

Renton Fish and Game Club minutes for June 7th 2018

Call to Order: Sam Hewett called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

The following officers were present:

Directors: Sam Hewlett (President), Georgia Coulter (Vice President), Wayne McCann, Ted Pitt, Sean

Wade, Scott Johnson, Ken Wong, & Diana Pinto

Kevin Michellich (Game Warden Sean Wade (Membership) Georgia Coulter (Treasurer)

Absent:

Robb Wolfe (excused)

Announcements:

MSP by Wayne, seconded by Scott to approve the minutes for May as updated.

Standing Committee Reports:

Archery Ted Pitt:

Archery looks good. Bags are full.

Trap & Skeet Ted Pitt:

Five stand good on Friday 35-60 with rounds, Saturdays have been a slow. Machines are all working Looking to

	Rounds	
International Trap	476.2	\$3,272.40
Trap and Skeet	1908.4	\$5,388.67
Total		\$6,682.75

Cowboy, Derek Mirkle

June match report:

A big thank you to all who helped set the steel and props on Friday. (Note: The names in red are RF&GC members)

Might be a record for setup help. Appy Dan, Captain Black Hand, Captain Rosecrans, Carlsbad Kid (Karl Mayer), Cedar County Sheriff(Derek Mirkle), Dastardly Dean (Gary Sandwick), Driften Rattler (Bill Hanson), Half Fast Smitty (Dan Ferreira), Just Dan D (Dan DePertius), Lawman's Bullitt, Lucy Wildrose, Rick O'Shea, Sabretooth, Squirt Gun Miss, & T-Bone Shorty.

We ran two separate matches concurrently this past weekend. ON Bays 5 and 7 we held a regular one – day match on each day, and in the other five bays, we held our annual "Un Hombre Muy Malo" match where 200 rifle, 200 pistol and 100 shot shells minimum are required for the 12 stage, two day match. Contingent Fee McGee (Lance Palmer and Driften Rattler (Bill Hanson) co- match directed this torturous match. Thanks to both!

Thanks also to Margarita Villain (Kevin Michellich) for acting as Match director on Saturday and Hank Hills (Van Bradley) on Sunday. Kevin also handled all the scoring for both matches as well as the two-day Malo.

The weather was great for both Saturday and Sunday with only a touch of rain on the last stage of the Malo.

Un Hombre Muy Malo was a great success. There were 33 shooters that enjoyed twelve stages designed by

Contingent Fee McGee. Themed after 3:10 to Yuma, the props and layouts were beautiful. There was one clean shooter managing to hit all the targets in the correct order, even kept his pinky outstretched in proper "Hammer Duelist" form, congratulations to Silver Jack Hammer. Wrongo Star, Rick O'Shea and Driften Rattler managed to take the top three spots.

There were 12 shooters on Saturday for our monthly match and 11 Sunday. Congratulations to Shinbone Shooter, Lawbreaker and Clete Landhawker on their top three overall placements for Saturday's match.

Sunday we had Hank Hills, Shinbone Shooter and Clete Landhawker round out the top three overall. There were no clean shooters for Saturday or Sunday for the monthly matches.

The MacDandees vs Hammer's 'Throwback' match is planned for Saturday June 30th. This will be the only RUCAS match running on that Saturday. Sunday July 1st we will hold our normal monthly match.

Derek Mirkle Discipline Chair

Kevin asked for the use of and the closure of, the entire range for the week of July 30th through August 5th for Westmatch.

MSP to close the range August 2nd – August 6th for Westmatch

Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP), Don Miller:

The match was conducted on May 26th with 3 competitors for a total of \$21.00 income for the club. Weather was nice and scores were higher accordingly.

Grounds, (open): Positon is open

The grass was mowed and weeds whacked around the fence and club house along with the pistol range. The completion of the wiring of the plugin at the 50-yard berm on the rifle range, general clean up at the rifle range and building of target backers. The 50 yard rifle berm was repaired and the holes filled and graded in the parking lot next to the pistol range.

Roy added some protection to the flowers. Trying to keep the deer and rabbits out.

The modification to Godzilla's bucket really works great. Good Idea and work putting it together, thanks goes to Gary, Ted and Sam. Thanks guys.

Former Grounds Chairman LaMarr

Hunter Education, Gary Emerson:

Instructor training class went great. 7 new instructors were certified.

All seven came out to last On line Skills class and ran the class. 3 are interested in joining the RF&G teaching team.

Next class on the 11th.

During Instructor In-service training we were given information on Suicide Prevention and what we as gun owners can do to help prevent guns from being used.

I have some info I will be presenting at the next Board meeting.

http://www.intheforefront.org/

Conservation, Gary Emerson:

The new plants looking good. We will probably start watering in a few weeks.

IDPA, Scott Johnson:

This was our monthly club match for May 2018

Stages: 7

69 competitors. There were 2 DQ's in the match and no negligent discharges reported.

DQ #1 - swept leg while drawing from a seated start position.

DQ #2 - broke the muzzle safe point while moving.

Financials: \$1,090.00 turned into the club.

Range Condition upon arrival: The range was in good shape. There was a tire left in the center of bay 5 and metal wall stands left in bay 3 but overall condition was good.

Equipment Condition:

From April report: One timer inoperable with random second beep voiding time. One tablet (#3) crashed. I was able to recover scores but will take it out of rotation. Tablet #17 fails to keep time. No issues other than during tablet sync so we'll keep it in rotation.

