

Aurora Gun Club
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June 2020



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AURORA GUN CLUB

www.auroragunclub.com

CLUBHOUSE
303-361-9091

Shooting Hours 7:30am - Sunset



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Summer Weekend

Clubhouse Hours

Closed—Except for limited times

If the forecast high is 40 degrees or less,
the clubhouse will be closed.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Tom Desmond '22 - President
president@auroragunclub.com

Chris Baker '21- 1st VP Membership
membership@auroragunclub.com
720-936-4218

David Faingold '20 - 2nd VP Maintenance
303-883-4144

Michael Quiring '20 - Secretary
secretary@auroragunclub.com
720-431-5055

Loren Kohler '21 - Treasurer
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720-670-7579

Emmanuel Boyd '22 303-360-0645
Mel Caraway '22 720-394-8539
Dave Leiker '20 303-523-5242
Dietrich Whitesides '21 720-447-2969

Board Email: board@auroragunclub.com

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: OPEN

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS: Nicole Quiring or Carla Smith at 720-662-7589 or
auroragunclub@q.com

AR-15: Pete Benoit, 720-939-5396

ATA: Loren Kohler, 720-670-7579 or OPEN

ARCHERY: Greg Sether, 720-469-6364

BLACK POWDER RIFLE: Les Lokken, 303-795-9771

BLACK POWDER RIFLE/PISTOL: Chris Baker, 720-936-4218

CARETAKER: Richard Parker, 720-771- 7586

caretaker@auroragunclub.com

CENTER FIRE BENCH REST: Harold Lee, 303-340-8811

CHIEF RANGE OFFICER: Terry Humbargar, 303-671-9592

chiefrangeofficer@auroragunclub.com

CLUB HOUSE MANAGER: Adrienne Novak

CMP: Rob Lucernoni, 303-809-0705

COWBOY ACTION SHOOT: Bill Edick, 720-218-1871

Cowboy Action Shoot: Mike Wandell, 303-770-7220

COWBOY SILHOUETTE: Mike Benskin, 303-680-3719

COWBOY SILHOUETTE: Rick Geist, 303-288-2235

DISABLED & WW PROGRAM: OPEN

ELECTION: Dave Carriker, 303-798-3471

MAGNUM HANDGUN: Emmanuel Boyd, 303-360-0645

MILITARY ACTION: OPEN

MILITARY BOLT ACTION BENCH REST: Paul Lundberg, 720-789-1201

MILITARY BOLT ACTION BENCH REST: Willie Chatman 915-731-7405

MILITARY RIFLE: Bill Chin, 303-841-2168

MILITARY RIFLE: Steve Chagolla, 303-887-9628

NRA Action Pistol: Bob Daneker, bdaneker@gmail.com

NRA SILHOUETTE: Michael Ehr 303-886-5169 or Scott Dahms 303-668-7312

PERSONNEL: Chris Baker, 720-936-4218

PERSONNEL: Tom Desmond, tadivmail@gmail.com

PSAC: Roger Briden, 303-402-0682

PSAC: Matthew Hess, 303-815-6488

Steel Challenge: OPEN

TRAP : Richard Dimisko, 303-241-5023

TRAP (WEDNESDAY): Don Philips, 303-366-7481

WEB PAGE: Refugio Silva, 720-273-2918

Meeting called to order at 7pm by President, Tom Desmond

Present: Baker, Boyd, Caraway, Desmond, Faingold, Kohler, Leiker, Quiring, Whitesides

I. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance

II. AGENDA

3.10.2020 a. Motion to approve agenda

Motion seconded and passed

III. MINUTES

3.10.2020 b. Motion to approve minutes from 3/10/20 BOD meeting.

Motion seconded and passed

VII. MEMBERS FORUM

No members in attendance.

Dietrich Whitesides – NRA Action Shoot – Asked about the NRA Action Shoot at the end of June. Not sure they will be ready.

Chris Baker – Mentioned that a member asked if he can bring some officers from the Aurora Police Department as guests for pistol training during the week. The board agreed that they are willing to assist law enforcement as long as they are limited to the 4 guests per member rule, pay the guest fee, and sign the waiver.

VIII. OLD BUSINESS

Financial Report — AGC Treasurer, Loren Kohler – April revenues were \$16,178 and our expenses were \$32,591 leaving a loss of (\$16,413). Our YTD revenue is \$86,674 and our YTD expenses are \$94,515 leaving a loss of (\$7,841). Account balances: Checking Account \$28,241; Payroll Account \$9,227 and Chase Savings Account \$385,234; Bank of the West Money market account \$151,624; Edward Jones CD – closed. Bank of the West CD \$205,274; Chase Bank CD \$201,274. Loren asked the board if they are willing to pursue investing in stock purchases later this year. Maybe this fall, as there may be an upturn in the market again.

