

Renton Fish and Game Club minutes for March 5th, 2026

Call to Order: Ted Pitt called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Directors and Officers attendance:

Directors	Present	Absent	Excused
Chairman of the Board: Ted Pitt	√		
Vice Chairman: Robb Wolfe	√		
Georgia Coulter	√		
LaMarr Hood	√		
Kevin Bridges	√		
Scott Johnson	√		
Dave McClure			√
Scott Collins	√		
Terry Sporrong	√		
Treasurer: Georgia Coulter	√		
Game Warden: Paul Jackson	√		
Secretary: Robb Wolfe	√		

Announcements:

The following decisions we made at the February 9th directors meeting:

1. Rifle range consignment sales will be discontinued as of March 1.
2. Bore-sighting at the rifle range will be provided at no charge.

MSP (Motion Second and Passed) by Scott Johnson seconded by LaMarr Hood to approve the minutes, as revised for February.

Treasurer's Report, Georgia Coulter:

Balances as of March 3rd

Financial details of the club will not be included in the minutes published online. Members who wish to access this information should reach out to the club secretary or treasurer.

Account	2025 Balance (for reference)	Interest	Balance
Checking	██████████		██████████
Savings	██████████	██████	██████████
CD	██████████	██████	██████████
BECU	██████████	██████	██████████
Total:	██████████	██████	██████████

Tax statement went up \$600 or \$700 to \$9100 for 2026.

Net income for January was \$5800

Standing Committee Reports:

Archery, Ted Pitt:

Archery is fine. Mark has been working on the range.

Trap & Skeet Ted Pitt:

Shotgun is going well.

The continental shoot went very well no issues at all. Brought in 2645.00

Bunker is going well our first shoot on April 4th

Rifle & Pistol, John Gerhard:

Ranges are in good shape. Rob Laird performed maintenance on the active components of the target retrieval system.

Plans are in work to upgrade the 50 yard and 200 yard target frames on the rifle range (see test frames below). A similar system will be installed on the 100 yd line and will include lane numbers on the backs of the new target stands. As of the end of February, rifle and pistol range monthly consumables remained low. Collected brass appears to be increasing. LaMarr has begun tracking/weighing collected brass.

February Range Visits: Total Visits: 976; Members: 711; Guests: 53; Non-members: 212; After Hours: 10

Looking forward to the upcoming work party to help with the post winter clean up and maintenance.

Note: Updated design will reduce the most common frame damage caused by elevation sighting errors.



Grounds, LaMarr Hood:

The few of us who has been coming out has kept up with target backers, checked out the retrieval system for any needed repairs and general clean up, along with sorting brass. Dale is working on the electrical part of the office upgrade. Paul has been coming in with his tractor and has been working in the action bays and on the berms.

Ted received and assembled four new scoring benches for the shotgun range. Nice.

Don't forget March 28 work party. Come early and stay late.

Submitted with thanks to our volunteers

Hunter Education, Gary Emerson:

No report submitted

Conservation, Gary Emerson:

No report submitted

Kids Day, John LaNier:

Kids Day 2026 Schedule: May 3rd, June 7th, July 12th, Aug 9th, Sept 13th, and Dec 6th.

Scholastic Clay Target Program (Renton Crushers), Bob Louser

Attended shotgun challenge meet at Seattle Skeet & Trap this past weekend. Over 100 shooters with the Crushers doing well with many personnel bests.

Results were

Trap:

1st Jeevika and Ben. 2nd Roman

Skeet

1st Thomas, Roman and Jeevika

2nd Bella and Ben

3rd Dylan

Sporting clays

1st Jeevika

2nd August

3rd Thomas and Bella

HOA 2nd Thomas

Outstanding weather and a great shoot

Steel Dragons, Tim Ralston

Season begins March 11. New parent and athlete meeting at 5:00pm in the action bays.

SASS, Derek Mirkle

Friday afternoon set-up found the range in good shape under mostly sunny skies.

My thanks to Shadow Bear, Son of Nun, and our returning guest Match Director and stage writer/designer, Tacoma Slick for coming out to get the steel wrangled into place.

Saturday morning was cold but dry with the temps getting up into the low 50's in the afternoon with lots of sunshine. We had a good turnout of 24 cowboys and cowgirls that came to do battle with the steel bad guys in RUCAS territory, 22 of which finished the match.

There was only one Pard that managed to clean the match, that was Captain Featherstone. And our top three shooters for the day were: Meeteetse Jack in Third Place, Jimmy Slick in Second, and Bjorn E. Ville Top overall.

Sunday's weather was just about the same as Saturday, but colder in the morning. 18 Pards and Pardetts joined in to defend RUCAS territory against any and all steel villains and scoundrels.

On the bright sunny Sunday, no one managed to shoot a clean match, I guess we were all sun-blinded! Our top three overall were: Rick O'Shea took Third Place, Bjorn E. Ville was Second, and Lawbreaker was First. Wow, First and Second were both in the Senior category(60 - 65) and Third place was in the Cattle Baron category(75 - 80), let's hear it for us old folk!

There was a total of three DQ's for the weekend, two MDQ's for dropped, loaded guns (cold fingers, I reckon), one each day, and one SDQ Saturday for leaving a round in the magazine.

\$570.00 was turned into the Club. Our next scheduled matches are April 4th & 5th, 2026.

Civilian Marksmanship Program, Don Miller:

We held the February CMP rifle match today, 2/28/26. We had 5 shooters and \$55.00 was turned into the club.

For the upcoming work party, I was thinking that the "red lines" need to be repainted. An alternative that seems to work well at my place of employment is a product from U-Line called Mighty Line. Check out this link. I think the 4" would do and the red is vibrant in color. The material is like a tough polyurethane like plastic and the adhesive works on all but the greasiest floors. [Deluxe Safety Tape in Stock - Uline](#). Also, do we have some white and black paint I could use for marking our target stands?

