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Official Bulletin

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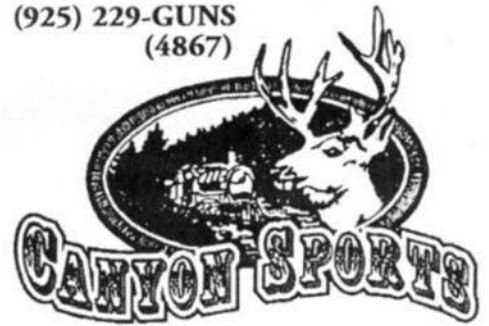
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Email: dminoggio@yahoo.com
Ph: 510-708-4907

Intermediate:
Contact Rod Kenney
Email: rodkenney@gmail.com
Ph: 707-342-4127

Hunter Education Class

California requires hunter education training for those who have never held a California hunting license.

Contact: Gary Buffon HEI#3521
Ph: 510-374-6477
or
Kevin Zimmerman HEI#3546
Ph: 510-845-7034

To sign up, go to www.wildlife.ca.gov/Hunter-Education. Choose option #2 and follow the instructions.

Clubhouse Rental

Rent the clubhouse and/or Fireside Lounge for your next private event.

Contact: Carrie Curtin
Email: carriecurtin@gmail.com

Horseshoe League

Friday night horseshoes is starting back up. Contact Steve Dwy for information and to sign up.
Email: sallydwy@att.net

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5 MPH

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Please respect your fellow club members by keeping dust to a minimum, and keeping our children and pets safe.

Club Social Calendar

Kitchen Chairperson: Steve Peckham
Email: scpa61@hotmail.com

Clubhouse Chairperson: Carrie Curtin
Email: carriecurtin@gmail.com

- Sun 3 Monthly Breakfast: 8a-11a, This will be a buffet. \$10, "Pick your Steak" for \$4 more. Volunteers needed, please contact the kitchen chair at above email.
- Thu 7 Board of Director's Meeting - 6:30pm in the Clubhouse. All members welcome to attend. Contact President Patrick Clark to get on agenda, email: president@richmondrodandgun.com
- Sat 16 Club Monthly Dinner: Tri-tip Dinner, Corn on the cob, bread & salad. \$15. There will be a club Raffle and also a 50/50 raffle by Sharolyn Babb. 6:30p Appetizers, 7:00p Dinner.
- Weds 20 Bulletin Folding in the main Clubhouse—4:30-8:00ish. Volunteers needed to fold the bulletin to prep it for the next month's mailing. Contact Financial Secretary for more information.
- Sat 23 Hunter Education Class - 9:00am-1:30pm in the Fireside Lounge (Clubhouse). Registration begins the 1st of the month and is limited to 50 students. Prior to the class, you must go online to www.wildlife.ca.gov/Hunter-Education, choose Option 2 to complete the application process. Questions, contact either Gary Buffon at 510-374-6477 or Kevin Zimmerman at 510-845-7034.
- Sat 23 Annual Appreciation Dinner 6:30p —By Invitation only
- Wed 27..... RRG Annual meeting and Ballot counting in the clubhouse - 6:30 pm.

Trap/Skeet Range

HOURS:

Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday (Closed Friday)
10:00am – 3:00pm (Last shooter out at 2:30)

FEES:

\$5.00 Member
\$10.00 Non-Member

Sat 9 RSATA 50 Target Trap/Skeet Shoot - 9:00am-12:00pm. Contact the range for information.

Ammunition sales have resumed. We have 12, 20, 28, and 410 Steel Ammunition available. Reloading components are available to load your own bio-steel ammunition. The Club has a limited supply of Steel

**NO LEAD on the Trap/Skeet Range
NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Range Office Ph#: 510-620-9507
Trap/Skeet Range Chairperson: Dennis Lee
Email: katonk@comcast.net

**Range Officer volunteers are needed for this range.
Please contact Daryl Johnson at 510-589-6333.**

Pistol/Rifle Range – 25, 100, 200yd Lines

HOURS:

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday
9:00am – 4:00pm

FEES:

Member: \$5/hour. Current membership card required. **9:00a-11:00a—Members only.**
Non-Member: \$20 for 2 hours. Add'l hour: \$10 when space available. Drivers license required for time tracking.
11:00a—4:00p.

**NOTE: The 200yd line is open to members only and when an RO is available
Steel Core Ammo is no longer sold or allowed on the centerfire ranges. Steel Jacket/Lead Core is allowed.**

Sat 2 AEBBRL on 200yd line. Sign up at 8:00am and shoot at 9:00am. Match Director, Ed Ahrens.

Sun 3 Black Powder Match on 25yd line.

