



The Firing Line

Cherry Creek Gun Club News for February, 2004

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Membership Renewals

Mail your membership renewsals to the address on the renewal form, not to the return address on the newsletter. Your editor is not the Membership Director and doing so will delay your renewal by a month. Or, you can renew at the next members meeting.

Please be sure to complete the renewal form and include it with your check. Don't cut out the sections of the form and don't just send a check and a business card (yes, that has happened, too!). The Membership Director reserves the option of returning such things to the member who sent them.

Work Parties

CCGC needs skilled help for some of the work parties. If you are skilled in plumbing, electrical, mechanical, or HVAC, please send your name and skill to ccgcmembership@comcast.net. As needs arise that need your skills, we'll contact you to try and schedule your help.

Open House for Disabled Sportsmen

CCGC will be holding an open house for disabled shooters on February 8, 2004. The CCGC Board worked with 2 disabled sportsman's groups, Wheelin' Sportsmen and Outdoor Buddies, to develop the event. Flyers were sent to Colorado members of both organizations.

Help will be needed during the event to assist with parking, RO duties, and other activities (this will qualify for work bond refund). Please contact Don Shearer, Bill Collins, or George Wright if you can assist.

Parking Reminder

DON'T PARK ON OR NEXT TO the concrete slabs near the west range entrance. The spaces on either side of each slab are reserved for handicapped shooters. Parking *on* the slabs risks cracking them: they were designed to hold people, not trucks. The gravel on either side of each slab is the handicap parking space, allowing the driver to step down onto the concrete – a navigable surface for wheelchairs and crutches.

Door Locks Will Be Changed In February

If you renew your membership at the February meeting, a new key will be issued at that time. If you can't make that meeting, other arrangements will be made to get a new key for you.

Gun Shows

- February 7 & 8, Tanner; Merchandise Mart, Denver 303.332.5305
- February 21 & 22, Wasatch; Boulder County Fairgrounds, Longmont
- February 21 & 22, ETS; Colorado State Fairgrounds, Pueblo
- February 28 & March 1, Wasatch; Adams County Fairgrounds, Brighton
- March 13 & 14; Douglas County Fairgrounds, castle Rock
- March 13 & 14; Larimer County Fairgrounds, Loveland
- March 13 & 14; Holiday Inn, I-70 & Chambers, Crossroads
- March 20 & 21; Merchandise Mart, Tanner

- March 26-28; Southern Colorado Expo, Colorado Springs

See http://www.cssa.org/events_gunshows.html for a partial calendar, promoter contact information, and links to directions. To confirm show dates, contact the promoter.

CHERRY CREEK GUN CLUB General Meeting

January 9, 2004, 7:30 PM at the club house

1. The meeting was called to order by Vice President Tom Thrush at 7:30 PM.
2. The minutes were approved as published in the newsletter.
3. George Wright announced the date and time for the next tube class, and encouraged those interested to sign up and call him to confirm.
4. Lee Ormiston reported that the Colorado State Legislature is again in session. He urged all to contact their Congressmen in support of SB86-1056 (product liability) as the bill is currently held up in committee. Also, caucuses are coming up – this is an election year – and all are encouraged to attend the caucus of their party and voice support for Second Amendment protections.
5. Lee Ormiston reported that the Boy Scouts are here the third Friday of each month, and will be holding instructor certification classes..
6. Dave Epps reminded everyone that membership renewal forms should be returned in their entirety – do not cut out the section filled in! - this eases the filing and tracking work.
7. Dave Epps and Howard Glasier reported that the locks will be re-keyed following the February meeting. New keys will be distributed at the February meeting and arrangements made to get the new key to those members that cannot make it that night.
8. Gary Trisdale reported that the Juniors will be competing Saturday in the State Junior Olympic Competition at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs. This is part of the qualification process for the U.S. Olympic Team.
9. Sandy Rudolph reported that he is taking on the Treasurer duty and will receive turnover from Jim Nielsen this weekend.
10. Bill Collins reported on the correspondence received.
11. Tom Thrush read the applications for new membership from eleven applicants. The applicants talked of their interest in the club and in shooting, their sponsors talked of the applicant's merits, and they were accepted into the club by unanimous vote. The new members are: Michaela Fisher, Laurie Fisher, John Cash Jr., Edward Ruvins, Lee Schoenike, Jerome Lueck, Nicholas Nicholaou, James Barron, William Deere, T. John Hannon, and Mark Nassi. New members Cash, Ruvins, Nicholaou, Barron, Hannon, and Nassi will need to take the safety course with Mr. Calve.
12. Tom Thrush reported that there has been no recent activity concerning the property tax assessment appeal, and expects none in the immediate future.
13. Howard Glasier noted the need to republish the membership book (policies, etc.) and Bill Collins agreed to move on that project.

14. George Wright requested assistance from two to four members for backstop maintenance in the tube. (If you can help with this work, please contact George as soon as possible.)
15. Bill Collins is seeking help with the mailing of the newsletter: taping, affixing mailing labels, and delivering to the post office in Aurora. (If you can help with this monthly, please contact Bill.) Howard Glasier offered to assist with the mailing.
16. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM.

