

THE SPORTSMAN

OFFICIAL BULLETIN

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"A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed."

-Constitution of the United States, Amendment II



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SEPTEMBER 2012

WE ARE A NRA AND CMP AFFILITATED CLUB NO LEAD ON THE SKEETFIELD AND NO EXCEPTIONS

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THE MEMBERSHIP MEETING WILL BE THE SECOND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH, SEPT. 12TH, AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING WILL BE ON THE THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH, SEPT. 20TH.

***ARTICLES FOR THE OCTOBER BULLETIN ARE DUE SAT. SEPT. 15TH BY NOON
ALL NEW ADVERTISEMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO EDITORS

SATURDAYS: IPSC REGULAR PRACTICE at 9:30am-1:30pm

Except for major matches/holidays

SAT 1 WOMEN ON TARGET (Bay 2) at 10:00am

SAT 1 AEBBRL on 200 YD. Line: Sign up at 8am, shoot at 9am.

SUN 2 AEBBRL (same as above): Ed (Da Man) Ahrens, Match Director

SUN 2 NO BREAKFAST DUE TO HOLIDAY!

SUN 2 USPSA MATCH ACTION RANGE: sign up at 8:30am, shoot at 9:30am

SUN 2 BLACKPOWDER MATCH ON 25 YD LINE - Ron Griffin Match Director

SAT 8 COWBOY PRACTICE ON BAYS 1 & 2 AT 9:30am

SAT 8 BOY SCOUTS on Bay 2 at 9:30am

SAT 8 JUNIOR RIFLE TRAINING: New Juniors arrive @ 8:30am. Returning Juniors

arrive at 9am. Meet at 25 yd. line. Contact Info (while Dave is away): Chad: 707-815-8087

or cchevellari@yahoo.com *25 YD. line closed until 12 Noon*

SAT 8 50 TARGET SKEET/TRAP SHOOT. 9am-12. Info. @ SKEET HOUSE

SUN 9 BENCHREST 22 RIMFIRE MATCH ON 100 YD LINE

Match Director - Pete (One Hole Shot) Nakayama 100 Yd Line CLOSED

SUN 9 IDPA MATCH on Action Range: sign-up at 8am, shoot at 9am

WED 12 MEMBERSHIP MEETING AT 7PM IN CLUBHOUSE

THUR 13 NRA COUNCIL MEETING in Club House at 7pm

SAT 15 RISK HIGH POWER RIFLE MATCH & BBQ at 9am on 200 YD. Line. 50 shot match.

Big ED (The Hammer), Match Director

SAT 15 OLYMPIC CLUB ON BAYS 1 & 2 AT 9am

SAT 15 ANNUAL CHILI COOK OFF/BBQ DINNER from 4pm-7pm. Horseshoe Tournament and Jumpie for the kids! \$10./per adult and \$5./per child under 12.

SUN 16 USPSA MATCH on Action Range: Sign up at 8:30am, shoot at 9:30am

SUN 16 M1 GARAND MATCH on 200 yd. line. Sign up at 8am, shoot at 9am

THU 20 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING AT 6:30PM IN CLUBHOUSE

SAT 22 HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS from 10am-2pm. Register early (by Sept. 19th or until full) as classes are filling up quickly! Register at hunteredrichmond@gmail.com. or 510-374-6477 for more info.

SAT 22 OLYMPIC CLUB at 9am

SAT 22 RIMFIRE PRACTICE on Bay 1 at 9:30am

SAT 22 RR&G CLUB GOLF TOURNAMENT: SEE DETAILS BELOW!

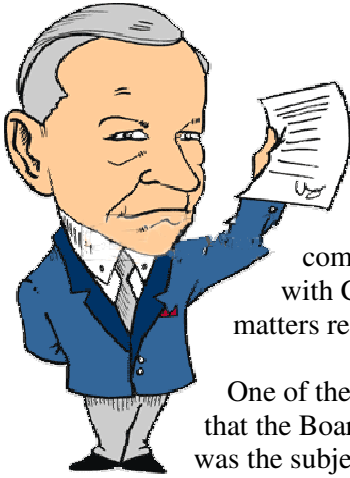
SUN 23 RIMFIRE at 9:30am

SAT 29 BOY SCOUTS on 200 YD. Line from 9am-1:30pm.

SUN 30 CASC CALIF. ACTION SHOTGUN CHALLENGE at 8am

SUN 30 SCHUTZEN MATCH on 200 yd. line. Bring your thunder stick (call Ed for details)!

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Greetings,

As most of you are aware, we just revised our Constitution and By Laws. The By Law committee and attorney Jon Heim spent the better part of 10 months making changes to both comply with California Corporations Code and to modernize the By Laws. Many hours were devoted to matters regarding our members and Membership Meetings.

