



# Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association

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## **IAN BRUCE OF PENINSULA STREAMS SOCIETY TO SPEAK AT SEPTEMBER 19th MEETING**

Ian Bruce, the Executive Coordinator of Peninsula Streams Society, will give a presentation describing the various projects they are involved with. A discussion is planned on ways PSS might involve VFGPA members in short, or longer, term projects; perhaps one that the Victoria Fish & Game could adopt as their own.

The Victoria Fish & Game has supported the work that Peninsula Streams does by contributing cash donations over the last two years.

Bring your ideas to the meeting. You may become a future project volunteer contributing to the health and well being of local fish bearing waters.

### Presidents Report:

As I write this report, the Sunshine of August has just finished, and the rains of September are just beginning. The summer has been particularly busy on all of the ranges, with both major events and general drop-in use.

The club hosted members of the Q & Zone Radio station staff for a day at the range, where they were able to try their hand at trap, along with some rifle & handgun shooting. Our South Island Action Shooters hosted double-header IPSC Qualifiers on the Multi-Purpose range on August 13 & 14 that saw shooters from all over BC attend. Our Frontier Shootists held a very successful Headquarters event that drew shooters from both Canada & the US. Our Trap members hosted a two-day P.I.T.A. event that also was very successful.

On top of all of the events, some of our members were volunteering time to make improvements to the various parts of the ranges as well. A big thank-you to Kathryn Gillert (AKA Montana May) & Brent Stefan (AKA SideIron Sam), who cleaned, repaired, and painted both of the outside-access washrooms at the main clubhouse. Both washrooms were long overdue for a refurbishment, and they now look wonderful.

Our Canteen volunteer, Marc Fournier, has arranged four vending machines for use by our members. Two are in the main clubhouse, and two are in the Rifle-Range shooting shed. These are already being enjoyed by members who would like a snack or a cold drink. Board Volunteer Andre' Desautels did the work to ensure that everything operates properly.

Marc was also instrumental in the construction of a new campsite along the northern road spur off of Frog-Hollow. This is our first attempt at individual campsites, and it looks to be working well as a pilot project. Marc & other volunteers have plans for more individual sites on the northern side of Frog-Hollow pond, and also along the spur road, so keep your eyes out for them to be constructed slowly over the next months & years to come.

The Multi-Purpose range received its yearly maintenance work in August as well. A number of dedicated member volunteers of our South Island Action Shooters spent a few days cleaning up all of the bays, and performing repairs as needed on the bays, grounds & parking areas.

And a final big thank-you to all of our member volunteer Range Safety Officers (RSO's) who schedule their time to oversee the activities on the various ranges. These people volunteer to help keep our safety record at the range intact, so please help them out by acting in a safe and courteous manner at all times.

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This newsletter contains more information about future activities at our club; the 2017 Game Dinner, the Vancouver Island Combat Championships event which will be held on the Thanksgiving Saturday & Sunday, and a host of other events & programs. You have a very active club, fuelled by a group of dedicated volunteers, so please support them, and get involved yourself!

Best Regards:

Dom Piluso

VFGPA President, 2016/2017

### 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 not acceptable. 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 **6pm** is Closing Time the last shot is **5:30pm**, 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 **6pm**. Range staff have already worked their 12-14 hours to 8 hours and would like to go home and see their families.

### **Closing Times for the Range 2016 CLOSING AND LAST SHOT**

**Main Gate times (1/2 hr after last shot.)**

Summer Hours are last shot 7:30PM Main gate closes at 8:00 PM (until Sept)

Thank you, Club Manager, David M.

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS**

A motion was passed at last years General Meeting Monday, November the 16th was that all members of the Victoria Fish & Game will have to take the orientation every five years. You have a year to complete ASAP so that all members old and new have time to work it into their schedule.



### **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](mailto:vicandmaggie@telus.net)

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		250-888-5315
<b>Chief RSO</b>	David Michaud	manager@vfgpa.org

**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. *Sonya is usually at the meetings every month selling memberships, in case you don't have yours yet.*

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.

**Phone:** (250) 478—2411

Recorded Range Scheduling Information—updated every morning

**Web:** [www.vfgpa.org](http://www.vfgpa.org)

**E-mail:** [inquiry@vfgpa.org](mailto: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)

**Eagle Eye Outfitters in Sooke**

6734 Westcoast Road, Sooke, BC  
(250) 642-7983

**Langford Canadian Tire**

Westshore Town Centre,  
855 Langford Parkway, Victoria, BC  
(250) 474-2291

**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**

Sonya Bell - [membership@vfgpa.org](mailto:membership@vfgpa.org)

**Annual 2016 Membership**

**\* Adult \$140.00 \* Family \$180.00**  
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**250.475.4969**

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Mon- Wed: 9am - 6pm | Thu - Fri: 9am - 9pm

Sat: 8am - 6pm | Sun: 10am - 5pm



## HUNT AND FISH PRO SHOP

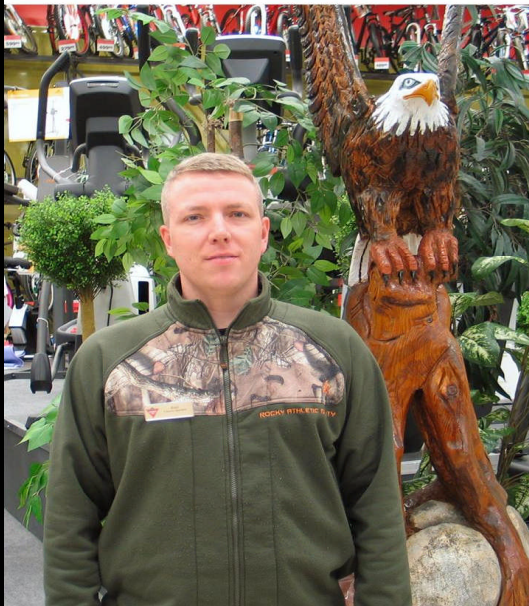
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and on  
Sat. and Sun. 9:00 to 5:00

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SPORTING CLAY

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



# Phase Line Green Tactical - 2 Day Carbine Course Victoria Fish and Game - October 1-2

Cost: \$420

(Note that a deposit of \$100.00 will be required  
and is non-refundable should the participant not attend).  
To sign up and for more information follow the link below:  
<http://www.phaselinegreentactical.ca/carbine-2-day.php>



# WANTED DEAD or ~~ALIVE~~

## Victoria Fish & Game Banquet Fundraiser 2017

On March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017, I will be hosting the Victoria Fish & Game Banquet Fundraiser at the Mary Winspear Centre in Sidney, BC. There will be 360 guests, silent auctions, bucket draws, firearms, live music, a grand prize draw and an all game meat feast. **Tickets will be available Sept 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016. (more info to come)** I am looking for the following game meat donations:

