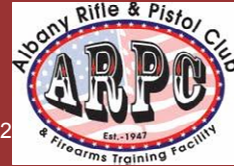




# Albany Rifle and Pistol Club

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Dear ARPC Supporter,

Thank you for your patience during our newsletter transition. Your comments are welcomed.

### ARPC Gun Show Cancelled

#### ARPC GUN SHOW CANCELLED

Due to a scheduling conflict, there will not be an ARPC September 25th & 26th gun show this year. The ARPC Gun Show committee looked at all options and decided that it would be better to cancel the show than to go forward with a sub-standard show. We know many ARPC club members look forward to every ARPC gun show and we apologize for the loss of this September show. March and September dates have been booked for the next 5 years in an attempt to avoid a similar problem. Please call the club office if you have questions about this cancellation.

### President's Article

#### FROM THE PRESIDENT

September is here and hunting season is upon us. Time to also start thinking of getting in those work bond hours. First, with the **cancellation of the September ARPC Gun Show**, many of you are probably looking for ways to make up your work bond hours. Well I do have an answer for you, it's our annual Hunter's Sight In Days at the Club. It happens the last three weekends of September and you will be helping our local community sight their firearms in for the up coming hunting season. It's fun, it's easy and you get to meet a lot of great people. Call the office to set up your hours.

September also means that things are going to get very busy at the club, as you our membership, also get ready for the up coming hunting seasons. I ask that you remember three things to do at the range this month, "**Be safe, be courteous and have fun!**"

Steve Shippey, ARPC President

## Hunter's Sight In Days



### HUNTER'S SIGHT IN DAYS

Yes, it is important to have that favorite rifle sighted in PRIOR to your fall hunting trip or you can have a built in excuse for missing that big buck or bull elk. Albany Rifle and Pistol Club will be open to the general public for three weekends in September, the 11th, 12th, 18th, 19th, 25th and 26th from 9am to 4pm to sight in hunting rifles. The cost is still \$5 per rifle and this includes targets. ARPC club members can also use this service

without paying the \$5 fee as it is considered a membership benefit.

Experienced club members will be assisting each person during the sight-in process to make sure the range is operating safely. Everyone must wear eye and ear protection. Safety glasses and ear plugs will be available for purchase if someone forgets to bring them. If you are a club member and want to help at Hunter's Sight In Days contact the club office at 541-491-3755.

## Swap Meet

### SWAP MEET !!!!

Hey, do you have a bunch of hunting, shooting or camping equipment (excluding firearms) that you want to sell, trade, or even give away? Well the FRIENDS OF ARPC are holding a **SWAP MEET** on Saturday, September 11<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 5 pm at the Shedd Masonic Lodge on Hwy 99 located just 3 miles from the Club. So grab your unwanted gear or show up and look through everyone else's unwanted gear for that one thing you're missing for this hunting season. No need to call and reserve a table, just show up and we will make room for you. And here's another thing I should mention... **IT'S FREE! NO CHARGE!** Just show up and buy, sell, trade to your hearts content or until you run out of money or stuff. If you have any questions contact Don Arnold (541) 619-3238 or Steve Shippey (503) 851-3158. See you there!

## ARPC General Meeting

### ARPC GENERAL MEETING

The 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter ARPC General meeting will take place on Tuesday evening, September 7<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in the north range classroom. If you want to see what is happening behind the scenes at ARPC this is your chance to ask questions.

## Office/Pro Shop

### OFFICE / PRO SHOP OPENS SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>



The tentative opening date for the new club office and Pro Shop is the 1<sup>st</sup> of September. The office and Pro Shop are open when the club staff is working in or around the office. Therefore, it will not have firm hours but we plan to have it open at least 9am to 4pm, Monday thru Saturday. If you are planning a trip to the club just to visit the Pro Shop or talk to someone in the office, call ahead to make sure someone is there (541-491-3755).

## Monster Match

### MONSTER MATCH

What is a Monster Match? Here is the recipe; 8 stages or courses of fire for handguns only, smallest stage is 48 rounds at one time and the largest stage is 60+ rounds. Total round count for

the match is over 400 rounds over two days. If you have never had a chance to witness a 'USPSA' action pistol event this one on September 4 & 5 would be the one to watch. We have room for additional entries if you want to shoot in it, just give Mike McCarter a call at 541-619-0038.

OOWSS

## **OREGON OLD WEST SHOOTING SOCIETY**

Oregon Old West Shooting Society, OOWSS, is Oregon's original Cowboy Action Shooting™ Club. Established in 1989, they preserve and promote the sport of Cowboy Action Shooting by requiring participants to dress from a period when the west was young and to adopt a shooting alias. "Old West" style firearms: single action revolvers, pistol caliber lever action rifles, and old time shotguns are required and abound at their events.

