meeting.

Wobble Trap - The brochures and price were available for the BOD to look over. The trap members in attendance agreed that this will make all of the trap shooters happy. Sonny Young was able to save the club \$2500, bringing the cost for this Pat Trap Wobble Machine to \$8450 plus \$125 for shipping.

*06.14.11.d Motion to purchase the Pat Trap Wobble Machine for \$8575.
Motion Seconded and passed.
Vote was unanimous.*

1st VP, Chuck Steinman:

Nothing to add.

Minutes Continued

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2nd VP, Dave Bonner:

Excused Absence.

Secretary, Dave Bonner:

Excused Absence.

Treasurer, Bill Magaziner:

Mark Harper for Bill Magaziner:

For the month of March our income was \$16,031.60 and our expenses were 15,053.21; leaving a positive net income of \$978.39..

VI. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION TO ADJOURN. SECONDED. MOTION PASSES

President's Message

Things You Need To Know

The Ranges: There are many work projects that we have to complete before the snow flies. These are all related to improvements to the various ranges at our club. We will post these dates for work parties along with other dates already posted in your newsletter. See something you would like fixed or repaired – let us know, and then come out and help us fix or repair it. We will give you money off the cost of your membership dues, and we will feed you lunch. We need your help and we do appreciate it.

On Friday June 24th we will be meeting with the City of Aurora Project Chairman to find out when the construction will begin.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer!!

Respectfully,
Mark Harper
President
AGC-BOD

Announcements

ELECTION NOTICE 2011

Our annual meeting and elections will be held Sunday, October 2, 2011. We have three board positions to fill. We need dedicated club members to serve and face the challenging issues confronting our club. If you would like to run for the board, please declare your candidacy with our Administrative Assistant or me. The deadline will be September 6, 2011.

Mark Harper 303-973-7876

Election Chairman Needed

A dedicated member to fill Bill Chin's position as Election Chairman. If interested please contact Mark Harper at 303-973-7876.

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.

Announcements Continued

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Work Party Dates

Our club needs dedicated members to help maintain our club. Our next work parties are scheduled for Thursday July 21st and Saturday July 30th. We will start at 8am and work until finished. The club will provide lunch to all workers. Please contact Dave Bonner to sign up.

If you would like to work but can't make these dates, contact me to make arrangements to work on alternate dates. Reminder that on these dates the **RANGE WILL BE CLOSED**.

Dave Bonner 303-981-5652
dbonner1960@juno.com

Invitation

My name is Amy Dodd. I am with the T.E.V. Edelweiss Club in Commerce City. This year we are having a Schutzenfest (shooting fest) and wanted to invite all the clubs around the area. We only allow air guns, and our targets will be set at 10 meters. This is a 3 day festival where individuals have the chance to win medals. Tickets are on sale now for \$35 and will be raised to \$40 after July 1st. All the information can be found at <http://www.tevedelweiss.org>.

Amy Dodd 303-378-7324

List & Value our Weapons

In the event that something should happen to a gun owner, it is important for family members or spouse that we list and value all of our weapons. The July issue of Guns & Ammo has a very good article by Patrick Sweeney called "Family Values" detailing how to do this.

Emmanuel Boyd

July Military Rifle Match

Our next match (weather permitting) will be July 2nd on the 200 yard range. Start time is 0800. We will begin with a safety briefing and explanation of the course of fire. Match is open to all as-issued pre-1955 military service rifles or their civilian production equivalent. As-issued means no match components or bedding of the action is allowed. Iron sights only. Ammunition may be G.I. Ball or equivalent hand loads. Target will be the NRA SR target. You will need a minimum of 35 rounds. Entry fee for club members \$5.00. Non-members \$10.00

Following the match we will have our annual grilled hamburger & hot dog lunch. A great way to celebrate the 4th of July weekend!

Course of fire Bench Rest Division: 10 rounds off the bench in 20 minutes, slow fire supported. 10 rounds off the bench in 20 minutes, slow fire unsupported. Competitors will load one round at a time. Sand bags or rifle rests are allowed during the supported course of fire, but no sleds or any support which holds the rifle in an artificial manner. Competitors will not be allowed to use sand bags or rests during the unsupported course of fire.

