



Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association

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PRESIDENT'S NOTES

New Club

This has been a very busy month, the highlight being the founding of the **Victoria Women's Shooting Club**. Many of you have been suggesting this, so here it is. It seems that in the blink of an eye, this group has become 30 members strong - without any advertising!

One very special goal of the group is to include more members who are involved in supporting their mates' shooting sport(s), but don't actually take part in the activity. This is an extremely important commitment that needs to be encouraged because it nurtures relationships and ends up being a family activity. As we know, shooting sports encourage maturity, self control, and personal responsibility. There's a T-shirt that reads, "Kids who learn to shoot don't grow up to mug old ladies." Of course, that implies the kind of instruction and experience VFGPA offers!

Anyone who would like more information on the **Victoria Women's Shooting Club** will soon be able to contact the new club through Facebook. There's a lot of "no-nonsense-get-it-done" energy in this group, so keep checking for the site to be up and running.

For now, send enquiries to president@vfgpa.org.

VICTORIA WOMEN'S SHOOTING CLUB

Thanks to TheQ!100.3 & The Zone91.3 for the use of their Boardroom and the tour of the radio station



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Services to Members

Our membership is now almost 2300, creating a heavy load for your executive, and the other dedicated volunteers who are the pillars of our association. Many thanks to them, and to the newer members who have stepped up to lend a hand – or a strong back!

Members' General Meeting

The October Members' General Meeting is scheduled for Monday, Oct. 17 as indicated on your VFGPA calendar. Meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. at Strawberry Vale Community Hall, 11 High Street, Victoria.

Coming Events

- 1). A **presentation by the Conservation Officer Service** is scheduled for the October 17 Members' General Meeting. A variety of topics will be discussed which will be of interest to many of our members. A half-hour **business meeting will be held from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m.** followed by the short CO presentation and a question period. Any further business will continue after the presentation, if necessary. Come out and support these officers who serve the public well, and often take flak from the uninformed for doing so.
- 2). Again a reminder: **Heritage Night – November 21 General Meeting** - Memories shared by some long-time members, and a Period Costume Display of past, present and future equipment and apparel for our VFGPA disciplines will be included in the program. The newly formed **Victoria Women's Shooting Club** members are working to make this a fun night. You'll also meet most of the new club's members, and rumour has it that lunch will include Big Al's good old fashioned home-made biscuits!

Can't hit your target consistently?

Always shooting left or low??

Shotgun patterns have tighter groups???

2011 Handgun Safety and Introductory PPC Course



The Police Pistol Competition section of our club is sponsoring another 'Introduction to handgun' course on the evening of Friday, November 4th and Saturday November 5th, 2011. It is a total of approximately 8 hours of both classroom and practical instruction that covers everything from safe gun handling to holster training, sight picture and trigger control. If you are interested in shooting your handgun accurately, learning to shoot a handgun, or just plain fun and enjoyment, contact the Website of the Colwood PPC Club, at <http://www.colwoodppc.com/index.htm> and click on 'Intro to PPC' and 'Training' to get more information.

This is an 'Introduction' course, so you do not need to supply anything; we will supply all equipment, firearms, targets, etc. The total cost is \$110.00 including 3 boxes of 38 special ammo. See web links for more information.

For more information about the Shooting Sport of PPC and the Colwood PPC Club, call Dom at 250-386-0620 or visit the website: www.colwoodppc.com or Email: colwoodppc@shaw.ca



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**From the CRSO,**

The club trained 13 Range Safety Officers (R.S.O.) back in Feb. of this year. Part of their training was "their Responsibility when acting as a Range Safety Officer". Soon you will see them visiting the various ranges with some sort of Official Markings, Hat, Vest, Range Officer Badge/name tag.

As a Club Member without training, acting as a R.S.O. on the range for a group or groups, a friend/spouse/dependant comes a big responsibility. You may allow someone without a Firearms License (P.A.L. or P.O.L.) or any experience shoot your firearms using the "DIRECT SUPERVISION RULE" you are responsible for them following all club rules as well as all Firearm Act and Regulations Rules. Direct Supervision can be interrupted as "shoulder to shoulder" with the person you are supervising, ensuring proper safety gear, loading and un-loading, trigger finger discipline and muzzle control.

