

# The Bullet-IN

River Bend Gun Club is a club for members, founded in 1958.

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## New Club Manager for River Bend Gun Club

Eric Leid has accepted the position of Club Manager and will start on May 2, 2022. Eric will work alongside Bill Illg who has been Club Manager since May 2018 and who will retire in June 2022. Eric and Bill will be working together for several weeks, along with Greg Hughes, Assistant Club Manager to ensure a thorough transfer of knowledge about the club, Club Manager responsibilities and general operating procedures.

The Board of Directors and I are delighted to have a member with Eric's qualifications and experience as Club Manager. River Bend Gun Club has been blessed with many excellent Club Managers over the years. Bill Dittman served as Club Manager from 2008 to 2018 and helped steer the club through the tough times that followed the 2008-2009 economic recession. Bill Illg was hired as Club Manager when Bill Dittman retired in May 2018 and Mr. Illg has done an outstanding job during a time of rapid growth and expansion for the club. Eric Leid will have some big shoes to fill and he is fully up to the task.

Eric joined RBGC in November 2005. Many of you may remember Eric as the ranking NCO and team leader for the North Georgia College Military Cadets who used to shoot many of the Action Pistol matches at RBGC. Eric was born and raised in Michigan, he served in the US Marine Corps from 1986 to 1991 and in the US Army from 1994 to 2009. Since retiring from the US Military, Eric has served as a police officer with a local police department and he has extensive experience with the US State Department working as an instructor and contractor both overseas and in the US.



Eric lives in Dawsonville with his wife, Michele and children, Emma, Eric, Jr. and Michael. He and Michele are both experienced shooters and both are physically active in many sports. In addition to the shooting sports, Eric enjoys mixed martial arts and driving his 2018 Dodge Challenger RT. Please join me in welcoming Eric on board when you see him at the club.

Will Owensby

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## Women on Target Pistol Clinic

## Come join the fun! The next Women on Target Pistol Clinic is Saturday, June 11, 2022

The clinic starts at 8:30 am in the Gene Mowell Conference Center. Several women NRA Pistol instructors facilitate the classroom sessions on firearm safety; parts and functions of revolvers and semi-automatic pistols; ammunition knowledge; the shooting fundamentals and answer your questions. The Club provides lunch, then we head to the range for a one-on-one shooting experience with our wonderful volunteer coaches!











Click on link to register online: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/ukk4vxs3">https://tinyurl.com/ukk4vxs3</a>

We had a great turn out of 21 ladies for the April clinic! Many thanks to the great coaches!











## Anything Changed in Your Life?

It's time again for a little spring cleaning, and more importantly, updating your personal profile at River Bend so we can keep you informed on all the events and activities at the club plus help you renew online for 2022/2023.

Your secure private information is kept in your own personal profile that's available when you login to <a href="www.rbgc.org">www.rbgc.org</a> and hover your mouse cursor over your name in the upper right corner of any page of the website. Simply click "Profile" to view and review your information.

Under 'Basic Member Information" is the important stuff the club needs to stay in touch with you. Has your address changed? Is your email correct? We really need your personal email, not your work email. Unfortunately more and more business IT departments are filtering or blocking emails from organizations such as River Bend. Under "Emergency Contact Information" make sure all that info is up to date – we want that to be correct and hopefully we'll never need it. Take a look the other line items and update them as needed. Any with a "red dot" are required. After you're done, click "Save" at the very bottom of the page.

Now you're all done! Congratulations and Thank You!

This information will be used to notify you when the 2022/2023 Renewal Year begins May 15th, 2022. You'll receive a reminder email on or about that date plus when you log on to <a href="www.rbgc.org">www.rbgc.org</a> you'll see a renewal reminder in the upper right corner. Simply follow the link and easy instructions and you'll be good to go for another year at River Bend. Please allow us four weeks after you renew to receive your new badge. We'll know that you renewed and your current badge remains good until June 30th.