Course of fire Position Shooting Division: 10 rounds standing to prone slow fire in 10 minutes. 10 rounds off hand slow fire in 10 minutes. The use of slings is prohibited during the off hand course of fire but a sling must be attached to the rifle, "parade fashion." Competitors will load one round at a time. Shooting coats, shooting mats and kneeling rolls are allowed. The use of cotton, nylon or leather 1907 slings is allowed.

SIDE MATCH

There will be a side match for Post-1955 rifles immediately following our regular match. The side match is open to all as-issued post-1955 military service rifles or their civilian production equivalent. Examples are but not limited to Colt AR-15's, M1A's, FN-FAL's, H&K-91's etc. *Pre-1955 rifles may also enter this match.* As-issued means no match components or bedding of the action is allowed. Iron sights only. Ammunition may be G.I. Ball or equivalent hand loads. Target will be the NRA SR target. You will need a minimum of 35 rounds. Entry fee for all competitors is \$5.00. Course of fire to be announced.

- Rob Rathburn (303) 795-1772

Match Results

Centerfire Bench Rest Match 6-18-2011

Factory Deer Rifle

| | | | |
|---------------|---------|------|--------|
| Harold Lee | Rem 700 | .308 | 92(1x) |
| Richard Immel | Rem 700 | .243 | 92(1x) |
| Wade Maddox | Win 70 | .308 | 92 |

Factory Sniper Rifle

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|---------------|---------|------|--------|
| Wade Maddox | Rem 700 | .308 | 99(3x) |
| Harold Lee | Rem 700 | .308 | 97(1x) |
| Richard Immel | Rem 700 | .308 | 92(1x) |

Factory Varmint

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|---------------|---------|------|---------|
| Harold Lee | Rem 700 | .223 | 196(3x) |
| Wade Maddox | Rem 700 | .222 | 185(2x) |
| Emmanuel Boyd | Rem 700 | .243 | 171 |

Custom Varmint

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| Harold Lee | Stolle Panda | 6PPC | 200(7x) |
| Emmanuel Boyd | Rem XP100 | 6PPC | 198(6x) |

Rimfire Sporter

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| Harold Lee | Weatherby Mark 22 | .22 LR | 194 |
| Wade Maddox | Browning T-Bolt | .22 LR | 182 |

Rimfire Target

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|---------------|----------|--------|---------|
| Harold Lee | CZ 452 | 17 HMR | 191(1x) |
| Wade Maddox | Rem 541T | .22 LR | 185(1x) |
| Richard Immel | Win 52D | .22 LR | 182 |

Harold Lee

Black Powder Rifle

The June match was the Club Championship match. We had sixteen shooters for the match. There were some good scores and some not so good. All in all it was a good shoot. No wind and lots of sun. Just right for a Championship shoot. Congratulations to the new muzzleloader Champion, Gene Snyder.

Results:

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| 1st aggregate: | Gene Snyder | 337 |
| 2nd aggregate: | Tom Foster | 321 |
| 3rd aggregate: | Rick Geist | 320 |
| 4th aggregate: | Deak Flinchpaugh | 310X |

Target Winners:

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| 100 yard Bench: | Tom Rock | 87 |
| 50 yard offhand: | Dave Allen | 81 |
| 50 yard X-Sticks: | Don Philips | 78 |
| 25 yard 6-bull: | Jerry McWhirter | 80X |

Notice that Tom and Rick were one point apart. They shot the same exact score on three targets and Tom was one point ahead on the x-sticks.

Two non-members also shot the match, but could not compete in the club match. Jack Giampampa shot 277, and Billy shot 211. The rest of the shooters were, Don McKee, Al Main, Mike Miller, Ashton Miller, Tim Miller, and Les Lokken.

Next months match will be Our 4th of July match.

