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CLUBHOUSE

303-361-9091

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



Weekend

Clubhouse Hours

9am - 1pm

If the forecast high is 40 degrees or less,
the **clubhouse** will be closed. Call first if the
weather is bad.

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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
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National Rifle Association (NRA)
Practical Shooting Association (PSAC)
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BOARD MEETING MINUTES 8/8/2023

Meeting called to order at 7pm by President, Willie Chatman

Present: Boyd, Baker, Chatman, Kohler, Sarmast, DeAngelis, Hay, Dobbs and Whitesides

CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance

AGENDA

8.8.2023 a. Motion to approve agenda

Motion seconded and passed

MINUTES

8.8.2023 b. Motion to approve minutes from 7/11/2023 BOD

Motion seconded and passed

OLD BUSINESS

Financial Report — Treasurer, Loren Kohler – July revenues were \$23,277 and our expenses were \$25,720 with a loss of (\$2,443); July Oil Royalty Revenue were \$19,255 with a July net gain of \$16,812. Our YTD revenue is \$165,425 and our YTD expenses are \$165,796 with a TYD loss of (\$371); YTD Oil Royalty Revenue is \$50,589 with a net gain of \$50,218. Account balances: Chase Checking Account \$63,114; Chase Payroll Account \$7,840 and Chase Savings \$417,086; Bank of the West Money Market \$209,013. Clubhouse Renovation Expenses (Davis Construction) June 2023 \$296.12; July \$15,842.94; August \$9,687.01.

Maintenance Update – 2nd VP, Dietrich Whitesides – Dietrich said he started on the erosion control around the club. He said there were 15 tons of gravel delivered for the silhouette range and a load of gravel coming for the 200-yd range to take care of the excess water. He would also like to tighten up the sides of the berms. There has not been any fresh dirt delivered for a while and it will be on and off again for the next couple of years as it is available to the club. When it is complete, we will have a nice berm that runs along the road and north fence line. Dietrich recently purchased a gently used John Deer lawn tractor for mowing. Chris said he and Steve Chagolla caught a guy speeding through the parking lot on Sunday and he asked about the speed bumps. Dietrich said they would be delivered in a couple of weeks.

Clubhouse Renovation Status – President, Willie Chatman – Willie said it is still being worked on daily.

2023 Election Update – Election Chairman, Dave Carriker – Dave said Dietrich will be running again and has turned in his bio, Ron Dobbs agreed to run again and will submit a bio soon, and Dave Hay is undecided as of now. He also said we need four candidates to have an election, or the board will need to find members to appoint. Members have until August 29th at 7:00pm to submit their bio to run in this year's election. The election is Sunday, October 1st at the annual board meeting. Willie said he spoke to a gentleman on Sunday that ran in the past and he was planning to submit his bio and attend the next board meeting.

Finalize Member Rules Update – 1st VP, Chris Baker – Chris started by adding that we had our final new member orientation this past Sunday and we are done with new members for the year. He said we went through the rules updates and discussed changes and had a couple of tweaks. They were posted in the newsletter and wanted to know if we received any comments. Dave Hay said he wanted to know the reason that we can't shoot centerfire rifles on berm 7. He knows why we didn't do it years ago because the berms were shallower then but now are 12' deep. He feels there is no safety reason for not allowing centerfire rifles on berm 7 now and said there were several board members at the meeting, and he wanted to know why the CRO wasn't there. Dave mentioned possibly identifying which types of rifles can be used in berm 7. Willie asked Dave if he wanted all centerfire rifles and Dave said yes. Then it was asked how we can monitor what targets members use in berm 7 while shooting and can we say it's only for paper targets or what will happen if

PSAC asks to use steel. Chris asked AJ Davis (in attendance) when he was on the board if they were worried about ricochet that came out of there and AJ replied yes. AJ said he feels that the berm height has not changed and at that time it was only pistols in there at that time. AGC did away with shooting on the side berms due to safety reasons.

8.8.2023 c. Motion that we allow centerfire rifles on berm 7 with no steel targets

Motion seconded and did not pass 1 to 8

Dave Hay then asked why there is no steel on the 200-yd. It was said that the RO that attended the rules meeting said that members aren't using just cast bullets and they should not shoot in the vicinity of the 200-yd because Gun Club Rd is too close. CRO, Steve Chagolla stated that they are in the process of building a barrier or cover with some railroad ties and Willie said when it is complete to come back and revisit it then. Cyrus said one of the reasons was because that berm is much closer to the road.

