

Aurora Gun Club
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AURORA GUN CLUB

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



Summer
Clubhouse hours
8am - 3pm

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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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Minutes

AGC BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING MINUTES 7/12/2011

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

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

I. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance.

II. MINUTES

No corrections to the Minutes from BOD Meeting 6/14/2011.

**07.12.11.a Motion to accept the minutes from the 6/14/2011 BOD meeting as stated.
Motion seconded and passed.**

III. MEMBERS FORUM:

AGC Member, Harold Lee: Wants to know if we are going to have a swap meet. After looking at the schedule it was determined that Saturday September 10, 2011 will work for the swap meet.

**07.12.11.b Motion to hold swap meet on Saturday September 10, 2011.
Motion seconded and passed.**

AGC Member, Harold Lee: When at the club during the week, has observed members doing minor infractions on the range. Is it possible to have range officers throughout the week? A suggestion was to have a Remedial Orientation class for offender's.

Wednesday Trap Chairman, Don Philips: Would like an amendment to the exception on Range Rule #34 which states: "Trap shooters must load only one shell at a time. (Exception: Two are allowed when shooting doubles). The change to the exception would read "Two are allowed when shooting doubles and/or wobble trap". Concern was expressed that if a shooter only fired one load, they could walk off the range with the second load not fired. Don said he would give a safety class to the shooters. The trap boys also need to be alert to loaded shotguns when shooters are leaving the wobble trap.

**07.12.11.c Motion to change the exception to Rule 34 to state "Two are allowed when shooting doubles and/or wobble trap".
Motion seconded and passed.**

Wednesday Trap Chairmain, Don Philips: Expressed his concern that the trap boys are not taking proper care of the traps and that their supervisor is not properly checking things over at the end of the day. Dave Bonner and Deb Caldwell (the personnel committee) will handle this.

AGC Member, Bob Smith: When he comes to the club during the week, he finds trash laying around and cleans it up. Just a reminder that we need to leave the range cleaner than when we arrived.

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT REPORT

Wait list - Our wait list is at 281.

Election Biographies - I have not received any Bio's from the members yet.

V. BUSINESS

President, Mark Harper:

Construction - Project Manager, Lyman Ho, from the City of Aurora says that the water pipeline construction will now start November 1, 2011. On July 7, 2011, Verizon and Qwest started laying their lines. They will be working on AGC property on July 19th. This will effectively close the 200 yard line during the week until they are finished

The #1 Trap - Will now be open for use until the City of Aurora starts the construction.

Minutes Continued

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President, Mark Harper Continued:

1st Quarter Financial Statement - The first Quarter Financial Statement was reviewed by the board.

Motion 07.12.11.d To accept the Financial Statement and Accounts compilation report for the first quarter.
Motion seconded and passed.

1st VP, Chuck Steinman:

I filed the Annual Report for our non-profit status with the Secretary of State so that the club is in compliance.

2nd VP, Dave Bonner:

Archery Range - The City of Aurora paid the AGC \$3,000 to be used for the Archery range move. With this money I purchased a shed and canopy that have been delivered and installed on the archery range.

Patterning Board - Has been removed until further notice.

Prairie Dogs - Have been thinned out. We will use the tractor to fill in the holes

Secretary, Dave Bonner:

Nothing to add.

Treasurer, Bill Magaziner:

For the month of May our income was \$18,520.00 and our expenses were \$20,436.00, leaving a negative net income of \$1,916.00.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION TO ADJOURN. SECONDED. MOTION PASSES

President's Message

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Construction: By the time you read this – Verizon and Qwest should be on our property doing the work that is necessary for the beginning phases of the construction project. The aforementioned meeting with the City of Aurora Project Manager - Lyman HO resulted in myself and Joe Benskin being informed that as of June 24th the contract had not yet been let out for bid. Further conversations and discussions have resulted in upgraded information: the contract has been let out for bid as of July 7th, 2011. Initial construction will begin on or about November 1st, 2011. As we know more we will keep you informed.

The Ranges: There is ongoing confusion about deliberately shooting the Club's NEW 200 yard target frames and shooting the archery range silhouette targets with shotguns. Anyone seen deliberately and intentionally destroying or defacing Aurora Gun Club property will be brought before the Board of Directors and will have their membership revoked.

Election: The time is fast upon us for this year's election. We have 3 Board positions to fill this year. We are looking for a few dedicated members willing to serve and make this Club a better place for all of us. Please submit your BIO to Candy Nonnemacher by one week before the September BOD meeting.

To The Ladies: I have been approached and asked about a Ladies column in the newsletter, by the Ladies for the Ladies. What say you Lady members??? If interested call or email me.

