

Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association

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Due to an family emergency our member Dave Metcalf who normally works at our club's July Gun Show will not be available to help us this year, so we are looking for club volunteers that can step in and assist us with this important club event. If you are willing to step up and help out by volunteering at the Gun Show please contact Laurie Page, the show organizer, at 250-388-0705 or at page.laurie@rocketmail.com.

Victoria Fish & Game Protective Association

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Meeting & Club Information

Board meetings - 1st Monday of the Month @ 7:30pm, Esquimalt Anglers Lounge 1101 Munro Street Member Meeting

Strawberry Vale Hall 7:00pm.

Member meetings are on the 3rd Monday of each month at NEW TIME 7:00pm. in the Strawberry Vale Hall at 11 High Street, off Burnside Road West. Adam is usually at the meetings every month selling memberships, in case you don't have yours yet.

(No Members Meetings during the Summer)

Club House and Ranges are located at 700 Holker Place off Malahat Drive - about 20 minutes North of Victoria on

Highway 1 opposite Spectacle Lake turn-off.

Information Phone: (250) 743-3504

Recorded Range Scheduling Information—updated every morning

Web: www.vfgpa.org E-mail: inquiry@vfgpa.org

Mail: PO Box 93, Victoria BC V8W 2M1

Memberships available from:

Island Outfitters

3319 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C. 250-475-4969

Pullen's Gunsmithing

1698 Millstream Rd. Victoria, BC (250) 474-2512 (Friday—Sunday)

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Robinson's Outdoor Store

1307 Broad Street, Victoria Downtown (250) 385-3429

Victoria Fish and Game Range

700 Holker Place, Malahat, B.C.

Membership Chair

Eileen Bancroft - membership@vfgpa.org

Annual 2019 Membership as of April 1st

* Adult \$185 * Family \$220 *Students \$110 * Senior \$95 * Junior \$45



HOUSE KEEPING

Hello Members, a few house keeping items:

ALL NEW MEMBERS MUST TAKE THE ORIENTATION COURSE BEFORE THEY ARE ALLOWED TO USE THE CLUBS RANGES.

EVERYONE NEEDS TO SIGN IN WHEN AT THE RANGE!!

You cannot sign in anyone (for Free) on your Memberships. (if you don't have a Membership Card you have to have a Day-Pass displayed on you)

Sweeping your brass/steel/empty hulls off the concrete and/or leaving them on the ground is <u>not acceptable.</u> Please clean up after yourself. We have a lot of range users that do not know the rules (Day-Pass Users or New Members that haven't taken the mandatory "Orientation Course") please educate anyone not cleaning up after themselves. Extra buckets have been put at each range, these are not garbage buckets they are to be used for Brass Cartridges (recycle) on the R/P and M/P Range, shotgun shells on the S/G Range. All garbage (paper, plastic, cardboard) goes into the garbage cans.

Please print your Name/Member Number when you sign in, we **NEED** to be able to read what you **Write / Print**. **YOU MUST INITIAL THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT YOU KNOW THE RULES OF THE CLUB**

If **4:45pm** is Closing Time the last shot is **4:15pm**, you have 1/2 hr. to clean up and be past the main gate before it is locked. You need to be on the other side of the main gate by **4:45pm**. Range staff have already worked their 8 hours and would like to go home and see their families.

CLOSING TIMES VFGPA 2019 (gate locked)

April 01- Sept 15	8:00pm
Sept 16-30	7:30pm
Oct 01- 15	7:00pm
Oct 16-31	6:30pm
Nov 01-03 (Last Da	y Daylight S)6:00pm
Nov 4-15	4:45pm

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 Nov 16-30
 4:30pm

 Dec 01- 31
 4:30pm

Last Shot ½ hr before above time

Gate dummy locked ½ hr before Last Shot

Thank you, Club Manager, David M.

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THERE ARE NO MEMBER MEETINGS DURING THE SUMMER, NEXT ONE WILL BE IN SEPTEMBER

At the Strawberry Vale Hall at 11 High Street, off Burnside Road West. Hope to see you there!



SURVEY ON FISHING POND

If you go fishing at the Club pond, please answer these questions and email to pchow4570@shaw.ca

- 1. How many times have you fished at the club property?
- **2**. Are you fishing with a child or children, how many children?
 - **3**. How many fish are you keeping?

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

This is just a reminder that by law if you own a restricted firearm you must have a gun club membership (any gun club) or you may be subject to having your restricted firearms confiscated by the RCMP. Also make sure your PAL has not expired. As life gets busy we all know how easy it is to forget things. If you have firearms you want to dispose of, contact the club if you require assistance.

The existing *Firearms Marking Regulations* under the *Firearms Act*, scheduled to come into force on December 1, 2018, are being deferred until December 1, 2020



5TH ANNUAL EDWARDIAN SHOOTING PARTY By GARY & SYBIL KANGAS

For the 5th year the Edwardians appeared armed and ready to vie for top gun on June 30th, 2019. There were also some modern shotgunners who were intrigued by the competition and decided to enter. The Edwardians welcomed the new entrants. With traditional black powder cartridge guns blazing the Edwardians put on a grand show with VFGPA member Roby shooting black powder won Top Gun. Roby also was awarded Top Gun for black powder cartridge shotgun. Second place was garnered by "Don" shooting a modern over and under shotgun. Shawn was 3rd place Shotgunner. The ladies were not to be outdone. Laurie with her Edwardian attire, however, shooting a modern shotgun won Top Ladies.

There were attendees dressed in eye catching Edwardian era outfits. The best of which was Bruce in his stunning tartan of the Essex & Kent Scottish Regiment in which he was an Officer in his youth. The ladies were well represented by Laurie in her Edwardian summer best and Sybil in her 1910 cycling outfit. Gary was dressed in his 1910 shotgunner best.

After the competition the participants sat down to Edwardian tea and sandwiches which were consumed with delight.

A note of grateful appreciation to Tom & Jodi Sturgill as the event co-ordinator and volunteers Mike King, who set up the Trap machines, Bernard Stewart also for scoring with Mike. Thank you for the helpers without them the Edwardians would not have such a successful event.









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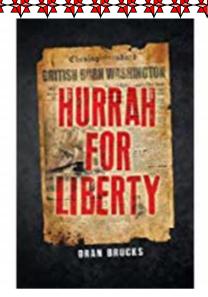




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Hurrah for Liberty is a new novel by Vancouver Island resident writer, avid Black powder shooter, hunter, magazine writer and history enthusiast Oran Brucks.