8.8.2023 d. Motion to approve the revised rules

Motion seconded and passed 8 to 1, Dave Hay voted no

Finance Review Update – President, Willie Chatman – Willie said last month Jim Ashmore presented their findings and recommendations of the review that Mr. Simpson, Mr. Foster and Mr. Ashmore conducted for the club finances, and they were published in the newsletter. He asked Loren to provide an update. See update below.

- Approval evidence by board member/officer: The board of directors/officers and employees who have spending authority are bound to the organization by the Colorado Revised Statute Title 7, the bylaws, and job description. The VP of maintenance has a spending budget that authorizes him to purchase items for the Club's benefit. The recurring payments have been approved by the fact that they are recurring. Is it reasonable for someone to physically approve monthly utility invoices. It is reasonable that someone review the monthly utility expenses and that's done by the Treasurer along with all of the other expenses. Internal controls are very important, and the board/officers and employees should do everything possible to see that the Club's best interests are paramount.
- Debit Card Exposure: all vendors are paid by debit card, check or ACH. The president, treasurer, 1st VP, 2nd VP, caretaker, admin and clubhouse managers typically have debit cards. We have decreased the number of cards issued to include treasurer, 2nd VP, admin and clubhouse managers. Willie asked why the treasurer needs a card and a checkbook. Loren explained that the card is easier to use than writing a check. He recently paid the CPA firm for their invoice with his card. Dietrich recently sent him an invoice for rock purchase and that company preferred a check. It's good to have both payment methods available. Most expenses are recurring except for paying property taxes and that's paid by check.
- For cash receipts, we can put something in place but unless you have someone monitoring the clubhouse managers when they compile the actual cash receipts it is difficult to control. It's the same as the honor system and Sonny has a ledger where he tracks the money he receives, and coins issued. The Clubhouse Managers' Daily Report does have a section where the Trap coins and cards are tracked. They keep an inventory of coins/tickets. We will review the process to see if we can make improvements.
- Member database - Cyrus feels that someone from the board should be the one that maintains the database. Willie asked if database management was something that Cyrus could do. Cyrus agreed to take over the membership database. The board agrees that maintaining the database is very important and the current condition is leaps and bounds better than the Excel spreadsheet and Word method of the past.
- Monthly financial report – Loren asked what the board wanted for a monthly financial report at the meeting and if the board wanted a further breakdown. Willie said he was approached by Tom at the BBQ about the minutes in the newsletter last month. Tom said he used to give this report when he was treasurer and the president at the time told him to stop doing the report. That's why he stopped providing a more detailed report. Chris read the bylaws regarding the financial report and said Loren is complying with them.
- Club's Checking Account: Payments by check are not the preferred method. The clubhouse remodel is an exception. Going forward all check requests will have some kind of support. The Club recently purchased a John Deere riding lawnmower from a private party. There was no immediate receipt presented for payment but there are adequate emails to support the purchase. We did receive an invoice once the seller received payment. Most checks are issued and mailed by the bank.

- The stipend has been corrected.
- Disbursement receipts/invoices: All the receipts/invoices are filed alphabetically in a file folder. Usually, the newest invoice is placed in front. When the year is completed the file folder is given to the Secretary for historical preservation.

NEW BUSINESS

Incident Reports – Chief Range Officer, Steve Chagolla – No reports.

Summer BBQ Update – Board Member, Manny Boyd – Manny said the BBQ came and went. We had a good turnout and a lot of people put in a lot of good work that day. Steve and other members helped out. Members ate, had a good time and left. We had about 165 RSVP and over 180 showed up. The BBQ cost about \$5,600 and we got the porta potties with the sinks as well.

AGC Recognition – President, Willie Chatman – Willie said he received a thank you card from Stan Gladych from the boy scouts for allowing them to participate at the club during their scout shooting day. They had 6 shooters. For the BBQ, we had a few members pitch in to help along with some spouses and non-members. This was Willie's first BBQ and it was great. The fly traps helped as well. He had 10-15 members come up to him to say thank you for not getting rid of the BBQ.

Administrative Updates – Admin Assistant, Nicole Quiring – Nicole mentioned she would like to do renewal in-person payments on November 18th and December 16th. Willie asked about doing one on December 30th to help members that might be receiving their checks at the end of the month but still meeting the renewal deadline. Chris mentioned changing the dues to a fiscal year. Willie said wait for next month and be thinking about what we want to do.

Review September Calendar – Nicole Quiring reviewed the September calendar.