Respectfully,
Mark Harper
President
AGC-BOD

CRO's Corner August 2011

I sincerely hope all of you reading this had an enjoyable summer. With the arrival of August my mind goes to start of school. I bring school up because I would like to encourage all those with children in the house or who have households where children visit to please store your firearms securely and out of reach from little hands. Even if there are no little ones in your house secure storage is good practice.

I also wanted to remind everyone that we do have First Aid kits throughout our property at the AGC please take a moment and look for the bright orange boxes mounted about the grounds. There is also a kit inside the club house near the coffee station.

Lastly I wanted to thank all those members that help to improve the club, coach young or new shooters or volunteer as RO's. If you do anything to help the AGC, promote safe shooting or even an interest in firearms, your actions are seen and appreciated, thank you! I wish you all a warm and relatively dry August. If any of you have ideas for future CRO's corners please contact me.

Sincerely,
Martin Visnak
Chief Range Officer

Announcements

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.

Activities Coordinator Needed

We need a member to be the Activities Coordinator. If you are interested please contact any of the Board members.

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.

C.M.P.

The August match will be held Saturday, August 13th at 8:00 a.m. on the 200 yard range. This will be a 35 round match. We will have 5 sighters in 5 minutes, 10 rounds slow fire in the prone position in 10 minutes, 10 rounds rapid fire in the prone position in 80 seconds, and 10 rounds offhand in 10 minutes. Slow fire stages will be 1 round at a time and rapid fire will require a reload; 5 & 5 or 2 & 8.

Pre 1955 as-issued service rifles and ball ammo or equivalent. No .308 or match upgrades. The cost will be \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members.

There may be some Greek 30'06 available for sale. Call or e-mail me before the match. Shooters must supply their own rifles and ammo. Hope to see you there.

Pete 720-939-5396, peter2694@hotmail.com

Announcements Continued

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 is September 6, 2011.

Mark Harper 303-973-7876

Guest Fees

Reminder to all AGC members, guest fees must be paid before you start to shoot. Each member can have up to four guests at a time. The first guest is free and each additional guests will have to pay \$3.00. Payment envelopes are in the box next to the garage door on the caretakers house. On weekends you can come into the club house and pay the clubhouse manager.

Match Results

Black Powder Rifle

The 4th of July shoot had 13 participants out to brave the heat. Some even wore black. Long time shooter Jim Jeffries showed up again, finally, and new shooter Craig Wolf (son of former AGC president Chuck Wolf) was welcomed. We shot the 4th type targets, and one could only win one first and one second.

Target Winners		
<u>Roman Candle</u>		
1st	Jim Jeffries	22
2nd	Rick Geist	17
<u>Cherry Bomb</u>		
1st	Dave Allen	42
2nd	Craig Wolf	35
<u>Star</u>		
1st	Leroy Arnston	41
2nd	Jack Giampampa	38
<u>Rocket</u>		
1st	Rick Geist	36
2nd	Jim Jeffries	38

The rest of the shooters were Don McKee, Les Lokken, Leta Lokken, Don Philips, Tom Rock, Bill Hensley, and Deak Flinchpaugh. Come Heck or Hi-Water, next month's match will be a GONG shoot. Bring a blanket prize.

See Ya'll then. Dave Allen

MAGNUM HANDGUN 7-17-11

1. Karl Bulke	18
2. Don Martin	18
3. Bob Steil	11
4. Bob Shigermra	11
5. Steven Owens	5
6. Emmanuel Boyd	2
7. Bill Mallison	2

Teams Shoot	
1 st	D. Martin and Steven Owens
2 nd	B. Shigermra and B. Mallison

Lever Action Rifle	
1.	B. Steil 25
2.	K. Bulke 18
3.	B. Mallison 14

Speed Shoot	Time	Shots
1. B. Shigermar & B. Mallison	50.17	22
2. B. Shigermar & B. Steil	51.92	26
3. D. Martin & S. Owens	91.28	33
4. K. Bulke & E. Boyd	118.53	50

July 2nd Military Rifle Match Results

We had a tremendous turnout for a holiday weekend with 14 shooters showing up to celebrate the most important of our nation's freedoms. Competition was tight and often decided by 1 point or X count. Pete Benoit and Sam Edgar once again taught us all a lesson in marksmanship with the M1 Carbine. Terry Humbarger was overall match winner with an excellent bench rest score. Our match was followed by a tasty bratwurst lunch courtesy of Chef Bill Chin.