Follow the exciting story of two brothers, the sons of a famed Pennsylvania gunsmith who embark on an epic journey down the Ohio River looking hoping to find some adventure and excitement. Adventure finds them and their idyllic trip becomes a deadly pursuit by ruthless enemies who are prepared to use any means to stop the brothers. Hurrah for Liberty is available at Amazon.ca and in distribution to book sellers worldwide.



NEEDED

We really need Members to Volunteer to present the Orientation Courses, Trap Access, Holster, And Handgun Essentials Courses. Not a huge commitment, as we present the Trap Access Program (about 40 min.).

Trap is at 6 pm every Wed except during the winter.

Orientation is every Wed at 7pm, all year long Plus the odd Sat/Sun during the month.

We are doing the Holster Course and Handgun Essentials Course once a Month (usually on Sun.) but some Saturdays would be good as well. Very easy to do, training provided, just send me an e-mail davidmichaud333@gmail.com



<u>VICTORIA FISH AND GAME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION</u> <u>DISCOVERY DAYS 2019 NEWLETTER REPORT</u>

Once more this year's Discovery Days attendance by the public exceeded last year's count; 772 guests were registered at the clubhouse. Volunteer attendance was in excess of 100 club members who came out and give their time to make this day our annual day to show the public what the VFGPA is all about and what we do. This year all the ranges were in use, a bus was provided to transport the general public to and from the airsoft and multiranges. Shooting demonstrations, with hands on shooting, and fishing was given to the public. Various displays were given with many new participates i.e. the Canadian Armed Forces, Conservation Service of British Columbia and even the Conservative Party of Canada were on hand. It was noted that the shooting venues were not as congested and the public gave positive feedback to our members. Thanks has to be attributed to the many members who volunteered their time to come out, assist, and support each other throughout the day. Without you events like this can never be accomplished. Many notes were taken throughout the day offering constrictive criticism and suggestions to make next year's event better. All have been included in the complete report which will be sent to the board of directors. In closing, I would like to personally thank all the Discipline Directors and each volunteer for your dedication, enthusiasm and outstanding efforts you all put in to make this day a success.

Thanks

Mike King

Trap Director and Discovery Day Coordinator

Archery

Doug and Sonya should be awarded a sainthood for bringing in a team to bail out Outdoor Discovery Day, which had 10-20 deep line up the entire day eager to get their hands on a bow. I have board approval to place two Canada Summer Job student hires on site over July & August for trails and grounds maintenance, and a very interested group of professional motorcycle instructors have booked the range as a training facility for off-road dual sport training, bringing in much needed

cash to pay for much needed maintenance in the absence of volunteer work commitments. I'm looking forward to training our youth hires to assist the public on site over the summer and help build the core group of Cavemen.

Airsoft has also booked the trails one weekend day each month to accommodate their growing discipline. I assume they understand that comes with a volunteer work commitment.

Please be sure to check the booking calendar going forward, as the archery range is going to be a busy place with maintenance and corporate bookings.

Terrance Martin VFGPA Director access@vfgpa.org





Hansard voting results for Bill C71 for Vancouver Island

This information is an excerpt from the September 24, 2018 Hansard for Bill C-71. The Hansard is an official parliament record of voting on all Bills. I will put the MPS name first, their political party and riding they represent.

Elizabeth May	Green Party	Saanich-Gulf Islands
Murray Rankin	NDP	Victoria
Alistair MacGregor	NDP	Cowichan-Malahat-Langford
Randall Garrison	NDP	Esquimalt-Saanich- Sooke
Sheila Malcolmson	NDP	Nanaimo-Ladysmith
Rachael Blaney	NDP	North Island-Powell River

All of the above MPs voted yes to Bill C-71 which is a direct attack on on Firearm ownership and yes affects us all. If you voted for these MPs you are destroying your own ability to own firearms.

We as a club with our membership numbers along with non member friends, families and others pack a major political clout. You have to protect yourselves, don't rely on the NFA, CCFR and other groups to do your work. If you choose to be apathetic not fighting for your firearms then you deserve the consequences,

Thank you for your time

John Pitchford



MEMBERSHIP NOTICE

"The membership director would like to remind all members to fill out the membership form fully and legibly. Items written on last years form will not necessarily carry over to the this year. If your address, email, phone or courses have changed, this is the place to correct them. We also need to be able to read the information on the form so it may be entered into our data base."



June Silhouette Match

Participation at the June Silhouette match was down from the last few months. We were fortunate to have 5 shooters return after shooting their first match earlier this year; thank you Ron, Rick, Al, Todd and Lysanne for returning, and welcome to a new shooter, Paul – hope to see you all again soon.

Competitors shot two, 40 round matches in Smallbore Silhouette Rifle, and two, 40 round matches in Smallbore Silhouette Hunting Rifle. Blair Desjardins was match winner in both categories - congratulations Blair!

Smallbore Silhouette Rifle results:

- * Unclassified 6. Paul Gatto
- * B 20, Todd Horn
- * A 29, Marc Leduc
- * AA 34, Steve Shulhan
- * Match Winner 42, Blair Desjardins
- * Awards: 5-pin Pigs Steve Shulhan and Blair Desjardins

Smallbore Silhouette Hunting Rifle results:

- * B 16, Rick Connoly
- * A 35, Marc Leduc
- * AAA 36, Steve Shulhan
- * Match Winner 42, Blair Desjardins
- * Awards: 5-pin Chickens Blair Desjardins

Upcoming Silhouette Rifle matches:

- * July 14 smallbore on the Malahat
- * July 28 smallbore in Nanaimo
- * August 4 highpower in Port Alberni
- * August 18 smallbore on the Malahat

Match day schedule:

- * 8:30 target setup and shooter registration
- * 9:00 sight-in and practice
- * 9:30 match start
 - * 40 round Smallbore Silhouette Rifle
 - * 40 round Smallbore Silhouette Hunting Rifle
 - * 15 minute lunch break
 - * 40 round Smallbore Silhouette Rifle
 - * 40 round Smallbore Silhouette Hunting Rifle
- * 3:00 update scorebooks, collect targets, cleanup and awards presentation

New shooters are welcome to join us and we'll help get you started – please arrive by 8:30. Before shooting your first match you should know your scope settings for the 4 distances we shoot (40m, 60m, 77m and 100m).

Entry fees are \$5.00 per rifle (i.e. \$10 for four, 40 shot matches).

Please contact Steve at silhouette@vfgpa.org for more info.

No deadline for cabinet to put Liberal gun law into force

By Tim Naumetz. Published on Jul 3, 2019 6:00am

Key measures in Liberal firearms legislation that went through final approval after the House of Commons adjourned in June will not take effect until cabinet passes special orders on a date that has not yet been set.

