

**Aurora Gun Club**  
**301 S Gun Club Road**  
**Aurora, CO. 80018**  
**ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED**



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**CLUBHOUSE**  
**303-361-9091**

**Shooting Hours 7:30am— Sunset**  
**7days a week**



**Summer Weekend**

**Clubhouse hours**

8am—3pm

Call first if the weather is bad

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Terry Humbargar '10 - President  
303-671-9592

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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)**  
**Rocky Mountain 3-Gun**  
**United States Practical Shooting Assoc**

## COMMITTEE & PROJECT CHAIRMEN

ACTIVITY COORDINATOR: Richard Immel, 303-797-7481  
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PSAC, Matthew Hess, 303-815-6488  
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RELOCATION: Bill Chin, 303-841-2168  
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TRAP CHAIRMAN:  
TRAP (WEDNESDAY) CHAIRMAN: Don Phillips, 303-366-7481  
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**AGC BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING MINUTES 08/10/2010**

Meeting called to order at 7 PM by President Terry Humbargar.

Present: J. Benskin, M.Benskin, Bonner, Boyd, Braton, Caldwell, Harper, Humbargar and Still.

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Pledge of Allegiance.

**II. MINUTES**

Presented are corrections to the Minutes from BOD Meeting 07/13/2010:

1. AGC Board of Directors Meeting Minutes should read 07/13/2010 and not 06/08/2010.
2. AGC member Paul Williams mowed the trap field should read Paul Wiggins mowed the trap range.

**08.10.10.a Motion to accept the minutes and corrections from the 7/13/2010 BOD meeting as stated.  
Motion seconded and passed.**

**III. PRESIDENTS REPORT**

The appraisal for the property that the City of Aurora will be purchasing came in higher than the original bid. Because of this we will renegotiate the price of the property.

We have elections coming up in October and it is important that everyone take the time to vote. If we do not have a quorum, we will have to do the election again.

**IV. MEMBERS FORUM**

AGC member Paul Wiggins donated jumper cables to the gun club.

AGC member Paul Wiggins requests the board to consider the following:

1. Publish an itemized income statement each month in the newsletter to inform the membership of the revenues and expenses.
2. Publish an itemized balance sheet yearly to inform the membership of the assets and liabilities of the club.
3. Purchase an Automatic Electronic Defibrillator (AED). Approximate cost \$1,250.00.
4. Purchase a gasoline operated golf cart style vehicle for use on the 200 yard range during matches. Approximate cost \$2500—\$3000.

**V. FINANCIAL REPORT****Treasurer's Report, Michael Miller:**

Nothing submitted at this time. Mike, due to illness is unable to report at this time.

**Administrative Assistant's Report:**

The wait list was updated to 134. Three new applications were received this month.

**VI. OLD BUSINESS****President, Terry Humbargar:**

The Follow up on the three gun violation: The AGC member involved was not able to attend the meeting. The follow up has been tabled until next month.

**1st Vice President, Emmanuel Boyd:**

We have found a glitch in the membership roster. The administrative assistant and I are actively working on correcting this issue.

**2nd Vice President, Joe Benskin:**

The caretakers cottage is just about complete. Thanks to AGC members Dennis Ehrear and Norbert Barger for the work put in. The only thing needed to complete the work on the caretaker's house is installing blinds. The cottage will be complete within a week.

**Secretary, Dave Bonner:**

Nothing to add.

**Treasurer, Mike Miller:**

Nothing to add.

## VII. NEW BUSINESS

**President, Terry Hamburger:**

Nothing to add.

**1st Vice President, Emmanuel Boyd:**

Nothing to add.

**2nd Vice President, Joe Benzoin:**

Nothing to add.

**Secretary, Dave Bonner:**

There have been numerous problems with the Administrative Assistant's computer. Monies have been spent to try to repair it. We have now reached the point where cost has exceeded the computers value.

**08.10.10.b Motion to spend up to \$1,000.00 for new computer for Administrative Assistant.**

**Motion Secoded and Passed.**

**Treasurer, Mike Miller:**

Not available.

## VIII. ADJOURNMENT

**MOTION TO ADJOURN. SECONDED. MOTION PASSES.**

# Announcements

### SWAP MEET

An AGC swap meet will be held September 26, 2010 at 9 am to 12:00 pm. Members are welcome to display their sporting goods, shooting accessories, reloading components, and other shooting paraphernalia from the backs of trucks, cars or tables. It will be located along the northern side of the entrance road across from the rim fire silhouette and 200 yard ranges (white fence).

