

Aurora Gun Club
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ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED



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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

Mark Harper '12 - President
303-973-7876
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Chuck Steinman '13 - 1st VP Membership
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Dave Bonner '12 - 2nd VP Facility
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dbonner1960@juno.com

Emmanuel Boyd '14 - Secretary
303-360-0645

Bill Magaziner '13 - Treasurer
303-877-7717

Pete Benoit '14 720-939-5396
Michael Benskin '12, 303-680-3719
Howard Braton '14, 303-688-3963
Debra Caldwell '13, 720-810-3927

COMMITTEE & PROJECT

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.

CHAIRMEN

ACTIVITY COORDINATOR: OPEN
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Candy Nonnemacher, 303-841-3150
ATA CHAIRMAN: Loren Kohler, 720-344-4701
ARCHERY: Greg Sether, 303-693-6880
BLACK POWDER RIFLE: Les Lokken, 303-795-9771
BLACK POWDER RIFLE: Dave Allen, 303-366-1675
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CARETAKER: Steve Dolan, 303-360-8301
CENTER FIRE BENCH REST: Harold Lee, 303-340-8811
Chief Range Officer: OPEN
Club House Manager: Dan Cochran, 720-404-9832
CMP: Pete Benoit, 720-939-5396
COWBOY SILHOUETTE: Joe Benskin, 303-343-3330
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ELECTION: Dave Carriker 303-798-3471
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MAGNUM HANDGUN: Emmanuel Boyd, 303-360-0645
MEMBER EDUCATION: Rob Rathburn, 303-795-1772
MILITARY ACTION: Rob Rathburn, 303-795-1772
MILITARY BOLT ACTION BENCH REST: Mike Nagengast, 720-937-6777
MILITARY RIFLE: Rob Rathburn, 303-795-1772
NRA LIAISON: Gary Ames, 303-364-8262
NRA ACTION PISTOL: Don Fisher, 303-750-3936
NRA SILHOUETTE: Dave Bonner, 303-981-5652
PERSONNEL: Debra Caldwell, 720-810-3927
PERSONNEL: Dave Bonner, 303-981-5652
PSAC: Roger Briden, 303-402-0682
PSAC: Matthew Hess, 303-815-6488
RELOCATION: Harold Lee, 303-340-8811
RELOCATION: Bill Chin, 303-841-2168
RELOCATION: Nick Norman, 303-766-4396
TRAP (WEDNESDAY) CHAIRMAN: Don Philips, 303-366-7481
TRAP 50-50-50: Paul Wiggins, 303-518-1802
WEB PAGE: Refugio Silva, 303-574-0108

Minutes

AGC BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING MINUTES 10/11/2011

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

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

I. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance.

II. MINUTES

One correction to the Minutes from BOD Meeting 9/13/2011. The D-Day Match date should read June 3, 2012, not June 13, 2012.

10.11.11.a Motion to accept the minutes from the 9/13/2011 BOD meeting as stated.

Motion seconded and passed.

III. ELECTION RESULTS:

Election Chairman, Dave Carriker: We had 140 members cast their votes. The results are: 109 votes for Emmanuel Boyd, 106 votes for Pete Benoit, 95 votes for Howard Braton, and 83 votes for John Denap. The three Board of Directors will hold their seats until 2014.

I want to thank the following people who helped with the election: Bill Chin, Jess Adams, Hank Baroudi, Steve Chagolla, Chuck Clemenson, Rich Immel, Mike Nagengast, Rob Rathburn, Greg Sether, and Chuck Wedow. I also want to thank all the members that took the time to cast their votes.

IV. B.O.D. OFFICERS ELECTIONS:

The club officers 2011/2012 are: Mark Harper - President
Chuck Steinman - 1st VP
Dave Bonner - 2nd VP
Emmanuel Boyd - Secretary
Bill Magaziner - Treasurer

Retiring is Joe Benskin. BOD President Mark Harper stated that the club is appreciative of all Joe has done. Joe has gone way beyond his duties the past few years by taking on the duties of our past caretaker. Joe has agreed to continue as liason between AGC and the Pipeline project.