If you need to leave the Firing Point or Firing Line for whatever reason (washroom, going back to your car, conversation with someone) then the person you are supervising should not be shooting or in control of any firearm.

David Michaud

Notice to Members:

Have you seen anyone destroying club property like this?

If so, tell a Range Officer, or our Caretaker right away!

We will have the offending party removed from the property, and their membership revoked



Our Club does not promote the irresponsible use of firearms.

Our club spends thousands of dollars each year on materials for these and other target stands. Long-time member Duncan Haydon, along with other club members, donated a huge amount of their time to make 24 new stands in February of this year. *ALL of these stands are now destroyed.* Is it reasonable to expect that Duncan – or anyone else – go to this much trouble every year just to enable certain undesirables to use their firearms irresponsibly?

Your Club needs your help in determining who is acting irresponsibly by damaging your club property in this manner.

**The Frontier Shootists:**

The Frontier Shootists will hold their annual Bunkhouse Match on October 23rd. The day will include 6 stages and lunch for \$30. Registration forms will be available shortly.

For further information please contact the Match Director, Terry Bowyer aka Neut Reno at neutreno@shaw.ca.

**ISLAND OUTFITTERS RAFFLE****STEVENS RAFFLE!**

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Build a Yew Wood Bow

Courtenay/Comox Valley: October 14-16, 2011

\$325/person; Max 6 participants

9am - 6pm each day

Salt Spring Island: Oct. 17-20, 2011

\$395/person; Max 6 participants

9am - 6pm each day

During this course participants will learn the art of building a wooden longbow.

This will include:

Information on wood selection and types

- Creation from stave to finished bow
- How to make a bow string
- Discussion and use of tools and equipment needed
- Different finishing options

There are some pictures and more information at www.ravenbreak.com

Emergency First Aid CPR "C" course

We are trying to determine if there is any interest with Victoria Fish & Game member to attend an (8 hr) one day Emergency First Aid course to be held at the Club House most likely in November on a Saturday or Sunday (yet to be determined) This is an all around good basic first aid course and can be used for those requiring first aid for their C.O.R.E. training. This Course covers Adult, Child and Baby. The cost of this course is \$75.00 for members and their families and \$85.00 for non members. Space will be limited to 18 participants. Certification is through the Canadian Red Cross and is valid for 3 years. Please contact us to book your spot or for more information

Thank you

Richard Josok

First Aid Instructor Trainer

Web: www.anfam.ca

Email: info@anfam.ca

Ph: 250-474-67742

**PROSPECT LAKE BOAT LAUNCH ACCESS**

This letter came about because of the actions of an adjacent landowner to restrict or curtail access to the primary boat launch access on prospect Lake. I presume this was vented through the local Prospect Lake & District Community Association which put out a lake access survey on their website. This survey closed September 11, As the lake is within Saanich Municipality, the Amalgamated Conservation Society members directed me, as secretary-treasurer, to write the mayor and council expressing the views of organized anglers.

**AMALGAMATED CONSERVATION SOCIETY
1101 MUNRO STREET, VICTORIA, B.C., V9A 5P2****REPRESENTING CONSERVATION ORIENTED OUTDOOR ORGANIZATIONS**

September 11, 2011

Mayor and Council,
District of Saanich,
770 Vernon Avenue,
Victoria, B.C.,
V8X 2W7

Dear Mr. Mayor and Council members:

The Amalgamated Conservation Society is a not for profit organization representing various angling associations within the Capital Regional District. We have operated continuously since 1954 and currently have nine member associations. These include Clover Point Anglers' Association, Esquimalt Anglers' Association, Goldstream Volunteer Salmonid Enhancement Association, Haig-Brown Flyfishing Association, Royal Canadian Navy Anglers' Association, Sidney Anglers' Association, Victoria Fish & Game Protective Association, Victoria Golden Rods & Reels and Westcoast Flyfishers Association.