### **President's Message**

I hope everyone has had a great summer. The only question is where has it gone!! Most are probably starting to think about preparing for the upcoming hunting seasons. Please review the range rules as it is becoming more important that every member be responsible for themselves and guests if applicable. Read the CRO's letter this month and you will understand fully how some members disrespect our club. Enough said for now on this topic. As you read in the Aug. BOD minutes we have purchased a new computer and are going to be calling checking on membership numbers before the upcoming renewal process. Candy or Emmanuel will be calling so just a heads up that it's not a scam to get your number. Thanks in advance for your cooperation. Last but, certainly not least, is our upcoming BOD elections. As always it's important that you vote for the candidates of your choice as these individuals will be directing our club. In closing, I will leave you with how to start a fight: A wife was standing nude, looking in the bedroom mirror. She was not happy with what she saw and said to her husband: "I feel horrible; I look old, fat, and ugly. I really need you to pay me a compliment." He said, "Your eyesight's dam near perfect." And then the fight began!! Enjoy safe and successful shooting.

Terry

## CRO'S CORNER

Well, fall is upon us and I wanted to remind all AGC members that we have First Aid kits located throughout the property for your use. The kits are located at the bulletin board in front of the .22 silhouette range, between the two sheds located between the magnum handgun and the 100 yard ranges, on the classroom building facing the 100 yard range, on the shed in front of pistol berm #3, on the shed located north of pistol berm #7 and in the clubhouse itself just to the right of the coffee station. Please feel free to use these kits at any time. If you notice a lack of supplies in any First Aid kit let me or someone on the BOD know so we may replenish it.

There seems to be some confusion as to when it is allowed to handle weapons on flagged ranges, so I will go over these rules again as well. This is a very simple rule. When the flag is down **DO NOT HANDLE FIREARMS** for any reason. When the flag is up, it is safe to handle firearms. If the firearm is already in a case it is permissible to take the "case" to and from the range when the flag is down. The shooter may NOT case or uncase firearms when the flag is down. When the flag is down it is permissible to collect brass or otherwise be in front of the firing line. When the flag is up, the range is hot and no one should ever venture in front of the firing line. **When on a flagged range, the .22 Silhouette, 200 Yard range, and the 100 Yard range, flags must be used at ALL times.** There is no exception to this rule either. The amount of people on the range makes no difference either. When shooting on any of these three ranges, use the flag every time always.

A firearm is simply a machine, As with all machines some are not intuitive or simple to operate and each has a unique way it must be cared for and used. It is the responsibility of all members to be familiar with their own firearms and perhaps more importantly ensure that their guests are also familiar with the safe use of all firearms to be used at any given shooting session. Take the time to familiarize yourself and brief your guests on the use of the particular firearms you will shoot as well as the range rules. Please take this opportunity to read the rules one more time. If you do not have the rules handy they can be found on the club website or a copy may be obtained in the clubhouse. I encourage every member to carry a couple copies in their range bag, one for you and one for the person who may have misplaced theirs. Have a safe and enjoyable September everyone!

Martin Visnak—AGC Chief Range Officer.

## ELECTION NOTICE 2010

Our annual meeting and election will be held Sun October 3, 2010 @ 11:00AM. Ballots may be cast from 11AM to 1PM. Proxies we be distributed at the annual meeting. Please take the time to vote! We need to achieve a quorum to have a valid election. We will have five board positions to fill. Three candidates will serve a three year term and two candidates will be serving a two year term. If you would like to run for the board, please declare your candidacy with our Administrative Assistant or me by sending in your biographies ASAP. Limit your biographies to 160 words explaining why you want to run and what you hope to accomplish. The deadline will be September 7, 2010.

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Bill Chin  
Election Chairman  
303-841-2168

## BIOGRAPHIES

### Mark Harper

Hello my name is Mark Harper and I have served on the AGC Board of Directors for the last 3 years. I have served on numerous and various committees including the Finance Committee and being the 2009 Election Chairman. I would like the opportunity to continue to serve the members of AGC during the next 3 years. As you all know, we are facing some difficult times for the club and I would like to use my experience gained over the past 3 years to help move the club forward for the future.

# Announcements Cont'd

## **Debra Caldwell**

My name is Debra Caldwell (Deb) and I am currently serving on the Board of Directors at Aurora Gun Club. I have been a member of AGC since 2004. I have served one term on the board and am interested in doing one more. You can find me at the range nearly every good weather day and many of the bad ones too. Many improvements have been made at the AGC and I wish to keep the good things happening. I currently serve on the 'personnel committee' and would like to continue finding quality employees for the club when needed. I am a NRA certified firearms instructor and teach a 'Basic Pistol' class at the club once a month. I believe it is important to add a woman's perspective on the board as more and more women are taking up arms for sport as well as personal protection. I like introducing people to shooting activities and the Aurora Gun Club. We have a very special facility here and we must do whatever we can to keep it safe and enjoyable for all our members and guests. Thank you for your support.