V. MEMBERS FORUM

AGC Member, Nathan Colbert: I have made the range flags and turned my receipts in to be reimbursed. Thank you for making the range flags.

AGC Member, Den Ehrbar: I have made 20 sets of benchrest tables and 41 stools. Due to weather will hold off making anymore until next year. BOD member Emmanuel Boyd suggested making some of the stools about 3 inches taller. I will make some taller stools. Thanks for all of your hard work. We appreciate benchrest tables and chairs.

AGC Member, Mike Nagengast: I am a senior and I would like to see the senior discount either grandfathered out or reduced. BOD President Mark Harper says we are tracking this closely and will bring it up for discussion after the 1st of the year.

AGC Member, Den Ehrbar: With our waitlist so high, is there any possibility that we can increase our cap of 1000 members to allow these people to become members? The cap will remain as it is. Our parking space is inadequate and with more members, we would have a harder time being able to shoot.

AGC Member, John Denap: Stated that all of the other clubs are also full. The other clubs are charging more than AGC. Should we be considering raising our dues? BOD President Mark Harper stated that this is something we will be looking at after the 1st of the year.

AGC Member, Dave Dankowski: I would like to have a member sponsor new members. After discussion, it was felt that with a member sponsor, there is still no guarantee about the new members.

Minutes Continued

MEMBERS FORUM, *Cont'd*

AGC Member, AJ Davis: Members are gaining access to the club's wood target frames on the 100 yard range. These target frames are kept in a locked shed that are to be used by two disciplines. The combination will be changed and given to the two discipline chairman.

AGC NRA Liaison, Gary Ames: At this time there is no new information concerning the NRA and gun clubs. I would like to stay on as the Liaison and I will give a quarterly report on changes that concern the AGC.

VI. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT REPORT

Wait list - Our wait list is at 299

2012 Member Invoice - BOD member, Chuck Steinman and I have come up with a new membership invoice. We tried to make it simpler and easier to read. After looking it over, BOD member Pete Benoit suggested that we submit the Range Rules with the invoice and have a signature line on the invoice for members to sign stating they have received, read, understand, and will comply with the AGC range rules. After discussion the board felt this would be good a addition

10.11.11.b Motion to add a signature line stating I have received, read, understand, and will comply with the AGC Range Rules. Motion seconded and passed.

VII. BUSINESS

President, Mark Harper:

Oil Lease Information - A few months ago I talked with an agent representing Hilcorp Corporation about obtaining a lease to drill for gas and oil on our property. I contacted our attorney Don Evans to review the lease documents from Hilcorp Corporation. He advised us to not sign the lease document. They were not clearly written or easily deciphered. I had planned to discuss these documents this evening, but shortly before our meeting I received an e-mail from Hilcorp Corporation stating they were no longer interested in obtaining leases in our area.

Chief Range Officer - I want to thank Martin Visnak for the time he put in as our Chief Range Officer.

1st VP, Chuck Steinman:

Nothing to ad

2nd VP, Dave Bonner:

Fence - The fence near the berm has now been repaired. The cost of the repair was \$257.80.

Painting - The Education trailer was repainted for a cost of \$1,457.80. The Clubhouse is in the process of being repainted. This should be finished by the time you read this newsletter

Hot Loads - Some fired 308 cases were found on the 100 yard range that had been loaded too hot. Someone is going to get hurt shooting loads like this. See picture on page 8.

Clay Birds - The cost of clay birds have gone up \$1,400 per truckload and the cost of freight has gone up \$300.00. In order to cut costs we will purchase bio-degradable clay birds. I am looking at alternative shippers to save on freight costs.

Work Parties - I will schedule three work parties next year. The tentative months are March, April, and May.

Phone Line - The phone line to the emergency phone and the clubhouse has been repaired. The temporary phone line that was lying on the ground has been removed.