Many of the anglers within our member associations enjoy the recreational fishing opportunities provided by Prospect Lake. They are concerned regarding recent talk of closing or restricting access to the main boat launch off Echo Drive because of the wishes of one nearby resident. Our members feel that it is imperative that boat launching and angler access be maintained at this site from dawn to dusk year round. Improvements to the access and parking would be most welcome.

It is rare to find such quality fishing waters within a large population centre such as Greater Victoria. It is important that such a public treasure and access to it be maintained for future generations to enjoy.

Anglers fish for Smallmouth bass, Cutthroat trout and Rainbow trout on this lake. The Freshwater Fisheries Society of B.C. produces trout at their Duncan trout hatchery for stocking into Prospect and many other local lakes. A significant portion of an anglers fishing licence fee is designated to the Freshwater Fisheries Society to produce fish for stocking into urban lakes such as Prospect. This provides the necessary numbers of fish to maintain a quality fishing experience and a tasty, nutritious source of protein for the table.

In conclusion, the Amalgamated Conservation Society is adamant that the Echo Drive and other public launch access points on Prospect Lake be maintained in perpetuity.

Yours truly,

Wayne Zaccarelli,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Amalgamated Conservation Society

UNITED IN PROTECTING THE DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS OF INDIVIDUALS

**September 24th, Black Powder Shoot**

Total of 11 shooters & four other shooters on the other side having fun.

Rifle category;

- #1 Merlin/Art
- #2 Jacques
- #3 Jean

**Smoothbore category;**

- #1 Dogspit / Sue
- #2 Dave H

**New Kitchen Makes Money**

During the **PITA 300 bird Event** held Sept. 10, 11, the kitchen was used to provide shooters with lunch. A special thanks goes to **Duncan & Jo-Anna Haydon** for providing Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, using the grill top of the new stoves. Many drinks were sold due to the excessive heat up on the Shotgun Range. A total of \$97 was donated to the VFGPA.

New Kitchen Makes Money

Member Responsible
Jim Carson

"Deer Hide to Buckskin" Course

Hello Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association,
The Woodland Workshop located on Salt Spring Island will be offering a "Deer Hide to Buckskin" course October 21st to October 23rd. Participants will learn how to tan by using traditional methods and be left with a soft supple buckskin to take home. Participants are welcome to bring their own hides or donated native black tale deer hides will be provided. I felt that there may be some interest in this course amongst your members and would like to discuss the possibility of making this information available to them. Please visit our web site www.woodlandworkshop.blogspot.com or you can find us on facebook at "Woodland Workshop".

I look forward to hearing from you,
Skye McEwan

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

- Lucky Jhagra; (250)361-8692 or visit him at Island Outfitters.
- David Michaud; (250) 385-3658 or (250) 389-8897
- Dave Degrassi; (250) 474-3483

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



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For further information or to view contact

Keith King 250-478-7016 or keithking@shaw.ca



WTS: WW2 German Wehrmacht G-43 Rifle. Gewehr 43 (Karabiner 43 G43, K43, Gew 43, Kar 43) is a 8x57mm caliber semi-automatic rifle developed by Third Reich Germany during World War II.

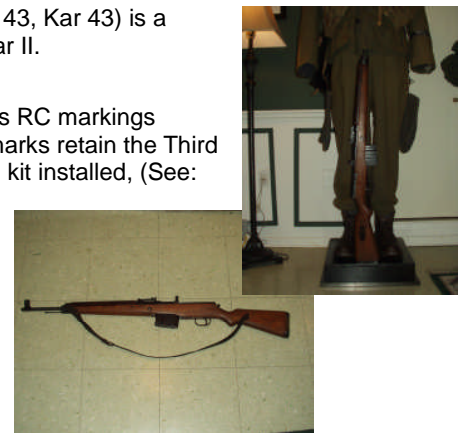
Surviving examples in working order are rare.

