



## ARPC Saddle Butte Press May 2020 Edition

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### COVID-19 UPDATE

We hope all of you are healthy and doing what you can to mitigate exposure to this virus. ARPC is a training facility and our Range remains in operation on a modified basis. We believe it is vital that our members and Law Enforcement Agencies have a place to train or just have a safe, relaxing place to shoot.

There are many new owners of firearms throughout our area. If you meet some of these new firearm owners please tell them about our Basic Pistol Class taught by our Chief Instructor Jim Gallant. He is limiting class size and has set up social distancing procedures so we can provide this vital training and provide a reasonable level of protection from the virus. The class costs \$40 or \$50 if you would like an Oregon Concealed Carry certificate. The next class is scheduled for April 19th. He will add classes as needed. See the calendar for signup info.

We also believe in protecting our employees. We have closed the Pro Shop and Office until further notice. We are sorry for the inconvenience but keeping the Range open depends on their ability to work. Dave will continue maintaining the Range. Please help protect him by giving him room to do his job. We will try to keep sticks and cardboard in the doghouse between Bays 2 and 3 for your use. Please be considerate and return the sticks to the barrel and only take as much cardboard as you need. We will provide this service as long as it doesn't get abused.

Our Disciplines will be canceled through May. We are hoping the State Government revises their restrictions soon.

Please remember to wash your hands often and keep six feet between you and others. It could be another month before things get back to normal. Watch the website for updates and we will do what we can to make your visits to the Range as enjoyable as possible.

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### Foxy New Members!



A family of foxes has built a den under the North end of the 50 yard berm. There is a mom and four kits. Please remember that all animals are protected on ARPC property. We have deer, bobcats, snakes, skunks, racoons and other wildlife on our property. I have seen elk prints and have heard of cougar sightings in the area as well. The foxes are great mousers and you may see them on a visit to the main range. We have temporarily closed the three Northernmost shooting positions. When the kits get a bit bigger they will hopefully move to greener pastures. Please use the remaining benches as normal just be aware of what is beyond your target and enjoy seeing them if they are out.

## Damage on the Trap Range



This is a picture of the plate designed to protect the trap house from being hit by incidental birdshot. This is not a target for testing slugs. This deliberate damage is uncalled for and causes range funds to be diverted to needless repairs instead of regular maintenance or expansion.

Another person tried to change the angle of one of the Trap throwers by lifting up on the aluminum thrower arm. The arm was bent causing it to malfunction. We were able to straighten the arm but once again another needless repair. We set the thrower angles carefully to control where the shot falls. Changing these angles defeats our safety protocols and endangers members.

There is also shot impacts on one of the instruction signs for the thrower. An example of poor marksmanship at a minimum Please respect the equipment we provide for **your** use and let us know if you see someone abusing your club equipment.



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## MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF INSTRUCTOR

### Eye protection Policy:

As the sun begins to provide us with more warmth and light, we hope to see many of you out on the range. Now, of course, if the sun is bright, and you have adequate eye protection in the way of sunglasses, then please wear them as soon as you enter the main gate. You may only remove them when in the office or classroom or clubhouse. There can be a problem when the darker glasses prevent you from seeing well during cloudy and dark days, and as a result many people remove them when shooting! Please don't be one of those people ..... bring choices of clear lenses as well as tinted lenses so you will never need to be without eye pro. 12220 Our RSO's are still finding that not wearing eye pro on the range, especially when shooting, remains a common problem. Make sure that guests and non-shooters are also protected. We have eye pro to purchase in the range store pro shop when we reopen. Enjoy the spring shooting season!

Jim Gallant  
Chief Instructor, ARPC  
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## 3D Range Update



The ground is finally getting dry enough to start preparing the 3D Range for use. We could use some volunteers to help with mowing, weed eating and setting the targets. If you are interested in helping, we will be working on it on as time allows starting Monday, May 11th. We will work on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays until it is complete. The more help we get, the sooner it will be open for use. Email Brian @ [execdirector@arpc.info](mailto:execdirector@arpc.info) to schedule your work bond.

## Membership Account Access

We are utilizing QuickBooks Online to simplify the renewal and New Member process. This is a simple and safe system to use. We will email you an invoice. With a few simple clicks and your credit card information your dues will be paid. You will receive an emailed receipt showing your dues are paid. You can also mail us a check or pay in person once the office reopens 13445 As an ARPC member you have access to your own section of the website. In that section you can update your mailing address and email address. Forgotten your login information? No problem. Just [email the office](#) and we'll send a reminder to your email address that we have on file.



## Classified Section

### FOR SALE

Model BPS UP-Upland Special Gauge 20 ga Barrel 22" Chokes Inv-+ (Ic-Mod-Full)

Shot about 20 rounds

\$375.

Thompson Center Arms

14" 223 Rem Open Sights Heavy Barrel

10" 22LR Open Sights Heavy Barrel

\$400.

Contact Mike Beach @ [54c170b@gmail.com](mailto:54c170b@gmail.com)

### FOR SALE:

Clean, decapped brass casings; 9mm (1400) 40 S&W (1500) 45ACP (1000 small primer, 2000+ large primer); 38 Special (1400+); .223REM (700+) 308 WIN (<100)

Contact Marc Rocque at [rocquenroll@gmail.com](mailto:rocquenroll@gmail.com) or call 503-581-6680

### FOR SALE:

20 8 MM casings, 200 8 MM 220 gr bullets, 100 8 MM 236 gr bullets, \$35 for all!

223 cases, \$8 per hundred  
Contact Bill Kughn 541- 424-5050

**FOR SALE:**

Sparc II red dot sight. Two MOA dot with flipup covers in new condition. Ready to mount to a picatinny rail. Original box and instructions included. \$100 Contact Lloyd @ 541-979-3866 or dogman200@comcast.net

**FOR SALE:**

Brand new in box Cimarron by Uberti 1873 38/357 octagon barrel rifle. Tuned with super short stroke and lightweight carrier \$1500 OBO  
Real nice WWII G.I. M1 Carbine Underwood. sling, oiler, 15 round mag, 30 round mag. Great shape- great bore- no import marks \$1200 OBO  
Contact Bart Star @ 503-391-8917

**FOR SALE:**

Browning A Bolt stainless steel stalker 300 win mag, barrel code np  
Nikon Prostaff 4-12 x 40 BDC scope. Asking \$600.00.  
Jim Clark 541-753-8930

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### About Us

Albany Rifle and Pistol Club is centrally located in Linn County, Oregon and consists of six ranges. We are a membership club; however, we feature a wide variety of shooting disciplines and educational classes that are open to the public. Contact us to

schedule a range tour. You'll like what you see.  
Office and Pro Shop Hours, Monday through Saturday, 10AM-5PM

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