Bench Rest Division

Terry Humbarger	Swede 38	187 5X
Mark Harper	M1 Garand	187 3X
A.J. Wells	Swede 6.5	186 2X
Mike Nagengast	Swede 96	181 2X
Al Pokorny	Mauser 8mm	177 1X
Paul Lundberg	M1 Garand	176 2X
Marvin Smith	M1903A3	163 0X

Position Division

Pete Benoit	M1 Carbine	176 1X
Rob Spurrier	M1903	175 2X
Sam Edgar	M1 Carbine	175 1X
Jeff Porkony	M1917	161 1X
Jason Arndt	M1 Garand	153 0X
Rob Lucernone	M1 Garand	151 0X
Mathias Knudson	Mosin-Nagant	127 1X

Our next match will be September 3rd starting at 0800. This will be our "Long Range" Match shooting on a reduced target to simulate 300 yards. We will be using the NRA SR42 target. *Please note, the aiming black on this target is the same size as the target we are currently using. There is no difference visually. The only difference is the reduction of the scoring rings to simulate a distance of 300 yards.* Course of fire for bench rest will be 22 rounds, including 2 sighters, supported off the bench with a time limit of 30 minutes. Course of fire for position will be 22 rounds, including 2 sighters, prone in a time limit of 22 minutes.

As always, my thanks to all who helped make the conduct of the match safe and efficient.

-Rob Rathburn (303) 795-1772

Military Bolt Action Bench Rest - May

The May match had 8 shooters come out and enjoy the fine weather. The small group in the first relay was Harold Lee, followed by Tony Weichel, and Rob Spurrier. Tony Weichel was top in the second relay, followed by Harold Lee, and Rob Spurrier in third. In score, Dennis Weichel shot a 289-11x followed by Harold Lee with a 289-5x, and Tony Weichel in third with a 279-2X.

Harold Lee	96 Swede
Rob Spurrier	US 03A3
Tony Weichel	US 03
Mike Nagengast	Swiss K31
Howie Lysne	96 Swede
Paul Lundberg	MN M39
Charles Farah	MN 91/30
Dennis Weichel	30-40 Krag

Mike Nagengast

Match Results Continued

Military Bolt Action Bench Rest - June

The June match had great weather and 14 shooters. Dennis Weichel shot small group in the first string with 10 shots iron sight at 1.998". Our record is held by Terry Humbarger at 1.6". Second was Tom Foster and third was Terry. In the second relay Tony Weichel shot a 1.886" followed by Rob Spurrier and Dennis. The overall score went to Tom Foster with a 295-9x, followed by Tony Weichel with a 201-5x and Harold Lee in third with a 287-3x.

Matches are on the LAST SUNDAY of the month, so please mark your calendars. The match starts promptly at 9am. Matches are 50 rounds at one hundred yards. We shoot two ten shot strings for group size and three ten shot groups for score with Stock military bolt action rifles with any ammunition. Front and rear rests are allowed, as are spotting scopes. This is designed as a low-pressure fun match. It's your club come on out and have some fun! Match rules are posted on the club site. **First string starts at 9AM!**

Wade Maddox 6.5x55 Swede	Patrick Statz 1917 Remington
Harold Lee '96 Swede	Charlie S.....US 03A3
Terry Humbarger Swede '96	Mike Nagengast 91/30
Martin Tuck US 03A3	Tom Foster '96 Swede
Tony Weichel 03 Springfield	Rob Spurrier 30-40 Krag
Dennis Weichel 30-40 Krag	Rob Lucernaone '98K Mauser
Charles Farah 91/30 Mosin Nagant	Phil Mortenson '98K

Mike Nagengast

Centerfire Benchrest Match – July 16

Factory Deer Hunter

1. Terry Humbarger	Ithaca 65	30/06	89
2. Wade Maddox	Win Mod 70	.308	87 1x
3. Harold Lee	Rem 700	.308	85

Factory Sniper

1. Harold Lee	Rem 700	.308	100 6x
2. Wade Maddox	Rem 700	.308	99 3x
3. Emmanuel Boyd	Sav 12	.308	86

Factory Varmint

1. Wade Maddox	Rem 700	.222	187 1x
2. Harold Lee	Rem 700	.223	181 4x
3. Terry Humbarger	Sav 12 Buss	.223	181

Custom Varmint

1. Harold Lee	Stolle Panda	6 PPC	199 6x
2. Terry Humbarger	Stolle Panda	6 BR	198 7x
3. Emmanuel Boyd	Rem XP100	6 PPC	196 2x

Rimfire Sporter

1. Harold Lee	Weatherby Mark 22	.22	188 2x
2. Terry Humbarger	Rem 540	.22	186 2x
3. Wade Maddox	Browning T-Bolt	.22	184 4x

Rimfire Target

1. Harold Lee	Rem 541 T	.22	196 3x
2. Wade Maddox	Rem 541 T	.22	184

The annual "Larry Watson Super Shoot" will be held August 20, 2011. The course of fire will include the events above with the addition of .17 rimfire sporter and target. The shoot will begin at 8:30am due to the heat.