Mine is a Walther AC 44 I believe-was possible RC issued to VOPO post war. No obvious RC markings though. (Other than electro-penciled numbers) All Waffenamt (WaA) Stamps and proof marks retain the Third Reich markings and WaA numbers. Mine has Apfelter Waffenfabrik springs and shooters kit installed, (See: <http://www.apfelter.com/>) but I will include the original parts as well. Comes w/original leather sling and 2 WaA stamped magazines, cleaning rod and front sight hood. Dura foil front stock in excellent condition. Head spacing and timing gauges included. Excellent Range shooter, I have fired under 40 rounds through her. Buyer gets 175 rounds (+/-) of Ammo as well. (If you can pick up)

\$4.000 OBO, serious buyers only please.

You may contact me for more info/photos

at: jwja@telus.net.



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

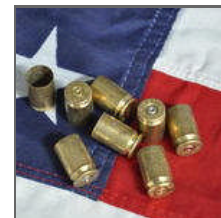
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Calibers available :

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270
30-30
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300 Win Mag
300 Rem Mag
303
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All calibers - .10/case

Please call or email Art Archer 250 721 0131 or benders69@shaw.ca (please make reference to brass)



I found these example pictures on the internet

LOOKING FOR PART TIME OFFICE ASSISTANT POSITION - I have my Business Administration Diploma from Sprott-Shaw Community College, took Simply Accounting, Quickbooks, Powerpoint, etc and the MS Office Suite. I know the Microsoft Publisher Program very well. Very flexible with scheduling. Please contact by email at jbrugge63@gmail.com

**VICTORIA FISH & GAME ANNUAL BIG GAME COMPETITION**

Hunters are reminded that Blacktail deer taken in MU 1-1 through 1-13 by Victoria Fish & Game members are eligible for the five trophies available each year. Deer must be field dressed which means that the heart, liver and kidneys (edible portions) are the only internal organs which can be included when the animal is weighed. Deer must be weighed on Club scales by the caretaker or his designate.

The official weigher reserves the right to refuse weighing any deer which arrives in an unpresentable condition. Lungs must be removed and body cavity wiped dry with a rag or paper towels. Deer 160 pounds and over taken with a rifle and 140 pounds and over taken by bow and arrow must be witnessed by an executive member at time of weighing. Please contact the Club caretaker or Wayne Zaccarelli to make arrangements.

Trophies available include:

McIlwaine Van & Storage (est. 1955) largest deer / rifle

Victoria Fish & Game (est. 1966) largest scoring antlers

Robinson's Sporting Goods (est. 1970) largest deer / bow & arrow

Bob Hollingworth Memorial (est. 1983) largest buck deer / junior member

Malahat Marauders (est. 1990) largest deer / muzzle loader

Gold, silver and bronze buttons are awarded in both rifle and bow & arrow classes for deer in the following weight categories:

| | RIFLE | BOW & ARROW |
|---------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Gold | 180 lb + | 160 lb + |
| Silver | 160 - 179 ½ lb | 140 - 159 ½ lb |
| Bronze | 140 - 159 ½ lb | 120 - 139 ½ lb |

In addition, the Victoria Fish & Game Bear trophy is awarded annually for the largest Black bear taken by a Club member. Boone & Crockett Club scoring is used to determine the largest entry. Boundaries are again MU 1-1 through

CRAIGFLOWER CREEK COUNTING FENCE

A group of Esquimalt Anglers' volunteers has replaced the fish counting fence located on lower Craigflower Creek. The old structure was built almost twenty years ago and was decaying to the point of being unsafe. Starting the second week of September the superstructure and fence panels were completely removed down to the concrete sill in the streambed. A new fence was reconstructed using wood dimension lumber and galvanized steel pipe for the fence panel rails. The fence panels are approximately five feet in length and span 30 feet between the sidewalls within the stream channel. The fence is topped with a three foot wide walkway decked with 2x6 lumber and capped with raised expanded aluminum non-slip metal throughout its 40 foot length. For safety, a steel pipe railing is attached along the downstream side of the walkway.

The following pictures show the deconstruction and rebuilding of the fence which was completed in late September.



**BIG GAME REPORT:**

The Wildlife Records Club of B.C. has decided to reprint 100 only copies of the 1970 soft cover first edition of the Big Game Records of British Columbia. Numerous enquiries have been received by individuals seeking this publication which has not been available for many years. The reprint is now ready for distribution at a cost of \$20 postpaid. Contact Wayne Zaccarelli if you wish to order a copy.

