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CASCADE FIELD & STREAM CLUB

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Range News: Lots to report:

The last newsletter was to thank all the folks who have been working hard to make this club great again. And the Kudos keep coming. Eric Reynolds has offered to seal the gap on the roof and sides of the pistol sheds. Our club welder and Board member, Rick Brzozowski and VP Larry Haywood build the rebar frames and got the footings ready for the baffle. I was right in there urging them on. We had a good crew show up (Brad Coffey, Jim Jones, Dan Pensula, Larry, Rick, Dan and I) to set the forms/rebar on Monday and a great crew on Tuesday for the cement pour (Terry and Pam Winter, Steve Houle, Randy Fischer, Ed Taasevigen, Bill Loder, Bruce Coe, Dan, Larry, Rick and I). Pam brought treats. Special thanks to all of you from VP Larry Haywood - "It is great to see this place coming together and members getting to know each other and work together". Due to soft ground the entire operation was done with wheelbarrows! And all in one hour. And, since the cement truck got stuck we employed two RAM pickups to pull it out - we got lucky!!

At the meeting Monday night our longtime, dedicated Treasurer, Rita Thurston, was presented a Life Membership from the Board. Thanks for all you do, Rita.

RSO, Doug Sargent, is setting up a sign-in log for members/guests and will have Hold Harmless forms to sign. He also offered to build sliding doors for the pistol sheds. And he is setting up a counter for the gate to keep track of how many visits we get per day. Geez, slow down Doug!

Steve Douglas has submitted the Friends of the NRA Grant application for money to build a floor and walls for a clubhouse in the container shed. Big job - thanks.

Only sank about 8 inches!



Upcoming Events

Banquet set for Feb. 24, 2018



Sonotube and rebar forms.



Steve Houle pushing mud1



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News Bits:

- -Know anyone who wants a Caldwell Lead Sled (with 2, 25lb plate weights)? It's in great condition and I don't want much for it, I just never use it. John E (Email Steve Rogers if interested and we will make it work).
- -Our past President, Duane Fluent, passed away this last year. His wife has donated a beautiful solid oak roll-top desk for the banquet. I currently have it parked in my garage but will be out of room when I park the camper inside. Can anyone hold it for us until the banquet in Feb? Duane bought the desk at our banquet many years ago. It is in great condition and looking for a nice home. Email me.
- Roger Swanson has agreed to do our auction again in Feb. He said he really enjoys it and the people are great. We provide him a meal, an annual membership, and a small stipend for his efforts.
- -Raffle tickets are started to sell like crazy. Best get some quick we only print 1,000.
- -The 50/50 raffle pot has grown to \$354 as of the meeting last night. Every time you attend a monthly meeting your name goes in for the drawing at the annual banquet. We draw at the meetings and the winner gets 50%, with the other half going to the big drawing in February. Pretty good incentive to attend meetings, eh?
- -At this moment we have a total of 513 members...ooops, 514 now another member, Greg Laycock, just joined. That is a lot of members compared to even three years ago. If you have not been up to the range in the last few months you may want to go check it out. The Board has discussed many issues, including the fact that a lot of members don't really know the process for using the range or what we expect from members as far as range rules, safety, cleanup, etc. A motion was passed to begin having a mandatory orientation for all members prior to issuance of renewal membership cards. We still have a bunch of members who have not sent in a signed Hold Harmless form. That will be enforced prior to getting a new card. Just thought I would throw this out there for your information not sure when this will be implemented.







Bruce Coe

Pam says "more mud here"

Bill Loder has the tough job?



Crew waits turn

Rick checks forms

Truck pulled out!!





2018 Raffle tickets now available. Send check or money order to: CF&S Club, PO Box 424, Cle Elum 98922. Specify how many tickets @ \$5 you want sent to you. Prizes: 24-gun safe, Win. XPR bolt action in .300 Win Mag, Mossberg 500 pump 12 ga., Diamond Infinity Rt hand compound bow.

Steve Rogers, Editor (unless someone else wants to do it?)

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