Sat 9 Junior Rifle Training - Basic (New) Juniors arrive at 8:15am in the Clubhouse. Contact Dave Minoggio at dminoggio@yahoo.com or 510-708-4907. Note: 25yd line is closed until 12:00pm. Intermediate Juniors shoot at 9:00am on 200yd line. Contact Rod Kenney at rodkenney@gmail.com or 707-342-4127. Note: 200yd line is closed until 1:00pm.

Sun 10 Bench Rest .22 Rimfire Match on 100yd line. Contact Pete Nakayama at p76bones@comcast.net.

Sat 16 RISK High Power Rifle Match - 9:00am on 200yd line, 50 shot match. Contact Robert Carter at highpowershooter@comcast.net.

Sun 17 Schutzen Match on 200yd line. For more information, contact Ron Griffin at 510-221-7430.

Fri 22-Sun 24 **100 and 200 yard lines are closed for the 2018 Bay Area Rifle Championship**

Sat 30 NorCal High Power Shooters Match - 9:00am on 200yd line. Contact Robert Carter at highpowershooter@comcast.net.

Club members are encouraged to volunteer. The Trap/Skeet ranges and Rifle/Pistol line needs volunteers.

Weekends can be very busy and may require waiting for a position at the bench; this is especially true for the 100yd line.

Range Office Ph#: 510-965-9267
Pistol/Rifle Range Chairperson: Earl Brown
Email: vmaxearl@yahoo.com

ANNUAL PRESIDENT'S DAY CLEANUP - MAY 12th

The annual cleanup was a huge success as there were over 100 club members who came out to help clean up the club. Thank you for participating!

Action Range

All qualified shooters must sign in at the Pistol/Rifle Range before using the Action Range on Sat Practice.

FEES:

\$7.00 Member
\$15.00 Non-Member

Action Range Chairperson: Manuel Newman
Email: czmanuel@mrshooter.com

Regular Practice: Every Saturday (except major matches) 9:30am - 1:30pm

- Sat 2 Multi-gun Practice-Bay 4 from 9:30am-1:30pm. See <http://richmondhotshots.com> for requirements to practice.
- Sat 2 USPSA Match at 3:00pm. Sign up/squad on Practiscore.com, mandatory to compete Saturday.
- Sun 3 USPSA Match at 9:00am. Sign up/squad on Practiscore.com suggested. Closes 1pm Saturday, ok to walk on.
- Sat 9 Bay 5 Koch, Bay 3 & 4 USPSA Practice, 9:30a-1:30p, Safe Handgunner Training Class - 9:00am.
- Sun 10 Cowboy Match 9:00a
- Sat 16 Safe Handgunner Training Class - 9:00am. See RichmondHotshots.com for other available dates. Contact Steve Cachia at scachia1@gmail.com for more information.
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- Sun 17 USPSA Match at 9:00am. Sign up/squad on Practiscore.com suggested. Closes 1pm Saturday, ok to walk on.
- Th 21-Sun 24 2018 Bay Area Rifle Championships—**All action ranges are closed, 100 and 200 yd line closed Fri-Sun**
- Sat 30 Bay 2—9:00a—Women on Target, Bay 5—Zip tours—9:00a
- Sat 30—Sun July 1st USPSA Match 3:00 pm, sign up/squad on Practiscore.com, Mandatory to compete on Sat.

Election - The Richmond Rod & Gun Club election commences when ballots are sent to members on or about June 1st, 2018. **All ballots are due by June 27th at 6:30 pm** at 3155 Goodrick Ave, Richmond, 94801. See insert for Candidate Bio's.

Safe Handgunner Training Class

If you're interested in getting into this "action shooting" then you need to take this mandatory class that prepares you to carry/draw from a holster while moving around the course of fire engaging targets. This is a very popular class and fills up fast. Contact Steve Cachia at scachia1@gmail.com for more information.

Practical Fundamentals (Pistol) - Operation Specific Training 2-Day Class

June 1-2, 2018 - Enroll early to avoid missing out.

This course teaches the techniques and philosophy of what OpSpec Training believes a shooter needs to improve to their full potential. This is not a beginning handgun course. By using a variety of dry fire and live fire exercises, students are brought through the fundamentals of marksmanship with a focus on trigger control. Visit <https://opspectraining.com/product/practical-fundamentals-pistol-june-2018-richmond-calif/> for more information.

Ammunition sales:

We've received our permit to sell ammunition. Ammunition sales have resumed on the 25/100 yard lines and at the Skeet/Trap field.

Jennifer Lee would like to thank all who showed up to the Clothing exchange. Special recognition goes to Peggy Light, Lisa Garcia, David Bedwell, Maia Korte, Brie, Alyce Herrera, and David (Peggy's friend) and the rest who showed up and Jen forgot to get the names of. The donations were divided up and went to good homes that won't make money off selling the clothes, they were donated to a good cause. Thank you again to all of the volunteers who helped set up and tear down, it was a pleasure!