Thank you again for being a member of the best gun club in the South and for supporting all our activities and events. Make 2022/2023 the year you step up and volunteer at River Bend Gun Club.

## **PROMOTION**

The CRO is proud to announce that ACRO II Bill Goode has been promoted to the position of Assistant Chief Range Officer (ACRO). Bill's move into the ACRO job is a result of Phil Alexander's stepping down from that position effective April 18, 2022. The CRO wishes Phil all the success possible with his continuing LE career. Next time you see Bill Goode on the range, say 'hello' and congratulations on his promotion.

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James 'Maverick' Garner Chief Range Officer River Bend Gun Club

## CRO RANGE BAG

## Hello Riverbend!

As this year's shooting season ramps up, I need to reinforce with all members the requirements learned during the new member orientation. These are the simple things that all of us are aware of, and know about. However, many times, simple things are overlooked in the urge to begin shooting. Keep reading! There's a story at the end I'm sure all of us will feel impacted by.

The simple things we all learned during our new member orientation are 1.) sign-in the moment you arrive at the range, and 2.) printing your name legibly! The first point, signing in when you arrive at the range, are being done very well. My team and I have fewer and fewer encounters with members not signing in at their desired range. On behalf the CRO team and myself, we appreciate the attention to detail and thank you very much! The 2nd part, printing your name legibly... well, this part needs a little work.

#### RANGE SIGN IN SHEET SILHOUTTE RIFLE RANGE Release: In consideration of the undersigned being allowed to use the facilities of River Bend Gun Club, the undersigned dose hereby release, discharge, waive, hold harmless and covenant not to sue River Bend Gun Club, its officers, agents, directors, representatives, employees or volunteers from any and all liability to the undersigned, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, assigns and next of kin of the undersigned, for loss, damages or injury, including death, to the undersigned person or property, or any other consequences to the undersigned arising from, our of or as a result of use of the facilities of RBGC by the undersigned. The undersigned further consents to and authorizes all emergency medical treatment to the undersigned as may be deemed appropriate under existing droumstances at the time of any injury to the undersigned, and to transport the undersigned to the nearest emergency medical facility, by whatever means may be deemed appropriate under the circumstances. The undersigned further consents to the taking making or recording of pictures, movies, videotapes or other images of the undersigned likeness or voice in any manner incidental to use of the facilities and to the publishing, broadcasting or display of such likeness or voice without any compensation there fore. Printed Name Caliber Time Mem. | Family | Guest Signature YOUR NAME 11/26/19 12:00 Family .223/.308 YOUR SIGNATURE Mem. Guest 11/26/19 12:00 Joe Q. Public Family Guest 5.56 John 2. Public John Moses Browing 11/26/19 12:00 30.06 John M. Browning Guest Family Guest

Since becoming the CRO for River Bend Gun Club, I had seen every type of writing, cuneiform and hieroglyphics on the sign-in sheet under the column "Printed Name". Decorum prevents me from inserting photographs of sign-in sheet names that would paint a vivid picture of what I am talking about. Please understand; my intent is not to shame-walk, or embarrass any member in any way. Instead, my intent is to convey the importance of the Club's ability to reach any member based solely on the sign-in sheet information. Here's the story behind the 'why'.

In early April this year, a member – for whatever reason, overlooked a firearm while they were packing to go home. Yes, someone left a firearm on the range and were unaware of its absence. This sort of thing gives me a sinking feeling in the pit of my stomach -I'm certain anyone would feel this way with their mis-placed firearm as well. Abandoned firearms has happened before in River Bend's history. It happened to me personally, and no doubt will happen again at some future date. Luckily, another member discovered the firearm and turned it into the Manager's office. The sign-in sheet entry for the caliber of firearm left on the range that day was not entirely legible. The general manager staff struggled to decipher the name on the sign-in sheet, by querying the database with the name they could clearly identify. After many attempts, they found a name combination they felt they were confident with, to contact a member regarding the firearm found. This story does have a happy ending: owner and firearm were reunited shortly there after.

