BBSC October Meeting Notice

The meeting is tonight, October 3rd, at 6pm at the Mason's Building, 2300 Highway 118 North in Alpine. This building is south of the TXDOT yard.

October 14th is the turkey shoot! Range preparation is Friday the 13th at 3pm. We need volunteers to prepare the range. The range will be closed Friday from 3pm through Saturday. We will build target frames for the turkey shoot in the coming week. The flier is attached.

We also need volunteers to inspect the 4H Club trailers. One has 22 rifles, and the other has archery equipment. 4H training for adults to run these two activities will occur in Fort Stockton soon.

Every Saturday at 2:30pm is steel target shooting on Pistol #1. We average 12 shooters.

Every Wednesday evening at 6pm is skeet shooting on the Shotgun Range.

Every Sunday at 2pm is either skeet or trap, rotating each week.

Every Wednesday at 10pm has been turkey shoot practice on the Rifle Range.

Please check the web site Events calendar for range closures before going to the range.

Scott McClanahan Secretary



BIG BEND SPORTSMAN CLUB AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING HELD ON: 10/3/2023

CALLED TO ORDER AT _____ PM

BY PRESIDING OFFICER _Jim Westermann_

- _____ PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- ____ INVOCATION
- _____ INTRO OF GUESTS:
- _____ OPENING MESSAGE: President
- _____ READING OF MINUTES: Secretary
- _____ TREASURER'S REPORT: Treasurer

OLD BUSINESS

- _____ Trap & Skeet events: Monty Kimball / Philip O'Shaunessy
- _____ Archery events Ralph Grubel
- ____ New or repair trap house roof
- ____ Camera update White Electric findings

NEW BUSINESS

- _____ SRSU Range and Wildlife Club turkey shoot date October 14, 2023
 - promote event on web site / radio
 - clean-up date October 13, 2023
- _____ Plan organized shoots / youth events Luke Hendryx
 - Luke has youth rifles, condition to be determined
- _____ BBSC has the opportunity to sponsor the ACS Fall Festival gun raffle
 - \$1713.95

QUESTION & ANSWER / open floor

_____ ANNOUNCEMENTS OR REMINDERS FROM PRESIDENT/ VP / SECRETARY / TREASURER / RANGE OFFICER

____ MEETING ADJOURNED AT _____ PM

BBSC Minutes of Meeting

September 5, 2023

The meeting was attended by 21 members and no guests.

Location of the meeting was the Masonic Lodge in Alpine. The meeting was called to order at 6:02pm by president Jim Westermann. John O Hollis gave the invocation.

Reports

The August 1st minutes were read by Scott McClanahan. John O Hollis motioned to accept and Roger Amis seconded, and the minutes were accepted.

Liz Measures read the treasurer's report. Expenses include all the annual expenses to start a new year: insurance, print membership forms, the range lease, locks, and keys. 119 paid memberships so far this year (5 days including the gun show). Motion by Lance Johnson to accept, second by Ralph Gruebel, and the motion carried.

Elections

Mike Boren made a motion to accept the current slate of board members as the new board for the 2023 - 2024 year. Lance Johnson second the motion, and all were in favor. The 2023 - 2024 board is Jim Westermann (President), Kyp Angel (VP), Liz Measures (Treasurer), Scott McClanahan (Secretary), and Robert Johnson (Range Safety Officer).

Old Business

The insurance policy was increased from \$1 million liability coverage to \$5 million.

The shotgun pallet of clay targets was delivered and stowed by Phil O'Shaughnessy and Monty Kimball. Phil reported the skeet high house and trap house need a new roof and will get an estimate. We are shooting shotgun sports Wednesday evenings and Sunday afternoons.

Ralph Gruebel motioned to build a road to the shotgun range, parking, and access to the range. Second was by Mike Boren, and the motion carried.

Ralph Gruebel talked to Luke Hendryx about gear for youth shoots. There are two trailers, one full of 22 rifles and the other full of archery gear. The gear has been sitting for 2 years or more and needs to be inspected. Club volunteers are needed for the gear inspection. The next step is to get volunteers 4H Club certified to run these two shooting activities. Training will happen in Fort Stockton soon.

Electrician Andy White determined the main fuse box connections were loose, and other connections were not secure. We will get a quote for running a high house circuit with a weather-head.

Robin Harrison reported the WPRW Run and Gun will be on a ranch south of Alpine next year. BBSC member Sylvia Nelson was recognized as this year's winner with a standing ovation.

The Turkey Shoot is October 14th. It is a fundraiser for the SRRWC, and an open house for the general public. The event needs to be reported in Brewster, Presidio, and Jeff Davis counties. Lunch will be served at the turkey shoot. Target frames will be built for the turkey shoot, possibly out of the donated lumber from True Value at the target shed.

Robert Johnson reported range closures on the September 8, 14, and for the turkey shoot.

New Business

Mike Boren asked for a members only rendezvous trade fair. Location could be the Mason's Building or the range. The board will look into the legalities of both locations. Members were in favor of such an event.

A question of a range lost and found was considered. Recommend contacting one of the officers.

Ralph Gruebel recommends putting the club web site on the range sign by the gate.

The meeting attendees showed hands on the idea of having a short presentation after meetings. There was interest and okay with the Masons. The secretary will arrange speakers.

Jim Westermann motioned to adjourn at 6:53pm andScott McClanahan seconded.

Respectfully Submitted, Scott McClanahan #270 BBSC Secretary last updated 10-3-2023

47TH ANNUAL TURKEY SHOOT Benefitting the Sul Ross Range and Wildlife Club Saturday, October 14, 2023 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. @ Big Bend Sportsman Club Range Winner of each round receives a frozen turkey coupon for Thanksgiving!

Lunch Available for Purchase

Contact Eliana Dykehouse @ ekd2Orb@sulross.edu or (361) 944-8978 with any questions

Event Details

Entry fee = \$5 per round

Pistol Events

25 yards - 5 shots - B-16 target

- 1. Rim Fire Pistol Bench
- 2. Rim Fire Pistol Off Hand
- 3. Center Fire Pistol Bench
- 4. Center Fire Pistol Off Hand

Rim Fire Rifle Events

50 yards - 5 shots - B-16 targets

5. Rim Fire Rifle Bench
6. Rim Fire Rifle Off Hand
7. Rim Fire Rifle Scope Bench
8. Rim Fire Scope Off Hand

Center Fire Rifle Events

100 yards - 3 shots - TQ-4P targets

9. Center Fire Rifle Bench
10. Center Fire Rifle Off Hand
11. Center Rife Rifle Scope Bench
12. Center Fire Rifle Scope Off Hand



13. Round of Skeet





+ Top 10 Shooters Tournament