Firearm lobby groups who fought the legislation tooth and nail say they expect the measures might not be put into force before the October federal election.

Public Safety Canada quietly issued a statement after the bill received royal assent on June 31 stating that only some the bill's "technical" amendments to the Firearms Act took effect immediately after Governor General Julie Payette signed off on the legislation.

But there is no deadline yet for cabinet to pass orders and approve regulations that will give effect to other measures that were strongly supported by advocates for stiffer gun controls during the bill's contentious yearlong journey through Parliament.

The measures still to take effect include renewed mandatory validation of gun licences during sales or transfers of non-restricted rifles and shotguns; a return to requirements for retailers to maintain point-of-sale records for police for court-ordered access during criminal investigations; and the introduction of background checks for life for firearm licence applications and renewals.

Cabinet orders will also be required to put into effect a section of the act that will re-classify two makes of imported semi-automatic rifles back to prohibited status in Canada and the grandfathering of ownership for individuals who owned those rifles as of June 30.

The previous Conservative government amended the Criminal Code to allow the cabinet of then prime minister Stephen Harper to reclassify the semi-automatic rifles as non-restricted or restricted after the RCMP had changed their classifications to prohibited.

Public Safety Canada told iPolitics Tuesday that timing for cabinet action on the C-71 measures had not yet been set, while a prominent gun-control advocate expressed concern that the wait might be too long.

"The timing is not yet determined, but it will be only after the necessary changes have been made (in part creation of a new RCMP database for licence validity) and any associated regulations have gone through the consultation process," said Public Safety spokesperson Karine Martel.

One leading gun lobby activist said Tuesday the government might not be able to put all of the measures into force before October, while another said the government might not even want to re-ignite a controversy before the election.

A vice-president of the Canadian Coalition for Firearm Rights said that as the summer passes, the election campaign will take precedence over the bureaucratic and technical changes that will be required for regulations and infrastructure to give the new law its legs.

"Likely not before October," said Tracey Wilson, the CCFR's vice-president who is also the coalition's in-house lobbyist. "The cost of implementing some of these measures was never costed into the legislation."



She said costs might have to be absorbed by provincial governments because chief firearms officers across the country fall under provincial jurisdiction.

"Many of these measures will require various platforms to be built," Wilson said, referring to a new system for licence verification that requires contact with the RCMP firearms registrar to verify licences before a rifle or shotgun can be purchased.

Restricted and prohibited handguns and rifles can only be acquired with a special licence, and registration in a national registry administered by the RCMP is mandatory.

The RCMP recently confirmed to iPolitics that the Canadian Firearms Centre has already been experiencing backlogs in firearms licence applications, but blamed the problems on technical issues with the licence printing process.

Prominent Montreal gun-control advocate Heidi Rathjen said it would be irresponsible for the government to delay putting the entire new law into effect.

"We would expect the Liberals to proceed in a way that ensures the timely implementation of such a controversial and hard-fought-for bill, especially with the federal election right around the corner. Given all the opposing forces, it would be irresponsible if they did not," said Rathjen. "Any unreasonable delay is to the gun lobby's advantage."

The head of one of Canada's oldest gun lobbies, the B.C.-based National Firearms Association, said he believes the Liberals might be cautious about beginning a high-profile process of putting the new law into effect after being hounded by gun owners and lobbies as the bill was passing through Parliament.

"They've made their political points on this," said NFA president Sheldon Clare. "Now it's just a bureaucratic process.

"They don't want to rock the boat anymore," said Clare.

Submitted by Al Page

The Vital Four ACTS of Firearm Safety

Assume every firearm is loaded
Control the muzzle direction at all times
Trigger finger must be kept off the trigger and out of the trigger guard
See that the firearm is unloaded

PROVE it safe.

Point the firearm in the safest available direction
Remove all ammunition
Observe the chamber
Verify the feeding path
Examine the bore each time you pick up a firearm



VANCOUVER ISLAND GUN SHOWS FOR 2019

July 21st at Malahat VFGPA Club house, Contact: Laurie Page (250) 388-0705

August 18th in Duncan at 4295 Robertson Road Contact: Steven Desilva (250) 701-2231

September 15th in Parkville at 1014 Ford Road, Coombs Contact: Grahram Alexander (250) 752-1855

October 20th in Courtney at 3780 Colake Road Contact: Rick McClure (250) 703-0223

October 26 & 27th in Victoria at 1528 Stelly's Cross Road, Saanichton Contact: John Pullen (250) 474-2512

November 24th in Duncan at 4295 Robertson Road Contact: Steven Desilva (250) 701-2231 December 1st in Nanaimo at 1325 Nanaimo Lakes Road Contact: Doug Miller (250) 758-1303

MEMBERSHIP NOTICE:

If members do not put their email on their membership form, I will assume they do not want us to have their email. If you want the newsletters each month, please be sure to add your emails into the membership forms for now on. If you have already done your membership for 2019 but didn't put your email address, please let Jodi know and she can add your email address into the system. jbrugge63@gmail.com

Replacement Card Fee

Effective immediately there will be a \$20 service fee to replace lost cards (e.g., membership cards, orientation cards).

Merchandise- for General Membership NOW AVAILABLE in the office.

Mugs \$25.00 Crest etched into Mug Hats \$20.00 Embroidered T Shirts \$16.00 XXL \$21.00 Screen Print Polo Shirts \$45.00 XXL \$48.00 Embroidered

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CORE COURSE SEPTEMBER 14 & 15th

The VFGPA will be holding a CORE Course on Saturday and Sunday, September 14 and 15, in the VFGPA Clubhouse, 9 am to 5 pm.

At the end of Sunday, all students should have the documents they need to apply to the BCWF for their CORE certificate.

To attend, you must register in advance. To register, please send an email to doug.w.bancroft@gmail.com

The CORE course fee is \$150 (cash), payable at the door.

Course size will be limited to 20 students.

About David the instructor:

- * B.C. Hunter Training/CORE instructor/examiner, since 1981.
- * Canadian Firearms/Restricted Firearms instructor/examiner, since the program's inception (instructor certification card # 0007)
- * Active hunter since 1967 with bow, shotgun, and rifle, multiply successful for: deer (both), bear, moose, sheep (both), bison, predators, waterfowl, and upland birds
- * B.Ed, UVic, 1981
- * Current membership in B.C. College of Teachers, and a continuing member in good standing from that college's first day.
- * Teacher in rural schools, 1981-1997, outdoor education, and biology.
- * Commercial/coastal float pilot since 1990.
- * Industrial ambulance/medic, since 1997.