Board of Director's Meeting

The Board of Director's Meeting is held the 1st Thursday of the month. It is an open meeting and members are encouraged to attend the meeting. If you want to get on the agenda, please contact the President at president@richmondrodandgun.com

Get involved with your club.

Bulletin Submissions

Articles for next month's bulletin are due: Sat., June. 16th.

All articles and advertisements must be submitted to the Editor. Email submissions to: rrgcbulletin@gmail.com.

Richmond Rod & Gun Club is an NRA & CMP affiliated club.

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Club Website:

richmondrodandgun.com

Richmond Hotshots Website:

www.richmondhotshots.com

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Do we have your email?

Periodically we like to email our members about events or other more time-sensitive information that can't wait for the next bulletin. Email Member Services and request to be added to the email list. ms@richmondrodandgun.com

Ad Space Available

Contact the Editor for details. Email rrgcbulletin@gmail.com.

No Dumping on Club Property

HOURS OF OPERATION

PISTOL/RIFLE RANGE

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday 9:00am - 4:00pm
Members Only from 9am-11am

TRAP & SKEET FIELDS

No lead shot on Trap & Skeet Fields - NO EXCEPTIONS

Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday 10:00am - 3:00pm
Closed Friday

ACTION RANGE

All shooters must sign in at Rifle Range before using Action Range

REGULAR PRACTICE every Saturday 9:30am - 1:30pm
(except Major Matches)

Action Range closed weekdays except for Range Officers.

Matches most Sundays - check your bulletin or web

For info: www.richmondhotshots.com

Match Signups usually listed on practiscore.com,

Keyword is 'Richmond' unless it is a major match.

CLUBHOUSE LOUNGE

Members and accompanied guests only

Wednesday, Friday 2:00pm - 10:00pm

Saturday 12:00pm - 10:00pm

Sunday 12:00pm - 8:00pm

CLUB CLOSED: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

Hours may vary on special occasions. Check your bulletin.

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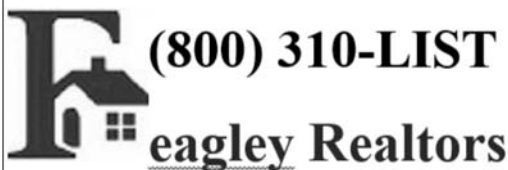
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Please note that if board members are unavailable, individual interviews will be re-scheduled to a later date.

Prospective members who have been interviewed and have been approved by the BOD are published below. If any current member has a concern with the new prospective member below, please contact member services. Members have until 15 days after the publishing of the list of prospective members to lodge a protest. Please contact Member Services if there is any reason a prospective member should not be granted full membership privileges. Bylaw booklets are available in the bar.

Interviewed in May for June Induction		
Prospective Member	Profession	Sponsor
Barry Anderson*	Retired	Earl E Brown III
Jeff Asher	Plumber	Richard Camaraota
Mike Bank*	Const Teamster	Brett Hart
Hong Cheng	Doctor	Miachael Harris
Barry Duffy*	Program Manager	Teresa Duffy
Michael Gorham	Retired	Benjamin Martin
Darryl Kesecker	Retired LEO	Laurence Nichol
Benjamin Ng	Manager	Ricky Fong
Harry Niedzwetzki	Stage Hand	Norman Ng
Martin Olson*	Pilot	Donald Gates
Bill Paganelli	Medic	Vince Sargentini
Carlson Seto*	Realtor	Manuel Newman
Larissa Thomas*	Director of Logistics	Teresa Duffy
George Ty	None Given	Mike Sawyer
* Indicates that Annual \$75 dues must be paid before 2018-2019 card is issued.		

If you have not attended an Interview and have run out of the dates stated in email or on your letter, please email membership services at ms@richmondrodandgun.com or call to schedule @ 510-621-3120 after 9 am.

From Vince Sargentini

If your name is on the list above, you need not call and ask me when your membership card is coming, it will be put into the mail around the middle of the month in which this notice has been sent (If January, around Jan 20th, if March, around March 20th, and so on).

Questions regarding your rental space should be directed to Stan Baker at email address: bstan141@comcast.net

You should already have your dues notice. Dues notices are required to be sent out right around May 1st. If you did not receive your dues notice by May 15th, please contact me at the email above.

Yee-Min Lin:

Hello fellow Richmond Rod and Gun members, my name is Yee-min Lin, and I hope to be your next club President. I have been a member since 2014, mostly active on the club's action pistol range, but I have had the pleasure of meeting with folks from skeet/trap range, the public pistol/rifle line, and the clubhouse/bar on many occasions.