One of the significant changes was to hold the Membership Meeting a week before the BOD meeting so that the Board may address any matters brought before them in a more timely manner. Another major issue was the subject of quorums at Membership Meetings. Since day one, 25 members constituted a quorum and that was when the total membership stood at 125. The membership now hovers around 1,900. The committee agreed to leave the 25 number in place primarily because over the years it has been difficult to achieve that number, let alone 1/3 of the voting membership, or approximately 600 people, even though it was clear that 25 members do not represent the total membership of 1,900.

I, and others, have given this considerable thought, as it is and has been clear for many years that the vast majority of our members do not participate in these meetings. Our recently revised By Laws still require that new members be approved by the membership at a Membership Meeting at which there is a quorum. For the last three months, there has not been a quorum and therefore no business could be conducted. As I mentioned, reaching quorums at Membership Meetings has been a problem for MANY years and more so in the last few months. The bottom line is 98.6 % of our members do not normally attend Membership Meetings, and the remaining 1.4 % do not attend the meetings on a regular basis. This problem must be addressed and soon.

The California Corporations Code only requires a corporation hold one meeting of members per year and that appears to be the direction we're headed. An initial proposal, the BOD will approve new members as presented by the screening committee, unless members object to the Board within a reasonable time. The number of members objecting, and the time to raise the objection are to be determined. In order to amend or revise the By Laws to solve the quorum issue we must revise, at a minimum 4 Articles and 9 Sections of the recently revised Constitution and By Laws. The procedures are spelled out in our current By Laws requiring ALL members to vote for or against the revisions.

Any and all input will be appreciated and considered, so that the Club can continue to do the business it was established to do, without unnecessary interruption.

**Sincerely: Ronald B. Gunar,
President of the Richmond Rod & Gun Club**



PLEASE NOTE: THE SPEED LIMIT ON THE CLUB PROPERTY IS 5 MPH AND IS STRICTLY ENFORCED! PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS!



*****FIRST ANNUAL RR&G CLUB GOLF TOURNAMENT will be on Sat., Sept. 22nd at 8am. Tee time is reserved at Franklin Canyon and dinner will follow. Cost will be determined after menu is set. We will also have a 'golf raffle' during the BBQ. Donations for the raffle would be appreciated. Sign ups will be in the Bar. For more info. please contact Dave Groth: holidave69@sbcglobal.net**

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NEW MEMBER INTERVIEW DATES **Vince Sargentini Member Services**

Saturday Sep 15th, 1 pm
Wednesday Sep 26th, 6 pm
Saturday Oct 6th, 1 pm
Wednesday Oct 17th, 6 pm

If you have not attended an Interview, please call to schedule at: 510-233-3847

Proposed Member/Occupation

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There were no members approved for the August induction. Those prospective members who were interviewed in June were not approved at the July Membership meeting due to not having a quorum. If we do not have a minimum of 25 members present at future membership meetings (2nd Weds of the month @ 7 pm) we will continue to have no new approved members for swearing in. Please attend the membership meetings if you are sponsoring a member who needs to be approved. Thanks.

From Vince Sargentini, Financial Secretary, 510-233-3847

Membership renewal letters have been sent and we are receiving many of them back with payment, thank you. I have received a few membership renewal letters back as undeliverable. If you have yet to receive your letter, please contact member services. If you have not renewed your dues, you are now considered to be delinquent. On Sept 15th, any member not paid up will incur a \$20 penalty if trying to renew. They will have to fill out a green membership card and mark "Re-Entry" on the card.

Any member not paying their trailer space rental payment by Sept 1st face possibly losing your space. The mailer went out on approx May 15th. If you have not received your space rental dues letter, please contact member services. If you cannot pay right away, please let us know so arrangements can be made.

Rental Spaces

Questions regarding your **rental space** should be directed to
Tom DeLauter 510-710-2768

From Alex Jason

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then click on the "Pay Dues" button



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HOURS OF OPERATION

RIFLE RANGE

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday..... 9:00 AM-4:00 PM
 Sunday..... 9:30 AM-4:00 PM

ACTION RANGE

All shooters must sign in at Rifle Range before using Action Range.

REGULAR PRACTICE every Saturday 9:30 AM-1:30 PM
 (except Major Matches).

Action Range closed weekdays except for Range Officers.

Matches nearly every Sunday; check your bulletin and web
 for info - www.richmondhotshots.com http://www.bcvc.net/rr/

TRAP AND SKEET FIELDS

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Saturday & Sunday..... 10:00 AM-3:00 PM
 Wednesday..... 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

CLUBHOUSE BAR

MEMBERS AND ACCOMPANIED GUESTS ONLY

Wednesday, Friday..... 2:00 PM-10:00 PM
 Saturday..... 12:00 PM-10:00 PM
 Sunday..... 12:00 PM-8:00 PM

Hours may vary on special occasions. Read your Bulletin.

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