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Welcome New Members

David Hansen, Art W. Waggle, Kurt W. Waggle, Harry Renouf, Jeff King, Michael Flowers, Jeff Keniston,

ARPC Gun and Sportsmen Show

Albany Rifle and Pistol Club has expanded our wildly successful Gun Show into the

ARPC Gun and Sportsmen Show

at the Linn County Exposition Center! Plan to attend as we have added the Santiam Building for a Sportsmen section which will showcase many other outdoor sports interests such as archery, fishing, off-road vehicles, duck and goose calls, dog training and many more.

**Saturday, March 2nd, 9am-5pm
&
Sunday, March 3rd, 9am-4pm**



Howard Kaplan, Brent
Goold, Nathan
Vanderburg, Steve &
Carli Cohen, Steven
Rogers, Robert Little,
Doug Tisdale, Richard
J. Miller, Ian Andersen,
Mike Slaton, Samuel
Waller, Todd Whittaker,
Trevor Whittaker, Kent
Royer, Matthew Avery,
Barry Baggett, Leor
Ish-Shalom, Donald
Nelson, Joseph Napier,
Ron Clifton, Kevin &
Amanda Eveland,
Danny Bates, Russell
Williams, Jeff
Lockwood & Suzy
Fong, John Lottis, Loyd
Christensen, Eric
Berry, James Kittelson,
Daniel & Rosemary
Barnes, Morgan
Erhardt, Bert Johnson,
Christopher Folds, C.
Scott Davis, Kirk Theis,
Wayne Johnson,
James Denno,
Michael DeFrates,
Monty Waldron, Scott
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Sohn, Christian Horton,
Casey Boehmer,
Timothy Klopfenstein,
John McKernan,
Raymond Epperson,
Charles Hallman, David
Herd, Greg & Regina
Leytem, Tyler Leonard,
Joseph Johnson, Kyle
Whittier, Justin Whittier,
Layne Leach, David
Horn, James
Alexander, Glen
Brunston, Sarah Austin
& Hannah Brunston,
Joe Hockema, Curtis
Abel, Brendan Abel,
Darrel Karbginsky,
Micheal Brock, Kevin
Renard, Jocelyn Laurel
Preston, Dennis
Hardenburger, Leonard
Ackler, R. Scott
Snyder, Michael &
Kristen Boyd and
Michael Boyd II, Jeffrey
Chipman, Mark LuBue,
Tim Tarpley, Rick
Harris, Jeff & Dustin

Albany Rifle and Pistol Club members, as a member benefit, do not have to pay to attend the show, non-members pay \$5. There will be over 400 tables of firearm related items for sale in the Willamette Room and 100 booths that relate to other sports in the Santiam Room. Remember, this is your club's Spring Show and all profits raised by the show go directly to the club. Take the time and invite a friend to see a fantastic show and support the vendors who travel from far and wide to provide you with wonderful products.

Don't forget that this is a great way to get your work bond out of the way. Call the office and volunteer today or email it to office@arpc.info!

Notes From Our President

Fellow members, this is a hard article to send off.

Unless someone has been hiding in a cave for the last four months, we in this nation have had some despicable incidents happen. One of them right here in Oregon.

There has been a cry from members for the Executive Board to do something. My answer is for ALL of our members to do something.

Included in this newsletter are the listings for our Senators and Congressmen. WE need to make contact with them via fax, USPS and phone...not via email. You want to get their attention? Email won't do it. You have to cross their desks with hard copies in an envelope they have to open.

Then we have to get our own selves in gear to demonstrate that our members are safe and not willing to allow unauthorized persons to get their hands on our guns. If you do not have a safe, I would suggest you get one. Ask yourself, how much do I spend on gun related stuff every year? Add it up and if you don't have a safe, I bet you could justify one. And boys and girls, they are not getting cheaper either, at least not during these times.

Somehow I don't feel I have said enough but I need to close. I will see you at the range. Don't forget, we have a meeting in Feb on the second Tuesday.

Don Arnold, ARPC President/Jr. Trap Director

Notes From Our Secretary

Newtown Connecticut is a tragedy that will never make sense. Some of our politicians and the mainstream media have targeted firearms legislation as the cure to violence.

They want to direct the debate to a very narrow list of topics. All of the topics are focused on restricting the common gun owner. There has been some vague mention of mental health care but, other than some funding increases, little has been offered.