Nurse (emerg, med/surg, O.R., rehab) 2001-2013.

NEW 7th EDITION BIG GAME RECORDS OF B.C.

The new 7th edition of the *Big Game Records of British Columbia* is now available at a cost of \$35. The 560 page hard cover book is published by the Wildlife Records Club of B.C. "This is the official records book for exceptional big game species native to British Columbia, based on the Boone and Crockett scoring system." The book lists more than 10,000 entries in 19 big game categories with over 1400 of these being new entries since the previous edition in 2010.

The book includes feature articles, many pictures and hunting stories related to several of the recent entries. "This is a book for all who have an interest in the outstanding diversity and abundance of big game in British Columbia." "The foundation for the Wildlife Records Club of British Columbia was originally conceived in Kamloops in 1967 with the objective of maintaining a perpetual record of trophy-class big game from British Columbia." Since 1982, operations of the Club have been based on Vancouver Island. The Club continues to qualify volunteer scorers located throughout the province. "Dedicated to wildlife conservation, selective hunting and fair chase, the Club invites the membership of individuals with similar ideals."

Copies of previous editions are available at the prices noted below (postage extra):

1 st edition (1970 - reprinted 2011)	\$20	2 nd edition (1983)	\$25
3 rd edition (1988)	\$15	4 th edition (1995)	\$20
5 th edition (2003)	not avai	lable 6 th edition (2010)	\$30

7th edition (2017) \$35 Website: www.wildliferecordsofbc.com

e-mail: wildliferecordsofbc@shaw.ca



SIAS Report

After the craziness that is IPSCBC Qualifiers, SIAS has had a pretty quiet month...

100th Anniversary/Discovery Day

With the new format this year for the 100th it was a bit of a challenge which required quite a few more volunteers than usual. We set up a demonstration Stage which showcased our sport with static, steel and moving targets, it also required the shooter to move to different areas in the course of fire to engage all of the targets. We had members shoot the Stage numerous times throughout the day to show our guests what it is that we do, this also required us to have members act as Range Officers, Score keepers and also had them resetting the Stage for the next demonstration. We also had someone explaining to people what they were watching and answering any questions that we had. We had a fair number of very interested spectators, some of whom came out to watch our match on June 30th

Huge thanks to our Stage designer and set up crew; Thomas C, Les G, Scott A, Dom P, our demonstration shooters and crew; Hudson, Ji, Zach, Thomas, Oleg, Bill E, Doug B and Jerry W



In an adjacent Bay we had a variety of handguns and pistol calibre carbine rifles for people to try out, 4 stations for people to try handguns and 2 for rifles, the volunteers were busy all day introducing people to shooting.

The biggest thanks to those who gave their time to introduce our guests to the excitement of shooting handguns and carbine rifles! Dave G, Tim H, Mike C, Lyle McG, Matt C, Scott A, Tony B, Dom P and Jerry W, you brought a lot of smiles to faces that day!





3 Gun Match

We hosted a 3 gun match on June 23rd that was attended by 19 shooters from all over the Island. Three gun is a sport that growing in popularity

SIAS Action Pistol Match

We held the 4th SIAS club match of the year on June 30th. Despite it being a long weekend and there being an IPSCBC double header qualifier on the Mainland we had 47 people turn out to shoot under sunny skies and hot temperatures.

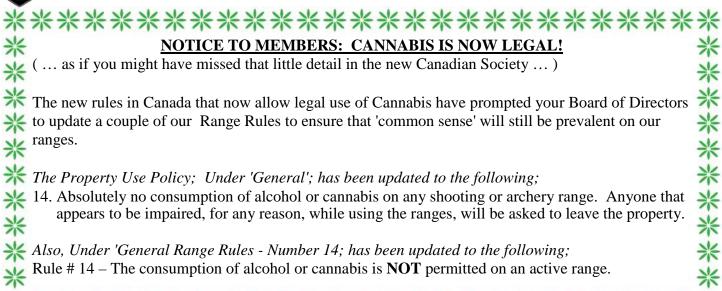
Canada Day!

Canada Day saw us hold our traditional SIAS get together to celebrate with a BBQ, socializing, cake and of course some shooting!



By Cheryl





BRASS PROGRAM

Brad Woollven will now collect, sort, and sell our club's recovered range brass. You can contact Brad at 250-727-9175 or by email at leonardwoollven@gmail.com regarding any calibres of reloadable brass that you might be looking for.

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For any info contact Paul at (250) 710-5303 or email at paulhagel@hotmail.com



VANCOUVER ISLAND SHOOTING LEAGUE

The Vancouver Island Shooting League (VISL) has both a trap division and a centerfire rifle division. Shoots are conducted on a regular basis with each participation club hosting. The trap division of VISL is part of the Pacific International Trap Shooting Association (PITA) further information can be found on the PITA webpage or contact Mike King email: trap@vfgpa.org In addition our club is a member of the British Columbia Trap Association (BCTA) information can be found on their webpage as well. The centerfire rifle division of VISL conducts regular 3 position shoots with each participating club hosting. This group has a Facebook page and the contact is Tammy Sanne: tammypo17@telus.net.

Regards Mike King Trap Director





IMPORTANT MESSAGE ABOUT VOLUNTEERING

Victor Skaarup is the Volunteer Coordinator. Anyone who is able and willing to help out can contact him at (250) 380-4858 or by email at vicandmaggie@telus.net

"New to our Range: Holster Training Course"

You must be 'Holster Trained' and have a Holster Training qualification Card to use a Handgun Holster on our ranges.

Holster Training Courses (a 2 hour short course 10-12pm) will be held at the club on:

Aug. 11th, Sept. 14th, Oct. 6th, Nov. 23rd, Dec. 15th

For Details, costs, & pre-registration, call at the Club Office 250-858-8342



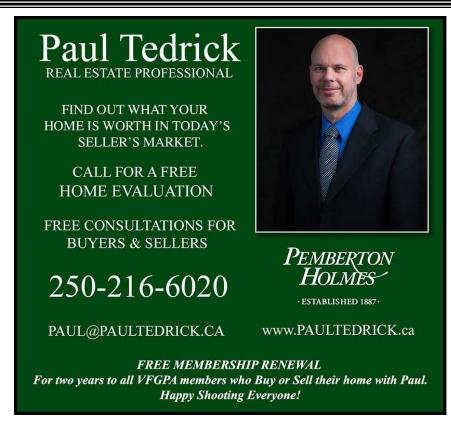




Victoria Fish & Game Club Chronograph is now available for rental!