The club is no more or less than the sum of its members, and I look forward to keeping RRGC a safe and enjoyable place for members to socialize and enjoy the outdoor activities offered while ensuring the club's stability and presence for future generations. Thanks in advance!

Earl Brown:

I'm running for one of the Board of directors. I have run the Rifle/Pistol range since the death of Robert Fahey. Those were big shoes to fill and I'm doing the best I can. I've recruited approximately 70 volunteer range safety officers (RSO's) and help get them ongoing training. With the help of the Membership and the board, we are continually making it a safer place to shoot.

I've been a member of the RRGC since the late 80's. I've shot USPSA on the action range, shot High Power on the 200, and launched Kayaks from the boat ramp to go fishing. I've enjoyed many social activities like the club breakfasts, dinners, and enjoyed the club bar.

As a Firefighter/EMT, I'm no stranger to gunshot wounds and want to make this club and its many ranges as safe as possible.

I am a certified Chief Range Safety Officer, and also a firearms and reloading instructor. I'm a USAF Vietnam veteran and member of the American Legion.

As always, if you have any suggestions or complaints, please give me a call or email. I would appreciate your vote.

Manuel Newman:

While being a Board Member for RRGC over the last few years my goal was to support the ideas that would improve the club's appearance and the safety of its members. I'm running for the Board of Directors again in 2018. There is still a great deal of projects that need more than a vote. The club needs someone to do the work and make sure it gets done.

Since I've been the Action Range Chairman, the range has improved and is safer for everyone. The appearance is 1000% better and everyone takes pride in using the range. These improvements were long overdue. The changes have made a positive impact for current and new members that enjoy the shooting sports.

If I get your vote You'll continue to see me around the club being a good representative for us all.

Michelle Januzzi:

Hi, my name is Michelle Januzzi and I am running for a position on the Board of Directors. I have been a Richmond Rod and Gun Club member since I moved to the Bay Area last year.

My dad taught me to shoot when I was a kid, and now we hunt deer in Western New York every year. After buying a shotgun for hunting, I learned to shoot skeet and five-stand. Last year I started shooting USPSA and Multi Gun matches, and I recently started designing stages. While I've been focused on skills development on the range, off the range I happily share my support for the second amendment and my story of how I got involved in shooting sports.

In my professional life, I am proud to serve as a civilian Budget Analyst for the Coast Guard, and before that, as an analyst for the Navy. I have served on a commission for the Calvert County Commissioners, and as membership chair and special committee member for a yacht club, all in Maryland.

I'm enthusiastic about growing the shooting sports, helping shooters build skills, and getting new shooters involved. Since joining last year I participate in club cleanup, regularly volunteer to help build stages, and promote local matches. There is a truly fantastic group of people at this club, and I am grateful to be a part of the community here. If I haven't met you yet, you can usually find me at the action range for matches and practice, and occasionally on the public line helping friends learn to shoot.

My objective is to serve the membership so that the club can continue to grow and ensure a long healthy future. Thank you for your vote!

Vincent Van Hoven:

I have been a Richmond Rod and Gun Club Member for over 20 years. I participate in High Power Rifle shooting, skeet, and action shooting.

I was introduced by my late father, Jack Van Hoven. He became a member in the late 1970's. We would shoot bench rest on the 100 yard line together.

I have now introduced my two teenage sons to RRG. Maybe you've seen us, they are members of the California Grizzlies Junior Rifle Team. They volunteer at the club dinners.

I volunteer with Dave Minaggio in teaching the Junior Rifle training to new shooters. I also volunteer at the Glock Match as a Range Officer.

I'm looking forward to becoming a member of the Board. I would like to ensure the Club is a fun and safe place to learn shooting skills. My goal is to get more juniors involved in the shooting sports.

Hall Rental – BBQ Horseshoe Pit Usage

One of the wonderful benefits of being an RRG member, is the ability to rent the hall, at a price that is historically lower than renting other halls in our area. You have access to a full kitchen for a deposit, with the understanding, it must be clean when your event is over.

The club also offers their Member's free rental for Memorials-Celebration of Life for their immediate family only (Grandparents, Parents, Siblings, Aunts – Uncles, and Children). You must contact the House Chair to reserve your date, then meet to go over the rules and sign the rental agreement.

The BBQ Horseshoe Pit picnic area, is **free** to members, it's on a first come, first serve basis. Again, clean up after you're done. You must contact the House Chair and let the chair know of your plans, make sure the date is available, and give them your membership number, and contact information. This will eliminate double bookings.

Both the Hall and BBQ area are for **MEMBERS ONLY**. It is not open to the public nor is it open for public venues, unless Board Approval has been given.

It is against club rules to have a venue and charge admission.

If you reserve the Hall or BBQ area, you must be in attendance for the entire event. You are responsible for your guests, the area you have reserved, and the safety of your guests and other members.