Fishing Contest Entry Form

Chinook___ Coho___ Tyee___ Halibut___

Trout___ Bass___ Steelhead___

Weight:___ lbs___ oz. Length___

Date Caught:___ Area:___

Anglers Name:___ Jr. Age:___

Member Number:___

Phone Number:___

Signature:___

Submit to Wayne Zaccarelli - 382-8502

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www.victoriaalarm.com**DEER WEIGH IN:**

One Blacktail deer has been weighed in to the annual club competition. James Mace entered a deer weighing 155 pounds on September 25.

**Publishers Note**

Deadline for every Newsletter is the Wednesday after the Executive meeting of the month. Note: Late submissions will be published in the month following. Please submit all ads by emailing them in text format only. 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**

**BIG GAME RECORDS BOOKS**

Copies of the newly published eighth edition (2010) of the Vancouver Island Columbian Blacktail Deer Records are available at a cost of \$5 each. The issue contains a brief history of the records which were started in 1972 by Byron Mason and Charles Veasey. Byron Mason has written another excellent article on the history of hunting on Vancouver Island from 1900 to 1920. The previous seventh edition (2000) contained Byron's piece on blacktail deer populations and hunting on Vancouver Island from 1843 to 1899.

The current records list 1824 entries scoring 100 or more Boone & Crockett points. Several old hunting photographs have been reproduced for the first time in the Vancouver Island deer records booklet.

Some copies of the seventh edition (2000) are still available at \$4 each. Contact Wayne Zaccarelli @ 250-382-8502 or at general meetings to get your copies.

Big Game Records of British Columbia books are also available as follows:

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------|
| 2 nd edition (1983) | \$20.00 | 3 rd edition (1988) | \$20.00 |
| 4 th edition (1995) | \$20.00 | 5 th edition (2003) | \$30.00 |

These are hard cover books containing records of all big game native species, hunting stories and photographs. Check out the **Wildlife Records Club of B.C.** website or e-mail to:

Website: www.wildliferecordsofbc.com

e-mail: wildliferecordsofbc@shaw.ca

Contact Wayne Zaccarelli for record books or further information. A new 6th edition is currently being compiled and should be available around year end.

Entry fees are \$20 per animal. If you have a harvested or found big game animal which you would like scored as a potential record book entry, please contact Fred Pringle @ 250-478-1862. Fred is an official Club scorer and also a Boone & Crockett scorer.

NEW 6TH EDITION BIG GAME RECORDS BOOK

A new 6th edition **BIG GAME RECORDS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA** has been published by the Wildlife Records Club of B.C. The 480 page hardcover book features a fall Grizzly painted by Prince George wildlife artist, Ken Ferris, on the front cover.

The book contains more than 9000 entries in 19 big game categories and lists over 1900 new entries received since the 2003 edition. Included are feature articles of general interest along with a wide variety of pictures and hunting stories related to the more recent entries.

The Wildlife Records Club of British Columbia was formed in Kamloops in 1969 with the objective of maintaining a perpetual record of trophy class big game taken in British Columbia. Using the Boone & Crockett scoring system, the Club has scorers throughout the province for the convenience of hunters. Since 1982, directorship of the Club has been based on Vancouver Island.

The Club is dedicated to wildlife conservation, selective hunting and fair chase. Copies of the 6th edition Records Book are available from Wayne Zaccarelli (250-382-8502) or from Island Outfitters in Victoria.