The club recently bought a basic Model F-1 Chrony which will be available for rental to our paid, card carrying club members. (We will not be renting the club chronograph to day pass users.) We will be charging a nominal fee of only \$10 for the use of the club's chronograph, which will be available to be signed out from the Caretaker's office. We will have a simple form to record the renting member's information and it will be the responsibility of the renter to return the chronograph to the office before they leave the range property. Since we suspect this will be a very popular club program I would suggest that you contact the office in advance to book your rental of the club Chrony by date, to ensure that someone else hasn't arranged to rent it on the same day. We now have a club camera tripod that can be used with the rental Chrony.

By Al Page





To All Members of the VFGPA.

THERE ARE NO MEMBERS MEETINGS DURING THE SUMMER. SO **NEXT ONE WILL BE IN SEPTEMBER**

CALENDAR REMINDER

IF YOU WANT TO SEE THE CALENDAR, PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE AT: www.vfgpa.org AND CLICK ON THE EVENT CALENDAR TAB. ALSO, BEFORE HEADING UP TO THE RANGE, PLEASE CALL THE WEEKLY RANGE CLOSURES AND EVENTS HOTLINE AT: 250-743-3504 TO SEE IF THERE ARE ANY CHANGES TO THE MOST RECENT VERSION OF THE EVENT CALENDAR POSTED ON THE WEBSITE.

We now have a new number for the information line: 250-743-3504

Reminder - Day Pass Fees for Non-Members

Anyone who attends the range with a member needs to purchase a \$20 Guest pass. If a non-member is a current member with the BCWF, or an affiliated club (valid cards **must** be shown) they are eligible for a \$20 **Special day pass**. All non-club membership holders and are not attending with a member pay the \$50 Day Pass.

All range rules must be strictly followed. Non-Members must sign in with their Day-Pass number and keep and display the yellow copy of the day pass while using the range facilities. Only one \$50.00 Day Pass can be used as a credit towards a membership purchased within 30 days and must be surrendered at time of purchase.

Salt Spring Island Rod and Gun Club

We continue to support our friends over on Salt Spring Island and they face challenging times. Please show your support by purchasing a membership at SSiRG or visiting their range.

Official Range Plan

If you have any suggestions for major capital improvements to the range, please submit your ideas to info@vfgpa.org

Hello Members,

Just a reminder ALL targets MUST be placed below "the orange lines on the Rifle Pistol Range" this prevents the target holders from getting shot up.

If you see someone not doing this please mention it to them (nicely).

Thanks for the help. David M.



2019 CORE Hunting Safety Course



Instructors:

Robin Pike M.Sc., P.Ag., Certified CORE Examiner.

Murray Kilshaw, Certified CORE Examiner, Certified CFSC instructor.

Location:

Classes are hosted in the Westshore. Courses run Saturdays/Sundays from 8:20 to 4:30 p.m.

2019 Schedule:

Jan 19/20	Apr 13/14	Jul 20/21	Oct 19/20
Feb 16/17	May 11/12	Aug 17/18	Nov - Off Hunting!!
Mar 16/17	Jun 15/16	Sept 21/22	Dec 14/15

Course Content:

SATURDAY

- Principles of Conservation
- Hunting Ethics
- Hunting Laws and Regulations
- Firearm Safety
- Practical Firearms Examinations

SUNDAY

- Outdoor Safety and Survival
- First Aid
- BC Game Animal Identification
- BC Game Birds
- Written Exam

Additional Instruction:

- Use of the BC Hunting Synopsis
- Field dressing, Skinning and Butchering
- Knife selection
- How to make Game meat taste it's best
- Bullet selection for hunting
- Water wading safety

- Wilderness emergency communication
- How to approach a car accident
- How to make free topographic maps
- Dominate Eye identification
- Successful hunting strategies
- Archery and bow information

Contact:

Robin Pike	250-812-4316	Robin.G.Pike@gmail.com
Murray Kilshaw	250-382-1029	Coreexaminer@shaw.ca

Canadian Tire in Langford has new hours for their pro shop and will process membership forms during the following hours:

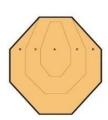
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - noon to 5pm

Friday - noon to 6pm

Saturday & Sunday - 9 am to 5pm







Are you a semi-automatic or double action revolver shooter?

Are you bored of standing still and firing at a static target?

Are you looking to challenge yourself and try something new?

Action pistol may be the sport for you!

Interested in finding out more?

Come on up and check out one of our matches on the Multi-purpose range **2019**

* July 28th

* August 18th * September 29th

Google IPSC videos

Or email: actionshooters@vfgpa.org



Junior Action Shooters



Is there a Junior in your life between the ages of 11 and 16 years of age who might be interested in coming out and shooting Action Pistol but isn't ready to shoot 9mm?

The South Island Action Shooters is offering a Junior Action Shooters course that will teach safe gun handling, holstering and how to safely move through a course of fire using 22 rimfire pistols.

A parent or guardian must be present during the training course which will be approximately 5 hours and be required to provide a rimfire pistol for the Junior to train with. They will also need at least 2 magazines a sturdy belt, a holster and 2 magazine pouches.

Please email sias@vfgpa.org for more information or to register your Junior.



SOUTH ISLAND ACTION SHOOTERS (SIAS)

RANGE SAFETY COURSE



SUNDAY JULY 21
SATURDAY AUGUST 10
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 15

SIGN UP AT THE OFFICE

IF YOU HAVE HANDGUN EXPERIENCE, ARE HOLSTER TRAINED AND ARE LOOKING TO DO SOMETHING OTHER THAN SHOOTING AT A STATIC TARGET. ACTION PISTOL MIGHT BE THE SPORT FOR YOU

QUESTIONS?

CHECK THE VFGPA WEBSITE AND EMAIL

ACTIONSHOOTERS@VFGPA.ORG



Calendar of the Orientation Sessions

Wednesday Orientation is Wednesday at 7pm & on Sat/Sun 2pm

JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER
July 3rd	Aug. 7th	Sept. 4th	Oct. 9th
July /th	Aug. 14th	Sept. 11th	Oct. 20th
July 10th	Aug 18th	Sept. 18th	Oct. 23rd
July 17th	Aug. 21st	Sept 22nd	Oct. 26th
July 24th	Aug. 28th	Sept 25th	
July 27th		Sept 28th	
July 31st			

All in the Clubhouse ***WE STRONGLY SUGGEST THAT YOU CHECK FOR A POSSIBLE CANCELLATION IMMEDIATELY BEFORE DRIVING UP TO THE RANGE TO ATTEND, PH. 250-743-3504 ***

YOU MUST DO THE ORIENTATION COURSE BEFORE YOU WILL BE ALLOWED TO USE THE RANGE.