Maintenance Update – 2nd VP of Maintenance, David Faingold – The work party on April 25th was a success. There were 120 trees planted in an hour and a half. Everyone that attended was good about social distancing. A couple of members volunteered to come out and water the trees. The club would like two members – one to drive the truck and one to water the trees. All trees have been flagged. An announcement will be placed in the June newsletter asking for a couple of volunteers to water the trees once a week for work credit. There is a new 200-yard range target stand that was built by Randy Still, Steve Chagolla, Terry Hostetler and Bill Chin. Thank you for all your hard work.

There is a section of fence that needs to be repaired on the northeast side of the property that continues to get hit by traffic coming down the hill. The possibility of adding reflectors to the fence when the repairs were finished was thought to be a good idea. Manny Boyd suggested adding some solar powered flashing lights to that area as well to avoid future accidents and damage to the fence. David is trying to arrange for a front loader to come in to reshape the berms and build up across from the 100-yard range. He is also working on the sound issue with the covers on the 100-yard range and is looking at different options. The sound proofing product seems pricey and will possibly try to get a professional bid for installation. David also received a bid for \$6,232 for a sprinkler system for the trees. The cost of the trees was \$900 for 120 trees. There were 30 in 1-gallon pots and 90 in smaller pots. The club will continue to use the tank he bought and water from the back of the truck. Chris Baker asked about the sign on the pistol berm that needed to be moved. David replied that the work has not been done yet. Thank you, Steve Chagolla, for building the box for the trap machine.

Asphalting Parking Lot Update – 2nd VP of Maintenance, David Faingold – Requested a modified quote takes the asphalt to the end of the club house which was \$89,938. The original quote to take the asphalt all the way to the archery range was \$115,811. Tom asked if they can give us a new quote due to the price of petroleum being so much lower. Dave Leiker and Dietrich Whitesides would rather see the money spent on updating the clubhouse rather than the parking lot.

Minutes Continued

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Electronic Document Signing – 1st VP Membership, Chris Baker – Nothing new to report this month.

Final Orientation Date – 1st VP Membership, Chris Baker – The final new member orientation will be held on July 11th at 9:30am and 11:00am. Nicole and Carla will contact those that already sent in paperwork to see if that date will work and call more people on the waitlist to fill remaining spots.

Ladies Shoot in June – AGC Administrative Assistant, Carla Smith – Needed to ask if there were going to be any events in the month of June, as the Ladies Shoot was scheduled for June and would like to know how to proceed. The board determined that there would be no matches or events in June. Carla will contact Anne Draper to let her know.

IX. NEW BUSINESS

Incident Report – No reports

Refunding Member Dues due to COVID-19 – President, Tom Desmond – Pulled a report of members that have been on the property in the past year. The reports showed that some members frustrated by the club closure have only badged in a few times in the past year. There are a handful of members that come out every day. Average annual dues are \$181.00/yearly per member which means that the average credit is \$15.00 per member. A board member asked about adding an “Act of God” clause in the by-laws. There is no mention of that in the by-laws and the club would have to make changes to the by-laws, which is very difficult as it requires a vote of approval from 51% or more of all members. Chris Baker suggested that if a member would like to receive a credit that they would need to complete a request form and send it to the club PO box, at which time then credit would then be applied to their account towards 2021 annual dues. Place an announcement in the next newsletter that the form will be posted on website and in the clubhouse.

5.12.2020 c. Motion to approve a 1/12 refund of 2020 dues paid by member. Member must complete a request form and mail to the PO Box, postmark must be no later than July 31st.

Motion approved and passed

Discussion on lifting additional club restrictions – President, Tom Desmond – Tom asked the board about lifting additional restrictions. There will be no discipline matches in June and all current restrictions will remain in place until further notice, and will be discussed at the next board meeting in June. Trap shooting can take place on all stations since they are nine feet apart center to center. Shooter must walk behind the temporary posts with the flags on them when going from station five to station one.

Review of June Calendar – AGC Administrative Assistant, Carla Smith – Approved - No matches, events, or classes for the month of June. Board meeting will be on June 9th. Carla will send an email to all Chair Disciplines to let them know in advance.

X. ROUND TABLE

Michael Quiring – Asked is there is anything that can be done to the clubhouse while it is closed like painting, repairs, etc.

Manny Boyd – Mentioned the discussion regarding the advertising of 17 round magazines in the for-sale section of the newsletter. Tom said that the board really needs to look more closely at the information in the newsletter to hopefully catch items like that when they come up.

Loren Kohler – Asked if anyone knew if the first aid kits were all taken care of. David F. said that they were done.

Tom Desmond – Said that the smoke alarms needed to be replaced and asked about getting Scott out to install a few new hardwired smoke detectors.

