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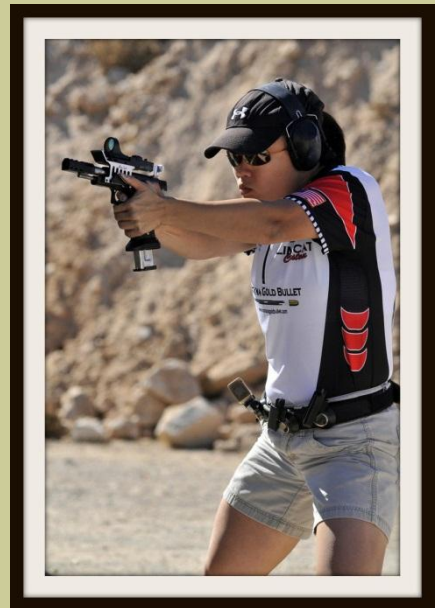
Welcome New Members

Joe Arnold, Eric Rich,
Mike Novatny, Noorani
Saleem, Terry Hamilton,
Michael Meuret, Michael
Garter, Marvin Newland,
John G. Griffith, Bernard
Lemire, Isaiah Padilla,
Robert Henderson,
David Thomas, Joshua
Edmiston, Brett Ward,
Ginny Ward, Travis
Luttmer, Casey
Brenneman, Katie
Brenneman, Bonnie Lee
Anderson, Robert
Brock, Dakota Huxman,
Edward F. Jackson,

2011 USPSA Area 1 Championships

Albany Rifle and Pistol Club hosted the 2011 USPSA (United States Practical Shooting Association) Area 1 Handgun Championships June 22nd thru the 26th. The match primarily focused on top handgun competitors from the eight northwestern states but also included entries from the rest of the United States, Canada and the Philippines. Competitors shot 12 courses of fire in 6 different handgun divisions and fired over 82,000 rounds during the match.

ARPC club member Jan Hase finished 7th overall out of the 328 competitors. Other club members finishing in the top 50 included, Rob Shepherd 8th, Chad McDonald 9th, Casey McDonald 29th, Carl Schmidt 33rd and Doug Newquist 38th.



We wish to thank the membership of ARPC for their patience while this event took place as it occupied the entire north and east ranges. Please take the time to visit future events at ARPC; they are fun and open to visitors to watch at no cost. If you had come out to watch this event, you would have seen competitors like the winner of TOP SHOT 1, Iain Harrison, and other entries from the popular television show like Brad Engmann, Athena Lee and from TOP SHOT 3 (not aired yet) Mike Hughes.

ARPC is one considered one of the premier shooting facilities in the Western United States. Competitors continually commented on the quality of the range, the staff and the people who helped conduct the match. Many club members volunteered to help put on this event and we greatly appreciated their help. In addition, the businesses in Albany recognized how many dollars this event brought into the community and how our club supports the Albany metro region.

Robert Roper, Albert 'Cody' Carson, Tyler Davison

New Pro Shop Items

Upcoming Events!!!

Northwest
Multi-Gun
Challenge July
9, 10
Old West
Championships
August 19, 20, 21

The Pro Shop has added a few new items over the last couple of months. These include gun cleaning kits, handgun storage boxes, 2011 Saddle Butte Machine Gun Shoot t-shirts and a large number of primers. Take the time to stop in when at the range because we are always adding something new to the Pro Shop. Thanks to all those members who purchased the used Glock 22's. What a great price you got on them!

ARPC Dues and Gate Cards

There is still time to pay your past due membership fee and maintain access to ARPC without any penalty. If your dues are past due you will not have access to the club through the gate system and if for some unknown reason your card doesn't work, please call the office and we will check it out.

Safety Issue



We are noticing an issue with the electronic safety system on the main range. Club members are initiating the 'Cease-Fire' buzzer system and walking down range without communicating with other shooters on the main range. A "Cease-Fire" is **NOT** initiated until all shooters have unloaded guns and ready to go to a "Cease-Fire". Pushing the button and going down range without communicating with the rest of the shooters can put an individual in front of a loaded firearm. Make sure that everyone on the main range is ready to go to a 'Cease-Fire' before hitting the button.

Work Bond

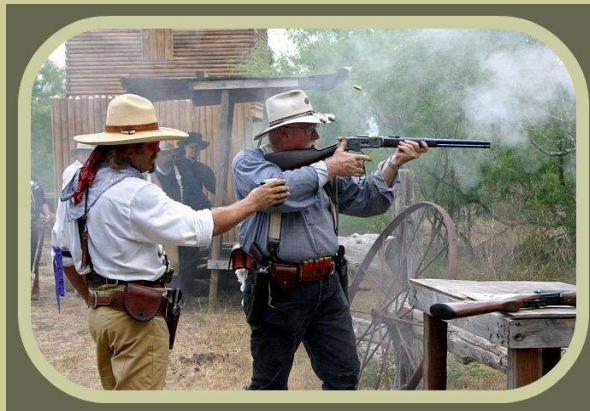
ARPC needs workers/volunteers during the week for special projects and range cleanup. If you want to help at the club and get work bond hours in against your renewal fees just give the office a call (541-491-3755) to volunteer. It is important that you call ahead because that gives the staff time to prepare supplies or special needs for the job. Remember, the best time to volunteer is when the weather is good.

Don't wait until the last minute, prior to renewal, to get your hours in, there might not be that much work available in the rain.

Work bond hours are not guaranteed; when you want to do the work may not be the time it needs to get done. We will continue to remind you not to wait until the last minute. Remember to call Don Arnold at 541-619-3238 if you want to work at our regularly scheduled Saturday work bond.



Summer Events at ARPC



Keep a close eye on the club calendar this summer as there are currently three very large shooting events taking place in June, July and August. Not only do these events support some of the shooting disciplines that hold regular matches during the year, they also earn extra money and bring community attention due to the large number of competitors coming into the area.

Many of these events require setup and take down time before and after the match. Most of the time shooting is allowed during these events but be careful not to shoot match targets or move setups around

while shooting in north / east range bays.

All shooting events and classes are open to ARPC club members, guests and visitors. 19194 Remember eye and ear protection is required when visiting any range on ARPC property except for the archery range. Be sure to call the match director (listed on the club calendar) if you have questions about shooting in or visiting one of these events.

September Gun Show And Other Volunteers Needed

As you can imagine, it takes many dedicated individuals to bring our gun shows to fruition. Since we have two shows per year, we are actively seeking detail-oriented individuals who are willing to become members of this committee. We would like to bring you on board to shadow the September show and be ready to roll for next March. If this is something that interests you (and gets your work bond out of the way), please contact the ARPC office at 541-491-3755.

ALSO...

We are always on the look out for individuals who would like to become members of our Executive Board and other key team groups within our club. 6575 Whatever your talent or ability, it can be utilized as a volunteer. Kindly consider volunteering for The Best Gun Club in Oregon.

Snakes!!!

Please be careful when around the range as there is a migration of snakes taking place. You probably won't see one but we want to warn you ahead of time so you don't have a heart attack if you come across one. Most of the time they are bull snakes and these are beneficial snakes, however we do have rattlesnakes on the hill and a few have been sighted recently so please be careful.



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 (10,11,17,18,24,25) 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.

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