Adler, Colby Schwindt,
Vernon Johnson, Gary
Kanz, Jimmie Lucht,
Dustin Greer, Charles
Van Acker, Jason
McCorkle, Zacharia
Smith, Jim Dailey, Sally
Klein, Kent Adamson,
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Morrison, Mark &
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Brant Pollard, Matt,
Renee & Zack Merritt,
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Riding, Jeni Jensen,
Bob & Kevin Reiman

Democracy is our heritage. But democracy only works if we are all involved. If we continue to be the "silent majority", the minority

activists will dictate our future. Please take a few minutes of your time to write a letter to each of your elected representatives. Write to both pro and anti-gun State and Federal members. 18368 We must let our voices be heard. Look around the world. Democracy is a fragile ideal. Many want it but it is very hard to establish. If we do not fulfill our responsibilities to make our voices heard, we will suffer the consequences.

Violence against innocent children will continue with or without new gun legislation. Do your part to redirect the conversation back to protection of our children. Our representatives will listen.

Brian Boesch, ARPC Secretary

Contact Your Representatives

Representative Peter DeFazio

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Women's Beginning Handgun Course

This Women's Beginning Handgun Course is a stress-free training program that provides ladies, ages 18 and older, with a hands-on introduction to the basic knowledge, skills, and attitudes necessary for owning and using a pistol safely - all from a woman's perspective. This training class is designed to meet the needs of ladies who have little or limited knowledge and experience with operating handguns.

In order for each lady to obtain the most from the class, we need each of you to be very frank and honest about your knowledge, experiences, and concerns. There are no dumb questions when it comes to the handling of firearms!

The class we offer has a fee of \$30 and lasts approximately two hours. Roughly ½ hour is spent in a classroom environment with the remainder done on the range (please dress for the weather). Class size is limited to 12.

We will be discussing:

- The difference between a revolver and semi-automatic pistol.
- Safety rules and safe handling.
- Basic operation of revolvers and semi-automatic pistols.
- Sight picture (How to aim).
- Grip (How to hold the gun).
- Trigger control.
- Stance
- Handling ammunition and how ammunition works
- Loading a handgun.
- Managing recoil
- Safe storage of firearms at home

The equipment required:

- Handgun
- Holster
- Belt
- Eye and ear protection
- 100 rounds of ammunition

To register for this class please contact Mike McCarter or Carol McGlasson in the ARPC office at 541-491-3755.

Check the calendar for dates!!

Come Out, Help Out



We had a great turnout on Saturday, January 5. It was cold, but the rain held off. Thanks to L. Wayne Barnhardt, Dwight Brimley, Mark Curry, Walt Domka, Gordon Gray, Dwight Hoover, David Ingram, Randy Jelen, David Kendell, Steve Kendell, Gerald Kosanovic, Fred Krieg, Omar Newbury, Vern Rhodes, Dan Schneider, Steven H. Sharrow, Edwin M. Squires, Monty Stovner, Mark Sullivan, Chuck Trainer and Ron Vick. Thank you for your work and for working safely.

We repaired the Main Range target boards, chicken wire and target frames. We also expended a significant effort in cleaning bays 1 through 12. "Thank You!" to Jan Hase for having the tools ready for us.

There is always a great deal to do and we always need help, so come and join us!
PLEASE NOTE: Starting with the February Work Bond, we will meet in the Main Range Clubhouse.

See you at the range, Paul W. Hilliard, Executive Officer

Single Stage Rifle and Pistol Reloading Class

On Saturday, March 30th, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm the club will be hosting a Single Stage Rifle and Pistol Reloading class. There are four reasons to load your own ammunition...and they are: save money, improve accuracy, they don't make it anymore (maybe they never did) and for a hobby. All aspects of making "Custom Ammunition" will be covered with an emphasis on rifle accuracy. If you want to learn how to find that perfect load for that rifle that should be shooting better than it is, maybe this is a class for you. If you're tired of paying \$50 to \$100 for a box of premium ammunition or you just want to research the possibility of making your own "Custom Ammunition", then this is the class for you. The cost is \$25.00 per person.

Please e-mail Steve Shippey at steve@nomikes.com or call me at 503.851.3158 to reserve a seat in the class.

A Safe, Clean Place to Shoot

At Work Bond on January 5, we expended a significant effort in cleaning the Main Range and bays 1 through 12. We removed plastic bottles, tin cans, golf balls, paper, shotgun hulls and other trash. Now that the bays are looking so good, we'd like to keep them that way. You can really make a difference if, when you're finished shooting, you take a minute and pick up what you brought. Just drop it in the garbage cans or, better yet, take it home for recycling. Thank you for your help in making ARPC a facility we can all be proud of.