See ya'll then. Dave Allen

Match Results Continued

C.M.P

We had 17 shooters brave rather windy conditions to shoot a 55 round course B Garand match. The top expert was Doug Ruegg with a 474 4x, shooting an '03a3. Next was John Denap with a 469 7x with an '03. In the beginner class, Jason Arndt was first with a 408 1x, followed by Kevin Devaney with a 396 4x, and Tyler Davis with a 389 1x; all shooting M-1's. Thanks to all for coming and to Dave Bonner for the perfectly cut cardboard backers. Next match will be August 13th. Details in the August newsletter.

Pete Benoit. peter2694@hotmail.com.



For Sale



25# Bags of #6 hard chilled shot by All American Co. \$30.00/bag or trade for #8 or # 8 ½ trap sizes.

LC match 1 fired brass for .308:

45 LC70 \$10.00

90 LC77 \$20.00

150 LC63 \$30.00

300 LC66 \$60.00

440 LC72 \$90.00

260 WCC – Mil - 308 \$35.00

LC match 1 fired brass for 30-06

06 42U \$10.00/hundred

50/50 Bullet Lube – 3 tubes \$10.00

Marvin 303-935-4924

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
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 Parker, CO 80134
 Phone: 303-841-3150
 Fax: 303-840-7784
 Email: AuroraGunClub@q.com

Calendar of Events for July

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Day</u> | <u>Event</u> | <u>Location</u> | <u>Contact Person</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 7/2 | Saturday | 9am: Military Rifle (200 yd) | 200 yd. | Rob Rathburn |
| 7/3 | Sunday | 7am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Black Powder Rifle | pb3-pb6 trap 100 yd. | Roger Briden Paul Wiggins Dave Allen |
| 7/6 | Wednesday | 9am: Trap | trap | Don Phillips |
| 7/9 | Saturday | 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Blackpowder Trap | pb2 & pb3 trap | Don Fisher Loren Kohler |
| 7/10 | Sunday | 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 | trap | Paul Wiggins |
| 7/12 | Tuesday | 7pm: BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING | clubhouse | |
| 7/13 | Wednesday | 9am: Trap | trap | Don Phillips |
| 7/16 | Saturday | 9am: Centerfire Rifle 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge) | 100 yd. sil | Harold Lee Joe Benskin |
| 7/17 | Sunday | 9am: ATA 9:30am: Magnum Handgun | trap mgp | Loren Kohler Emmanuel Boyd |
| 7/20 | Wednesday | 9am: Trap 12pm: Newsletter Submission Deadline | Trap | Don Phillips Candy Nonnemacher |
| 7/21 | Thursday | 8am: RANGE CLOSED UNTIL WORK IS DONE | | Dave Bonner |
| 7/23 | Saturday | 7am: PSAC-IPSC 8am: M1/M1A Practice Matches 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (smallbore) | pb3-pb6 200 yd. sil | Roger Briden Rob Rathburn Joe Benskin |
| 7/24 | Sunday | 7:30am: NRA Silhouette 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 | sil trap | Dave Bonner Paul Wiggins |
| 7/27 | Wednesday | 9am: Trap | Trap | Don Phillips |
| 7/30 | Saturday | 8am: RANGE CLOSED UNTIL WORK IS DONE | | Dave Bonner |
| 7/31 | Sunday | 9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 | pb1 Trap | Mike Nagengast Paul Wiggins |

July

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

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| 3 7am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Black Powder Rifle | 4  | 5 | 6 Wednesday Trap | 7 | 8 | 9 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Blackpowder Trap |
| 10 9:30 am: Trap 50-50-50 | 11 | 12 7pm: Board of Directors Meeting | 13 Wednesday Trap | 14 | 15 | 16 9am: Centerfire Rifle 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge) |
| 17 9am: ATA 9:30am: Magnum Handgun | 18 | 19 | 20 Wednesday Trap Noon - Newsletter Deadline | 21 8am: WORK PARTY RANGE CLOSED | 22 | 23 7 am: PSAC-IPSC Match 8am: M1/M1A Practice Matches 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (smallbore) |
| 24 7:30am: NRA Silhouette 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 | 25 | 26 | 27 Wednesday Trap | 28 | 29 | 30 8am: WORK PARTY RANGE CLOSED |
| 31 9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 | August 1 | 2 | 3 Wednesday Trap | 4 | 5 | 6 |