



The Plinker



MISSION STATEMENT

The object of this organization shall be the encouragement of organized rifle, shotgun and pistol shooting among residents of our community, with a view toward better knowledge on the part of citizens of our community of the safe handling and the proper care of firearms, and the development of those characteristics of honesty, good fellowship, self discipline and self reliance that are the essentials of good sportsmanship and the foundation of true patriotism.

FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT

As I said at the recent monthly meeting, mainly attended by the executive officers, last year I was a bit slow in getting any information out concerning our club's annual elections. This year we'll get things going much earlier than that...

Our club's elections won't take place until the December meeting and, generally, nominations must be made by the November meeting. For this year's elections, I will accept nominations, if the nominated member is willing to accept, at any time. The best place to make such nominations is, of course, at one of the coming meetings when the member being nominated is also present. My hope is that starting this early will generate more interest in our club's process of elections as well as greater participation for the club's general membership.

There are a number of board positions which are due for either re-election of the person holding that position or for the nomination and election of a new member to the board. These positions are simply nearing the end of their 3-year terms. They are; Treasurer (presently Doug Simpson), Security Officer & Information Technology (Richard Schneider), Action Pistol Range Director (Ron Lohman), Black Powder Range Director (Tom Witt), and the Hunter Education Director (Blayde Fry).

In addition to those board positions, all of the executive positions, being the president, vice president, treasurer, security officer, safety officer, and the secretary are voted on or elected annually. To be eligible for those positions nominees must be members of the club's Board of Directors.

When we consider someone for a position on our Board of Directors, one thing we can look at is their attendance record for our meetings. Those meetings are rather important and several of us have the hopes that participation at our meetings will increase. The record or roll call for present directors at our past meetings will be made available. Of course, there are justifiable excuses for missing meetings such as health problems or an employment schedule.

Also, a general observation shows that several black powder shooters are now on the Board of Directors. Those black powder shooters are simply interested in helping the club run along a good course. At the same time, things might seem more properly balanced if some members from other "shooting ranges" were to step up and take more active positions within the club by becoming board members.

So, there are certainly things to consider in either making nominations for board members or accepting a nomination. Let's begin making some of those considerations now so we can enjoy having a meaningful election for club board members and officers this December.

Shoot sharp, Mike

August Lever Gun Match

By Tom Witt

We had a great turn out for the Lever Gun Match on the Bob Gietz Black Powder Range at the Capitol City Rifle and Pistol Club located in Littlerock Washington. 11 shooters in all came out to test their skills with the lever gun and for the after match we were playing with shotguns loaded with black powder.

Our match started with a small target with two scoring bulls shot off hand at 25 yards. While hanging our targets we discovered we had guests in the form of a ground hornet nest. I guess it is that time of year. In spite of the yellow devils Bob Delisle Scored the highest at 25 yards with an 86, followed by Allen Cuniff with a score of 84 and coming in 3rd place at 25 yards is yours truly with 82 points.



The next target was shot at 50 yards using cross sticks. It was our standard buffalo with the two scoring bulls. Mike Nesbitt took the high score with an impressive 97 3X! Great shooting Mike! He was followed by Jeff "loco" Ritter with a score of 95X, third in line at 50 yards was Allen Cuniff with a score of 91X. All three were impressive scores.

We finished off the match with the single bull buffalo target at 75 yards, shot with cross sticks. We still had some impressive scores with Mike Nesbitt and Allen Cuniff shooting an impressive 92. Mike takes first with a 92XX, and Allen with a 92X third place at 75 yards goes to Jeff "Loco" Ritter with a 87X.

For the after match, we decided to shoot our shotguns loaded with black powder. We shot at a total of 10 clays, 5 thrown from the right and 5 thrown from the left. Six shooters participated in the festivities while others helped with the scoring and throwing the clays. We had a close competition with my 16-gauge taking high score with 5 clays. New comer Jim Haeckel came in second using a borrowed 12 gauge from Mike Nesbitt. Mike's gun was used by Mike and by Jim, you might say that Mikes coach gun out shot me by hitting 6 clays between Jim and Mike. Another noteworthy tale is that Doc Ritter is the only one who managed to hit a double.