The CRO wishes to encourage, in the strongest terms possible, that the whole of the membership please print legibly your name when signing in to a range. The story of the lost and reunited firearm is only one of the many instances where Club management needs to find and communicate with members of our community. A clearly printed name enables the Club to be proactive in connecting members with their left-behind items. Imagine the sense of relief getting home to find a message from the Club stating that your firearm (range bag, ammo, wallet, etc.) is secure, waiting for you to come get it.

Please take the few seconds it needs to leave a clear, printed name on the sign-in sheets.

See you on the range!

Sincerely,

James 'Maverick' Garner, Chief Range Officer

## Raffle Prizes for the Annual Business Meeting

There is no doubt that River Bend Gun Club is a first-class gun club, a wonderful place to escape the world outside the gate and an all-around great facility. Although we are blessed with a fantastic physical facility and ranges, the club would not be what it is without our members. Many thanks are due to the Range Officers, Asst. RO's, club staff, Board members and all the many members who volunteer their time and energy to help make everything work and run so smoothly.

Our special thanks goes out to Martin Bookston who owns Martin's Firearms in Alpharetta, GA. For last year's Annual Business Meeting raffle prizes, Martin (Marty) worked with us to provide gift certificates for his store in \$100, \$150 and \$200 dollar denominations. For this year's Annual Business Meeting, Marty gave the club deep discounts on the ammunition and gift items we purchased to give away as raffle prizes for members who sign in, receive a ticket and are present for the drawing. The discounts Marty provided really helped us to maximize our budget so that we will have 27 door prizes of ammunition and merchandise that lucky members who attend the meeting will take home with them.

#### **List of Raffle Prizes:**

- Sellier & Bellot 9mm, 115 gr. JHP. 5 prizes of 200 rounds each
- Magtech 22 LR 40 gr. LRN. 10 prizes of 500 rounds each
- Aguila 22 LR 40 gr. LRN. 4 prizes of 200 rounds each with Multi-Tool pocket tool
- Aguila 22 LR 40 gr. LRN. 3 prizes of 400 rounds each
- Fix It T-Handle All-In-One Torque Driver. 3 complete kits
- Annual Dues Certificates. 2 prizes

Martin Bookston is an annual member who joined River Bend Gun Club in February 2013. We don't see him often at the club because he spends so much of his time managing his retail firearms business in Alpharetta. Marty is a big supporter of the club and was quite generous with the pricing for the merchandise the club purchased to give away in the drawing. Marty's business address follows:

Martin's Firearms 800 North Main St., Suite 200 Alpharetta, GA 30009 Phone: (678)292-6006

—Will Owensby

Martin's Firearms maintains an excellent selection of handguns, rifles and shotguns, high end optics, suppressors and a wide variety of knives and accessories. Please stop by and peruse the inventory when you can and let Marty know how much we all appreciate his support.

# Message to RBGC Members Regarding the 2022 Annual Business Meeting and Election of Officers

Pursuant to the RBGC, Inc. By-Laws, ARTICLE VIII – MEETINGS, paragraph E. Quorum, "Twenty-five life members of the Club in good standing, in person or by proxy, shall be required for a quorum at any meeting. If a meeting is held in which annual members are entitled to vote, then the presence of twenty-five annual members of the Club in good standing, in person or by proxy, shall be required for a quorum of annual members."

Just prior to the 2022 Annual Business Meeting scheduled to begin at 11:00 AM on 5/15/22, annual and senior members will have the opportunity to elect an Annual Director and life members will have the opportunity to elect two Life Directors and the Club President. In order for the elections to be valid, there must be at least 25 annual / senior members and 25 life members present in person or by proxy.

Although I am certain that annual and senior members will be well represented and a quorum will be easily established, I want to encourage strong participation from the life members because a quorum of life members is required for the successful election of the two Life Directors and the Club President.