Range Use Reminder to Shooters

***A General Reminder that "The facility's gates are OPEN at 8:30AM; Check Times for closing on page 2 in the newsletter davidmichaud333@gmail.com or 250-858-8342

NEW

All firewood cutting on the property is now by permit only.

Permit available at the office.

David M.

Mgr.

TO ALL TRAP SHOOTERS

You can now shoot Trap at the same time as a Skeet Practice is taking place under some new strict conditions.

Please ask Staff to review the new conditions with you when you stop by the office to sign out Trap Keys.

Trap Practices are held four times a month on Wednesdays and Sundays as marked on the club's calendar.

"If the skeet field is in use the onus is on the trap shooters to ask for a cease fire from the skeet shooters prior to proceeding downrange to your designated trap house also to tell them that you have returned to your firing line". Thank you for your cooperation

Mike King Trap Director VF&GPA



BULLSEYE SHOOTING AT VFGPA 2019

VFGPA Weekly Bullseye Competition Shooting recently opened the 2019 season. We shoot on Wednesday morning at 09.00h. [Setup is 08.45] In addition to the match course of fire we share tips and practices all aimed at improving our marksmanship skills. Bullseye shooting will be of interest to pistol shooters who want to move from fun "Plinking" to Competitive ISSF Pistol shooting. This 22 cal. course of fire emphasizes accuracy as it requires disciplined hand/eye coordination when shooting a 7 inch Bullseye target zone and as with all ISSF pistol disciplines, all firing must be done with one hand, unsupported at 25 yards.

Dom and David (Thank you) have assigned MP Range 7 for us each Wednesday morning. We have several shooters who are steadily advancing their marksmanship skills and our goal in 2019 is to have a full line of competitive Bullseye shooters.

AMERICAN TARGET CO.

If Precision Competitive Shooting is of interest to you, Please contact:

Gary Byrne at (250)634-8215.

He can share additional details and answer any questions you may have.



Publisher's Note

Deadline for each month is the Wednesday after the Executive meeting (the first Monday) of the month.

NEXT DEADLINE WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY,

August 7th, 2019. Note: Late submissions will be published in the month following. Send all pictures with the event name, date and the names of people in the photo.

Please send all submissions to: vfgpanewsletter@telus.net Thank You, Jodi Sturgill (250) 383-4622



IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

A reminder that all members of the Victoria Fish & Game are required to take our Free two hour Range Orientation Course every five years.

We are having a lot of changes & upgrades to the various ranges, and we do not want our members left behind with their knowledge of the range and its requirements.

New members are required to take the course before they are allowed to use any of our facilities. If you are an existing member, and have not already taken the

course, please look at our Website calendar and attend one of our sessions as soon as possible.

We require everyone to have their membership card, and an orientation card with them when attending the range so don't take a chance on being asked to leave

if you do not have a card!!

Canadian Firearms Safety course; Non Restricted & Restricted PAL courses and challenges; Contact;

- David Michaud (250)888-5315 or davidmichaud333@gmail.com
- Dave Degrassi (250)474-3483 <u>davedegrassi@telus.net</u>
- Sue Bender (250) 721-0131 or safeshooting69@gmail.com
- Gordon Frost (778)676-7253 or email: gord@yarrowgunworks.com

Conservation and Outdoor Recreation Education (CORE) course; Call;

- Robin Pike (250)812-4316 (5-9 pm) thepikes@shaw.ca or
- Murray Kilshaw (250)382-1029 (9-5pm) coreexaminer@shaw.ca

Gordon Frost (778)676-7253 or email: gord@yarrowgunworks.com

MEMBERS LEARN TO USE THE TRAP MACHINES

The Executive is happy to announce the TRAP MACHINE ACCESS PROGRAM. This Course will allow you to sign out keys to access the token machines and our \$15,000 Trap Machines.

The Course is FREE to Members (ONLY). Successful completion OF THE COURSE gets your name on the "Authorized List" letting you sign out the keys and use the token box and Trap machine. (Tokens are available from the Manager/Caretaker for \$5.00 per round of 25 targets plus 1)

There will be a classroom portion as well as hands-on training. Course length is approx. 40 minutes. Check the Website calendar for specific dates."

Trap Access is Wednesdays at 6pm, & on Sat/Sun 1pm Next Course dates:

JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER
July 3rd	Aug. 7th	Sept 4th	Oct. 20th
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July 10th	Aug. 18th	Sept. 18th	
July 17th	Aug. 21st	Sept 22nd	
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July 27th		Sept 28th	
	July 31st		

If you have questions about the Program please the ask the Manager, David, Trap Director Mike or Relief Caretakers Art, Andrew, or Bob.



Safety Tip

Each Range has a Perimeter Flag. If the Red Flag is in the UP position that is a indicator that the range is active. Even if their is a cease fire shooting can start at anytime.

It is a good idea to put your Hearing Protection on at the Perimeter Flag before you get to the active range. (Range Rules require that hearing and eye protection be worn on the Ranges.)

The Federal Licensing Course suggest you wear both in ear and outside ear protection, another option is the "Electronics Earmuffs" Good Christmas List need item.

Once your hearing is damage it cannot be fixed and it does not repair itself.

David Michaud, CRSO



LIAMA INFORMATION

Otis our M/P Llama is a guest of our Club (belongs to our neighbour) We feed and water him daily so please treat him like our mascot with respect and be patient.

















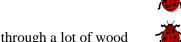
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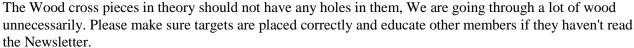
The Right Way



The Wrong Way









To prevent shooting out (destroying) the wood cross beams.







SKEET AND 5- STAND NOTICE

Skeet practice is held on Tuesdays with shooting starting at 10am and now on some Sunday afternoons. For the Sunday practices please check our club website calendar. Skeet is \$5.00 per round of 25 targets.

5-stand or sporting clays are held once a month and the dates and times are posted on our club website calendar. 5-stand is \$6.00 per round of 25 targets and Sporting Clays is \$30. per round of 100 targets.



For inquiries, call Paul at (250) 710-5303 paulhagel@hotmail.com

Just a short note. Sheet Sunday shot is starting to bring in some new shooters and we are working on improvement on ours 5 stand setups to challenge the Master class shooters. But also keeping in mind the un experienced shooter.

FOR ANY NEW MEMBERS, FOR THE TURN AROUND COMING OUT OF THE RANGE, IT IS 1.6 KILOMETRES DOWN THE HIGHWAY, JUST FOR YOUR INFORMATION.