CHERRY CREEK GUN CLUB Board of Directors Meeting

January 30, 2003, 7:30 PM at the club house

Attendees: Collins, Wright, Calve, Shearer, Trisdale, Ormiston, Bailey, Epps, Rose, Thrush, Rudolph, and guests Glasier, Towne, Johnston.

1. The meeting was called to order by President, Don Shearer, at 7:30 PM.
2. The minutes to the last board meeting were approved as published in the newsletter.
3. Clark Calve reported that all safety classes but one have been caught up from last year.
4. George Wright reported that the tube backstop was cleaned out; the timbers were not replaced (wanted \$600 for timbers!) so the backstop will be watched closely.
5. Lee Ormiston reported that the Scout program is going well; 4 have finished rifle instructor course. All guns ordered for the program have been received. Possession/ownership will transfer from Don Shearer to CCGC (10 rifles at \$740; plus 3 donated). There was no new legislative news but caucuses are coming; all are encouraged to attend as this is the grass-roots start of our government.
6. Dave Epps reported that renewals are under way; we will mail out new keys and cards, probably with next newsletter so that members receive them prior to the locks being changed.
7. Sandy Rudolph has completed the transition of Treasurer duties. He received property tax bill and will hold onto it pending the property tax appeal.
8. Gary Trisdale reported that there will be a Juniors match tomorrow; the girls took the top 3 positions at the Olympic Training Center and 2 of 3 Women's Smallbore standings; two are definitely going to Junior Olympics.
9. Jim Bailey has arranged janitors for February and March.
10. Norm Rose may not be able to fully accept the maintenance duties due to scope of duties and skill sets. Multiple members appear willing to assist and some have done so already.
11. Don Shearer reported that Thursday, February 12, at 8:30 AM is set for the Property Tax Hearing. Attorney Bob Lees, CCGC President Don Shearer, Bill Bierbach (Scout Program), Gil Sharp (Wheelin' Sportsmen), Dennis Fluman (Juniors Program) will attend.

12. Don Shearer reported that the Handicapped Open House is scheduled for February 8; parking assistance, range officers, tube supervision help have been arranged. The Rocky Mountain News carried an article which included Don's name and home phone number. Wheelin' Sportsmen have reported a great deal of community interest.
13. Clark Calve reported that the water heater repair did not work but it is being replaced under warranty. Carpet damage resulting from a different leak is also being repaired.
14. Howard Glasier reported that the handicap controls have been installed on positions 10 and 20.
15. Howard Glasier reported that the problem with the range heat not shutting off is because the thermostat was turned up high. The last two months' utility bills have totaled \$2,170, in part due to excessive heating cost despite the cold weather. Howard has spoken to Xcel and will separately acquire proposals for more energy-efficient fixtures. **Members: Please remember to turn off the lights and heat, and lock the doors when you leave!**
16. Don Shearer received a bill from the State of Colorado for annual Corporate recording fee (\$25); this was provided to the Treasurer. A tax-exempt property report to the state also needs to be filed.
17. Don Shearer will miss the next membership meeting because of his 55th wedding anniversary – congratulations Don!
18. Gary Trisdale reported that a Junior living in Parker will be featured in an article in the Parker newspaper.
19. Meeting was adjourned at 8:35 PM.

2004 Duties and Responsibilities

<i>President:</i>	Don Shearer	<i>Legal Advisor:</i>	Tom Thrush
<i>Vice President:</i>	Tom Thrush	<i>Legislative Coordinator:</i>	Lee Ormiston
<i>Secretary:</i>	Bill Collins	<i>Locker Administrator:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Sandy Rudolph	<i>Maintenance Coordinator:</i>	Norm Rose
<i>Boy Scout Program Coordinator:</i>	Lee Ormiston	<i>Membership Coordinator:</i>	Dave Epps
<i>Budget Committee:</i>	Lee Ormiston, Bill Collins, Don Shearer	<i>New Member Indoctrination:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP):</i>	Gary Trisdale	<i>Newsletter Editor:</i>	Bill Collins
<i>Corby System Manager:</i>	Dave Epps	<i>Pin Shooters Chairman:</i>	Joe Edwards
<i>Guest Fee Manager:</i>	Joe Edwards	<i>Pistol Matches:</i>	Dave Goodlette
<i>Handicap Program Coordinator:</i>	George Wright	<i>Pistol Winter League:</i>	Steve Locatelli, Dave Goodlette
<i>High Power Chairman:</i>	Gary Trisdale	<i>Pop Machine Manager:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Historian:</i>	Fred Crowle	<i>Safety Course Administrator:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Janitorial Coordinator:</i>	Jim Bailey	<i>Senior Small Bore:</i>	Gary Trisdale
<i>Juniors Small Bore:</i>	Dennis Fluman, Gary Trisdale	<i>Telephone Message Administrator:</i>	Jim Bailey
		<i>Tube Custodians & Instructors:</i>	George Wright

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Work Party Schedule (by last name)

3rd Saturday, 8:00AM- Noon.

Note: the dates listed below are subject to change.