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# Message to RBGC Members Regarding the 2022 Annual Business Meeting and Election of Officers

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Just a few years ago, Board members had to personally contact several life members to encourage their attendance and ensure that a minimum of 25 life members were present in person or by proxy. There have been years in recent memory where only 32 life members voted. One would think that, with 194 life members in the club, a reminder to vote in club elections would be superfluous but many members are not active in the club, people with young children are often engaged in other activities and some are just too busy to attend the meeting or to fill out, sign and send in their proxy.

Please do RSVP either by clicking the May 15th Annual Business Meeting and Picnic announcement on the club calendar or clicking <a href="mailto:rsvp@rbgc.org">rsvp@rbgc.org</a> and letting us know how many will attend then join us for the Annual Business meeting, Picnic and swap meet if you can. If you are unable to join us in person, please do complete and sign your proxy and be sure the Club Secretary receives it no later than 5:00 PM, Friday, May 6, 2022.

We are going to have a great meeting and picnic this year and you may find something you just can't live without at the swap meet. I look forward to seeing you on MP1 on May 15, 2022.

Thank you.

Will Owensby, Club President

## 2022 Board of Directors Election

River Bend Gun Club's 2022 annual business meeting will convene at 11:00 AM on Sunday, May 15, 2022, at the club's Multi-Purpose Range #1 (MP1).

For the benefit of new members or others who are not familiar with this important event, Article VIII of the River Bend Gun Club, Inc. By-Laws requires the annual election of the club President and three open Director positions at every annual business meeting. In 2022, the president, two Life Directors, and one Annual Director will be elected. The members who qualified as candidates and are running for election in 2022 are:

**For President**: Will Owensby, Life Member Mary Stewart, Life Member For Life Director: Art Thompson, Life Member Charles Iracondo, Life Member For Annual Director:

Doug McNash

As stipulated in the club By-Laws, only Life Members may vote for the President and Life Directors, and only Annual and Senior members may vote for Annual Directors.

Members eligible to vote will be given official ballots at sign-in before the meeting. Members who do not attend the annual meeting may assign a proxy to vote on their behalf by executing a proxy form. Proxy forms will be emailed to the club membership and will be available for download on the club website after April 15, 2022.

Properly completed and signed proxy forms must be returned to the Club Secretary no later than 5PM on Friday, May 6, 2022. Proxies received after that date and time will be rejected. Please remember, if you assign your voting rights to a proxy, the club member you assign your proxy to must be present and signed-in at the annual meeting to vote on your behalf, so please be sure that your assigned proxy is going to attend. Also, to be valid, your proxy must be assigned to a specific individual by name. Proxies left blank or assigned to "Board of Directors" or anything other than an individual name will be disallowed. Any member who authorizes another member to act on their behalf at a specific meeting via proxy may not vote at the meeting specified.

Questions about the annual meeting or election of the president and directors should be directed to the Club Secretary, Erica D'Amico, at sec@rbgc.org or 470-865-0754.

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## 2022 Board of Directors Election

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## Will Owensby, candidate for President

## How frequently do you use the club (approximate monthly average)?:

I visit the club an average of eight times per month.

## In what shooting disciplines are you active?:

I am active in Action Pistol and 3 Gun and I occasionally compete in Steel Challenge and USPSA (IPSC).

## Summarize your previous service to RBGC including offices held, committees on which you have served, etc.:

- May 2021 to present: Club President
- May 2020 to May 2021: Club President
- May 2019 to May 2020: Club President
- May 2018 to May 2019: Club President
- 2015 to 2019: ARO for 3 Gun
- 2012 to 2018: Chief Range Officer (CRO)
- 2012 to 2018: Chairman, Range Committee
- 2013 to 2018: Chairman, Range Rules Revision Committee
- 2014 to 2018: Chairman, Training Committee
- 2009 to 2015: RO and Match Director for 3 Gun
- 2009 to 2012: RO and Match Director for Action Pistol

### Briefly describe your short- and long-term goals and objectives for the club if elected (attach additional sheets if needed):