Membership, Jay & Sean

Membership as of 06-03-2018 (2019 memberships)

Junior	0
Annual	49
Senior	30
Family	11
Military	0
Life	21
Total	111

Rifle and Pistol, Sam Hewlett:

Bales have been covered

Adult	180	\$3,272.40
Junior	13	\$118.17
Total	193	\$3,390.57

Kids Day May 2018

Off to a slow wet start, but still lot of fun.

There were 10 total kids. 2 Members. 8 Non-Members.

Huge thanks to Cathy Hale of Savage Arms for her assistance

in helping us acquire two more Rascals. They fit our needs perfectly.

Thanks to RSO's John, Craig, Diana, and Chris.

Big thanks to Ken and Jim for putting on a great BBQ.

Repeat kid shooter Carlos Escobar asked to volunteer at our events.





Last Years Raffle Winner-

New Savage Rascals

Scholastic Clay Target Program, Bob Louser:

The season over with just one last practice and picnic.

Angela Herrera letter. Asking for \$200 for ammo at the National Junior-Olympics in Colorado Springs. Georgia made a motion to provide \$300 to provide ammo for the match and for practice. MSP Approved.

Steel Matches, Cel Alvarez:

Steel Match at RFGC for May 13, 2018 had a total of 36 participants considering it was "Mother's Day". There were 8 Juniors, 12 RFGC Members, 16 Non-Members, and 11 extra guns for the match. We had 47 guns for this match. We submitted \$283.00 to RFGC and had \$16.39 of expenses. There were no DQ's to report and the weather was perfect. We finally got done early at 2:30 pm after some coaching participants to be ready, less talking, and moving to an open bay if there is a backup. Overall a good day.

Our Junior Team will be competing in Bend, Oregon for the 2018 SASP Championships. Wish them luck. We have a total of 8 juniors participating.

We plan to have 6 stages for the month of June.

Treasurer's Report, Georgia Coulter:

Balances (as of 06-03-2018):

Checking	\$13,600.86
Savings	\$87,143.47
CD	\$100,584.70
Total	\$201,329.03

USPSA, Dave McClure & Alan Feucht:

Stages: 7

MD: Matt Carlson

Registration/Stats: Alan Feucht, Keith Tsang

77 competitors. There were no DQ's in the match and no negligent discharges reported.

Financials:

Gross Revenue: \$ 1,490.00

Expenses: \$376.99

Total Net Revenue: \$1,113.01

Black Rifle League, Sean Wade:

We had a total of 15 shooters

\$100 turned into the club.

No violations and all had a good time.

Thank you to USPSA for allowing us to run a match in the morning on their set up day.

Next match is on June 23rd.

Starting with the September, there will be a fee, amount yet to be determined.

Action Shooting International (ASI), Sandy Wylie:

We had good weather for the match and our MD this time was Dan Michaels. The range was in good shape when we arrived and we have a good turnout for setup. Our regular stats and registration person was called into work the morning of the match and we fell Back on paper scoring for this match. The paper scoring worked well and we cleared our last shooters by about 12:30.

We had one DQ. Apparently, a novice ranked shooter from IDPA. He had an AD while moving to the next position – gun fired down-range and impacted the berm.

From the posted results, we had 69 shooters with about 10 new shooters.

Safety:

No Safety report provided.

There was no safety concerns to bring attention to.

Old Business:

- 1. Action bay plans No progress. Sam is still working on a plan (in progress).
- 2. From April, Robert Moughon volunteered to research the Wild Apricot software no update see above (in progress).
- 3. Roy reported that he needed the information for plaque for Bob Emerson. He will contact Gary for the information and order the plaque (in progress).
- 4. Roof replacement for Rifle/Pistol range office. Sam received two estimates from three companies. Sean will talk with Sam about getting additional estimates (in progress).

New Business:

- 1. Safety items for May (John). John was not present, no safety incidences to report.
- 2. Diana Pinto requested the use of the rifle range/club house for their annual company shoot on Saturday August 25th. The range has also very graciously waved range fees for all of our non-member participants and she ask if this is an option again this year, as well as letting them use the range house for dinner at 6:30.
 - **MSP** to allow the range use and fees waived as requested
- 3. Gary made a motion that the spouse of a life member can to continue as a member. Discussion followed.
 - **MSP** approved to allow a spouse of a life member to continue as a member
- 4. Sean Wade introduced two Interlake representatives to discuss Wild Apricot. Learned a lot about how they use it. Seems like a good member management website to assist with membership retention and renewals. We may look into it next year more for when the Intuit-Quick Books contract is up.
- 5. New hours for the club Shotgun 10-6 until Nov 4th. Then 9-5 during the winter season. No change at the rifle range.
 - **MSP** to change the shotgun and Archery hours to 9:00 5:00 when daylight savings ends. All other ranges will stay at 10:00 6:00 as a trial.
- 6. Wayne's letter proposing new cowboy fees. Long discussions on both sides. This was passed at the executive meeting and simply brought up at the general meeting as the new rule. New Cowboy fee will be \$15 per shooter, with a \$5 discount for either or both current RFGC members and match setup. Making it possible for a RFGC member that shoots and helps to set up to only pay \$5.

Meeting adjourned at 09:05 PM

Submitted by Kevin Michellich, acting Secretary