*Elk	*Duck	*Raccoon	*Venison
*Moose	*Halibut	*Squirrel	*Beaver
*Bear	*Salmon	*Cougar	*Rabbit
*Crab	*Goat	*Ostrich	*Caribou



Thank you  
Angela Long-Greene  
[leeward49@hotmail.com](mailto:leeward49@hotmail.com) 250-886-7523

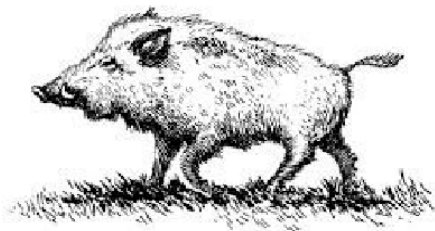


# Victoria Fish & Game Banquet Fundraiser

March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Mary Winspear Centre, Sidney, BC

- \*Doors: 4:30pm
- \*Cocktails: 5pm
- \*Live Music: 5-7pm
- \*Appetizers: 6pm
- \*Game Meat Feast: 7pm
- \*Prizes: 9:30pm



## Tickets Available @

(starting September 1<sup>st</sup>)

(\$65 Each)

- \*Victoria Fish & Game
- \*Island Outfitters
- \*Canadian Tire Langford

\*Silent Auctions

\*Wheel Barrow full of Liquor

\*Bucket Draws

\*Firearms

\*Islander Reel

\*Grand Prize Draw

## Sponsor Tables:

\*Platinum \$6000

-Naming rights & more

\*Gold \$3000

-10 seats & more

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Plus More



Contact:  
Angela Long-Greene  
for  
Sponsor Tables and Donations

[leeward49@hotmail.com](mailto:leeward49@hotmail.com)  
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**Canadian Firearms Safety course; Non Restricted & Restricted PAL courses and challenges; Contact;**

- David Michaud (250)888-5315 or [davidmichaud333@gmail.com](mailto:davidmichaud333@gmail.com)
- Dave Degrassi (250)474-3483 [davedegrassi@telus.net](mailto:davedegrassi@telus.net)
- Sue Bender (250) 721-0131 or [safeshooting69@gmail.com](mailto:safeshooting69@gmail.com)

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

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

**REMINDER TO ALL MEMBERS,**

You must have a Orientation Card by the end  
of the year. (voted by the Exec./Directors Nov. 2015)  
Please do not leave until the last minute, there will be limited courses in December

Courses take place every Wed. night at 7pm and check the Club Calendar  
for weekend courses 2pm.

If you want to get 2 Birds with one stone you may want to come 1 hr.  
early and do the Trap Access Program at the same time.

**TRAP COURSE**

Next learn to shoot Trap Course is on  
Oct 23 Sunday at 10am.- 1pm  
\$30 including 2 tokens.  
Register at the office.



**"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: Sept.17th, Oct.16th  
and Nov.13th

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



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# Victoria Fish & Game Protective Association Banquet Fundraiser

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Tickets available @  
(starting Oct 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016)

- \*Victoria Fish & Game Club
- \*Island Outfitters
- \*Victoria's 2-day Gun Show

Cash Only



Three prizes to be won:

- 1) \*1000 tickets sold - \$300 cash prize
- 2) \*2000 tickets sold - \$500 cash prize

Grand Prize SXS

\*Grand prize winner announced at the  
Victoria Fish & Game Banquet Fundraiser  
Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017 @ the  
Mary Winspear Centre

Contact Angela Long for tickets @ [leeward49@hotmail.com](mailto:leeward49@hotmail.com) / 250 886 7523

**Fall 300 bird P.I.T.A.**

We have another P.I.T.A. shoot on September 18  
Shoot registration starts at 8am shooting at 9:30 at the clubhouse.

For info please email at: [trap@vfgpa.org](mailto:trap@vfgpa.org)

**VENDING MACHINES NOTICE**

For everyone that's been to the Clubhouse recently, you will have seen the addition of two new vending machines .. one for cold drinks, one for snacks. One on the Rifle/Pistol Range as well, for cold drinks, with a snack machine to come online shortly, once we deal with some power issues.

The machines only take coin ... nickels straight up to toonies.

Right now, the drinks machines contain a full range of soft drinks (diet and regular), as well as water and some Vitamin Water ... the snack machines contain chips, bars, cookies, pretzels and even microwave popcorn (for those that camp and are so inclined)

With the heat we're currently experiencing, hopefully some of our members find this useful.

By Marc

**ClubHouse  
Canteen**

**Sat / Sun  
10:00 to 15:00**

**Menu****Beverages**

Pop (most flavors), Water ..... \$ 1.00  
Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate ..... \$ 1.00

**Snacks**

Chocolate Bars ..... \$ 1.50  
Chips ..... \$ 1.00

**Frozen Treats**

Drumsticks ..... \$ 3.00  
Freezies ..... \$ 0.50  
Ice Cream Sandwich ..... \$ 1.00

**Hot Lunch**

Hot Dogs ..... \$ 3.00  
Hamburgers ..... \$ 5.00  
Stuffed Cheese/Bacon Burger ... \$ 6.00

served 11:00 to 14:00

**Cash Only**

**LAMA INFORMATION**

**Otis our M/P Lama 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.**

**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.).

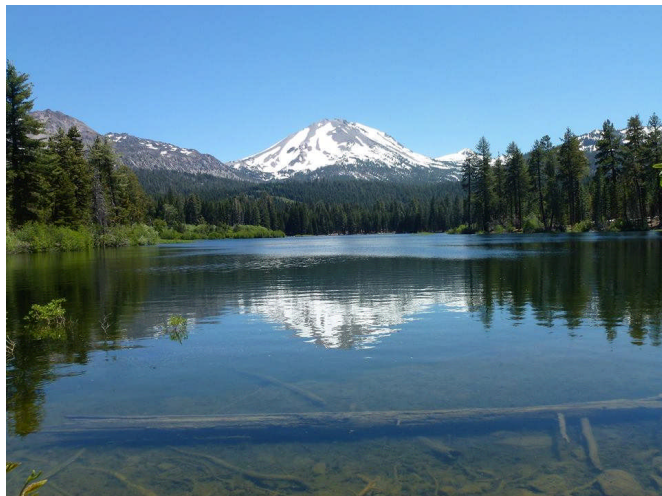
Trap is at 6 pm every Wed except during the winter.

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](mailto:davidmichaud333@gmail.com)



Welcome to the  
Neighborhood!!

Are you new to the area?