Contact: Norm Rose

Ongoing Events

Tuesdays, 6:00 PM- 9:00 PM

3rd Tuesday, 6:00 PM- 9:00 PM

2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 6:00 PM- 9:00 PM

Thursdays, 5:00 PM- 10:00 PM

2nd Friday, 7:30 PM-9:00 PM

3rd Friday, 7:00 PM- 8:00 PM

Last Friday, 7:30 PM- 9:00 PM

Sunday after BOD meeting, 5:00 PM

Wednesdays through March, 2004

Pistol 2700 Match

Juniors Matches & Sectionals

Action Shooting, Handgun (west range)

Action Shooting, Handgun Matches

Action Shooting, Rifle (west range)

Juniors Rifle Practice (both ranges)

CCGC General Meeting (meeting room)

Tube Qualification

CCGC BOD Meeting (meeting room)

Newsletter publication deadline.

Small Bore Winter League

Jan 25; Feb 28; Mar 28; Apr 24

Jan 3, Leadfest; Jan 31- Feb 1, Conventional Sectional;

Mar 6-7, International Sectional; Apr 17-18, Junior Sectional

Time for 2004 renewals

Time to fill out the renewals forms for the next Year. Each year at this time we go through the renewal process and begin to get started on the next year. The processes runs from December's General meeting to Marches General meeting.

Very Important: *You must fill out a renewal form*, The following **are not and will not** be accepted any longer: small slips of paper, just a check in an envelope, or checks attached to a business card, etc. It makes it very hard to confirm renewals when the process is not followed. Forms are available at the club and in each of the news letters for the next 3 to 4 months. The reason for this is that I have received numerous requests for correct addresses and phone numbers. Folks, if you want your news letters, your work bond refunds, etc., we need current valid information supplied on your form. They are also used to verify your renewals have been paid; please help me help you by filling out the form and including it with your dues. Also returned checks will cause your card to be shut off immediately: they are becoming all too common. Repeated returned checks and noncollectable funds will result in the names of those persons being given to the Board of Directors for actions to be taken.

Dues are as Follows to the club:

Regular Member	\$100.00
Associate Member	\$ 25.00
Emeritus Member	\$ 50.00
Junior Member	\$ 10.00
Life Member	\$ 00.00
Work Bond	\$ 50.00
Locker Rental	\$ 10.00
Corby Card Replacement	\$ 15.00

Examples you will fall under:

Regular member, Work Bond (required to pay both)	\$ 150.00
Regular member ,work Bond, locker	\$ 160.00
Regular member, Work Bond, locker, card replacement	\$ 175.00
Associate member	\$ 25.00
Associate member, locker	\$ 35.00
Emeritus Member	\$ 50.00
Emeritus Member	\$ 60.00
Junior Member	\$ 10.00
Life Member	\$ 00.00

If you are unsure of what to pay please come to a general meeting to renew and we can help you get the correct amounts.

Mailing address: **CCGC Membership Staff**
PMB 319
1155 South Havana Street #11
Aurora, CO 80012

DO NOT TEAR or CUT the SHEET - LEAVE AS A FULL SHEET

2004 Renewal Form

Name _____ Phone# _____ Corby # _____

Address _____

NRA # _____ Locker # _____ Email (optional) _____

I would like to: Work off my work Bond ___ Not work off my work Bond ___ Donate it back ___

Membership: Regular \$150.00 (includes work bond) Associate \$25.00 Junior \$10.00

Emeritus \$50.00 Life \$0.00 Locker Fee \$10.00

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
February, 2004						
1 Juniors – Conv. Sectional 7:30AM-5:30PM BOTH Ranges	2 Winter Bullseye League 4 PM – 10 PM BOTH Ranges Ground Hog Day (No .50 Cals.)	3 Action – Handgun 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range	4 Winter Smallbore 5:00PM – 9:30PM East Range	5 Juniors Practice 5:00PM - 10PM BOTH Ranges	6	7
8 Disabled Shooters Open House 12:00PM – 4:00PM Meeting Room and West Range	9 Winter Bullseye League 4 PM – 10 PM BOTH Ranges	10 Action – Handgun 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range	11 Action – Rifle 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range Winter Smallbore 5:00PM – 9:30PM East Range	12 Juniors Practice 5:00PM - 10PM BOTH Ranges	13 General Meeting 7:30PM - 9:00PM Meeting Room	14 Work Party 8:00AM – 12:00PM
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22/29	23 Winter Bullseye League 4 PM – 10 PM BOTH Ranges	24 Action – Handgun 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range	25 Action – Rifle 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range Winter Smallbore 5:00PM – 9:30PM East Range	26 Juniors Practice 5:00PM - 10PM BOTH Ranges	27 Board of Dirs. Mtg. 7:30PM - 9:00PM Meeting Room	28 2700 Pistol Match 7 AM – 5 PM East Range

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March, 2004						
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29	30 2700 Pistol Match 7 AM – 5 PM East Range	31 Action – Handgun 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range	1 Action – Rifle 6:00PM - 9:00PM West Range Winter Smallbore 5:00PM – 9:30PM East Range	2	3	4

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General Members Meeting February 13th