Outgoing Secretary, Dave Bonner:

Construction - Currently construction crews are working on a pressure relief valve (near our property) and should be finished with this work after Thanksgiving. The work on the PRV should have little or no effect on the 200 yard range. Lymon Ho said that construction of the 42" waterline on AGC property will start after January 1st. When they start construction, the 200 yard range will be closed during the week.

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VII. BUSINESS *Cont'd*

Incoming Secretary, Emmanuelle Boyd,

Annual Christmas Potluck - We would like to have the Christmas Potluck on Saturday December 17, 2011 at noon. The club will provide the meat, drinks, and paper products. Normally Dave Bonner and I cook the meat. This year we would like to have the meat prepared by an outside source. We are asking for \$500.00 for the Christmas Potluck.

**10.11.11.c MOTION TO PAY \$500 FOR OUR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS POTLUCK.
MOTION SECONDED AND PASSED.**

Treasurer, Bill Magaziner:

For the month of August our income was \$11,353.39 and our expenses were \$16,412.92, leaving a negative net income of \$5,063.53. For our first eight months we have a positive net income of \$13,308.79.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION TO ADJOURN. SECONDED. MOTION PASSES

President's Message

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Construction: We are in receipt of a notification from the City of Aurora stating that heavy construction on our property will start in January 2012. The heavy pipe is now on the ground.

Election: We had a successful election and a quorum was reached. The full results will appear elsewhere in this newsletter.

Continued Improvements: The plumbing improvements have now been completed in the Caretaker's house. The Education trailer has been repainted. The Clubhouse is being repainted.

Phone Line - The phone line to the clubhouse has been repaired.

Christmas Potluck Dinner: It's that time of the year again. Your hosts: Secretary Emmanuel Boyd and 2nd V.P. Dave Bonner will have further details in this newsletter.

CRO: We need a Chief Range Officer. Contact our Administrative Assistant if you are interested in this position.

On a sad note we have had two members pass away this year. The two members were Richard Cotton & James (Dave) Norton.

Respectfully,
Mark Harper
President
AGC-BOD

Announcements

Election Results

This year we had a total of 140 members cast their votes. The election has been verified and the workbook is filed with the archive notebooks in the Administrative Assistant's office.

Emmanuel Boyd 2014	109 votes
Peter Benoit 2014	106 votes
Howard Braton 2014	95 votes
John Denap	83 votes

Dave Carriker

POTLUCK DINNER



Saturday, Dec 17, 2011 at noon the Aurora Gun Club will hold its annual potluck dinner in the clubhouse. All members, spouses, children, and guests are welcome to attend.

We ask that you bring a dish to share that will serve 4 to 6 people. This dish can be vegetables, a salad, desserts, or something you like to cook for a potluck get together. The Club will supply the meat (Ham and Turkey), along with coffee, tea, soda and water. We hope to see you there.

Emmanuel Boyd

2012 Membership Renewal Invoices

The Membership Renewal Invoices will be in the mail on October 31st. If you do not receive one, or have questions about your renewal, call me right away. If you want to come to the club and pay your dues, I will be at the Education Trailer on the following dates:

Saturday 11/19/2011 9am - 12pm
Saturday 12/10/2012 9am - 1pm
Saturday 1/14/2012 9am - 12pm
Saturday 1/28/2012 9am - 1pm

Candy Nonnemacher

2012 Range Activity Schedule

I need the completed schedules for all disciplines by November 15, 2011. These forms are available on the club website or at the front desk in the clubhouse.

Candy Nonnemacher

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Waiting List

If anyone knows the following people: Mike Rhyne, Matthew Fasbender, Ronald Wille, Phillip Dinan, Ronald Fish, or Tim Simpson. In order to maintain their position on the wait list, it is imperative that they contact the Administrative Assistant immediately.

Activities Coordinator Needed

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

Chief Range Officer Needed

We are accepting applications for the position of Chief Range Officer. We are looking for a dedicated member to perform this important task. Please submit your application to Administrative Assistant Candy Nonnemacher via e-mail or regular mail.