- Ensure that the club continues to be effectively managed, operated efficiently, and remains financially solvent.
- Endorse and support ALL shooting venues and the annual Young Shooters Challenge.
- Ensure that range improvement and expansion and all other Board approved projects are managed expeditiously and do not exceed their allocated budgets.
- Ensure that club officers, employees and representatives continue to maintain good relationships with club members, our neighbors and local elected officials.
- Ensure that club officers, employees and members remain good stewards of club property and resources.
- Continue to work closely with the Board of Directors and Club Management to manage club resources in a manner that ensures the long-term viability of River Bend Gun Club.
- Continue to use the Bullet-IN and RBGC Forum to maintain frequent communication with club members regarding club activities, priorities and direction and remain readily available to club members' questions, feedback and ideas.

## Please include any other comments or information you wish to provide:

River Bend Gun Club is a special place. I love this club and I will do everything possible to help the club continue to grow and remain financially healthy.

#### Additional Statement:

I am a candidate for club president because I want to help River Bend Gun Club continue to be a gun club that is vibrant, safe, fun and debt free. If re-elected, I will continue to work closely with the Board of Directors, employees and members to help keep our club on the path to success.

I joined RBGC in July 1997 and I have served the club in multiple capacities since 2009. As CRO (2012 to 2018), I participated in monthly Board of Directors meetings and developed good working relationships with the Club President, Board members, club officers, employees and with the ROs and AROs. For six years, I conducted the monthly New Member Orientation (NMO) and I

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continue to attend and occasionally teach monthly NMO classes. This allows me to meet new club members, to get to know them and to understand the things they care about. Frequent interaction with club members helps me understand how they feel about club operations, what our challenges are and what resources are available.

As club president in 2018-2019, I guided the club's purchase of an additional 55 acres. This was a challenging and successful effort to expand the club and establish an additional buffer to protect the club from future urban encroachment and the team work and dedication of many club members helped make this possible. Since being elected to three additional terms as club president, I have continued to work closely with the Board of Directors, with club management and with club members to ensure that the club operates within budget, continues to grow and runs smoothly.

In March 2019, we began sending the Bullet-In monthly newsletter to the entire membership via monthly email distribution. The new Bullseye Pistol Range, completed in April 2019, was dedicated as the Ken Smith Bullseye Pistol Range in May. In October 2020, spent bullet removal and impact berm rehabilitation operations were completed on multiple ranges to significantly reduce ricochet hazard and make high-volume ranges safer to use. Approximately 98,000 pounds of spent bullet material was removed and sold to smelting operators in South America to cover all costs for this project. The Action Pistol Complex expansion from three to five bays was completed in December 2020. In May 2021, the new and greatly improved RBGC website launched. This new website allows club members to renew their membership on line via credit card and it significantly improves the efficiency and convenience of the renewal process. In October 2021, the access roads to the Rimfire Rifle Range, Ken Smith Bullseye Pistol Range and Centerfire Rifle Silhouette Range were paved.

I will continue to do my best for the club and its members in any position I hold. The club is blessed with an energetic, well balanced Board of Directors and an enthusiastic membership. As a dedicated and loyal club member, I ask for your continued support by re-electing me as Club President in May 2022. I look forward to working with the Board, club employees and members to build on our successes and to continue to help River Bend Gun Club remain the special place it has become.

## Mary Stewart, candidate for President

How frequently do you use the club (approximate monthly average)?:

I'm at River Bend eight or more times a month for matches, personal range time and building match courses of fire.

In what shooting disciplines are you active?:

I use several of our venues regularly.

