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CASCADE FIELD & STREAM CLUB

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Range News: FYI - There has been a little trouble getting the gate lock to lock. One member will use some dry lube and see if that helps. But, please take extra care to make sure the lock is closed.

There is one shooting table to be built. John Entwistle will have it ready soon, as well as braces, and is also working on benches that will sit higher than the yellow plastic chairs.

Grants: We should have a bid any day for a shelter on the pistol range. The asphalt paving will get done soon - we will announce the date ahead of time as the range will be closed.

The Law & Justice grant (\$3000) for a road in to the law enforcement range needs to be completed by July 1st. Let's hope the ground firms up enough to get that, and other dirt work done.

Hunter Education Classes: Lead instructor Trevin Roletto announces two classes this summer starting June 19th and July 17th. Classes run Mon, Wed, and Fri evenings with range day on Sunday. The range will be closed on those Sundays from 9 am to about 2 pm. For more info go on-line to www.wdfw.wa.gov/huntered or call Trevin at 253-569-1008 or Mark at 509-670-1464. Students must pre-register on-line.

Scholarship: Treasurer Rita announced that scholarship applications have been distributed to all Upper Kittitas County schools for graduating seniors.

News Bits: Club members approved purchase of two club ball caps for Life Members Tom Chini and Chris Cruse for their help on the grant safety certification.

Doug Sargent won the 50/50 drawing for half of the \$46 pot at the meeting last night. He graciously donated it back to the club.



Upcoming Events

June 10

Kids Fishing Derby at Lavender Lake.

June 19

Hunter Education Class at Centennial Center

Range Safety Officer Doug Sargent



Doug recently retired from Boeing and took the training to be an NRA Certified RSO. When he is on duty Doug is the BOSS.

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From Wes Jones: I would like to find a lever or pump action .22 that takes a clip (box) magazine. Also as I am left handed the bolt action is a little awkward. From what I am seeing the only rifle that might meet my needs is the Ruger 96/22.

Does anyone know where I might find one of these in decent condition, the price I might have to pay is currently an unknown but it shouldn't be that much as these guns were not that popular and went out of production in the 1990's.

I see there are a couple of gun shows coming up in Yakima and I could go there and look. However from what I have seen in the past gun show prices tend to be a little on the high side.

Any help or info would be appreciated. Wes Jones (wesjones98922@yahoo.com)

Banquet: Treasurer Rita has provided a final "net income" figure of \$9232.61

FYI - WDFW has reserved the Selah Civic Center for May 17th as the location and date for the first Wenas Target Shooting Committee meeting. WDFW has reserved the Center beginning 5 pm for set up and ending 9 pm. This event may be held as the <u>single opportunity</u> for the general public from Ellensburg to Selah to have input to this important process.

Justice consists not in being neutral between right and wrong, but in finding out the right and upholding it, wherever found, against the wrong. <u>Theodore Roosevelt</u>,



Habitat: The property is beautiful right now with lots of grasses and wildflowers showing. The bitterbrush plugs planted last fall are surviving and growing. No sign of the seeds sprouting yet - weather is too cool. Watch for ticks if you walk around in the grasses.

Good of the Order: We had a good meeting last night with 27 members present, including several new members. Let's hope we can keep getting new people involved to help with new ideas and energy. And, maybe, the next time we announce a work party, we can get a few more than 6 members out there. If anyone has ideas on how to do things better please run them by me or one of the club officers. This email address for the newsletter is a good place for a sounding board. Steve Rogers, Editor

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