*If you have moved to a different town/ area, let me know and I can do the visit. If not in my areas, I can forward your info to the Rep that is your area,*

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### 2016 VANCOUVER ISLAND 3D ARCHERY SHOOT SCHEDULE

October 2, 2016	Harvest Moon 3D	Cowichan Bowmen, Duncan	<a href="mailto:bryanharper74@gmail.com">bryanharper74@gmail.com</a> (250) 709-4861
October 16, 2016	Nanaimo Pumpkin Shoot	Nanaimo Fish & Game	Larry McFarlane (250) 753-3695 <a href="mailto:profat@telus.net">profat@telus.net</a>
December 4, 2016	Turkey Shoot	Victoria Fish & Game	<a href="mailto:Douglas.Bell@forces.gc.ca">Douglas.Bell@forces.gc.ca</a> (250) 727-9735
December 11, 2016	Turkey Shoot	Nanaimo Fish & Game	Larry McFarlane (250) 753-3695 <a href="mailto:profit@telus.net">profit@telus.net</a>

#### 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, OCTOBER 5th** 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](mailto:vfgpanewsletter@telus.net)**

Thank You,

Jodi Sturgill (250) 383-4622

#### **Wish to Place an Ad?**

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Business Card: \$10.00 per issue, or \$100.00 for 12 issues  
Quarter Page: \$15.00 per issue, or \$120.00 for 12 issues  
Half Page: \$25.00 per issue, \$200.00 for 12 issues  
Full Page: \$50.00 per issue, or \$500.00 for 12 issues

#### **Classified and For Sale Ads**

**Members** - FREE classified ads, but for Commercial ads please see the above

For more information or to purchase ad space please contact Jodi at:

**[vfgpanewsletter@telus.net](mailto:vfgpanewsletter@telus.net)**



**Introductory Hunting Essentials Course**  
**October 29 & 30, 2016**

Are you a novice hunter, who has successfully completed the PAL and CORE courses, but feel that you need more practical training before heading off into the woods? Then this course may be just for you.

The Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association will be holding an Introductory Hunting Essentials Course; on Saturday/Sunday 29-30 October 2016 in the Clubhouse, 9 am to 4 pm each day.

**The course content includes:**

- \* Ground selection
- \* Preys' eyes, Hunters' eyes
- \* Finding/seeing game
- \* Whitetail vs mule, Buck vs doe
- \* Fitness considerations
- \* Team makeup
- \* Optics/Scope/binocular selection
- \* Rifle/caliber selection
- \* Laser range finder applications
- \* Normal (< 150 yard) shooting considerations/Long(er) distance shooting considerations
- \* Scouting & ambush, vs stalking, merits of each
- \* Ungulate anatomy/physiology and field dressing (includes training/practice on either killed-that-morning sheep, or a recent deer)
- \* Relationships with game cutters
- \* Relationships with landowners
- \* Relationships with other parties out there encountered
- \* Hunt site schematic
- \* Bear considerations

**About the instructor:**

- \* Canadian Firearms/Restricted Firearms instructor/examiner, since the program's inception (instructor certification card # 0007)
- \* B.C. Hunter Training/C.O.R.E instructor/examiner, since 1981.
- \* 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.

To attend, you must register in advance. Cost will be \$150, payable at the door. The course size will be limited to 20 students. To register, please send an email to [vicepresident2@vfgpa.org](mailto:vicepresident2@vfgpa.org)

An update on the VFGPA Timber West land access pilot project will also be provided.

Lunches will be available for purchase from the VFGPA Canteen in the clubhouse.

**FACTORY AMMUNITION SALE**

This factory ammunition has been donated by a generous club member and all of the proceeds go to the club to help fund our various ongoing range repairs, range improvements, and other club projects. If interested in any of the below, please contact Al Page at (250) 388-0705 or email at [lapage@telus.net](mailto:lapage@telus.net)

<u>Brand</u>	<u>Calibre</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>SKU</u>	<u>Retail Price</u>	<u>Selling Price</u>	<u>Quantity on hand</u>
Winchester	12 gauge 2 3/4"	Blindside 1 1/4 oz #5 steel / 1400 fps	SBS125	\$31 box	\$21.00 box	10 boxes
Winchester	12 gauge 3"	Blindside 1 3/8 oz #2 steel / 1400 fps	SBS1232	\$31 box	\$21.00 box	4 boxes
Winchester	.300 Winchester Magnum	150 grain PHP	X30WM1BP	\$44.99 box	\$35.00 box	5 boxes
Winchester	.300 Winchester Magnum	180 grain Ballistic Silvertip	SBST300	\$52.99 box	\$40.00 box	10 boxes
Winchester	.300 Winchester Magnum	150 grain Power Point	X30WW1	\$39.99 box	\$30.00 box	5 boxes
Winchester	.270 WSM	130 PHP	X270SBP	\$49.99 box	\$35.00 box	5 boxes
Winchester	.270 WSM	130 PHP	X270SBP	\$49.99 box	\$35.00 box	9 boxes
Winchester	.325 WSM	200 grain XP3	SXP325S	\$49.99 box	\$35.00 box	10 boxes
Winchester	7mm WSM	160 Accubond	S7NMWSMCT	\$49.99 box	\$35.00 for all	40 rounds loose
Winchester	.17 Win Super Magnum	25 grain Varmint HE poly tip	S17W25	\$9.99 box	\$7.00 box	9 boxes
Winchester	12 gauge 2 3/4"	7/8 oz Partition Gold Sabot Slug	SSP12	\$21 box	\$15.00 box	10 boxes

**Fired Range Brass Program reminder!**

Just a reminder to our members to only put fired pistol and rifle cartridge cases (brass or steel) into the plastic range brass buckets. I just spent a few hours pre-sorting through 10 buckets of brass to remove the plastic shot shell hulls, used paper targets, empty cardboard ammo boxes, plastic ammo trays, used earplugs (LOTS of those), used Kleenex, and other misc garbage that should NOT be put in the brass buckets. Please use the provided garbage cans on our ranges for your garbage and ONLY put your fired rifle and pistol cartridge cases in the buckets provided for range brass. It will definitely help to make my job a lot easier ... and a lot less disgusting. It is a fairly time consuming job to separate and sort all of the various calibres of brass to make them available to the members that reload, but it makes it far more time consuming when I have to pre-sort all of the garbage out of the brass buckets first.

**Check page 32 in this newsletter for information.**

**"A big Thank You to our member Mike Lesperance for all of his help sorting out buckets full of our range brass". Mike has been helping me out with the brass sorting chores for quite a while now and his help is very much appreciated!**

Many thanks in advance,

Al Page



**To All Members of the VFGPA,**

**Next meeting is Monday, September the 19th**

**CALENDAR REMINDER**

**IF YOU WANT TO SEE THE CALENDAR, PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE AT: [www.vfgpa.org](http://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: 250-478-2411 TO SEE IF THERE ARE ANY CHANGES TO THE MOST RECENT VERSION OF THE EVENT CALENDAR POSTED ON THE WEBSITE.**

**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.

New to hunting and interested in joining an experienced person in hunting on the island. Using a 303. Will share expenses. Please contact Luke at [250-886-9888](tel:250-886-9888).