MEMBER'S FORUM

Bob Steil – Bob asked if the board had a list of actions for members that violate the rules. Ron said he is working on the list. Chris said all rules are treated the same. Then Bob asked if emergency services were called and who pays for the charges. Ron said the patient pays and/or the patient signs a waiver and emergency personnel leaves and there is no charge. The gun club is not financially responsible if they are called.

BOARD ROUND TABLE

Dave Hay – Dave said he read in the bylaws that we can accept letters of candidacy up to the day before the annual meeting/election. Nicole said she needs more time to ensure the ballots are mailed with enough time to get to the members and returned prior to the election for mail-in ballots.

Loren Kohler – Loren said he had a club member ask if we can look into retaining the clubhouse storage container with the idea that we have paid so much already that we paid enough to buy it and the people that own the container said no. They have other containers that they sell and are different from those they rent. Willie said it does not make sense business wise for them to allow up to keep it.

Dietrich Whitesides – Dietrich said he would like an email to the discipline chairman asking if they have any projects for the upcoming work party in September. He would also like to make sure those that helped at the boy scout event get work party credits for their time. Stan said he would provide a list of names to Nicole.

Willie Chatman – Willie said during the PSAC match on Sunday there were a few people that parked their cars and blocked berm 7 and they also blocked the trap trailer so they couldn't get inside. He spoke to Matthew Hess and Matthew suggested getting cones to put up in front of those areas to avoid people parking there. Bob Steil suggested getting a sign. AJ Davis said to the North of that there is a vacant field and if we cut the field they could park there. Willie also mentioned that they worked on the Conex storage container this past weekend and a mass email was sent out to membership asking for volunteers. There were 4 board members, Dave Leiker, Mel Caraway and Daniel Arizumi show up to help. When Willie first got the president position, he was told by members that they would like to help the club, but no one came out to help. He said if you like this gun club and want it to thrive, you have to come out to help. There

are guys that come out to help by mowing and they just do it. He also said that member, Bill Wiese spoke to a front loader guy about building up the berms and he gave a price list for his duties for the dirt. So far there is about 3-4 feet of dirt that has been delivered all the way down the Gun Club Rd side. Last thing he mentioned was regarding board member responsibilities, we ran for this board to help benefit this gun club and nothing irks me more that to hear a former board member to say how good they were and how bad we are now. If you were so great, then why didn't you implement the stuff that you say we have issues with now. We as the board shoot our own foot because a lot of members that talk to me don't know who we are. I know people work and weekends are family time, but this is what we signed up for when we got on the board.

RECESS & ADJOURNMENT

No executive session

EXECUTIVE SESSION The executive session is for employee-related issues only.

Board's Corner

Welcome everyone to the board's corner. Fall is right around the corner and Aurora Gun Club (AGC) is doing great and wonderful things, so let's get started.

The gun club's BBQ was a huge success. Members, their family members, and/or guest had a wonderful time. The Hickory House did a wonderful job with the food selection, hats off to them. Although the number of members were lower than expected the turnout was still great. Members got to hang out, talk to friends and eat some great BBQ. I got to see one of my favorite mentors with his long beard and his friend Sean, awesome day. Many thanks goes out to the members and their family members that assisted in the setup and teardown of the BBQ area. They include; Emmanuel Boyd, Deborah Boyd, Theresa Ikeda, Denver Police Lieutenant Noal Ikeda, Dave Hay, Dietrich Whitesides, Steve Chagolla, Linda Chagolla, Nicole Quiring, Stephanie Hughes, Pete Benoit and Richard Dimisko.

Next month the club will host its fall work party, mass participation is needed. Many members has complained to me about the gun club, now is the time for the members to put some skin in the game. This is your gun club, all of us should want to keep the gun club nice and clean. This will be the perfect opportunity to show up and contribute to the gun club's success. Teamwork is the key to any successful organization/association. I know I'm preaching to the choir, but gossiping about this and that will only cause chaos in an organization/association.

The AGC's election season is here, there are three positions that are coming open. All members in good standing and have been an AGC member for over one (1) year are eligible to run for the board. Being a part of the AGC's Board of Directors can be challenging at times, but again it allow the members an opportunity to give back to the gun club. Although many members decide not to participate in the club's election, things can't improve unless members take the first step to help improve any/all issues or concerns. If any member thinks they can assist the gun club in moving forward, please submit your bio to the administrative assistant. If you are that member who sits on the sideline and launches stones along with insults, have at it, we are immune to that also.