Which brings us to the SASS Oregon State Championship & 21st Annual Shootout at Saddle Butte, held at ARPC on August 20-22, 2010. This bunch of happy, boisterous characters with names like Rowdy Rex, Royal Flush and Wimpy Hank Yoho, draw you into the Old West like a moth to flame. Mid Valley Drifter, Long Jim Hancock, Buckshot Shell-E and Pale Wolf Brunelle, just to name a few, make you feel as though their cabin is your cabin. Generosity, camaraderie and good sportsmanship are foremost to this group as their attitude toward participation is "The Spirit of the Game". Don't have the correct type of firearm? They'll let you use theirs. Don't know how to begin? They'll walk you through it. Aren't accurate with a firearm? Irrelevant since most of them are there just to have fun and don't care how they score.



Ping, ping, ping, clink is heard in every bay as bullets and shot ring out against a variety of steel targets where elaborate sets are in play with a scenario to match. Laughter, good-natured ribbing and applause fill the air. Cowboys, cowgirls, 49er's, gunfighters, young and old, joined together to celebrate the Old West way of life. It doesn't get much better here at Saddle Butte, y'all.

Ladies Only Pistol Training

[Basic Pistol For Women 101](#)

[Basic Pistol Competition For Women 201](#)

## **LADIES ONLY PISTOL TRAINING**

"No Bystanders Allowed" basic pistol training. Open to club members and the public. If you'd like more information, click the links above.

EPA Considering Ban on Traditional Ammunition: Act Now!!

## **EPA CONSIDERING BAN ON TRADITIONAL AMMUNITION: ACT NOW!!**

All Gun Owners, Hunters and Shooters:



With the fall hunting season fast approaching, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under Lisa Jackson, who was responsible for banning bear hunting in New Jersey, is now considering a petition by the Center for Biological Diversity (CBD) - a leading anti-hunting organization - to ban all traditional ammunition under the Toxic Substance Control Act of 1976, a law in which Congress expressly exempted ammunition. If the EPA approves the petition, the result will be a total ban on all ammunition containing lead-core components, including hunting and target-shooting rounds. The EPA must decide to accept or reject this petition by November 1, 2010, the day before the midterm elections. **The EPA has opened to public comment the CBD petition. The comment period ends on October 31, 2010.**

Read more information regarding this issue at the NSSF link below...

## **EXECUTIVE BOARD NOMINATIONS**



ARPC is now accepting nominations for all Executive Board positions. Contact or email Steve Shippey, current ARPC President, if you would like to nominate anyone or volunteer for an Executive Board position.



## **ALBANY RIFLE AND PISTOL CLUB ON DISPLAY**

For the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row Albany Rifle and Pistol Club will be in the Albany Chamber of Commerce Business Extravaganza at the Linn County Fair & Expo Center on September 15<sup>th</sup> from 1-5pm. This event is open to the public at no charge and is designed to showcase Albany area businesses to the public. ARPC, as an Albany Chamber of Commerce member, supports local area businesses and our club events inject needed tourism dollars into the Albany area. This year the ARPC show booth will include a 20ft live air rifle range. It is our goal to let the public sample the fun associated with recreational shooting. If you get a chance, stop by our booth at the show and say hi to the staff working the show.

## **HUNTER EDUCATION CLASSROOM SPACE NEEDED IN CORVALLIS**

ODFW volunteer instructors in Corvallis are looking for potential places to hold Hunter Education classes. While there are a number of options outside the Corvallis area, classroom space nearer to town would make it much easier for busy parents to get their kids into the classes.

No live ammunition is allowed in the classroom and specially made, non-functional firearms may be available for the classes. Classroom size needs to accommodate 10 to 20 students plus 3 instructors and a few parents that may want to stay for the class. Classes typically run several evenings for 2 to 3 hours each session. A minimum of 12 hours of instructional time is required for the course.

If you have space available or think you know of a place that could accommodate Hunter Education classes in Corvallis, please contact Gordon Brown at 541-757-1438 or 541-207-6793.

## **GOODBYE TO AN OLD FRIEND**

**Todd Oswald** - Todd served as live-in caretaker for several years at the Albany Rifle & Pistol Club, a period he said was one of the most enjoyable times of his life. Born July 15, 1947, Todd was 63 years old when he passed away at his home in Corvallis on July 24, 2010. He was born in Marshfield, Or. to Noel & Delores Oswald and was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include his brother Dan (Leah) Oswald of Couer d'Alene, Id. sisters Kay (Willis) Leathers of Corvallis and Connie (Dale) Angell of Milwaukee, Or. No services will be held at Todd's request, interment will be in the Reedsport cemetery.