Thank you to everyone who participated, donated prizes and helped with scoring the match. A great time was had by all. Spread the word I hope to see you next month!

Shooter:	Caliber	75Yds	50Yds	25Yds	Total	After Match
1. Allen Cuniff	44-40	92-X	91-X	84	267-XX	----
2. Mike Nesbitt	44-40	92-XX	97-3X	76-X	265-6X	2
3. Tom Witt	44-40	48	86	82	256	5
4. Bob Delisle	32-20	79	89-XX	86	254-XX	3
5. Jeff "Loco" Ritter	38-55	87-X	95-X	69	251-XX	----
6. Jerry Mayo	44-40	77	85-X	74	236-X	3
7. Mike Holeman	44-40	61	63	70	194	----
8. Jim Haeckel	44-40	78-XX	37	44-X	159-3X	4
9. Dan Johnson	44-40	23	69	50	142	----
10. Doc Ritter	45 Colt	10	79	50	139	3
11. Ralph Birmingham	44-40	5	46	21	72	----

Weed Eating

Lawn mowing is in full swing. Generally the mowing is being covered. The trimming is not and needs some TLC. You can schedule your own work. Call me and I will send you your assessment time. The entrances, ranges all need work. Terry and I work early Thursdays to get ahead of the shooters. If you would like you could work with us. If not call or contact me about your assessment time.

Thanks

Will

360-701-8105

Tent for Sale

14 x 17 foot canvas bell back wedge tent. In great condition. Sunforger marine boatshrunken canvas. No tears, stains, or mildew. All stake loops in good condition. Has stove jack in rear right. Stove ready but doesn't include a stove. Tie closure can be secured from outside or inside. Custom made by Muzzleloader Den (Fred Wright) of Wenatchee Washington. Includes poles (interior) and stakes. Also included is unattached ground cloth and vapor barrier tarp. \$750. Contact Steve Andrews phone or text 360 485 8996

Muzzleloaders for Sale

Traditions Hawkins Woodsman. 50 Caliber 1-66 twist barrel. Wood stock. Great for shooting round ball. Very good condition. \$300

Knight Big Horn Inline. 50 caliber with fiber optic sights. Stainless steel barrel and breach. Double safety system. Single trigger. Ignition either #11 caps, 209 primer or musket caps. Very good condition. \$500

