



ARPC Saddle Butte Press June 2025 Newsletter

[Check Out Our Calendar of Events](#)

Oregon 4-H State Contest



4-H is having their State Contest on site from June 15 to June 18 and we are looking for RO's to assist with this event.

Please note that this will not count towards your RSO obligation if you are in the Range Safety Officer Program, but it will count for Work Bond if you are not.

If you would like to volunteer to be an RO for this event, email Brian Boesch at xd@arpc.info

GSSF MATCH JULY 19th & 20th

It's time for another fun weekend with the great people from Glock! We will host this unique competition in July. You may choose to shoot on either Saturday, Sunday or both days. Matches consist of three “stages of fire” with both paper and steel targets.

Competitors can usually complete all stages of the match in one day. Registration

opens at about 9:00 AM each day and closes at 2:00 PM. Shooting continues until all registered entries have completed their stages or we run out of daylight, whichever happens first. Stage signup books are closed ½ hour after registration closes.

GSSF membership is required of all competitors. You can create a GSSF account at GSSF.pro, or at the match.

Members are eligible to purchase firearms through our affiliation with the Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) and GLOCK firearms may also be available to members at better than normal retail prices through GLOCK's Discount Pistol Purchase Program. GSSF members are also eligible to attend the GLOCK Armorer, Advanced Armorer, Operator, GLOCK Fundamentals Course and Low Profile Carry classes through GLOCK Training. These matches are lots of fun and a low stress way to experience competition. As always, we need 25 to 30 volunteers each day. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Brian @ xd@arpc.info No experience needed, and we will provide you with lunch each day. We also draw for a pistol or two to our volunteers

Saddle Butte Rendezvous

ARPC and Bi-Mart are collaborating on an exciting event this August. We will host an open house with Bi-Mart firearm vendors and invite the public to test a variety of pistols, shotguns and rifles. Bi-Mart will be offering special sales over the weekend and will be giving away several firearms. Other Bi-Mart outdoor related vendors will be demonstrating their products as well. There will be a shuttle bus to whisk attendees from the main range to the North Range and back. With two great food trucks to choose from, you won't go hungry. Just like the gun shows, ARPC members will get in free! We will be selling Bi-Mart ammo tickets for a modest fee to test the various firearms. This will be a great opportunity to get a feel for how these firearms fit you and get a good deal to boot! Stay tuned for more information.

Range Safety Officers Needed

The mission of the RSO program is to provide trained volunteer RSOs to monitor members and guests using the ARPC facilities. We are in need of a few more to cover scheduled range patrols, which cover the weekends. The benefit of volunteering as an RSO is individual member dues coverage with a minimum of four, six hour tours.

The requirements of becoming an RSO include being a member in good standing with at least one year of membership, an interview, pass the online RSO test, and complete a training session with the RSO Manager.

If you are interested or wish to know more about the requirements, contact me at rso.mgr@arpc.info or text me at 541-760-1792.

Thank you

Lou Thelen, RSO Manager

Give Back to Oregon as an ODFW Volunteer



Most of us have benefitted from Hunter Safety Programs. For me it was 60 years ago and allowed me to hunt for the first time. These programs depend on volunteers for their core trainers. The covid lockdowns really damaged volunteerism and it hasn't gotten better. If you have some spare time and would like to donate back to the hunting traditions we have enjoyed, please consider helping out. Many classes are held at ARPC so you can do some shooting after the classes! Donating even one day a year is all it takes to be helpful. ODFW can be as flexible as possible to find the right opportunity to fit your schedule.

If you would like to volunteer with ODFW. Please visit myodfw.com/volunteer

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PISTOL MATCH

SATURDAY, JUNE 21st, 2025

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Albany Rifle and Pistol Club presents:

ARPC Q3 RANGE DAY

June 28th, bay 12

in collaboration with @4everagainstthestream

\$50, open to the public

***50 slots available on a first-come basis,
register at classes@arpc.info***

Required gear: rifle w/sling, pistol w/kydex holster, belt with at least one rifle mag pouch, two pistol mag pouches, 50 rounds rifle (no m855 or AP), 150 rounds pistol, eye and ear protection.

for more details visit the calendar at www.arpc.info

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against the law. Please do not kill them. Hunting on ARPC property is against the rules. Please be considerate of all the Wildlife that has made ARPC it's home.