- USPSA
- Action Pistol
- Steel Challenge
- 3 Gun
- MP2 for practice and sighting in
- Personal practice on Cowboy and Action Pistol Bays
- Plinking Ranges

## Summarize your previous service to RBGC including offices held, committees on which you have served, etc.:

- USPSA State Match Staff
- USPSA Monthly Staff
- Women on Target Coach (WOT)
- Women on Target Next Steps Presenter
- River Bend Ballistic Challenge Glock Match RO
- Young Shooters Challenge RO

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#### Briefly describe your short- and long-term goals and objectives for the club if elected (attach additional sheets if needed):

- Provide a family friendly environment with safe facilities for recreational and competitive shooting, education and camaraderie.
- Ensure the club sets and meets goals and objectives that support the shooting disciplines and members.
- Ensure improvement projects are well planned, have established controls and are well communicated.
- Work with the Treasurer to support strong financial controls and protect the cash and assets of the club.
- Support employees and Board of Directors to effectively and efficiently manage club resources.
- Partner with shooting professionals to provide training for all skill levels.
- Work with the committees and board to ensure all documentation is published for membership review.

## Please include any other comments or information you wish to provide:

I'm running for club president to help maintain and improve RBGC's high standards in addition to encouraging firearms competition and improve facilities that support shooting sports.

I've been a member since 2017 and have supported many of the shooting initiatives such as WOT, Young Shooters Challenge, the River Bend Ballistic Challenge Glock Match, the USPSA State and monthly USPSA matches.

My interest and participation led me to develop a WOT New Shooter Next Steps presentation. The New Shooter Next Steps provides a comprehensive review of the most popular shooting venues and how they should be approached based on skill level. It also includes the equipment needed, cost, how to register and whom to contact.

My participation and interest in stage building, registration and stats provides a well-rounded view of the shooting Venus structure and interest.

As for my background, I have previous experience starting and managing a club from creation as well as holding the office of president. Like RBGC, the club was a non-profit and relied on member volunteers. I grew the club from a few members to several hundred by providing a network of services; a directory of resources; organized vendor training; and acted as a liaison between vendors and members to resolve problems.

I've been in information technology for over 40 years and have recently retired. I started as a developer and moved into other areas such as system architecture, project and program management. I've managed over 50 projects that were large and small with budgets exceeding over \$400 million. I've managed the hiring, firing and annual reviews of employees and contractors.

The projects and programs that I've worked on include planning, oversight, process. implementation and delivery. A few examples of the projects include tabletop disaster recovery exercises for the State of Georgia, where I created disasters and led the recovery. A tabletop exercise is a series of meetings that simulate an emergency situation and the response to a man-made or natural disaster.

I've led the implementation of new internet data centers and the migration of applications. I've managed the replacement of Contact Centers that include banks, large cellular companies and state agencies such as child services. One implementation had 5,000 customer service agents that had to be trained as the new system went live. Another project was to implement controls due to a breath by hackers.

I'm a certified PMP (Professional Project Manager) and have my CBCP certification (Certified Business Continuity Professional). A Certified Business Continuity Professional has knowledge and skill in business continuity/disaster recovery industry.

I'm enthusiastic and passionate about shooting and enjoy reloading.

Lastly, I wish to thank the current president and Board of Directors. These members spend a great deal of their personal time making River Bend a premiere gun club.

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## **Art Thompson, candidate for Life Director**

### How frequently do you use the club (approximate monthly average)?:

4-5 times per month.

## In what shooting disciplines are you active?:

Action Pistol, 3 Gun, NFA, Steel Challenge, USPSA, IDPA

## Summarize your previous service to RBGC including offices held, committees on which you have served, etc.:

- Life Member Director (2020-21)
- Vice President (2019)
- Facilities Committee Chairman (2019-2021)
- Annual Director (2018)
- Action Shooting Sports Planning Committee
- Certified RBGC Action Pistol Assistant Range Officer
- Certified RBGC NFA Assistant Range Officer
- NRA Certified Safety Officer
- GSSF Range Officer
- 3-Gun Range Officer
- Annual Young Shooter's Challenge Range Officer
- NRA Women on Target Coach/Volunteer
- RBGC Annual Meeting/Picnic Volunteer

## Briefly describe your short- and long-term goals and objectives for the club if elected:

Short Term - Continue to provide and maintain a safe, well-run and friendly gun club for all members and their guests

Long Term - Continue to improve and enhance existing ranges and facilities. Explore and identify future ranges and facilities as needed to serve all members in a fiscally responsible manner.