Now to **"The Clubhouse"**. By the time you read this board's corner, the clubhouse will be between 90 to 95 percent completed. Although this is good news, there are still a few organizations (Arapahoe County Inspectors, Fire Department and Xcel) we have to wait on. **As the president of this gun club, I take full responsibility for this project not being completed.** Many members have asked me, "Why do you take responsibility for this project?" It is very simple; a leader takes all the blame when things go wrong and praises others when things are going great. This board vows to get this project completed as soon as possible, you have my word on that.

Until we speak again.

Thanks in advance,

Willie

IMPORTANT NOTICE - AGC Monthly Newsletter Mailing

The Aurora Gun Club will discontinue mailing the monthly newsletter in hardcopy form effective **January 2024**. Members that currently receive their monthly newsletter by mail will be able to change the method in which they receive the monthly newsletter (email or view on the website) on their 2024 renewal invoice. In addition, paper copies of the newsletters will continue to be available in the Education Trailer and in the Clubhouse upon reopening. If we do not have an email address on file for you, one can be added when you renew for 2024.

If you have any questions, please email agc@auroragunclub.com or call 720-662-7589.

Updated Member Rules

Updated Member Rules have been posted online - <http://auroragunclub.com> > Club Documents > Club Rules.

Please be sure to take a moment to review the rules.

AGC Swap Meet - September 16th

Don't forget the Swap Meet is on Saturday, September 16th from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm. Members can bring their shooting related items such as reloading equipment/supplies, clothing, etc. to sell. Please no firearm sales. Be sure to park along the North Drive between the gate opening and the telephone pole.

Work Party Coming Up - September 30th

The last "Work Party" for the year is scheduled for Saturday, September 30th. Hours worked will be applied to your 2024 renewal dues.

The range will be CLOSED for the day! Work will include cleaning up the exterior of the caretaker's house, lay landscape/gravel on the open ground between the entrance drive and silhouette range, spread gravel at the open ends of the 7 50-yard (pistol berms), and painting the firing line on the 100-yard are some of the projects being done. Lots of things will be happening, so come on out and pitch in where you can.

Lunch and beverages will be provided.

The day will start at 8:00 am and go until approximately 1:00 - 2:00 pm.

If you have any questions, contact Dietrich Whitesides, VP of Maintenance at 720-447-2969.

Member Contact Information

With the annual election and renewal invoices just around the corner, please make sure that your contact information is up to date!

If you have a change of address, phone number or email update, please contact Nicole Quiring by email at: agc@auroragunclub.com, Phone: 720-662-7589 or by mail at: PO Box 4038 Parker, CO 80134 to update your account.

You can also view and submit personal changes through your member profile online at www.auroragunclub.com > MY AGC. Be sure to use your Member ID and 7-digit badge number to login.

We're HIRING

The Aurora Gun Club is looking to hire a part-time Caretaker and Trap Assistants. If you or someone you know is interested in either job, please email president@auroragunclub.com for more job related details and/or how to apply.

Guest Fee Reminder

Effective January 1, 2022, the guest fee was updated to \$10.00. The first guest is free, guests 2 - 4 are \$10.00 per guest.

AGC Rule: GU4. The current guest fee will be charged for each additional guest beyond the one free guest. The member is responsible for payment prior to setting up at a shooting position.

Failure to pay will result in a penalty fee of \$50.00 per incident.

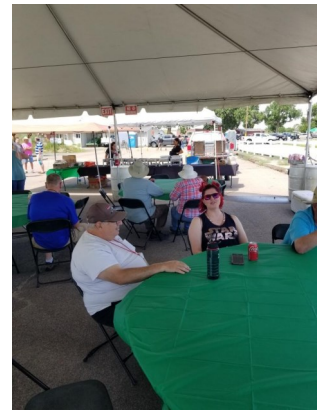
Club Maintenance – Volunteers Needed

The gun club is always looking for volunteer members to help with general maintenance around the club. Members may volunteer anytime between sunrise and sunset, and those that volunteer will earn work party credits (\$16/hour) towards their 2024 dues.

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Dietrich Whitesides, VP of Maintenance at 720-447-2969.

2023 Summer BBQ

Thank you to all the members that attended the Summer BBQ. We hope you had a great time and hope to do it again next year!



2023 Election Information

Our annual board election and meeting will be held on Sunday, October 1st to fill three positions. Look for your ballot in the mail by the middle of September. Should you have any questions, please contact Dave Carriker at 303-798-3471 or Nicole Quiring, Administrative Assistant at 720-662-7589 or email at: agc@auroragunclub.com

Please see member biographies below!