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SMALL FIREARM (HANDGUN) ESSENTIALS

COURSE OUTLINE

In-Class and on the Range, 2 hour Course for New Handgun Shooters.

Students must have valid Restricted P.A.L., be VFGPA member,
and bring their own firearm with 100 rounds of ammo.

Course fee is \$20.00 Maximum 10 students per class.

RANGE SAFETY

F/A Essentials are on Saturday at 10am to 1am (as noted a few exceptions)

August 24th, September 22nd, November 3rd, December 14th STANCE

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MUZZLE CONTROL

SIGHT ALIGNMENT

BREATHING CONTROL

TRIGGER PULL

SAFELY CLEARING JAMS & MALFUNCTIONS

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TRAINING TIPS

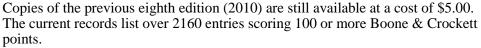
Victoria Fish & Game Association, 700 Holker Place, Malahat BC

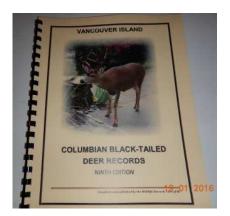


NEW VANCOUVER ISLAND DEER BOOK

Copies of the ninth edition (2016) of the Vancouver Island Columbian Blacktail Deer Records are available at a cost of \$10 each. The publication contains an excellent article written by Byron Mason on fifty years with the deer in the Nimpkish Valley. Byron relates the impact of wolf and cougar predation on deer population abundance and hence, hunting success. He also includes 45 years of deer count data from 1970 through 2015.

There is also an article on early cougar hunting where the provincial government paid a bounty of varying amounts on cougars taken between 1870 and 1958. The new edition contains numerous colour photographs of harvested deer as well as record heads and antlers.





Of particular note is the re-scoring of the Norm Hammond buck from 1942. These antlers were the number two head in the previous eighth edition (2010) scoring 139 7/8.

Following a request from the current owner, it was panel scored in March 2015 and is now ranked as the number one Vancouver Island deer with a score of 143 5/8.

- An inaugural meeting of the ad hoc *South Vancouver Island Public Fishery Alliance* was held June 12 at the Esquimalt Anglers' Association clubhouse. Sixteen key individuals involved with the local Public fishery attended. The purpose of the meeting was to develop a political action campaign leading up to the October federal election. It will ensure that the interests of the Public fishery, particularly the chinook fishery, forms an important and positive part of each party's election platform.
- The meeting concluded that DFO has failed to address the depressed state of Middle and Upper Fraser River stream type chinook. DFO has minimal investment in the region, has known about the situation for a long time, has closed hatcheries and relied on failed & economically damaging harvest reduction policies.
- Is there a re-allocation of healthy chinook stocks away from the Public fishery and why? Why are Fraser River First Nations fisheries opening on healthy stocks July 15 while Juan de Fuca and Lower Georgia Strait Public fisheries on non-retention until August 01. No response from DFO on this question which has been put to them.
- Selective fishing techniques should apply to all fisheries. Some attendees suggested that gill nets be banned to reduce the mortality on non-targeted stocks.
- Hatchery technology should be utilized for specific salmon stock rebuilding. However, the Minister of Fisheries & Oceans and staff are not committed to hatchery augmentation. Anti-hatchery elements within the ENGO community and DFO have the Minister's ear.
- Predator control of seals and sea lions (pinnipeds) needs to be carried out at particular locations and times as both smolt out migration and adult spawner escapement are impacted.
- Recommendations for Public Chinook Fishery recovery included 100% marking (adipose fin clip) of hatchery chinook and coho **immediately**, transition to Mark Selective Fishery **immediately** and release all wild (unclipped) chinook and coho during migration period for stocks of concern.
- Action items are currently being finalized for the federal election campaign.

By Wayne Z.





This column for sale items is provided to our members free of charge. VFGPA is not responsible for any items listed. PLEASE LET EDITOR JODI KNOW WHEN YOU SELL YOUR ITEMS OR WHEN YOU HAVE FOUND YOUR WANTED ITEMS.

(NEW NOTICE- FOR NOW ON, CLASSIFIED ADS WILL HAVE A 4 MONTH LIMIT AT A TIME)

FOR SALE: (July ns) Floor safe suitable for pistols/ammo. 23 x 23 x 43" high. Was used as drop safe. Opening in top covered with 1/2" plate, secured from within safe. Slide-out drawer in bottom. Shelf. Wheels and steel plate for bolting to floor. Approx 300 lbs. \$300.00. Contact me or leave mssg. Paul 250-920-6924. Paulktwinkle@gmail.com



FOR SALE: (July ns)RCMP Sam Browne type equipment. Some looks almost new and some is nicely broken in. Standard belt, dress belt, 2 shoulder straps (one with accessories in bag), sword hangers, spare hangers, cartridge case, hand cuff case, general case and lance/pennant boot rest. \$200 obo for all. **email** <u>sc42@shaw.ca</u>



FOR SALE: (May ns) Mauser Broomhandle (Bolo 12-6) \$ 1800.** firm, no Trades please.

- Buyer should have 12-6 endorsement on his RPAL. If you don't have a 12-6, I can show you how you can legally own and shoot this Pistol, but you should have a current membership at a Victoria area Gun Club with suitable Pistol range preferably
- VFGPA. Barrel length 100mm. Bore has well defined Grooves & Lands. 6 Grove Bore.
- * Caliber .30 Mauser (7.63mm) 10 shot Magazine.
- * Serial # 533xxx.
- * Cycles & Shoots well. Rear sight adjustable to 1000 Mtr.
- * Numbers on parts don't match, possible a "Volksturm" Pistole used in the closing days of World
- War II. * Original Grips, with Civilian Owner "add on Checkering".
- * Never refurbished, almost all Bluing gone. Possible an excellent Candidate for professional refurbishing.
- * A formidable Shooter with possible Grim History.
- * Evaluating Firearm condition NRA Standart, Good to be conservative.

Also available to the Buyer,

- * Wooden Repro holster with Leather Harness.
- * About 100 rounds .30 Mauser Ammo.
- * Ammo Stripper clips. Karl 250 480 1202 or better email >>>

Office@rocky-mountain-outfitter.com<<<

FOR SALE: (Aug ns) Like New Franchi Instinct L Over & Under Shotgun 12 Gauge 28 inch barrel for sale \$1400. Purchased from Cabelas in Nanaimo, BC back in Oct. 2018. Has only 100 rounds through it. Selling because it does not fit me.