## Please include any other comments or information you wish to provide:

Having been involved in all aspects of shooting sports my whole life, the last 27 years as an active member of RBGC have proven to be the most enjoyable. It would be my pleasure and an honor to continue to serve on the RBGC Board of Directors in representing all shooting disciplines.

## **Charles Iracondo, candidate for Life Director**

## How Frequently do you use the club:?

8-12 days per month

#### What shooting disciplines are you active in:?

Action Pistol, Smallbore Prone, Light Rifle, Highpower Rifle, and Shotgun. Although my focus has shifted, I also shoot Steel Challenge and USPSA.

## Summarize your previous Service to RBGC including offices held, committees on which you have served, etc.:

- Served as ACRO II for approximately 2 years.
- Member of the Range Rules Committee for approximately 2 years.
- Action Pistol Range Officer.
- USPSA match set up and tear down "staff' for approximately one year.

## Briefly describe your short- and long-term goals and objectives for the club if elected:

Short Term: Get comfortable with the inner workings of the BoD, and continue the excellent work of my predecessor. Join a committee, possibly the facilities committee, and help ensure the continued physical growth of the club. Assist in the completion of the High Power range improvement program. This project is currently on the books but has been delayed. I want to ensure it takes "center stage" and considered the lead project moving forward.

Long Term: I want to make sure the club leverages our resources and continually improves our facility. I want to see the completion of "MP-3" range giving our membership another place to enjoy our club. I also want to make sure that our Range Rules keep up with the fast-pace shooting industry, ensuring that members who have interesting firearms or specific training needs can be accommodated and legally and safely use their firearms on club property.

#### Please include any other comments or information you wish to provide:

My desire to work on facility improvement is one of my main goals, however, my primary focus and obligation is to ensure that Life Members are represented at the BoD level, and their needs and interests are vigorously attended to.

## **Doug McNash, candidate for Annual Director**

How Frequently do you use the club:?

I visit the club 2-3 time a month.

What shooting disciplines are you active in:?

Highpower and Smallbore prone.

Summarize your previous Service to RBGC including offices held, committees on which you have served, etc.:

I serve as:

- Range Officer running the 200 yard rimfire matches
- Assistant Range officer for Smallbore Prone
- Assistant Range Officer for Highpower
- Youth Shoot Volunteer for smallbore prone section

## Briefly describe your short- and long-term goals and objectives for the club if elected:

- Represent the Annual Membership
- Oversee safe and efficient club operation
- Maintain RBGC status as the premier shooting club in the southeast

#### Please include any other comments or information you wish to provide:

I seek election to the RBGC BOD and list the following as reasons and qualifications:

- Long time, 30 year annual member.
- Served on board of Southwest Christian Church 1994-2018 (Missions, Security, and Technology Committees)
- Served on Coosawattee River Resort Ecological Committee 2019
- Retired software engineer so I have time to dedicate to the task.
- Know much about the history of the club
- Know many of the current leadership and members of the club
- Of the age that I have acquired some wisdom
- Love the club, the majority of my friends are members
- It's time for me to make some payback

## Official Club Business

### Highlights of the March 14, 2022 Board of Directors Meeting

President Will Owensby presided over a quorum of seven Board members. Also attending were four club officers, the Club Manager, the Assistant Club Manager, two life members and one life member spouse. The meeting was convened at 7:00PM on Monday, March 14, 2022. The meeting was held at RBGC's Gene Mowell Conference Center on club property.