Biographies for Board Election

DIETRICH WHITESIDES - My name is Dietrich Whitesides. I have been a member of the AGC since 1990, and I have served one term complete on the AGC Board of Directors. I was appointed to fill a vacancy on the current BOD, and was elevated to the position of 2nd Vice President for Maintenance to fill another vacancy. I am seeking reelection to another term during which I would like to hire a new caretaker, complete the clubhouse renovation, and take care of some landscaping and erosion issues.

I am a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps and the Indiana Army Reserve National Guard. I recognize the importance of a safe place to practice our chosen activity. My interests span high-power rifle, muzzle loading, and handguns. I mostly shoot NRA Action Pistol and compete in the discipline locally, regionally, and nationally. I respectfully request your vote for the AGC Board of Directors.

RON A. DOBBS - My name is Ron Dobbs and I have been a member since the beginning of 2017 and serving on the board of directors since 2020. I have spent several years helping with the renewal invoices and letters as well as the new member process and other club projects. I have also held the Secretary role on the board since May 2022. My background is in the military, martial arts, and law enforcement. I would like to continue to serve as a member of the AGC Board of Directors because I believe I bring a unique background and can continue to help the growth and safety of the club. Thank you for your consideration.

Match Results

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200-Yard Military Rifle Match - 08/5/23

<u>Master Class</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Distinguished</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Tom Foster	03/A3	200-13x	1st Carrol Smith	03/A3	198-5x
2nd Jeff Pokorny	03 SPR.	196-7x	2nd Manny Boyd	M1 GAR.	195-3x
3rd Terry Hostetler	M1 GAR.	196-4x	3rd Martin Tuck	03/A3	194-4x
4th Pete Benoit	03 SPR.	195-3x	4th Alan Scott	M1 GAR.	193-4x
5th Alan Scott	03/A3	189-3x	5th Steve Scott	M1 GAR.	192-1x
6th Steve Chagolla	03/A3	186-2x	6th Dewey Dunlap	M1 GAR.	185-3x
7th Tom Meisheid	03/A3	183-3x	7th Dave Hay	03/A3	180-1x
8th AJ Wells	M1 GAR.	181-2x	8th John Bergan	03 SPR.	P/S

<u>Sharp Shooter</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Sniper (Original)</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Pete Chronis	M1 GAR.	179-2x	1st Terry Hostetler	03/A4	158-3x
2nd Mike Barth	03/A3	165-2x			
3rd Charly Farah	98 MAUS.	134	<u>Sniper (Custom)</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
4th Bill Mallison	M1 GAR.	121-1x	1st Kent Beach	03/A4	184-8x

<u>Sniper (Modified)</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Steve Chagolla	K31 Swiss	179-7x
2nd Rich Immel	96 Swede	176-1x
3rd Dave Humphrey	38 Swede	170-5x

Military Pistol Shoot

<u>Original Pistols WWII or Earlier</u>	<u>Pistol</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Post WWII Commercial Or Modified</u>	<u>Pistol</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Bob Shigemura	1911 Colt	108-3x	1st Manny Boyd	Colt Gov.	104-5x
2nd *Bill Mallison	1911 Colt	107-4x	2nd Tom Meishied	1911 -9mm	104-4x
3rd *Bill Chin	1911 Colt	107-4x			
4th Terry Hostetler	1911 Colt	106-1x			
5th Alan Scott	1911 Colt	104-1x	* Tied Score		
6th *Dewey Dunlap	1911 Colt	100-3x			
7th *Terry Humbargar	1911 Colt	100-3x			
8th Alan C. Scott	1911 Colt	73			
9th Steve Scott	1911 Colt	57			

We had a great turnout and match. Our next match will be on Saturday, Sept. 2nd @ 9:00 am. Sight in and practice will begin at 7:30 am. We will be having a BBQ lunch after our match. There will not be a military pistol match in Sept. We still need suggestions for our award cups this year. See you in Sept.