## **Dave Bonner**

Currently I am on the Board of Directors serving as the club Secretary and on the Personnel Committee responsible for hiring of club employees. Additionally, I am also the Chairman for NRA Silhouette. In the past three years, I have been on various committees involving club business. Using the experience and knowledge gained, I would like to continue to serve as a BOD member to help guide the club in a safe and efficient manner.

## **Paul Fann**

I have been a member of Aurora Gun Club since 2001. As a Board Member I would take a common sense approach to the management of the club's physical/monetary assets, dealings with governmental entities, planning for the future of the club, and promote increased membership participation in club activities. Today as supporters of the shooting sports, firearms ownership, and hunting; we face the greatest political and cultural challenges to our beliefs in our lifetimes. We must promote increased participation by our members and their families in the shooting sports and political process to maintain these rights and our hunting heritage.

My wife and I have eleven grandchildren and promote in our children's families the introduction of safe gun handling and hunting at an appropriate age. Thank you for your consideration.

## **Chuck Steinman**

I have been a member of AGC for about a dozen years. I have been active in a number of organized shooting events, i.e., Cowboy Silhouette, Black Powder, Muzzle loading, Magnum Handgun, Military Benchrest, and recently the Wednesday morning Trap group. During these years I have often been asked to contribute my time to the club beyond participating as a shooter. I have always responded that such responsibility would have to wait until I retired. Now that I am retired, I am willing to donate time to the club in order to help maintain the excellent facility we currently have. I would like to work with the current board in assuring that this club remains an excellent facility for current and future members. I would appreciate your vote and if elected would actively pursue the duties involved in order to represent all members of this club to the best of my ability.



# Match Results

## Black Powder Rifle Results

The August match saw eleven shooters come out, but only one chickened out, so we only had ten people to shoot a gong match. Only one shooter broke 100 and three were in the 90's. After that it got pretty bad so I'll only print the top five scores.

1st	Gene Snyder	113
2nd	Tom Rock	92
3rd	Bill Hensley	91
4th	Rick Geist	90
5th	Deak Flinchpaugh	80

Next months match will be a tune up for the Challenge shoot. This is the Club team shoot, pig roast, and potluck. It consists of teams from several clubs, and includes four targets plus hawk and knife. The last three years Aurora has been second place. I'd like to change that this year. See Ya'll then.

Dave Allen

## Military Bolt Action Bench Rest

July's match had eight shooters. The match format is 5 ten shot strings at 100 yard; 2 tens for group, and 3 tens for score. Stock military bolt action rifles fired from the bench. Rules are posted on the club web site. We shoot the last Sunday of the month at 9 am sharp. Show up early to register and set up. This was a USA match-4 O3a3's versus the world! Small group in the first relay was Harold Lee, followed by Howard Lynse, and Paul Lundberg. No repeats in relay two, with Wade Maddox First, Martin Tuck second, and Rob Lucernone in third. In score Wade shot a 291-3x followed by Harold with a 281-3x with Rob in third, just one point behind with a 280-2X.

Harold Lee	US 03A3
Wade Maddox	'06 Swede
Charles Farah	US 03A3
Chuck Steinman	44 MN
Paul Lundberg	Swiss K31
Howard Lynse	'96 Swede
Rob Lucernone	US 03A3
Martin Tuck	US 03A3

### 200 yd. Military Match

Our next match will be held on Sept. 4th Sat. at 9AM. We will shoot 10 rounds off the bench and 10 rounds prone. Seniors will follow their normal protocol. We will also have our yearly barbeque so stick around and have something to eat. The side match for Sept. will be a Mosin-Nagant shoot off.

Bill Chin 303-841-2168

### August 14th 2010 CMP Match Report

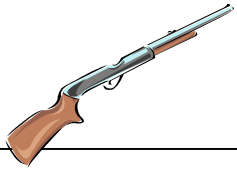
Weather for the August CMP match was just about perfect; A little bit of a breeze but not enough to bother us on the 200 yd. line. I don't think the temperature got about 80 degrees. Water in the Sand Creek ditch would have been a problem but not for the foot bridge Pete and I cobbled together before the match. Where is all this water coming from, it hasn't rained her in over a weeks?

We hosted 6 members and a guest; I think we were competing for shooters with another High Power Match at CRC. 5 Grand shooters, 1 Carbine Shooter and one 1903 shooter was all we managed to field.