For more info call or text Steve Andrews 360-485-8996

Name	Expiration	Classification	Other
Atchinson, Clarence	11/30/2024	RSO	
Balestra, Larry	1/31/2024	RSO	
Boerner, Mike	4/30/2023	RSO	
Boos, Eric	6/30/2023	RSO	
Brown, Tom	11/30/2024	RSO	
Brunetti, Bob	8/31/2023	RSO	
Chandler, Jeff	11/30/2022	RSO	
Coleman, Mike	10/31/2022	Chief RSO	
DeLisle, Bob	11/30/2024	RSO	
Duncan, Zachery	12/31/2024	RSO	
Dunn, Kent	8/31/2024	RSO	
Fry, Blade	3/31/2025	RSO	
Gage, Kelly	2/28/2024	RSO	Rifle Coach
Gale-Sinex, Michelle	1/31/2025	RSO	
George, David	2/28/2022	RSO	
Gertson, Harvey	1/31/2024	RSO	
Greenman, Robert	11/30/2024	RSO	
Hadley, Michael P	1/31/2023	RSO	
Johnson, Danny L	2/28/2025	RSO	
Langan, Ryan	3/31/2024	RSO	
Lohman, Ron	11/30/2022	RSO	
Long, Patrick	2/28/2024	RSO	Rifle Coach
Longmire, Damien	11/30/2022	RSO	
Lufkin, Larry	4/30/2025	RSO	
Lysll, Mike	2/28/2024	RSO	
Mayo, Jerry	11/30/2024	RSO	
McKernan, Shawn	2/28/2024	RSO	Rifle Coach
Mickel, John	9/30/2023	Chief RSO	
Miller, Burton	10/31/2022	RSO	
Moran, Mike	4/30/2025	RSO	
Nesbitt, Mike	11/30/2024	RSO	
Neubert, Kevin	9/30/2023	RSO	
Oakes, Thomas	10/31/2022	RSO	
Parkison, Steve	8/31/2023	RSO	
Rawson, Randy	7/31/2023	RSO	
Ritter, Jeff	4/30/2025	RSO	
Sanders, Nick	10/31/2024	RSO	
Scherer, Eugene	5/31/2022	RSO	
Schuettke, Tom	9/30/2024	RSO	
Sneider, Richard	1/31/2023	RSO	
Simpson, Doug	2/28/2024	RSO	
Sotelo, Derek	4/30/2025	RSO	
Taylor, Larry	3/31/2024	RSO	
Thorsen, Gary	1/31/2025	RSO	
Ulry, Will	7/31/2026	RSO	
Witt, Tom	12/31/2024	Chief RSO	
Young, Jeff	9/30/2022	RSO	

<u>BOARD OF DIRECTORS</u>	Larry Balestra 360-943-8057	<u>Hunter's Education:</u>	<u>Indoor Range:</u>
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MEMBERSHIP DUES RATES
Dues and Renewal policies

Members will receive a statement 45 days before their membership expires. (Your renewal month is found on your mailing label.) The dues renewal date is the last day of the month in which members' "annual date" falls. Members' gate card will automatically "lock out" on their renewal date if they have not renewed, and their membership will be considered "inactive" for 30-days, during which time they may still pay their dues. After 30-days on "inactive" status the membership will be terminated. Should they wish to rejoin CCR&P past the 30-days "inactive" status, they must reapply as a new member and attend the Orientation class. **Membership fees (taxes are additional)**, collected at the time of the orientation classes are:

Annual dues **\$80.00** for the first member of each household and **\$45.00** for each additional eligible member of the household.

Initiation fee (one time) **\$80.00** for each household and a refundable gate card deposit fee of **\$10.00** for each member.

In addition, each member is expected to devote 8 hours of volunteer service annually or recruit two new members or pay an assessment of **\$80.00**.

Orientation class (required)

(GUESTS: Members may bring their spouses and children under the age of 18 years old **as guests** as often as they'd like. Non-immediate family member guests are limited to two visits annually. Members **MUST** accompany their guests at all times, including spouses and children, and are responsible for the conduct of their guests.)

September

SUNDAY	MON-	TUESDAY	WEDNES-	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Fall Gathering Rendezvous (PB,MP,IR,CH,CG)	2 Fall Gathering Rendezvous (PB,MP,IR,CH,CG)
3 Fall Gathering Rendezvous (PB,MP,IR,CH,CG)	4 Fall Gathering Rendezvous (PB,MP,IR,CH,CG)	5	6	7	8	9 Lever Gun Match (BP)
10 M1 Garand Rifle Match Multi Purpose Range Orientation (MP)	11	12	13 New Member Orientation (CH)	14	15	16 Hunter Education (CH,IR,BP,MP)
17 Action Pistol Match	18	19 Board of Directors Meeting (CH)	20	21	22	23 Old West Centerfires 2023 (HP,SB)
24 CMP/NRA Service Rifle Match	25 Monday Night .22 Pistol League (IR, CH)	26	27 Open Trail (BP)	28	29	30 RANGE KEY: A=Archery; AP=Action Pistol; BP=Black Powder; CG=Campground; CH=Club House; HP=High Power; IR=Indoor Range; K=Kitchen; MP=Multi Purpose; SP=Pistol Side Bay