## **CLASSIFIEDS**

\*\*FOR SALE: Sig P239, .40 cal, in box with all original paperwork and four magazines. Gun has had less than 100 rds put through it and appears as NIB. \$625.00

**\*\*FOR SALE:** Cowboy shooters, I have a pair of identical custom built (by Mike Martolin in Reno, NV) 3-screw Ruger Blackhawks. Originally chambered for .357, they were rechambered and rebarrelled to .44 Special w/4" barrels. The adjustable sights were reformed to be original V-groove sights. The guns had steel ejector rod housings installed as well as handmade bird's head formed steel grip housings. Guns have custom staghorn grips and are finished in bright nickel. Finish is like new. The actions are smooth as glass and I have handmade matching left and right hand holsters. These are a one of a kind set, will sell only as a set. \$1500.00. Robert Brown, Independence, OR 503-559-7854 Call anytime

**\*\*Another cowboy action gun,** an old British Royal Enders 12ga side by side w/exposed hammers. All original finish and wood, this gun is a great shooter and is in excellent shape inside and out. \$1000. Robert Brown, Independence, OR 503-559-7854 Call anytime

**\*\*FOR SALE:** Taurus 709PT Slim 9mm semi-auto. Matte stainless slide. Original owner with only a few hundred rounds put through it. Comes with 3 mags, right handed black leather IWB holster, and box with owners manual. Asking \$425. Email [dselectrical@comcast.net](mailto:dselectrical@comcast.net) or Shawn @ 503-508-7958.

**\*\*FOR SALE:** Universal M1 .30 Carbine with sling, oiler, and two magazines. Very good condition. \$300. Contact Mike at [msetera@comcast.net](mailto:msetera@comcast.net).

**\*\*BULLETS**

Remington-22cal-55gr FMJ-500 for \$45, Berry's Plated-40cal-180gr FP-500 for \$53, FMP Plated-30cal-110gr RN-500 for \$45, FMP Plated-380-9mm-100gr RN-500 for \$40

**PRIMERS**

Winchester Large Rifle Magnum-1000 for \$29

NEW- LEE Bullet Molds

45cal-228gr RN-452-228-1-R-double cavity for \$24, 45cal-255gr RF-452-255-RF- double cavity for \$24, 44cal-200gr RF-429-200-RF double cavity for \$24, 38cal-158gr RF-358-158-RF double cavity for \$24

NEW- DON HUME Holster, JIT Slide, Right Hand-1911 Gov't Model for \$22, Used-GALCO Holster, YAQ2038-Yaqui Slide, Left Hand-Beretta 92 for \$22, Bob Ainsworth [tainsworth@peak.org](mailto:tainsworth@peak.org) Cell Phone # 541-401-9234

**\*\*FOR SALE:** Creedmore Shooting Coat, right hand, size 42, Cordura, heavy. Cost new \$329, sell for \$175. Creedmore Shooting Coat, right hand, size 42, Canvas. Cost new \$129, sell for \$75. Creedmore shooting mat, cost new \$129, sell for \$60. 3 Heavy Cuff Leather high power slings, cost new \$70. sell for \$35 each. Freeland Shooting Glove \$20, plus other shooting gear. All items in excellent condition. Cal Dwayne @ 541-546-7144 or email [gdhansen@bendbroadband.com](mailto:gdhansen@bendbroadband.com)

**\*\*RCBS RELOADING EQUIPMENT, NEW.** I decided not to reload. Pro 2000 Deluxe Reloading Kit #88880 including Auto Index upgrade kit #88883, \$800, load hundreds of rounds per hour; Powder Checker Progressive #87590, \$25.00; Rock Chucker Supreme reloading press #09356, \$140.00; Lube Die #1 #87551 \$30. RCBS Reloading Dies: .223 Rem (FL Die Set #11101; SB DIE Set #11103; X-Die Small Base Sizer #38859) \$30.00 each set. 3 Die Carb hand gun Sets (TC 45 ACP/AR/GAP #18915; TC 9mm Luger/9x21/9x23 #20515; Roll Crimp 357 MG/38 SP #1812) \$40 each set. Redding 223 Rem TC #85111, \$40. Bullets, primers & power for listed Calibers. Rob 503-831-4688 or [flagstaff@juno.com](mailto:flagstaff@juno.com).

**\*\*FOR SALE:** Ruger Vaquero Stainless Steel 5.50" barrel with custom trigger action & walnut grips - \$650 Contact Gary McGinnis @ [agent.pg56@gmail.com](mailto:agent.pg56@gmail.com) or call 541-791-4224 for price dickering.