Harold Lee

Match Results Continued

Black Powder Trap - July 9, 2011

1st Round—16 yards

1. Kim Davis	21x25
2. Peter Lucas	18x25
3. Dustin Parker	17x25
4. Tom Hart	17x25
5. Jimmy Jeffries	14x25
6. Chuck Steinman	13x25
7. John Culwell	12x25
8. Don Philips	11x25
9. Deak Flinchpaugh	11x25
10. Bill Edick	

2nd Round - 16 yards

1. Dustin Parker	21x25
2. Kim Davis	21x25
3. Tom Hart	20x25
4. Deak Flinchpaugh	17x25
5. John Culwell	16x25
6. Peter Lucas	12x25
7. Bill Edick	11x25

3rd Round—16 yards

1. Kim Davis	24x25
2. Tom Hart	21x25
3. John Culwell	17x25
4. Dustin Parker	16x25
5. Peter Lucas	15x25

Kim Davis missed his 25th bird for a 24x25.

Deak Flinchpaugh



For Sale



Perazzi Granditalia - Excellent Condition.

\$3500 Semi-inlet Stock (Thumbhole) for XP100 with canvas shoulder holster. New. **\$100**

Deak 303-934-2748

Master Caster by Magma Engineering: Casts 500 - 800 bullets per hour. All standard equipment plus extras included. As new condition - test run of approximately 1000 bullets with borrowed mould. New Current Price is \$995. Will take **\$700**

Dave 303-798-3471

Marlin Model 39, Manufacturing 1922, 1st year, .22, 24" Octagon barrel, pistol grip, Marbles Tang Sight, 17A Lyman front sight, fading case color, light patina on barrel. Box of parts for the gun. **\$500 Firm**

Jim 303-841-3150

1. **Lyman Reloading Tool** No. 310 incudes .357 caliber dies. **\$20**

2. **Box of Hornady** 45 caliber gas checks; quantity 1000+. **\$25**

3. **Marlin 1895 45-70 lever action**, Redfield Widefield 2x to 7x variable scope, straight stock with recoil pad, Micro groove barrel, includes two boxes of handloads, also includes 30 Sierra 300 gr bullets and 35 415 gr cast bullets. I purchased this rifle in April 1978. **\$375**

4. **Two 45 cal bullet molds:** One is a RCBS double cavity gas check 300 gr flat nose mold and one Lyman single cavity 415 gr mold. **\$50**

5. **Used Wyoming saw** with extra meat saw blade and leather case. **\$15**

6. **Lyman Reloading Dies** - 243 Caliber **\$20**

Nick at 303-755-4383.

Leave a message if no answer

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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Calendar of Events for August

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact Person</u>
8/3	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
8/7	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
8/9	Tuesday	7pm: BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING	clubhouse	
8/10	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
8/13	Saturday	9am: CMP 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Blackpowder Trap	200 yd. pb2 & pb3 trap	Doug Ruegg Don Fisher Deak Flinchpaugh
8/14	Sunday	9:30am: Trap 50-50-50	trap	Paul Wiggins
8/17	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
8/20	Saturday	9am: Centerfire Rifle 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge) 12pm: Newsletter Submission Deadline	100 yd. sil	Harold Lee Joe Benskin Candy Nonnemacher
8/21	Sunday	9am: ATA 7:30am: NRA Silhouette 9:30am: Magnum Handgun	trap sil mgp	Loren Kohler Dave Bonner Emmanuel Boyd
8/24	Wednesday	9am: Trap	Trap	Don Phillips
8/27	Saturday	7am: PSAC-IPSC 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (smallbore)	pb3-pb6 sil	Roger Briden Joe Benskin
8/28	Sunday	9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50	pb1 trap	Mike Nagengast Paul Wiggins
8/31	Wednesday	9am: Trap	Trap	Don Phillips

August

Sunday
Monday
Tuesday
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Thursday
Friday
Saturday

	1	2	3 Wednesday Trap	4	5	6
7 7am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Black Powder Rifle	8	9 7pm: Board of Directors Meeting	10 Wednesday Trap	11	12	13 9am: CMP 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Blackpowder Trap
14 9:30 am: Trap 50-50-50	15	16	17 Wednesday Trap	18	19	20 9am: Centerfire Rifle 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge) Noon - Newsletter Deadline
21 9am: ATA 7:30am: NRA Silhouette 9:30am: Magnum Handgun	22	23	24 Wednesday Trap	25	26	27 7 am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (smallbore)
28 9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50	29	30	31 Wednesday Trap	September 1	2	3 9am: Military Rifle (200 yard)