**The Right**



**The Wrong Way**



**The Right Way**



**The Wrong Way**

The Wood cross pieces in theory should not have any holes in them, We are going through a lot of wood unnecessarily. Please make sure targets are placed correctly and educate other members if they haven't read the Newsletter.

**PROPERLY PLACED TARGETS ON THE RIFLE/PISTOL RANGE**

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

**Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association****"Summer Haze"****August 13 & 14, 2016****Event One - 100 bird singles** **Score** **Entries 27**

A-	George Denton	98
B-	Danny O'Brien	96
C-	Jerry Armstrong	97
D-	Bill Webber	90
Lady-	Jody Patenuade	88
Junior-	No Entry	
Veteran-	John Duncan, Ron Stubbings	97

**Event Two - 100 Bird Handicap** **Score** **Entries 27**

Champion-	Dave Wade , Tim Hasted	95
Lg Ydg-	Jack Vandament, John Chudyk	93
Short Ydg-	Justin Sowley	92
Lady-	Jody Patenaude	77
Junior-	No Entry	
Veteran-	Gil Johnson, Ron Stubbings	88

**Event Three - 50 Pair Doubles** **Score** **Entries 26**

A-	Ron Stubbings	97
B-	John Duncan	93
C-	Danny O'Brien	93
D-	Jan Szulia	84
Lady-	Karen Pringle	74
Junior-	No Entry	
Veteran-	Dave Wade	95

**Event Four - 100 Bird singles** **Score** **Entries 25**

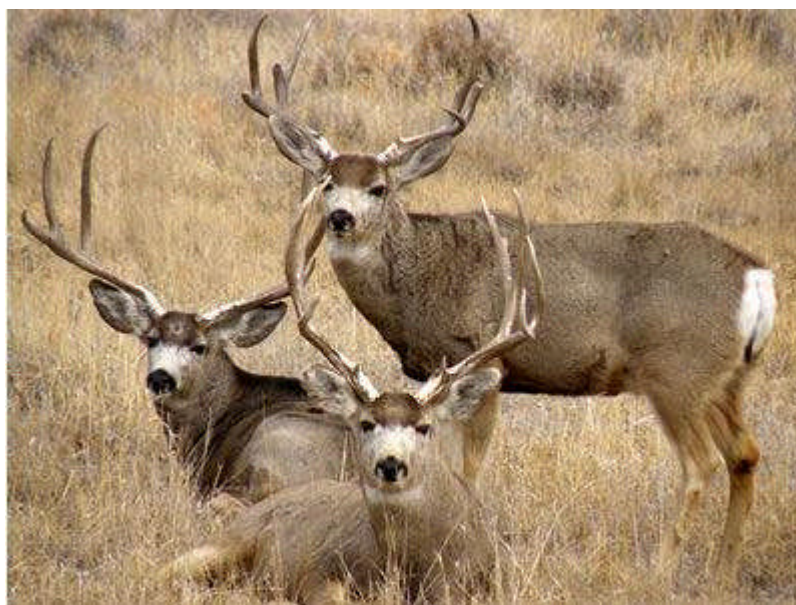
A-	Darryl Webber, Tim Hasted	98
B-	Danny O'Brien	99
C-	Jerry Armstrong	93
D-	Bill Webber	94
Lady-	Jody Patenuade	84
Junior-	No Entry	
Veteran-	Dave Wade, Ron Stubbings	97



Event Five - 100 Bird Handicap		<u>Score</u>	Entries 26
Champion-	Tim Hasted	92	
Lg Ydg-	George Denton	91	
Short Ydg-	Jerry Armstrong	89	
Lady-	Jody Patenaude	72	
Junior-	No Entry		
Veteran-	Gil Johnson, Dave Wade, Ron Stubbings	90	
High Over			
all	Tim Hasted	471	
A-	Dave Wade	471	
B-	John Chudyk	461	
C-	Jerry Armstrong	445	
D-	Bill Webber	429	
Lady-	Jody Patenuade	388	
Veteran-	Ron Stubbings	469	

**Victoria Fish and Game Club Champions for 2016**

Singles		
(16 yard)	John Duncan	193/200
Handicap	Gil Johnson	90/100
Doubles	Gurjit Gakhal	94/100





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It can be a challenge to get plated or jacketed bullets for reasonable price on Vancouver Island.

A few years ago I tried CamPro bullets and found them very accurate and easy to work with when tuning up my loads. It took me some time, but finally in June I contacted Colin Danylo, president of CamPro in Quebec, and we reached an agreement and Doubleplated Ltd. became the Authorized CamPro dealer for Vancouver Island. I decided to sell CamPro for two reasons: –The high cost of US dollars and reliance on importing product from outside Canada. I wanted to search out a “**made in Canada**” option, and CamPro fit the bill.

CamPro bullets have thicker plating compared to Berry’s and in order to keep your power factor CamPro needs a bit of extra push. (0.1-0.2 grains of powder). The 9mm 124gr RN FCP with 3.8gr of Tide Group is nice load with minimum recoil while keeping power factor above 125. The same ammo I use for my CZ Shadow. The .38/357 158gr TC with 3.9gr of Tide Group works well with GP 100 too, accurate with nice round imprint on paper targets.

There are top class IPSC shooters (quite a few from Vancouver Island) that use CamPro bullets with great results so I have no excuses when it comes to my accuracy.

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If you decide to order from Doubleplated please place the order through www.doubleplated.ca.

If for some reason the order cannot be placed through our web please send me an e-mail and I’ll place the order for you. We will contact you to arrange pickup when the order arrives. Payment can be made by cheque or cash upon delivery or EMT.

Jerry H.,

See You on the range,

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### SOUTH ISLAND ACTION SHOOTERS

The weekend of August 13th & 14th saw the South Island Action Shooters play host at our Multi-purpose range to 2 IPSCBC qualifying matches.

It was an incredible amount of work to get the range ready for the many guests that joined us from up-island and the mainland. We pulled weeds, got rid of garbage that had accumulated, cleaned up around the shed and clubhouse, added more sand to the backstops and gravel to the bays, it looked pretty nice when we were done!



We spent 2 days building the 7 Stages for the matches and doing all the myriad other things that are involved in order to host IPSCBC sanctioned matches. A huge thank you goes out to those who had the time to come out and help with this mammoth task; Dave M, Dave G, Vern, Dom, Tony, Dawne, Vic, Carl, Jerry H, Trevor, Agnes, Steve, Chandu, Andrew A, and Stacy and Glen for taking care of picking up and delivering the beautiful trophies. Also thanks to our 2 awesome parking attendants, George G and Pete E, who put in time to help out before they headed to their work squad! I would especially like to thank those SIAS members who don't shoot with IPSCBC but came out to help for the honour of our Club! Dasha H for being up at O dark hundred to greet our shooters as they came through the gate, Mike E, Tim H, for the many, many hours you put in, you deserve medals!