OCTOBER 2011

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
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| SUBJECT TO CHANGE: | | | | | | 1 |
| | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MP Bay 7 closed 9-4pm • PPC Work Party R/P Range Closed 9-3 • SIAS; MP Range; Setup in afternoon for Club Championship; limited access |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SIAS Club Championship; MP Closed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Board Meeting; 7:30 • P.A.L. Course in Clubhouse • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P.A.L. Course in Clubhouse | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH closed all day; VICC | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VICC; RP, RH, SG & CH Closed all day |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VICC; RP, RH & CH Closed till 3 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Happy Thanksgiving to all' | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C.O.R.E. Course; RH 8am-4pm |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C.O.R.E. Course; RH 8am-4pm • Silhouette; RP Closed; 9am - 3pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Mtg. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BlackPowder; RP closed 9-2pm • Frontier Shootists; RP closed from 4pm for setup |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frontier Shootists; 'Bunkhouse' R/P & RH closed 9-4pm • MP Bay 7 closed 9-4pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm • Black powder meeting | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm | |
| 30 | 31 | | | | | |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Happy Halloween!!" | | | | | |



NOVEMBER 2011

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
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| | | <u>1</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 1pm</u> | <u>4</u> • <u>CH Closed 7-9pm; Intro to Handgun Course</u> | <u>5</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 8-3pm; Introduction to Handgun Course</u> |
| <u>6</u> | <u>7</u> • <u>Board Mtg.</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>9</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>11</u> • <u>Remembrance Day!</u> | <u>12</u> • <u>PPC: RP & RH Closed; 9am to 3pm</u> • <u>PAL Course in Clubhouse</u> |
| <u>13</u> • <u>Frontier Shooters: RP & RH Closed til 12:30pm</u> • <u>PAL Course in Clubhouse</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>15</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | <u>16</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>18</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 1pm</u> | <u>19</u> |
| <u>20</u> • <u>Silhouette; RP Closed; 9am - 3pm</u> | <u>21</u> • <u>General Mtg.</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>23</u> | <u>24</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 1pm</u> | <u>25</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 1pm</u> | <u>26</u> • <u>BlackPowder; RP & CH closed; 'Turkey shoot'</u> |
| <u>27</u> • <u>BlackPowder; RP, SG, & CH closed 9-4; 'Turkey Shoot'</u> | <u>28</u> • <u>Black Powder Meeting</u> | <u>29</u> | <u>30</u> • <u>RP & RH Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | SUBJECT TO CHANGE: | | |



DECEMBER 2011

| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
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| SUBJECT TO CHANGE: | | | | 1 • <u>RP & RH</u> <u>Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | 2 • <u>RP & RH</u> <u>Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | 3 • <u>PPC; RP & RH</u> <u>Closed 9am to 3pm</u> • <u>P.A.L. Course</u> <u>in Clubhouse</u> |
| 4 • <u>P.A.L. Course</u> <u>in Clubhouse</u> | 5 • <u>Board Mtg.</u> | 6 | 7 • <u>RP & RH</u> <u>Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | 8 | 9 | 10 • <u>C.O.R.E.</u> <u>Course; CH 8am-6pm</u> |
| 11 • <u>C.O.R.E.</u> <u>Course; CH 8am-6pm</u> | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18 • <u>Silhouette;</u> <u>RP closed 9am-2pm</u> • <u>Archery 3D</u> <u>shoot!</u> | 19 • <u>General Mtg.</u> <u>& Christmas So-</u> <u>cial</u> | 20 • <u>RP & RH</u> <u>Closed; 9am to 4pm</u> | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 • <u>Range</u> <u>Closed; Merry</u> <u>Christmas!!</u> | 26 • <u>"BOXING</u> <u>DAY TRAP</u> <u>SHOOT"</u> | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

**Club Contacts:****2011 Executive**

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|----------------------------------|----------|
| President: Myrna Francis | 479-0101 |
| 1st Vice President: Jim Sprang | 380-7533 |
| 2nd Vice President: Tristan Baty | 886-5341 |
| Secretary: Perry Roemer | 478-8574 |
| Treasurer: Dom Piluso | 386-0620 |
| Membership: Val Macdonald | 479-3828 |

Executive Committee

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| ACS/Fishing - Wayne Zaccarelli | 382-8502 |
| Big Game - Wayne Zaccarelli | 382-8502 |
| Air soft - Sean Steacy | 652-2892 |
| Archery - Greg Birtwistle | 592-1950 |
| BCWF—Bob Macdonald | 479-3828 |
| Black Powder - Perry Chow | 478-2279 |
| Conservation— Bob Macdonald | 479-3828 |
| Fishing - Wayne Zaccarelli | 382-8502 |
| Frontier Shootist - Al Wilson | 920-8707 |
| - Ashley Harrison | 744-4705 |