ARPC Classes in June

Basic Firearm Safety- June 9, 2025

Safety and Basic Skills Evaluation- June 11, 2025

Skills Clinic- June 12, 2025

AR Level 2- June 14, 2025

Indoor Range- June 14, 2025

Defensive Shotgun- June 22, 2025

Handgun Level 2- June 25 & 26, 2025 (Split evening class)

Modern Sporting Rifle- June 29, 2025

Coming in July!!!

Trauma First Aid- July 26, 2025

Private Instruction: Times to be determined on an individual basis.

Please check out our calendar for more information regarding our classes.

To register for a class please fill out the registration form found on the Training page of our website ([Here](#)), or from the second page from the link on our calendar. If you have questions, please email classes@arpc.info

Basic Firearms Safety

This class introduces new shooters, or those wanting a refresher, on basic concepts and principles related to firearms safety. Topics will include universal safety rules and concepts, firearms safety at home, firearms safety in vehicles, and firearms safety at the range. The class will consist of classroom lecture, dry-fire exercises, and live-fire exercises. Rifles, handguns, and shotguns are all welcome.

Safety & Basic Skills Evaluation

This is a Skills Evaluation Test to demonstrate that you possess the necessary skill level to bypass our basic classes and advance into Level 1 Handgun or AR Level 1 THIS IS NOT AN INSTRUCTIONAL OR A TEACHING CLASS!!

Handgun Fundamentals

Our Basic Handgun class at ARPC focuses on handgun familiarity and safety. There are no prerequisites for this class. The intent is to provide basic training for those with little or no shooting experience and for those who want a refresher on the basics. We have had experienced shooters with no formal training benefit from taking this class. Basic Handgun is 5 hours and participants will need a semi-auto handgun, and 50 rounds of new ammo (.380 to .45)

Concealed Carry

In this class you will receive the training qualifying you to apply for both the Oregon Concealed Handgun License and the Utah Concealed Firearm Permit. We teach both because the Oregon permit is limited to Oregon only, so travel out of state is problematic. The Utah concealed permit covers 32+ states. What makes this course unique is that we also provide the photo, the two sets of fingerprints, the application, and an addressed and stamped envelope for the Utah license, so after class you can just drop it in the mailbox. ARPC is a non-profit organization and

provides this service to the community by helping to subsidize the cost of this class.

Skills Clinic

The purpose of ARPC Classes is to ensure that you get the training you need to use your firearm safely and proficiently. With this in mind, we are now offering a free clinic that allows you to get additional training on one skill that was covered in the ARPC classes that you passed. One Clinic per class please.

Modern Sporting Rifle Fundamentals (AR Fundamentals)

The Modern Sporting Rifle Fundamentals class is intended to familiarize students with Modern Sporting Rifles (MSR's), as well as basic firearms safety principles. There are no prerequisites for this class, as the intent is to provide a basic level of training for those with little or no shooting experience with their rifle, or for those who may have some experience but who want a refresher on the basics. Students may bring any Modern Sporting Rifle (including both AR and AK style firearms), but please be aware that an AR-15 platform firearm (either .223 or 5.56) will be required to advance to the AR Level I and AR Level 2 classes.

Trauma First Aid

This is a First Aid Class that will cover common injuries but includes more on the type of injuries you might see while participating in shooting sports. This is a hands-on class and may use a pig's shoulder as a teaching aid. As an added bonus, you will receive a CPR, AED, and Basic First Aid Certificate Card at no extra charge.