It was a fun and challenging 2 days with 98 shooters competing on Saturday and 92 on Sunday. Many Island shooters took top spots in their Divisions and Classes: Congratulations to: Glen Smith, Jerry Wong, Oleg Matveenko Jr, Agnes Vollmeier, Steve Bradbury, Roger Taylor, Dave Gerow, Zach Jovellanos, Carl Gardner, Andrew Betts, Trevor Herrmann, Mike Clavelle, Jay Yates, Jerry Herman, Dave Metcalf, Dom Piluso, Steve Manojlovic, Andrew Angrignon, Joe Strachan, Craig Martini and Ted Leung. We also had 11 Black Badge students who qualified for their full Black Badge status. Congratulations!

The weather was perfect, if a little warm, but everyone seemed to enjoy the matches and we had many compliments about how everything was organized, the fun and challenging Stages, the facilities, the much needed cold water, the amazing lunch service offered by the awesome Barn-B-Que from the Red Barn Market and also the special appearances by our very own Range mascot Waldo (aka Otis)! He was a hit and I'm sure his picture dominated many an Instagram account over the weekend!



A very special thank you goes to Angela Long Greene who was the sole Range caretaker during our match weekend, she couldn't have been more helpful, supportive or gracious and she also provided some pretty amazing photo-ops when it came to Waldo's feeding time, much to the delight of our visitors!

A HUGE thank you goes out to those who were part of our transition team on Saturday evening. After a long day of shooting and working they stuck around to help re-arrange the Stages for the match on Sunday. Andrew B, Mike C, Matthew C, Chandu, Jerry H, Zach J, Jerry W, Stacy, Glen, Thank you! I apologize if I missed anyone, everything was a bit of a blur at that point...

We, the Match Directors, who were utter zombies by Sunday evening, are also in the debt of the many people who stayed behind after it was all over to tear down the Stages and set things back to rights..there are too many to name, but please know your initiative and labour was invaluable!

A special thank you to Triangle RV, Dawne Deeley, Doubleplated Ltd and Island Outfitters for providing "swag" for draws held at our Awards ceremonies each evening, and to Sylvia at Triangle for providing an RV for onsite accommodation for one of our Match Directors, your generosity and support is greatly appreciated!



Thanks also to Red Barn Market for offering us food service through their Red Barn "Barn-B-Que" at a reduced rate.

The service was top notch and the food was amazing!

Lastly, thanks to my co-match directors, Tony Bousquet and Dom Piluso, it was quite the ride down a very bumpy road at times, but we stood united and pulled off a very successful event!

It was an honour to work with you! Until next year...maybe.



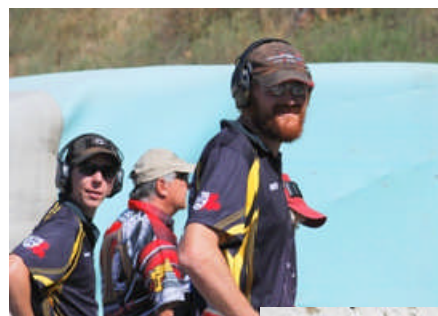
Target elves hard at work



Looking down the bays on match day



Stage Crew doing what they do..





## 2016 Vancouver Island Combat Championships

The 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Edition of the Vancouver Island Combat Championships will be held at our Rifle Range on the Thanksgiving weekend of October 7th, 8th, and 9th. This is a three day PPC event, and this year we again hope to have competitors from BC, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Quebec and the USA in attendance.

For registration and information, go to the Website of the Colwood PPC Club, at <http://www.colwoodppc.com/index.htm> and click on 2016 VICC Match booklet is up! to get more information. For more information about the Shooting Sport of PPC and the Colwood PPC Club, visit the website: [www.colwoodppc.com](http://www.colwoodppc.com) or Email: [colwoodppc@shaw.ca](mailto:colwoodppc@shaw.ca)



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# **SMALL FIREARM (HANDGUN) ESSENTIALS COURSE OUTLINE**

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**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 1pm (as noted a few  
exceptions)**

**Nov. 19th (11-2pm)**

## **STANCE**

## **GRIP**



## **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**



**SAFETY REMINDERS--PLEASE READ**

**FIREARMS--CASES--BENCHES**

- \* Firearms are to be cased and uncased ONLY during Live Periods and preferably only at the Firing line (forward wooden benches) Actions open, Magazines removed (empty cases can be returned to rear gear tables)
- \* Firearms are to be Loaded and Unloaded ONLY on the Firing Line (forward wooden shooting Benches)
- \* Muzzles are always to be pointed down range or upwards.  
(magazine may be filled or emptied at the rear gear benches and tables).

**“CEASE FIRE” ROUTINE/PROCEDURES:**

- \* Remove ammunition from the Chamber. Remove magazines from the action
- \* Leave actions visibly open-(a chamber flag helps visibility!)
- Then- **Your Choice:**
- \* Leave firearm(muzzle pointed down range, magazine removed, action open) on FIRING LINE bench.

**Or**

- \* Carry firearm muzzle up and place in rear wall rack- magazine removed action open.
- \* Remember to take needed targets, tape, stapler, beverage, etc. with you when leaving the shooting bench area for the Cease Fire Period. (An RSO can retrieve forgotten items.)
- \* During a Cease Fire DO NOT go within 3 metres of the firearms on the bench or handle firearms on the racks( Remember your P.A.L. Course). Do not touch anything on your shooting table. (An RSO can retrieve forgotten items).
- \* During a Cease Fire the divided concrete slab area around the shooting benches is to be used to walk through only on the way to your target and back. Please remain off the shooting table area concrete during cease fire periods.

**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

**Your Cooperation is appreciated! Your Safety is our only concern!**

Thank-you  
Your RSO Volunteers



### 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:

#### **SEPTEMBER**

Sept 10th  
Sept 14th  
Sept 21st  
Sept 25th  
Sept 28th

#### **OCTOBER**

Oct. 5th  
Oct. 12th  
Oct. 16th  
Oct. 29th

#### **NOVEMBER**

Nov. 6th  
Nov. 12th  
Nov. 15th

#### **DECEMBER**

December 10th  
December 11th  
December 15th

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

### 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.**

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### 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.