Pistol:

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| South Island Action Shooters - Mike Egan | 656-4508 |
| Dave Gerow | 710-2447 |
| PPC - Dom Piluso | 386-0620 |
| Range Safety Officer - | |
| Silhouette - Art Archer | 721-0131 |

Shotgun Sports:

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| Skeet - Lucky Jhagra | 361-8692 |
| Trap— | |

Building & Improvements

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| Dan Bauer | 896-0979 |
| Shawn Tyler | 888-0463 |

Members at Large:

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| Bruce Reed | 479-9652 |
| Doug Bell | 727-9735 |

Newsletter: Jodi Sturgill 383-4622

Hall kitchen: Winnie Jones 386-3783

VFGPA Caretakers - Roby & Trudi Petrie 858-8342

Meeting & Club Information

**Executive meetings 1st Monday of the Month @ 7:30pm,
Esquimalt Anglers Lounge 800 Munro**

General Meeting

Strawberry Vale Hall 7:30pm.

General meetings are on the third Monday of each month at 7:30pm. in the Strawberry Vale Hall at 11 High Street, off of Burnside Road West, Victoria BC. Club House and Ranges are located at 700 Holker Place off Malahat Drive—about 20 minutes North of Victoria opposite Spectacle Lake turn-off.

Phone: (250) 478—2411

Range Scheduling Information

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

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474-2512 (Friday—Sunday)

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Val Macdonald - membership@vfgpa.org

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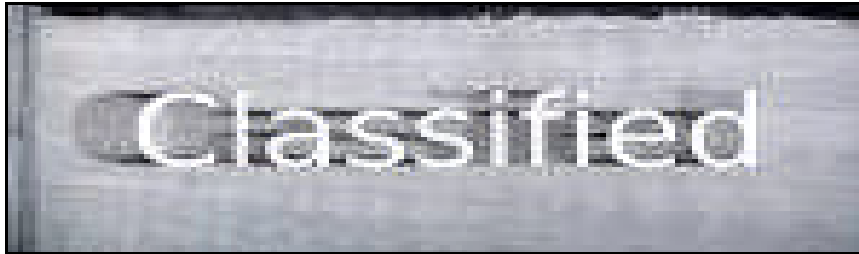
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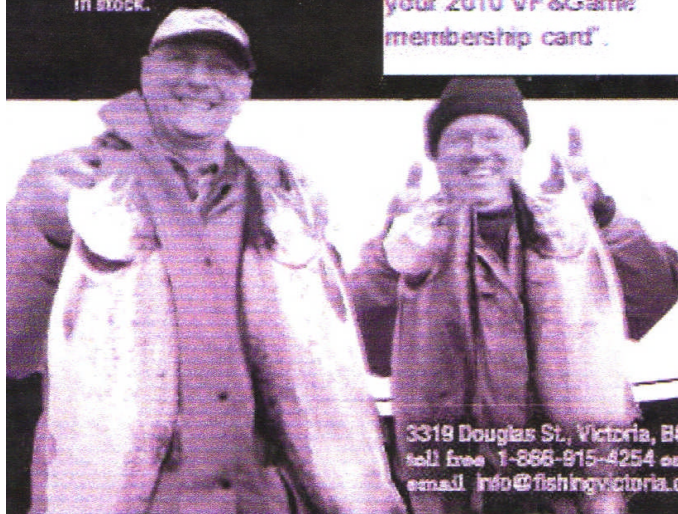
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- Includes guide, all bait and tackle, fish packaging.
- Licenses and prepared lunches extra.
- Rates are for 4 passengers. Additional passengers are \$20 per hour for a total boat maximum of 6.

Port Renfrew - Saltwater

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| May to September only | \$1200 CDN per day + 5% GST |
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- Includes guide, all bait and tackle, fish packaging.
- Licenses and prepared lunches extra.
- Rates are for 4 passengers.
- Rental house accommodations are available upon request and can accommodate groups of up to 8. Call us for rates.

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