Bill Chin 303-931-6000

Steve Chagolla 303-887-9628

Dewey Dunlap 303-886-6766

August Cowboy Action Match

We had a beautiful day to celebrate our Fifth year anniversary of shooting at the Aurora Gun Club. If you have an interest in the old West and some firearms that were used in that era, please stop by the club on the second Wednesday of each month and join us in our Cowboy Action Shoot. We set up at 0800 and started sending lead downrange at 0900. If you do not have any single action revolvers, lever action pistol caliber or a double barrel action I am sure we can provide some for you to try our match. We want to welcome two new shooters to our match, TJ Sharps and Kid Canyon, and hope to see you both again soon. Also, a big great to see you goes out to Brackish Brian and Rage Greystone who we have not seen for a while. The winner of our annual poker fun this year, with a hand of 7's over 3's for a full house, was Luscious Lorelei. Rumor has ot that her and JW headed up to Cripple Creek to keep a good streak of luck alive, We also post all of our scores and pictures on our website at: cottondooddrawgunslingers.com. We started out five years ago with 4 shooters at the first match and now average 18 shooters which really makes for a fun match. If you have never tried our game, please just come out and watch and maybe some new guns will find their way into the home safe. Thanks to all our shooters who help set up and tear down our stages each month. It is for sure that it is the people who want you to return and for that we are all happy.

Happy Trails Until We Meet Again. Jinglebob Gerri, Badger, Elgin Huckelberry and Diamond Curly.

SCORES

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. 119.14 - BADGER | 8. 202.11 - ELGIN HUCKELBERRY | 15. 261.36 - RAFE GREYSTONE |
| 2. 136.44 - SPADES | 9. 203.58 - RUBY JO | 16. 287.53 - BROKEN BOW BOB |
| 3. 142.94 - MAKER-WRIGHT | 10. 207.59 - BROKEN LANTERN | 17. 300.81 - BLACKHAWK TOM |
| 4. 160.98 - TJ SHARPS | 11. 212.45 - JINGLEBOB GERRI | 18. 413.71 - SGM BOYD |
| 5. 181.02- WIZARD | 12. 218-02- BRACKISH BRIAN | 19. 481.29 - MR SHORTY |
| 6. 184.72- JW BONES | 13. 225.21 - FLAGSTAFF FOX | 20. 524.59 - LUSCIOUS LORALEI |
| 7. 198.57 - KID CANYON | 14. 255.86 - TURTLE CREEK MURRAY | |

SIXTH STAGE

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| 1. 26.57 - MAKER-WRIGHT | 6. 35.52 - SPADES | 11. 46.95 - BROKEN LANTERN |
| 2. 29.69 - BADGER | 7. 37.25 - BRACKISH BRIAB | 12. 48.80 - FLAGSTAFF FOX |
| 3. 29.89 - KID CANYON | 8. 40.46 - TURTLE CREEK MURRAY | 13. 67.21 - SGM BOYD |
| 4. 32.56 - JW BONES | 9. 41.36 - BROKEN BOW BOB | 14. 70.69 - MR SHORTY |
| 5. 35.01 - ELGIN HUCKELBERRY | 10. 43.97 - RAFE GREYSTONE | 15. 84.28 - BLACKHAWK TOM |



The Larry Watson Super Shoot - 8/19/23

Another year has passed and we still acknowledge Larry's mentorship. His ability to inspire his fellow shooters is not forgotten

Factory Deer Rifle

1. Bill Chin	Rem 78	30/06	94
2. Manny Boyd	Browning	270	88
3. Tom Foster	Sav 10	243	82

Factory Varmint

1. Terry Humbargar	Sav	222	192 2x
2. Manny Boyd	Sav 12	308	167
3. Mel Caraway	Rock River	223	154

Custom Varmint

1. Manny Boyd	Rem XP	6 PPC	193 4x
2. Rex Portner	Ruger 1	6 Ack	132 1x

Harold Lee

Military Bolt Action Bench Rest Match 7/30/23

We had 5 brave souls come out for this match.

First Relay for Group

<u>Place</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Martin Tuck	1903 A3	1.733
2nd Emmanuel Boyd	K-31	2.017
3rd Henry Bielinski	P-17	2.367

Second Relay for Score

<u>Place</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Steve Chagolla	1903	44
2nd Emmanuel Boyd	K-31	44
3rd Martin Tuck	1903 A3	42

Second Relay for Group

<u>Place</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Steve Chagolla	1903	2.424
2nd Martin Tuck	1903 A3	3.588
3rd Emmanuel Boyd	K-31	3.955

Third Relay for Score

<u>Place</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Martin Tuck	1903 A3	48 1x
2nd Steve Chagolla	1903	47
3rd Henry Bielinski	P-17	44

First Relay for Score

<u>Place</u>	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Score</u>
1st Steve Chagolla	1903	46 2x
2nd Emmanuel Boyd	K-31	42
3rd Martin Tuck	1903 A3	44

Overall winner was Steve Chagolla with a total of 137 2X

Second was Martin Tuck with a total of 134 1X

Third was Emmanuel Boyd with a total of 131

Our next match will be 8/27/23. We hope to see you then.