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### Official Range Plan

If you have any suggestions for major capital improvements to the range, please submit your ideas to [info@vfgpa.org](mailto:info@vfgpa.org)

**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.

Thanks  
David M, CRSO

**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](mailto: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.**

**Calendar of the Orientation Sessions**

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

<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>OCTOBER</b>	<b>NOVEMBER</b>	<b>DECEMBER</b>
Sept 10th	Oct.5th	Nov. 2nd	Dec. 7th
Sept 14th	Oct.12th	Nov. 6th	Dec. 10th
Sept 21st	Oct.16th	Nov. 12th	Dec. 11th
Sept 25th	Oct.19th	Nov. 16th	Dec. 14th
Sept 28th	Oct.26th	Nov. 30th	
	Oct.29th		

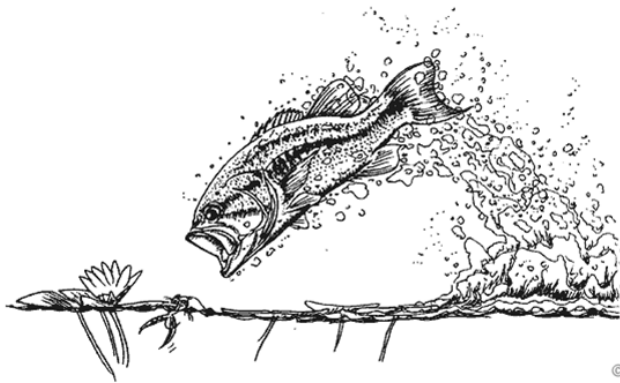
**All in the Clubhouse**

**\*\*\*WE STRONGLY SUGGEST THAT YOU CHECK FOR A POSSIBLE CANCELLATION IMMEDIATELY BEFORE DRIVING UP TO THE RANGE TO ATTEND, PH. 250-478-2411\*\*\***

**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](mailto:davidmichaud333@gmail.com) or 250-858-8342**



**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

**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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**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 un presentable 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/manager or Wayne Zaccarelli to make arrangements. Hunters are reminded that access to club facilities is restricted to daylight hours with the gate locked progressively earlier through the hunting season. Please ensure that you confirm the time gates are locked and show up at least a half hour earlier.

**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:

	<b>RIFLE</b>	<b>BOW &amp; ARROW</b>
<b>Gold</b>	<b>180 lb +</b>	<b>160 lb +</b>
<b>Silver</b>	<b>160 - 179 ½ lb</b>	<b>140 - 159 ½ lb</b>
<b>Bronze</b>	<b>140 - 159 ½ lb</b>	<b>120 - 139 ½ lb</b>

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 1-13.

**The following fishing entries have been received for the newsletter:**

Wayne Zaccarelli	16 lb 8 oz	Chinook	Aug 08	Macaulay Point
Wayne Zaccarelli	17 lb	Chinook	Aug 08	Macaulay Point
Tom Vaida	14 lb 2 oz	Chinook	Aug 10	Victoria Waterfront
Tom Vaida	19 lb 10 oz	Chinook	Aug 10	Victoria Waterfront
Wayne Zaccarelli	18 lb 8 oz	Chinook	Aug 10	Brotchie Ledge
Wayne Zaccarelli	19 lb 4 oz	Chinook	Aug 17	Macaulay Point
Tom Vaida	11 lb 8 oz	Coho	Aug 30	Victoria Waterfront
Tom Vaida	8 lb 10 oz	Coho	Aug 30	Victoria Waterfront
Liz Jatkowski	19 lb 12 oz	Chinook	Sep 01	Fisgard Light
Angie Rol	26 lb 2 oz	Chinook	Sep 01	Port Renfrew
Jiri Rol	17 lb 3 oz	Chinook	Sep 03	Port Renfrew

Submitted by Wayne Z.



### NEW FEDERAL STUDIES ON LEAD USE

On August 10, 2016, Environment and Climate Change Canada (ECCC) is planning to launch two studies which will gather use pattern information on lead ammunition and lead sinkers and jigs and their non-lead alternatives. These studies are part of initiatives undertaken to fulfil the Government of Canada's commitments under the Risk Management Strategy for Lead that was published in 2013.

Under this Strategy, the Government of Canada committed to further reduce Canadians' exposure to lead. Releases of lead from consumer products, such as lead ammunition, and jigs and sinkers, are two of the sources being investigated.

These studies will help the Government of Canada determine the appropriate path forward. Should further actions be considered, the government will engage stakeholders, including the provinces, non-governmental associations and industry.

If you would like to receive information on the studies, please contact M. Daniel Ekoualla:

Mail:

Products Division  
Environment Canada  
351 St. Joseph Blvd., 9th Floor  
Gatineau QC K1A 0H3

Fax: (819) 938-4480 or 1-888-391-3695

Email: ec.produits-products.ec@canada.ca

Please type "*Study on the use patterns of lead ammunition and lead jigs and sinkers*" in the subject line of your fax or email message.

For more information on lead, we invite you to consult the following website:

<http://www.chemicalsubstanceschimiques.gc.ca/fact-fait/lead-plomb-eng.php>

Yours sincerely,

Astrid Telasco  
Director  
Products Division  
Environmental Protection Branch

### VANCOUVER ISLAND GUN SHOWS FOR 2016

**September 18th in Parksville** at 1014 Ford Road, Coombs **Contact: Graham Alexander (250) 752-1855**

**October 16th in Courtenay** at 3780 Colake Road **Contact: Rick McClure (250) 703-0223**

**October 29 & 30th in Victoria** at 1528 Stelly's Cross Road, Saanichton **Contact: John Pullen (250) 474-2512**

**November 13th in Nanaimo** at 1325 Nanaimo Lakes Road **Contact: Doug Miller (250) 758-1303**

**November 27th in Duncan** at 4295 Robertson Road **Contact: Geoff Maxwell (250) 746-7812**



### **BIG GAME RECORDS BOOKS**

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.

Copies of the previous eighth edition (2010) are still available at a cost of \$5.00.

The current records list over 2160 entries scoring 100 or more Boone & Crockett points.

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.

The most recent sixth edition (2010) of the Big Game Records of British Columbia is available for \$35 each. These are hard cover books containing records of all native big game species in B.C. Hunting stories, photographs and a listing, by species category, of entries meeting the minimum score requirements, are included.

#### **Copies of previous editions are also available as follows:**

1 <sup>st</sup> edition (1970 - reprinted 2011)	2 <sup>nd</sup> edition (1983)	3 <sup>rd</sup> edition (1988)
4 <sup>th</sup> edition (1995)	5 <sup>th</sup> edition (2003)	

Check out the **Wildlife Records Club of B.C.** website and e-mail at:

Website: [www.wildliferecordsofbc.com](http://www.wildliferecordsofbc.com)

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### **NEW VANCOUVER ISLAND DEER BOOK**

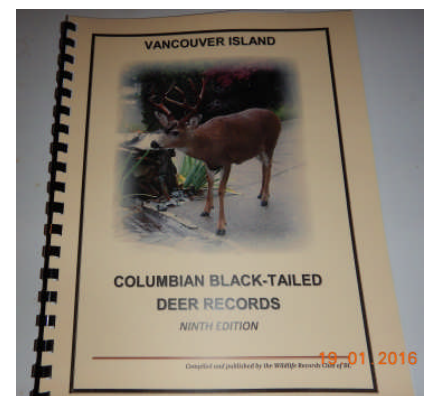
Copies of the ninth edition (2016) of the Vancouver Island Columbian Blacktail Deer Records are available at a cost of \$10 each. The publication contains an excellent article written by Byron Mason on fifty years with the deer in the Nimpkish Valley. Byron relates the impact of wolf and cougar predation 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.