Match Results

Magnum Handgun 9/18/2011

1. Bob Shigemura	23
2. Karl Buike	20
3. Bob Steil	17
4. Don Martin	12
5. Rex Portner	9
6. Steve Owens	8
7. Emmanuel Boyd	6

Teams Shoot

- 1st K. Buike and S. Owens
- 2nd R. Portner and B. Shigemura

Lever Action Pistol

1. B. Steil	23
2. K. Buike	16
3. E. Boyd	7
4. R. Portner	5

<u>Speed Shoot</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Shots</u>
1. R. Portner & B. Shigemura	41.28	19
2. B. Steil & E. Boyd	48.18	23
3. K. Buike & S. Owens	61.51	18
4. D. Martin & B. Shigemura	72.81	19

Emmanuel Boyd



For Sale



12 gauge Savage Model 720 4-shot, 19" barrel, adjustable choke; reblued, restocked pistol grip, walnut new forearm, raised red bead front, adjustable cheek piece, rubber recoil pad, engraved & grooved receiver. \$350

12 gauge Ithaca Model 37 - takedown; 19 1/2" barrel with adjustable choke, reworked, reblued, new walnut tigerwood wtock, monte-carlo comb, and rubber recoil pad. \$375

38 Special E.M.F. "Yellowboy" Model 1866 replica rifle, 24" barrel' weight 9lbs., blued 43" overall; bead front sight; open adjustable rear sight, european walnut stock; solid brass frame. \$650

.410 MEC Grabber shotshell press. (Near new) \$225

10 gauge Pacific DL-155, shotshell press, loads 3 1/2" shells. (New) \$100

RCBS Reloading Dies: 45 Colt 3 piece set. (near new). \$30

25-20 2 piece carbide set. \$30

Silhouette Animals - 1/2" Steel 1 ea. Ram, turkey, boar & chicken. (\$575 new). \$375

Steve - 303-756-1907



NOTE: The blown primers and dark areas on the case heads indicates high pressure or over pressure loads. Firing these loads with this much pressure are a danger to the shooter and/or fellow shooters nearby. You should stop firing immediately for your safety and the safety of others.

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

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 November

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact Person</u>
11/2	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
11/6	Sunday	7am - 3pm: PSAC-IPSC Match 9:30am - 2pm: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Black Powder Rifle	pb3-pb6 trap 100 yd.	Roger Briden Paul Wiggins Dave Allen
11/8	Tuesday	7pm: BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING	clubhouse	
11/9	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
11/12	Saturday	9am - 2pm: NRA Action Pistol 10am - 1pm: Blackpowder Trap	pb2 & pb3 trap	Don Fisher Deak Flinchpaugh
11/13	Sunday	9:30am - 2pm: Trap 50-50-50	trap	Paul Wiggins
11/16	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips
11/19	Saturday	9am - 12pm: Membership Renewal 10am - 2pm: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge)	Education sil	Candy Nonnemacher Joe Benskin
11/20	Sunday	9:30am - 2pm: Trap 50-50-50 9:30am - 1pm: Magnum Handgun 10am: Black Powder Rifle 12pm: Newsletter Submission Deadline	trap mgp 100 yd.	Paul Wiggins Emmanuel Boyd Dave Allen Candy Nonnemacher
11/23	Wednesday	9am: Trap	Trap	Don Phillips
11/26	Saturday	7am - 3pm: PSAC-IPSC 8am - 12pm: M1/M1A Practice Matches 10am - 2pm: Cowboy Silhouette (Small Bore)	pb3-pb6 200 yd. sil	Roger Briden Rob Rathburn Joe Benskin
11/27	Sunday	8:30am - 2pm: NRA Silhouette 9:30am—2pm: Trap 50-50-50	sil trap	Dave Bonner Paul Wiggins
11/30	Wednesday	9am: Trap	trap	Don Phillips

November

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

		1	2 Wednesday Trap	3	4	5
6 7am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9:30am: Trap 50-50-50 10am: Black Powder Rifle	7	8 7pm: Board of Directors Meeting	9 Wednesday Trap	10	11	12 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Blackpowder Trap
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