 $Please\ contact\ John\ (\underline{redstryke@hotmail.com})$



FOR SALE:

Outers Shotgun Cleaning Kit. New in Box unopened with Brushes, patches, solvent, gun oil.....\$8-Contact Keith King <u>250-478-7016</u> or <u>keithking@shaw.ca</u>



I have my blacksmith shop set up, and I am starting to take orders for iron work.

Do you need some throwing knives, tomahawks, a flint striker, fire irons, grills, lantern hooks, fire pokers, bottle openers etc...? I specialize in hand forged 18th and 19th century reproductions, and can make just about anything for your rendezvous camp, or Christmas presents. If you want things made soon and delivered, I will be at the turkey shoot in Victoria on the 26th and 27th and can bring things with me. Please check out my FB page Meška Ironworks to see some of my other stuff. **Contact me at: 604-719-4139 or blcksmithju@hotmail.com**

FOR SALE:

Pietta Revolvers (2) - 45LC 7 1/2 inch barrels Stainless Steel

Seldom used. Close serial numbers but not sequential.

Sell as a pair = \$1300. obo Contact for pictures please.

Chris 250-592-4311

FOR SALE: (July ns) M&P AR15, 223/556 with lock and simple plano case about 500 rounds through it, works flawlessly one mag included. \$630.00 firm. Restricted firearm so we need to go through the transfer process, need restricted PAL to buy this one.

M305 20 inch with M14/M1A CASM rail fully installed. Only about 150 rounds through it. \$875.00 firm (fyi its not light) Baretta storm 9mm carbine \$1270 firm about 300 rounds through it.

Cash only for all the above. No EMTs etc. need to see PAL in the flesh. Email: aquariusbaby@protonmail.com

Getting out of Black Powder sale. Haven't shot it in years. (June ns)

- 1. Lyman Great Plains Rifle, .54, double set triggers, Lyman Peep Sights. Very good condition. Small wood chip by lock side plate (from removal of sight plate for cleaning).
- 2. Italian made .58 replica, cap lock, fair to good condition.
- 3. Lots of ball and projectiles, mostly 54, but some 58, 50 and 45 as well.

Lots of caps, mostly no. 11's. All kinds of measures, throwers, capers and everything one could imagine for Black Powder shooting. Please see pic's, (please e-mail or text for more pictures if needed).

For everything, \$1,250.00

E-mail: wkuentzle@gmail.com or call/text 204-981-8625, can be viewed in Mill Bay or meet at club. Cheers, Wolfgang.



ITEMS WANTED

WANTED, LEAD WHEEL WEIGHTS, HARDENED LEAD SHOT, OR ANY OTHER HARD LEAD FOR BULLET CASTING PROJECTS. CONTACT JOHN AT 250-743-8687 OR bibatoad@hotmail.com

WANTED: Any Amount of Hodgdon's international powder. Will trade other powders and /or buy. Call Ed at (250) 386-3783

WANTED: SKS-D (with ak-47 mag release) AND Baikal O/U 12ga/.308 Ande 2508891621

WANTED: Browning Citori O/U Shotgun, 12 gauge. 250-642-6225 or bjoyced@hotmail.com



FOR SALE: Sako 85 Bavarian 30-06, right hand, \$1,850. Phone 250-592-4504

FOR SALE: (June ns) A bucket of 1400 Remington hollow points, Extra buckets @ \$75.00 ea PAL required Pick up in View Royal

Contact via email- stoshemile@gmail.com



FOR SALE: (July ns) 1) 12 gauge left handed Thompson Center New Englander muzzle loading shotgun for sale, mint as new condition test fired only, bought new in the early 90's. Fixed improved cylinder choke. C/W 500 over the powder wads and 500 over the shot wads, just add powder, shot and a cap your ready to go. \$300.00 firm 2). Ruger 10/22 receiver for sale, excellent condition comes with a mounted rail, first step in a new build. Pal required \$150 obo.

3). Brand new Springfield Armory M1 Garand barrel for sale, chambered for the 3006. \$400.00 firm. Contact John, bibatoad@hotmail.com

FOR SALE:(June ns) Savage Mk11 stainless spiral fluted bolt action with laminated stock, limited edition in .22 lr. Comes with two 5 round stainless magazines. Can arrange test fire @ VFG. Contact Frank @ petjet88@shaw.ca

RELOADING SUPPLIES FOR SALE (Aug. ns)

IMR 4895 1lbs (\$35.00)

NEW RCBS 30-06 2 piece Reloading Dies (\$40.00)

- 1 box of (1000 bullets/BOX) Berry's 9mm 124gr Round Nose .356 (\$110.00)
- 2 boxes of (1000 bullets/BOX) Berry's 9mm 124gr Flat Point .356 (\$110 each/200.00 for the lot)
- 1/2 box (462 bullets) Berry's 9mm 124gr Flat Point .356 (\$50)
- 2 boxes of (1000 bullets/BOX) Berry's 40 S&W 180Gr Round Shoulder .401 (\$125.00 each/\$230 for the lot)
- 2 boxes of (500 bullets/BOX) Berry's 45 ACP 200Gr Semi-Wad Cutter .452 (\$90.00 each)
- 4 boxes of (500/BOX) Spear Lead Bullets 38cal (.358) 148gr HBWC (Wad Cutters) (\$55.00 each/\$200 for the lot)
- 1 box of 1000 Federal Small Pistol Primers #100 (\$37.00)
- 1 box of 1000 Federal Large Pistol Primers #150 (\$50.00)
- 1 box of 1000 CCI Large Rifle Primers #200 (\$40.00)
- 12 boxes of 1000/BOX CCI Small Pistol Primers #500 (\$37.00 each/\$420 for the lot)
- 1 box of 500 CCI Small Pistol Primers #500 (\$17.50)

 3000×38 special ONCE FIRED BRASS already cleaned and deprimed (.10/each) or \$280 for the lot. **SHOTGUNS**

Beretta A300 Outlander Camo 12Ga excellent condition = \$700.00

Beautiful Beretta O/U 686 Silver Pigeon 1 in excellent condition with chokes & original case = \$1950.00

Contact Steve at 250-885-2363 or email at stevedube@shaw.ca



Reclaimed brass for sale - money goes back to the VF&GPA

"Most of the rifle brass is sorted by calibre and headstamp, while 9mm & 40 S&W pistol brass & .223 Remington brass are not sorted (mixed headstamps) and sold by weight."

"Most calibres of brass 10 cents each, with 9mm, 40 S&W and .223 at \$1.70 per pound."



Please call or email Brad at 250-727-9175 or by email at leonardwoollven@gmail.com

(please make reference to brass)