Cleaning Class

Shooting is fun, cleaning generally is not! But it is a necessary part of firearms knowledge and safety. This class is intended for any firearm owner to better learn how to clean their specific gun, whether it be a handgun, rifle, or shotgun. There is no one correct way to clean, as individual preferences abound. The purpose of this class is to expose the student to different methods of cleaning, from the use of solvents, lubricants, gun oils, CLP, ultrasonic cleaners, air compressors, and don't forget your old toothbrush! Bring your gun(s) and learn from experienced instructors. Bring whatever supplies you ordinarily use. If you have never cleaned a gun before or have no supplies, no worry, this class will help you decide what you do need to clean your gun. We will have supplies to borrow and use for students without their own.

Level 1 Classes

AR Level 1

This class is the next level above our MSR Fundamentals class and will build on the skills and knowledge covered in that class. The prerequisite is either ARPC's MSR Fundamentals (with an AR-15) or our Safety & Basic Skill Evaluation. AR Level 1

will be 6 hours and participants will need to bring an AR-15 (.223 or 5.56), 100 rounds of new ammo, and at least 2 Mags holding 10 or more rounds.

Handgun Level 1

This is the next level above our Basic Handgun class and will build on the skills and knowledge covered in that class. The prerequisite is either Basic Handgun Class or our Safety & Basic Skill Evaluation. Level 1 Handgun will be 6 hours and participants will need to bring a semi-auto handgun (.380 to .45), 100 rounds of new ammo, and an outside the waist holster.

Defensive Shotgun

Defensive shotgun focuses on using the shotgun for home defense which is very different from clay games or hunting. This class is good for new shotgun shooters and established shooters who want to brush up and practice their skills. Students will bring their own shotgun (12 or 20 gauge, pump or semi-automatic, full shoulderable stock) which will be inspected by the instructor prior to class. Students should also bring ammunition appropriate for their shotgun (10 slugs, 10 buckshot, and 100 birdshot), eye and ear protection, and a way to carry ammunition on their person – such as a nail bag, apron, big pockets, or fannypack. The prerequisite for this class is successfully completing Basic Pistol, AR Fundamentals, or passing the Safety and Basic Skills Evaluation. This class is 6 hours and will be mostly hands on.

Level 2 Classes

AR Level 2

This is the 3rd class in the ARPC AR sequence. The prerequisite is successful completion of AR Level 1. We will build on the skills and the knowledge covered in the previous classes. AR Level 2 will be 6 hours and participants will need to bring a AR-15, 200 rounds of new ammo either .223 or 5.56 (no reloads, armor piercing, or green tip), at least 2 mags holding 10 or more rounds, and a mag pouches are required.

Level 2 Handgun

Level 2 handgun is the 3rd class in the ARPC handgun sequence. We will build on the skills and the knowledge covered in the previous classes. The prerequisite is successful completion of Level 1 Handgun. Level 2 Handgun will be 6 hours and participants will need to bring a semi-auto handgun (.380 to .45) or a revolver, 200 rounds of new ammo (no reloads), and outside the waist holster, and a speed reloader if using a revolver.

Low Light Handgun Level 1

Our low light classes are intended for primarily home defenders or anyone out at night and armed. Our lead instructor will provide both classroom as well as range experience. We have chosen a night with little moonlight. The demonstration and practice drills will be both dry fire and live fire. The first night is classroom and the second night is range. Different hand held techniques and weapon mounted lights

will be covered. This next class will be the level 1 class.

Remember, never shoot at something that you can not identify; never shoot at shadows, sounds, or shapes! When there is a bump in the night at zero dark 30, what should you do? Come to class and find out!

Please note that Handgun Level 1 is a prerequisite of this class.

Level 3 Classes

Low Light Handgun Level 2

Our Low Light II Course builds on the skills and concepts of our first Low Light Course . This course will be taught in a two-night format. The first night will consist of a review of the skills and concepts of the first course along with live fire range work. The second night will be all live fire with drills stressing target identification and flashlight handling. As before, weapon mounted lights will be allowed and may be used but the focus will remain on flashlight deployment.

Handgun Level 3

Classroom instruction will include Ethical Responsibilities of CCW, dealing with violent encounters, considerations of holding attackers at gunpoint, contacting law enforcement and dealing with their arrival, the aftermath of a defensive shooting and more. Practical techniques for concealed carry such as a discussion of holsters, carry location and clothing will be discussed and demonstrated in greater depth than prior classes.