Pete Benoit came in 2nd overall with a 272-1x, shooting his 1903. Rob Spurrier was match winner, shooting a 283-8x.

The final AGC CMP match will be October 9th and like this one will be a 30+5 shot, course "A" match held on the 200 yd. range. We'll try to get rounds down range by 9:00 am.

Doug Ruegg



# Match Results Continued

## Black Powder Trap Results for August 14, 2010

### 16 Yards

- 1. Kim Davis 25X25
- 2. Deak 23X25
- 3. Dan Hart 22X25
- 4. Don Philips 20X25
- 5. Tom Hart 20X25
- 6. Peter Lucas 16X25
- 7. Bill G. 15X25
- 8. Jim Jeffries 12X25
- 9. Don Westwood 7X25
- 10. Bill Haas 4X12 (DNF)

### 16 Yards

- 1. Kim Davis 24X25
- 2. Peter Lucas 20X25
- 3. Don Philips 19X25
- 4. Tom Hart 19X25
- 5. Dan Hart 19X25
- 6. Deak 18X25
- 7. Don Westwood 15X25
- 8. Bill G. 11X25

### 16 Yards

- 1. Kim Davis 23X25
- 2. Tom Hart 17X25
- 3. Dan Hart 16X25
- 4. Peter Lucas 15X25

We had another good turnout. We had a little wind 2nd and 3rd round which caused lower scores. We will try to hold a match in September.



1903 Springfield barrel, 10-12 date. No pits, good rifling. Gauges 1 at muzzle, 3 at throat, with both sight bases. \$125 firm.  
 Pete 720-939-5396

Smith & Wesson 9mm auto, Sigma model, 2 mags, less than 100 rds. \$350  
 Powder: Hodgdon H414 8 # kegs \$120, 1# BMG \$16, RL 25 5# keg \$85  
 Glenn 303-905-9639

## 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  
 Phone: 303-841-3150  
 Fax: 303-840-7784  
 Email: AuroraGunClub@msn.com

## Calendar of Events for September

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact</u>
9/1	Wednesday	Trap	trap	Don Philips
9/4	Saturday	Military Rifle (200 yd.)	200 yd.	Bill Chin
9/5	Sunday	7:30am: PSAC-IPSC Match 10am: Black Powder Rifle 1pm: Black Powder Pistol	pb3-pb6 100 yd. 100 yd.	Roger Briden Dave Allen Rick Geist
9/8	Wednesday	Trap	trap	Don Philips
9/11	Saturday	9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Black Powder Trap	pb2 & pb4 Trap	Don Fish Deak Flinchpaugh
9/14	Tuesday	7pm: <b>BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING</b>	clubhouse	
9/15	Wednesday	Trap	trap	Don Philips
9/18	Saturday	8:30am: Centerfire Rifle 3 Gun—Matches Suspended until October	100 yd.	Richard Immel Denise Johnson
		9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge) 2pm: Pistol Class	sil mgp	Joe Benskin Deb Caldwell
9/19	Sunday	9am: ATA 9:30am: Magnum Handgun	trap mgp	Loren Kohler E m m a n u e l Boyd
9/20	Monday	<u>12pm: Newsletter Submission Deadline</u>		Candy Nonnemacher
9/22	Wednesday	Trap	trap	Don Philips
9/25	Saturday	7:30am: PSAC-IPSC Match 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (smallbore)	pb3-pb6 sil	Roger Briden Joe Benskin
9/26	Sunday	7:30am: NRA Silhouette 9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest  9am—12pm Swap Meet	sil 100 yd.  Parking lot	Dave Bonner Mike Nagengast

# September

Sunday      Monday      Tuesday      Wednesday      Thursday      Friday      Saturday

29 9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest	30	31	1 Wednesday Trap	2	3	4 9am: Military Rifle (200 yd.)
5 7:30am: PSAC-IPSC Match 10am: Black Powder Rifle 1pm: Black Powder Pistol	6	7	8 Wednesday Trap	9	10	11 9am: NRA Action Pistol 10am: Black Powder Trap
12	13	14 7pm: Board of Directors Meeting	15 Wednesday Trap	16	17	18 8:30am: Centerfire Rifle 3 Gun-Suspended until October 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Pistol Cartridge) 2pm: Pistol Class
19 9am: ATA 9:30am: Magnum Handgun	20 Noon—Newsletter Deadline	21	22 Wednesday Trap	23	24	25 7:30am: PSAC 9am: Cowboy Silhouette (Smallbore)
26 7:30am: NRA Silhouette 9am: Military Bolt Action Benchrest 9am—12pm Swap Meet	27	28	29 Wednesday Trap	30	1	2