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Ruger Blackhawk 357 / 38 Special \$650

### Reloading

Bullseye Powder by Alliant 1 lb \$60 or 2 for \$110

### Range Equipment

Bullseye Camera Target System \$459 NEW

### Optics

Simmons 3-9x 40mm Scope \$50 NEW

### Ammunition

Remington Thunderbolt 22LR \$40 per box or 2 boxes for \$75

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**FOR SALE: Citori Ultra over** under 12ga extra choke tubes and triggers also have a 12ga MES 650 reloader, empty shell casings some primers and wads \$1800.00 takes all. **Contact Steve at 250-664-6484**

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**FOR SALE:** 1). 12 gauge – Double barrel side x side, Remington, exposed hammers, good condition. 325.00  
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3). **Ruger 10/22 Takedown, (in picture)** stainless/synthetic, excellent condition, 100 rounds fired, carry case, trigger lock. 375.00 **Phone 250-661-1441**



**FOR SALE: S&W Model K17-4, 22 LR cal.** target pistol, 8 3/8 inch barrel, with high quality Bianchi holster. Immaculate. This is THE VERY BEST. Remember Dirty Harry? Same gun in a shootable calibre. Must have valid PAL. \$1050.00. **landmenbc1@shaw.ca**

**FOR SALE: Winchester Super X Model 1,** 12 gauge, #M79453, Custom Order Skeet and Trap (two vented rib barrels, 26 inches and 28 inches) Custom Order scroll engraved receiver, with beautiful wood stock and forearm, Condition – 98% finish and mechanicals, Some say that this is the best auto shotgun ever built. This gun was inherited from my father and has seen virtually no use. \$1,100  
**Email to [seastar@hughes.net](mailto:seastar@hughes.net) or Mark at 250-701-8717**





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**FOR SALE RUGER 10/22 .22LR semi-automatic**

**Plus all the following:**

- \* Bushnell Elite 3200 Scope (worth over \$300)
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**FOR SALE: GAMO CFX .177 Air Rifle for Sale**

**MECHANISM** - Velocity: 1200 feet per second (fps) with PBA, 1000 fps with Lead, Single Shot with Rotary Breech Loading System, Fixed Barrel: Single Cocking System, Automatic Cocking Safety system, Cocking Effort: 35 lbs, Barrel: Precision Rifled Steel, Trigger: Second Stage adjustable, Manual Safety

**STOCK** - Stock: All weather rugged Synthetic with Ergonomic Soft Rubber forearm grip, Butt Plate: Ventilated rubber pad for recoil absorption, Cheekpiece: Thin cheekpad molded on each side for both Right hand and Left hand shooters, Checkering: Non-Slip texture design on grip

**SIGHTS** - Fiber Optics: Contrasting fiber colors in the front and rear sight, Front sight: 0.40 millimeters in diameter, Rear sight: 0.60 millimeters in diameter, adjustable micrometric for both wind and elevation

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**Asking \$200.00 or best offer. Comes with trigger lock.**

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Air electric airsoft, Full metal upper, Dark Smoke plastic lower, 9 magazines, Extra battery pack, AIM red dot quick point site, Lots of plastic shot **Asking \$275.00 or best offer. Call Trevor at (778) 677-5198**



**FOR SALE: NEW, SEALED 8LB. KEG OF IMR 3031 \$275.00. JOHN 250-743-8687**

**FOR SALE: 8 - 20 round boxes of Fusion 300 W.S.M. 150 gr. Silvertip Ammo. \$40 a box or \$300 for all 8. Call Terry @ 250-478-4335. Valid P.A.L. Required.**

**FOR SALE: Ruger Mark I .22LR pistol, SN 16-30146. 2 mags. In very good shape. Bought from Reliable gun about 6 mo. ago. Have put about 150 rounds through it at the range with no problems. A cheap-to-operate reliable shooter. \$300. Call Will at 778-440-3483 or e-mail me at [muskwah@shaw.ca](mailto:muskwah@shaw.ca)**

**FOR SALE**

- **Hornady Lock N Load Classic** reloading kit, includes everything you need to start reloading ammo – \$225.00
- **Lyman Turbo Tumbler 2500 Pro** Magnum – \$70.00 includes Turbo Sifter
- **Redding Deluxe die set**, full and neck and seat dies .223 calibre – \$75.00
- **Redding case trimmer** Model 1400-XT, case trimming lathe – \$65.00
- \* **Hornady stuck case remover** – \$18.00

**call Ivan – Home - 250-590-3280 or Cell - 250-893-4826**

**FOR SALE: I have a 19-20 teepee for sale** complete with poles, liner, pins, and stakes if anyone in your club is Interested, please pass this along. \$1000.00 **Rick Carter (250) 727-3458 ext 224, [rick@smwia276.ca](mailto:rick@smwia276.ca)**

**Reloaders For Sale \$400 MEC "Grabber" 12 gauge, 6 stage, automatic**

MEC "Sizemaster" 20 gauge, 5 station, 5 Charge Bars, 302/100, 50/78, 302/78, 502/100, 302/188  
 6 Powder Bushings, 20, 22, 27, 28, 29, 34, Instruction Booklets, 1000 Assorted Wads  
 2 Shell Stackers **Contact: John Taylor (778) 679 4291 or email at John\_taylor47@hotmail.com**



**FOR SALE; One DGW Tennessee Mountain Rifle** 50. cal. c/w buckskin case; spare ram rod; spare percussion lock; 2 ball starters; 2 powder measures ;in line capper; swaged balls and assorted small parts.. Rifle drives tacks and wins shoots. Target/ loads info available. \$650.00

**FOR SALE: Ruger 20 Ga. 3 inch** chambers over and under shotgun. Bored skeet and skeet. \$900.00  
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**FOR SALE:** "Blaser F3 Game Selling for \$7500 OBO. New \$10k plus import and tax.  
 Selling a Blaser F3, the most awesome O/U you will ever shoot. With upgraded hand selected cat 4 wood, 12 gauge 3", barrel sequence selector, exchangable Blaser chokes, gun case. Only 250 shots through it, so hardly broken in. **Please contact Christian at 250-508-0503.**"

**FOR SALE: Complete Reloading Equipment Press,** powder scale, 270 & 243 dies, sorts & bits \$200 **Contact (250) 721-2929**

**FOR SALE: Lightning Baby Carbine, 20"** round barrel, .357 Magnum/38 special, excellent condition \$1,499.00 **Call Eric (250) 589-7041 or email ericf@telus.net**  
 Purchaser must show PAL.