New skills will include drawing and shooting using appropriately concealed firearms. No “range rigs” or “war belts” will be allowed. Range appropriate concealed holsters such as 3 o’clock OWB or IWB appendix holsters, preferably Kydex or leather, will be used for this course.

Range work will consist of line drills and advance to scenario-based shooting sessions with shoot/no shoot targets and reactive targets designed to enhance student reactions to situations and assist with their thought process during defensive encounters.

Newsletter Classifieds Policy

All Sale/Wanted Items are on a monthly basis. If you wish to place an ad or have your ad continue to run , you will have to inform us by email (frontoffice@arpc.info) no later than the **25th** of each month. **NO PICTURES.**

For Sale

20ga 2 1/2 inch 3 boxes of 25 **\$12 each**
20ga 2 3/4 inch 3 boxes of 25. **\$12 each**
.22 Magnum 30gr CCI 34 boxes of 50 **\$10 each**
.22 Magnum 40gr CCI 10 boxes of 50 **\$10 each**
.22 Magnum 275 misc. **\$25**
.22 long rifle Winchester 40gr 7 boxes of 100 **\$8 each**
.22 long rifle CCI 40ge 15 boxes of 100 **\$8 each**
.22 long rifle Remington box of 525 **\$20 each**
.22 long rifle Federal box of 525 **\$20 each**
.22 long rifle Federal box of 325 2 boxes **\$15 each**
.22 long rifle misc. boxes of 50 40 boxes **\$2.50 each**
.22 long rifle 550 misc. **\$15**
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.270 Remington 130gr 2 boxes of 20 **\$20 each**
Titegroup 1 1/4lbs **\$25**
HS6 1 lb. **\$25**
RCBS .380 die set **\$40**
IMR HI-SKOR 800 appx 3lbs **\$30**

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Slide Lock Low use
\$475
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Berretta 92fs **\$375**

Heritage "Rough Rider" .22lr & .22 mag cylinders **\$90**

Ruger LCP .380 **\$90**

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Ruger Precision Rimfire .17 HMR w/ BSA Sweet 17 3-12x40 Scope **\$375**

Ruger Wrangler .22lr **\$125**

Savage .17HMR with Hawke Vantage 4-16x50 AO IR Scope **\$350**

Taurus Tracker 6" .17 HMR **\$325**
Taurus Tracker 6" .22lr & .22 Mag cylinders **\$350**

Sig M400 Tread Snakebite 5.56 **\$750**

Smith & Wesson M&P M2.0 Core 9mm with Crimson Trace Red Dot **\$600**

Smith & Wesson M&P .40 S&W **\$350**

Springfield Armory XDm Elite OSP 9mm with Hex Dragonfly **\$450**

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Vortex Spotting Scope 85 HD Razor With Vortex Tripod
Excellent condition used once **\$700**

Leica Rangemaster 1200 CRF-Y Excellent, Like New Condition **\$300**

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For Sale

Springfield XD .45 ACP 3.3" with Factory Box, Good Condition, **\$250**

Springfield XD Tactical 5" .45 ACP, Factory Box w/ 4 Hi Cap Mags **\$350**

Browning Buck Mark .22, Blued, 6" not threaded, Like New: **\$250**

Sig Sauer P365 SAS 9mm: Like New, 2 Mags, Box, **\$450**

Sig Sauer P320 Spectre Comp 9mm, Gold Barrel, Factory Box, Like New, **\$850.**

Savage Stance 9mm Pistol, New in Box, FDE, **\$250**

Springfield 67 (Savage Arms) 12 gauge pump shotgun, 3" chamber, 26" smooth barrel, blued/wood; great shape for an older shotgun: **\$100**

Blazer Brass 115 Gr. 9mm, **\$220 per Case/1000.**

Pistols are available for transfer at my dealer in Albany, or will deliver to your preferred FFL within reason.

Call/Text Travis 541 990-3803

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. 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.

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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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