August 12, 2023, NRA Action Pistol Results

Nineteen shooters turned out to shoot our August Approved NRA Action Pistol match. This month's match consisted of four stages including the Practical Event, the Barricade Event, the Los Alamitos Event, and the Falling Plate Event for a total round count of 186 with a point total of 1860 and 186 Xs. (The "X" is the 4-inch tie breaker in the center of the 10 ring.)

Alex Ragulsky took the match, shooting an open rimfire score of 1798-146X. Bob Hughes followed with an open centerfire score of 1773-112X, and David Wood pulled in third with an open centerfire score of 1770-112.

Scores for the NRA Action Pistol Match August 2023

Name	Match Point Total	Match X Total
Alex Ragulsky (Open Rimfire)	1798	146
Bob Hughes (Open Centerfire)	1773	112
David Wood (Open Centerfire)	1770	112
Glenn Aston (Production Optics)	1725	98
Scott Stewart (Open Rimfire)	1658	92
Scott Starks (Production Optics)	1625	88
Dietrich Whitesides (Open Centerfire [revolver])	1597	85
Brian O'Boyle (Open Centerfire)	1589	79
Laura Thompson (Production Optics Rimfire)	1556	75
Jacqueline Wetzel (Production Optics)	1523	78
Paul Yurgal (Production Optics)	1489	73
Jim Flagg (Open Rimfire)	1475	76
Gail Abanto (Production Rimfire)	1386	59
Penny Alles (Production Rimfire)	1344	58
Tim Wright (Production Optics Rimfire)	1329	54
Bob Daneker (Open Centerfire)	1307	51
Karen Saunders (Metallic Sights)	1171	42
Stan Galdych (Production Centerfire)	1131	33
Steve Starks (Open Centerfire)	1077	34

A fifth, just-for-fun "Challenge" stage was added to the match, consisting of four 10" round steel plates and a fifth 12" round steel "stop" plate. The plates only need to be hit. Five strings are shot for time, and the fastest four times are summed for the point total. Eighteen shooters attempted the Challenge stage, with Alex Ragulsky, Scott Stewart, and Bob Hughes taking first, second, and third places.

August 12, 2023, NRA Action Pistol Results - Continued

NRA Action Pistol August 2023 Challenge Stage Results

Name	Match Point Total
Alex Ragulsky (Open Rimfire)	11.78
Scott Stewart (Open Rimfire)	13.47
Bob Hughes (Open Centerfire)	16.23
Scott Starks (Production Optics)	16.97
Brian O'Boyle (Open Centerfire)	17.63
Laura Thompson (Production Optics Rimfire)	18.78
Penny Alles (Production Rimfire)	18.77
David Wood (Open Centerfire)	19.42
Dietrich Whitesides (Open Centerfire [revolver])	22.25
Julie Godfrey (Open Centerfire)	23.70
Steve Starks (Open Centerfire)	24.43
Jacqueline Wetzel (Production Optics)	25.68
Stan Galdych (Production Centerfire)	27.55
Gail Abanto (Production Rimfire)	27.70
Jim Flagg (Open Rimfire)	33.86
Bob Daneke (Open Centerfire)	35.04
Paul Yurgal (Production Optics)	35.22
Karen Saunders (Centerfire Metallic Sights)	83.02

Join us on the second Saturday of each month (weather permitting) to test and improve your basic handgun skills. Action Pistol matches are held in berms 2, 6 & 7. Summer hours begin with setup at 7:30 am, shooters' briefing at 8:00 am, and shooting begins after the briefing. Scores for Approved matches can be submitted to the NRA for classification. All 2023 matches will be shot as Approved matches, but shooters have the option of not turning in their scores for classification.

Action Pistol information is given under "Disciplines" on the Club Webpage.



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Magnum Handgun - 8/20/2023

MAGNUM HANDGUN

1.	Bob Shigermra	9
2.	Bob Steil	8
3.	Bill Mallison	7
4.	Zaci Silides	6
5.	Emmanuel Boyd	6
6.	Tony Zang	4
7.	Alan Scott	4
8.	Steven Scott	0

SPEED SHOOT

		<u>Time</u>	<u>Shots</u>
1.	E. Boyd & B. Steil	53.51	28
2.	B. Mallison & T. Zang	63.86	17
3.	Z. Silides & A. Scott	85.01	30
4.	B. Shigermra & S. Scott	133.06	35

TEAM SHOOT

1. B. Steil & E. Boyd
2. Z. Silides & A. Scott

Good times on a Sunday!