**FOR SALE:** 1). 12 gage Remington model 1100 SA– Shotgun "Skeet B" Betten wood - This model Excellent Condition. Offers 2). Remington—Model 14 Pump Rifle 32 Remington Caliber - Good Condition. Offers.  
**Contact: Ed at (250) 386-3783**

**FOR SALE: Remington SPS Tactical .308,** has taken a Reg.8 , 5 pt. Muley @ 303 yds. In the neck with one 165 Nosler Accu-bond. Looking for \$650 . **Contact Frank @ [petjet88@shaw.ca](mailto:petjet88@shaw.ca) Also can arrange test fire @VFG .**

**FOR SALE: Pink Camo Semi Automatic 22 Rifle,** fairly new as I've only used it a few times. Everything you see here is included, \$400 OBO. Please contact Sophie:  
[sophiegrimm58@hotmail.com](mailto:sophiegrimm58@hotmail.com) or 250-477-9894



**FOR SALE, Jericho, baby eagle 9mm handgun** with 5 magazines and holster \$500.00. **Email or call:**  
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- 1) 50 cal Pedersoli pretty much standard shoots well its been at least 10 years
  - 2) 50 cal Trial Guns armory double barrel with interchangeable double 12 gauge shotgun.
  - 3) All the misc shooting gear 2 powder horns, patches, short starter, lead, pouches everything in the picture.
  - 4)-A collection of straight razors with a display case I collected 30 years ago as per picture if anyone is interested.
- Would like a total of 800.00 for everything but will take offers on Individual stuff. **Call Gary at (604) 816-4279 or email at [mccrann@pcwcanada.com](mailto:mccrann@pcwcanada.com)**



**FOR SALE: I have around 800 shells 9mm**, once shot brass. They all clean, only once shot. 5 cents per shell, so \$40 for all of them. **Please contact Rod at: [pacificpersonaltrainer@gmail.com](mailto:pacificpersonaltrainer@gmail.com) or call (250) 361 5740**

**FOR SALE: 1). 1926 Winchester 30-30 saddle ring carbine \$950 2). Winchester .45 colt lever action like new with extras \$800 3). Remington Model 700 .270 with Zeiss 9X scope \$1500 4). Smith and Wesson .357 magnum highway patrolman \$600 5). Ruger mark III hunter .22, 6" fluted barrel \$450 Open to offers, will include relevant ammo and cases. Ryan 250-213-5802 or [gerbilfun@shaw.ca](mailto:gerbilfun@shaw.ca)**

**FOR SALE: 1). A 1906 Lefever Arms I Grade (DS) 12 gauge double barrel shotgun selling for \$1300 2). Is 1950s Remington Wingmaster 870 BDL 12 gauge selling for \$400**  
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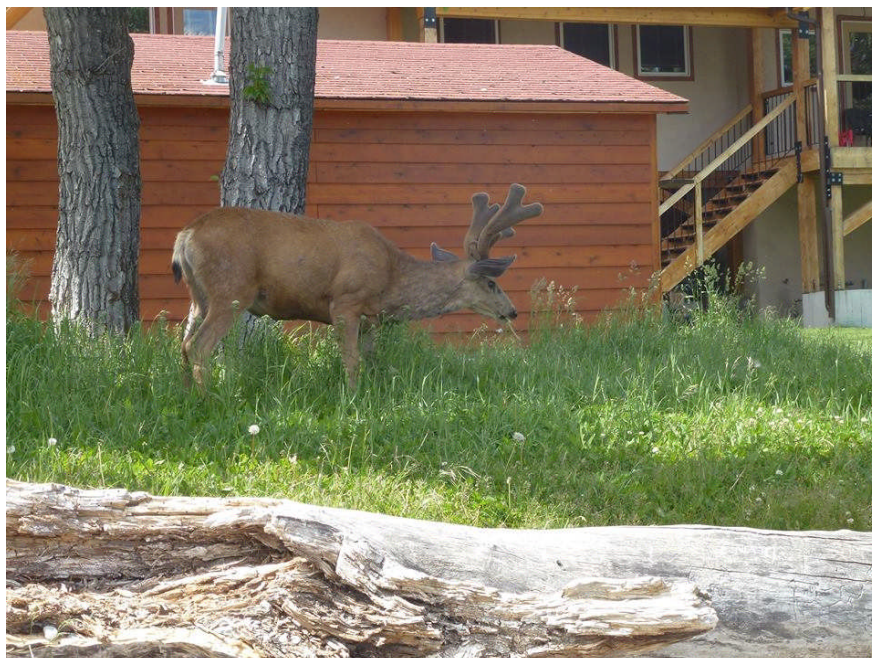
**WANTED: to buy a reproduction Baker Rifle - Call Mike 250-478-0069**

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**New to hunting and interested in joining an experienced person in hunting on the island. Using a 303. Will share expenses. Please contact Luke at [250-886-9888](tel:250-886-9888).**

Picture taken by  
Rick Gray



**Chris Archibald Estate:****Equipment & Supplies**

**Misc. Brass**                      - 3K of 9mm (packed in 3 k bundle)                      - \$45  
    - 500 pcs. Of 223 Rem. (Federal)                      - \$20

**Ammo**

-1350 40 cal. 180 grain FP(about 27 boxes: by Custom Reloading)                      - \$15/box of 50  
- 1.4k 223                      Factory Federal                      - \$50/box of 100

(NOTE: some 454 Casul and 460 S&W to go with the 460 Revolver when sold...)

**Reloading supplies;**                      - 2K 40cal. 180 gr. RS Berry bullets                      - \$140/K  
    - 1K 38 special 125 grain FP                      - \$120

**Misc:**

4x32 scope , "Original" Brand: Model 10: 4 power                      - 100  
 Homak 6 Gun Safe:                      - \$120  
 Stack-On Gun Safe                      - \$140  
 LAR 223 10 round Mags (2 available: )                      - \$25 ea.  
 Various Holsters (unkown fit....), some cleaning supplies                      - offers..

**Firearms:****Restricted list:**

- HK P30L semi-Auto handgun: 40 cal., 6 mags                      - \$1000  
 - S&W 460 Magnum, 5 shot Revolver, with some ammo                      - \$1200  
 - Olympic Arms AR15., 223 , 2 mags                      - \$900

**Non-Restricted list:**

- Remington 783, 30-06 (New) with spare magazine (no scope)                      - \$350  
 - Fox Sterlingworth side-by-side Shotgun 12 ga.                      Selective ejectors  
    Non-matching numbers, bluing mostly gone                      - \$500

**No P.A.L . Necessary....**

- New Custom Laminated wood Bow with arrows & accessories.                      - \$350  
    55# pull at 28"  
 Swiss Vetterli Rifle (41 Rimfire ) Antique status:  
    Corrosion in the barrel: Stiff action: Dates around 1881                      - offers on \$400

**FOR SALE: 1). New, Remington .270** with Zeiss 9X zoom scope, ebony fore-end hardly used \$1500 OBO **2). 1926 Winchester Model 94** 30-30 saddle ring carbine excellent shape and working order \$850 OBO

\*will include cases and relevant ammunition.

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