Paul Hilliard, Executive Officer

Firearm Transfer Process

Many of you have recently experienced long delays when purchasing firearms and going through the Oregon State background check system. The club Pro Shop has had members waiting as long as four hours because of the large backlog of people purchasing firearms. We will be processing firearms up to 3:30pm each day in order to complete the process by 5 to 5:30pm. Please give the Pro Shop a call (541-491-3755) if you have a question about this process.

New Pro Shop And Office Hours

The ARPC Pro Shop and Office will be open for members 12pm to 5pm Monday thru Saturday beginning Friday, February 1st. We will also answer the club phone during those same hours.

This change is necessary to accomplish the 'behind the scenes' work for our members. In addition, the Pro Shop and Office may be closed at various times during the year for special events, i.e. ARPC Gun Shows. Always check the club calendar prior to making a trip to the club.

Powder, Primers, Bullets and Ammunition

The ARPC Pro Shop was built to support our club members with their shooting needs, especially during shortages like we are currently experiencing. The Pro Shop will sell powder, primers, bullets and ammunition to club members ONLY. There are also limitations on the quantity of primers, bullets and ammunition that can be purchased at one time. The ability to restock, at this time, is non-existent.

Dirty Underwear

No one likes to show their dirty underwear or talk about problems in front of the public. However, we have experienced a few problems at ARPC and need to share these with our membership. Each of the following violations can lead up to and include cancellation of a person's membership.

1. Someone has stolen one of the rubber blocks used to benchrest rifles on the main range.
2. Someone has stolen the rifle bore sighting tool that was kept in the gun maintenance room. Both of these thefts break the law and a person can be arrested. We don't want to keep shooting accessories like these under lock and key.
3. Someone shooting on the north / east range used one of the shooting chairs as a target.
4. Someone brought an empty liquor plastic jug and used it as a target.



Breaking range rules and destroying club property is serious and not taken lightly by club management. Would all members keep their eyes open and remind members when they see rules broken. Serious incidents should be reported to the Range Master, club office or a member of the Executive Board.

Main Range Safety

Two incidents have occurred on the main range recently. First, a member walked down range to set targets without activating the cease-fire alarm. Another member walked into the main range at the pistol end, didn't see anyone down range, and fired a shot at the plate racks. The member who walked down range didn't think the cease-fire alarm had been repaired but did mention it to other members on the line that he was going down range. The combination of errors could have led to a serious accident.

Second, a member activated the cease-fire alarm just as another member, who was lying prone, fired off a round. Always make sure ranges are clear before shooting, even if the alarm is off, and make sure prone shooters are ready for a cease-fire. 6562 Never push the cease-fire button and immediately take off down range, look to make sure everyone is clear of the shooting benches before crossing the red muzzle line.

AR-15 Lowers

Are you are looking for an AR-15 lower? R and R targets has donated AR-15 lowers, 30 round magazines, a pistol and other gun related parts to the Lordes Public Charter School in Scio, Oregon, for their Casino night and live auction. The event begins at 6pm with the live auction at 9pm, don't be late. Lordes School is located at 38704 N. Main St., Scio, OR, 97374.

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TRIJICON RX30 REFLEX sight w/ quick release mount for picatinny rails, no battery required \$350
2 Springfield Armory 9mm 19rd XDM magazines never used \$40 each
Contact Ed Zumstein at stein52@comcast.net in Salem

FOR SALE:

(Price include \$10 OSP fee)

Used **Smith & Wesson Model 41**: .22LR with Simmons 4X Scope and four magazines: \$675

Contact: Rob Shepherd, Shepherd Custom Arms, Brownsville, Oregon

541-466-3218

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FOR SALE:

Magazines: AR-15: C-Products 30 round. AK-47: 48 & 30 round. M-1 Carbine, 30 round, Korean. Glock, 30 round, aftermarket, new.

Ammo: 7.62x39, 1000 rounds. .223 Wolf, 920 rounds.

Contact Peter @ 541/981-8634 and make an offer.

FOR SALE:

All factory ammo - 2000 rounds of .308 \$300 for 500, 2000 rounds of .45ACP \$400 per 1000, 600 rounds 30.06 \$300, Fourteen M16 - 30 round mags at \$25 each, contact Bob Chapman at 503-540-8985 or 503-269-1141

FOR SALE:

Once fired Winchester AA Shotgun Hulls with 8 point crimp. Great for reloading. 12 GA and 20 GA available. \$5 per 100. Contact: Steve West at 503-910-7843 or westgroup@comcast.net



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Range Hours of Operation

Monday thru Friday 7:00am - 9:00pm
 Saturday & Sunday 8:00am - 8:00pm

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