For Sale

1. Ruger number one 300 win mag 98% condition. Early 90's production. 3x9 scope and ammo included. \$950
2. Remington 700 223-special run from Lipsey. 20" bbl in a fancy thumbhole stock from Boyd's. 95%+ condition. 4x16 scope included. \$600
3. Rock Island 38spl new in box. \$240
4. Remington 700 long range 30 06. HS precision stock. 6x16x50 Sightron scope. \$550 w/o scope-\$725 with scope.

Will consider offers or trades.

Contact: Arch at 303-908-1967

Honey says it's got to go!

Factory New 30-06 ammo by Hansen Cartridge Company.
150 gr. Full Metal Jacket. Factory plastic wrapped and stored in ammo can.
500 rds. @ \$15.00 per box.

Dillon Square Deal B Reloading Press with 9mm & 40 cal. dies.

Contact: Bob at 303-884-4922

SAVE THE DATES

Work Parties: September 30th

Swap Meets: September 16th

Election & Annual Meeting: October 1st

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 or Email: agc@auroragunclub.com

Calendar of Events

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact Person</u>
9/2	Saturday	7:30 am - 200-yd Military Rifle Match	200-yard	Bill Chin
9/3	Sunday	7:00 am - PSAC	Berms 2 - 6	Matt Hess
9/6	Wednesday	9:00 am - AGC Trap	Trap	Sonny Young
9/9	Saturday	7:00 am - NRA Action Pistol	Berms 2, 6, 7	Bob Daneker
		8:00 am - CMP	100-yard	Rob Lucernoni
9/10	Sunday	9:00 am - Members Monthly Trap	Trap 2	Rich Dimisko
		9:00 am - Muzzle Loader Rifle	100-yard	Chris Baker
9/12	Tuesday	7:00 pm - Board of Directors Meeting	Education Trailer	
9/13	Wednesday	8:00 am - Cowboy Action Shoot	Berms 3 and 4	Bill Edick
		9:00 am - AGC Trap	Trap	Sonny Young
9/16	Saturday	8:00 am - Pistol Cartridge Lever Action	Silhouette	Mike Benskin
		9:00 am - Rimfire Bench Rest	100-yard	Harold Lee
		9:00 am - 1:00 pm - AGC Swap Meet	North Drive	Emmanuel Boyd
9/17	Sunday	9:30 am - Magnum Handgun	Magnum	Emmanuel Boyd
9/20	Wednesday	9:00 am - AGC Trap	Trap	Sonny Young
		Noon: Newsletter Submission Deadline - Submit on or before the 20th.		Nicole Quiring
9/23	Saturday	8:00 am - Smallbore Lever Action	Silhouette	Mike Benskin
9/24	Sunday	7:00 am - PSAC	Berms 4 - 7	Matt Hess
		7:30 am - NRA	Silhouette	Dave Bonner
		9:00 am - Military Bolt Action Bench Rest	100-yard	Paul Lundberg
9/27	Wednesday	9:00 am - AGC Trap	Trap	Sonny Young
9/30	Saturday	8:00 am - 1:00 pm - AGC WORK PARTY	RANGE CLOSED	Dietrich Whitesides

September 2023

Trap services are available every day from 9:00am - 1:00pm, weather permitting.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 7:30 am 200-yd Military Rifle
3 7:00 am PSAC #2-6	4 	5	6 9:00 am AGC Trap	7	8	9 7:00 am NRA Action Pistol #2,6,7 8:00 am CMP 100yd
10 9:00 am AGC Monthly Trap (Trap 2) 9:00 am Muzzle Loader Rifle 100 yd	11	12 7:00 pm Board Meeting	13 8:00 am Cowboy Action Shoot #3 & 4 9:00 am AGC Trap	14	15	16 8:00 am Pistol Cartridge Lever Action Silhouette 9:00 am Rimfire Bench Rest 100yd 9:00 - 1:00pm AGC Swap Meet
17 9:30 am Magnum Handgun	18	19	20 9:00 am AGC Trap Newsletter Deadline	21	22	23 8:00 am Smallbore Lever Action Silhouette
24 7:00 am PSAC #4-7 7:30 am NRA Silhouette 9:00 am Military Bolt Action BR 100yd	25	26	27 9:00 am AGC Trap	28	29	30 WORK PARTY RANGE CLOSED