I also noticed today that the number boards are offset from the target stand positions on the 100yd rifle range... Oops. Crossfires occurred.

Note from Secretary: John Gerhard has been contacted and will work with Don on the Red Line and paint request.

Precision Rimfire, Victor Vuong / Chris Kinsman:

January - We held our January Rimfire match on January 3rd. We had 16 shooters and the match was won by Brian Sahlin.

Scores: <https://practicore.com/results/html/1b3d184a-f5d7-40cb-9589-fd258a4cc77e>

February - We held our February Rimfire match on February 7th. We had 19 shooters although one dropped out after the first couple of stages. Winner was Mitchell Wong.

Scores: <https://practicore.com/results/html/1696270f-545e-475f-9bc1-9c4ec5d1bbd8>

Course of

fire: https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/19mMEF0QlxKL03Kz6CiLpceBDFGiyWL_KVazdGUXpkas/edit?slide=id.g2d041f17a9e_0_12#slide=id.g2d041f17a9e_0_12

IDPA, Scott Johnson:

February 21st was the most recent IDPA Match. It was an expected cold & wet day.

56 shooters turned out for 6 Stages. Paul Jackson set up Bay 5 with the Dynamic Range moving target. We had some difficulty with battery power, but overall, the Mover worked well and added variety to the target array.

There was 1 DQ, reason unknown.

\$890 were turned into the Club.

The next IDPA Match is scheduled for March 21st.

Action Shooting International (ASI), Robb Wolfe

We had dry weather once again for our match on February 14. A total of 81 participants completed seven stages with no disqualification! \$243 was submitted to ASI

Our next match is scheduled for March 14th

USPSA, Dave McClure:

Due to bad weather participation was lower than expected .

76 shooters	\$ 2280
Discounts	\$ 405
USPSA/ Section Fees	<u>\$ 364</u>
Total Net	\$1510

No DQ recorded. Next match 3/22.

Membership, Georgia Coulter:

Data as of March 3rd

	Membership Period		
	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Junior	58	47	70
Annual	745	798	798
Senior	333	301	320
Family	9	N/A	N/A
Military	21	23	25
Life	22	20	21
Total	1188	1189	1234

Game Warden Report, Paul Jackson:

The February meeting attendance is below.

If a member feels their attendance was not recorded correctly, they should contact the Game Warden at: game.warden@fgc.org

12 in-person

7 virtually

Bridges, Kevin
Collins, Scott
Coulter, Georgia
Fisher, Clint
Gerhard, John

Hood, LaMarr
Jackson, Paul
Johnson, Scott
Louser, Bob
McClure, David

Pitt, Ted
Pulins, Josh
Sporrong, Terry
Sumaoang,
Benedict

Tinsley, Brian
Tsang, Keith
Vasko, Todd
Wolfe, Robb
Won, Danie

Old Business:

1. Rifle range office remodel is still in progress.
2. Shotgun prices on the website were updated per the request at the last meeting.
3. Our rangemasters have been presented with vests to identify them as rangemasters.
4. Paul Jackson, chair of the Action Bay Safety Committee, presented their report. The board decided to ask Paul Jackson to obtain a quote for at least 30 yards of wood chips to distribute on the impact berms. The board would also like to thank the following committee members for their time and effort: Scott Johnson, Kevin Bridges, Mark Junjek, Jeff Kaiser, John Gerhard, and Paul Jackson.

Safety Items for February:

1. A member asked about the NRA safety officer class.

New Business:

1. Pinto's Guns requested to use the clubhouse and range for their company shoot. They are hoping to hold it August 22 from 10am-6pm. They would like to use the clubhouse starting about 5pm for set up. In the past the club has given them lanes 3 - 9 on rifle and 1-4 on pistol.
Will be discussed at the directors meeting.
2. Scott Johnson made a request to allow IDPA to start at 8 am on July 24-25 for the IDPA State Match and on October 16-17 for the IDPA Regional Match.

MSP – to allow a 9:00 AM start

3. Scott Johnson made a request to buy materials, maybe to be worked on the Workday. For the Action Bays we would like to build 9 Tables measuring 32" x 48", 36" tall, all Pressure Treated wood.

I worked out a Materials list and have discussed this with Karl Mayer. Robb Wolfe, Doug Varga, Dave McClure, Terry Sporrong & Tim Ralston.

I priced materials online from Home Depot, Dunn, Lowes & McLendon's.
Dunn has a slightly better price.

So, what I've planned for is a Bench 32" x 48", 36" tall, all Pressure Treated wood.

3 - 4x8x 1/2" Plywood Pressure Treated, \$49.88 ea = \$149.64.

9 - 2x4x12' Pressure Treated, \$12.93 ea = \$116.37.

18 - 1x4x8' Pressure Treated, \$5.44 ea = \$97.92.

9 - 1x4x10' Pressure Treated, \$6.80 ea = \$61.20.

5 - Exterior Glue (in calking tubes), \$12 ea = \$60.

1 box - 2" staples (for my Air Stapler ~\$30. Total = \$515.13 + TAX.

I have not included paint, so we can discuss that. I'm guessing we have something usable.

Decision: *On hold while Scott investigates other options*

4. Scott Johnson requested the use of the pistol range for the State & Regional IDPA Matches.

MSP to allow the use of the pistol range on July 24-25 for the IDPA State Match and on October 16-17 for the IDPA Regional Match.

Good of the order:

If there are changes to the website needed, send them to the Secretary.

Meeting adjourned at 8:08 PM

Submitted by Robb Wolfe, Secretary