Loren Kohler – Announced that the Propane expense had decreased. Talked about also changing out the thermostat in the clubhouse. He will also check to see if he can get a credit on trash disposal for a month.

XI. RECESS & ADJOURNMENT

XII. NO EXECUTIVE SESSION

Announcements

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Refund Request Form Information

AGC Members, if you feel that you were personally inconvenienced by the Aurora Gun Club COVID-19 closure for the month of April 2020 and would like to request a 1/12th credit of the 2020 dues that you paid to be applied to your 2021 membership dues, please go to our website to print and complete the Refund Request Form. You will find the form on the home page under the Covid-19 information.

This form must be completed and mail to the Aurora Gun Club P.O. Box 4038, Parker, CO 80134

by July 31, 2020. Forms must be post marked no later than July 31, 2020. Any late forms will be declined.

AGC Board of Directors

Looking for a Volunteer to Help Water the New Trees

Looking for a couple of Volunteers to help share the responsibility of watering the newly planted trees on the north side of the property. There were a 120 trees planted on the Work Party day. It takes two people to water the trees, and we are needing a volunteer to water them from the back of the truck, while an insurance approved driver drives the truck along the tree line. The trees have all been flagged to show their location. If you would be interested in volunteering once a week for work credit, please contact David Faingold at 303-883-4144

Thank you for your help!

Range Closure Notice

This notice is to notify you that portions of the range will be temporarily closed, for berm repair, on Monday, June 8th.

ELECTION NOTICE

Election time is coming up, so please submit your bio!

Our annual elections will be held Sunday, October 4h to fill three positions. We need dedicated members who are willing to donate their time and talents. If you are interested in running, it is suggested that you attend one or more monthly club board meetings, so that you will become known to the membership and will be familiar with what is going on at the club. If you would like to run for the board, please declare your candidacy with our Administrative Assistant or myself, by sending in your biography of 150 words or less. In your biography explain why you want to run and what you hope to accomplish. You must declare your candidacy two weeks prior (**which is August 25th**) to the BOD meeting held on September 8th.

Submit to:

Dave Carriker at 303-798-3471 or Nicole Quiring, Administrative Assistant at 720-662-7589 or auroragunclub@g.com

Additional Announcements

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Financial Review Assistance

The board is looking for a few members to review the club's financials for 2019. A new date and time will be determined at a later date, but if you would be interested, please email AGC Treasurer, Loren Kohler at treasurer@auroragunclub.com
Thank you!

ATA Trap

ATA Trap Chairman, Loren Kohler is in need of a Co-Chair for ATA Trap. If you would be interested in assisting in running the ATA shoots or have any questions, please contact Loren. The matches are typically the third Sunday from March to September. It's about six hours per shoot. Contact Loren Kohler at lorenkohler@yahoo.com

For Sale

Sig Sauer 9mm x 19 P226-RX Two 10 round magazines. - \$1,050.00

S&W 9mm x 19 M&P C.O.R.E Two magazines. Burris FastFire sight. - \$750.00

Glock 9mm x 19 34 Gen 4 One magazine. Burris FastFire sight. Trigger work. - \$800.00

NRA Silhouette Rifles

Kimber Model K-22 with Nikon Monarch 6 X 24 Dot reticle. - \$1,100.00

Savage MARK II Laminated Thumbhole Stock with Nikon Monarch 6 X 24 Dot reticle. - \$600.00

Contact: Ted Wedemeyer 303-776-8991 ctwedemeyer@q.com

Motorcycle For Sale:

1999 Yamaha 1100 Virago—Less than 14,000 miles—Small Windshield—Leather Saddle Bags.

In good shape, just needs a tune-up. - \$1,800.00 OBO.

Will consider guns and cash.

Contact: Alex Ragulsky 303-883-5131

SAVE THE DATES FOR 2020

Work Parties: Sept 12th
Swap Meet: TBD
Deadline to Declare Candidacy for Elections: August 25th
Annual Meeting: October 4th
Christmas Potluck: December 5th

Newsletter Submission

Newsletter submission deadline is on or before the 20th of each month by **NOON**.

You may mail, or email it to Nicole Quiring, Administrative Assistant

P.O. Box 4038

Parker, CO 80134

Phone: 720-662-7589

Email: AuroraGunClub@q.com

Please Note: The Gun Club no longer has a FAX line.

Calendar of Events

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact Person</u>
6/9	Tuesday	7:00pm - Board Meeting	Clubhouse	
6/20	Saturday	Noon: Newsletter Submission Deadline—Can send in before the 20th		Nicole Quiring


June Board Meeting

*****Please note: Currently the meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 9th and will have limited seating, due to the requirements for social distancing.**

**** All scheduled activities and classes are cancelled until further notice!**

Thank you and take care!

June 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Some ranges will be temporarily closed for berm work!	9 7:00pm Board Meeting	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 Newsletter Deadline
21 	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				