A quorum was confirmed, the proposed agenda was adopted, the minutes of the February 14, 2022, Board meeting were approved, and the following officer and manager reports were presented and accepted:

Treasurer Secretary Chief Range Officer Club Manager Shotgun Manager

Board decisions made, actions taken, and items of interest:

- Treasurer Geoff Rhines reported that February FYTD income was \$832K, an increase of approximately \$43K versus the same period in FY 2021.
- February FYTD expense was \$687K, an increase of approximately \$71K versus the same period in FY 2021.
- Cash in the bank as of 2/28/22 was \$274,129 including \$100,213 in Capital Reserve Fund.
- Club Secretary Erica D'Amico reported that the membership total at the beginning of the March 2022 meeting was 2,206, 14 members more than last month.
- The number of Senior Members in March 2022 was 200 (9.06% of RBGC membership).
- Chief Range Officer Jim Garner reported that the Range Use Summary Report for February 2022 totaled 2,100 (1,794 members and 306 guests).
- Eleven venues submitted Match Use Summary Reports for February 2022. Total entries were 312 (154 members, 149 non-members, and 9 juniors). February match income was \$4,415.00 with \$866.78 reported to the club.
- There was a New Member Orientation (NMO) class held on February 27, 2022, for 16 attendees.
- There were 8 Tac Rifle Certifications, 0 NFA Certifications, and 1 Supergun Certification in February.
- Tim Downing was approved by the Board as ARO for Steel Challenge.
- A CPR+ Class will be offered to the membership once a month at no charge.
- Club Manager Bill Illg reported that the maintenance crew has devised straps to hold the baffles on the Ken Smith Bullseye Pistol Range in place.
- New bowling pins were installed on the plate rack on AP1.
- All 20-pound propane tanks have been filled.
- RBGC has a signed agreement from Sweet Water Engineering for ten plate racks (5 with round plates and 5 with bowling pin plates). The price of \$1,750 per rack is locked in for the next two years.
- Shotgun Hill Manager Bill Wettingfeld reported that shotgun range use in February 2022 was 315 shooters (254 members and 61 guests). 965 rounds were fired during February with 15 cart rentals. Total February revenue to the club was \$6,272.
- Member Communications Manager David Norcross reported that the March Bullet-IN reached 2,213 recipients with 2,211 successful deliveries. Open rate was 1,490 (67.4%) and 630 (28.5%) members clicked through the newsletter.
- Facilities Committee Chairman Art Thompson reported that the sketch of the AP5 Berm Conex project has been completed.
- Creation of drawing for 30'w x 40'l pavilion in is process for the AP pavilion project.
- The MP3 project, MP2 reconfiguration as part of Action Shooting Complex, and CB6 Range Floor Test Bay projects are still in preliminary stage.
- The Board approved 12 new members and 0 reinstatements.

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## Official Club Business

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- Activities Chairman Ederlin Owensby reported that the quote from Big D's for 250 people is \$4,200.
- The Board approved \$1,400 for miscellaneous door prizes, and two certificates for annual membership dues for the annual meeting.
- Scholarship Committee Chairman Ernie Knoche reported that interviews will take place next month.
- There is \$20K available in the scholarship fund.

Regular monthly Board meetings are called to order at 7:00 PM on the second Monday of each month in the Gene Mowell Conference Center. RBGC members and families are cordially invited to attend.

## **Membership Statistics**

4	4
200	199
187	187
1,815	1,802
MAR 2022	FEB 2022
	1,815 187 200

## New Members Approved

Dean Cole, Lawrenceville Robert Crawford, Suwanee Oscar Evans, Dawsonville Tom Houlihan, Cumming Dennis Jackson, Dahlonega Seth Livengood, Ball Ground Jarrett Miller, Cumming Tyler Raatz, Woodstock Forrest Roden, Suwanee Andrew Sullivan, Alpharetta Gert van Rooyen, Roswell William Ward, Suwanee

# RIVER BEND GUN CLUB BY-LAWS AS AMENDED APRIL 11, 2022

Pursuant to ARTICLE XVI – AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS, Section A. Amendments by the Board of Directors. 23 amendments were offered for the Board for consideration and approval during the monthly Board meeting on April 11, 2022 and were approved via unanimous vote of the entire Board. In accordance with ARTICLE XVI, Section A., notice of the proposed amendments was furnished to all club members via email on 3/21/22. Pursuant to ARTICLE XVI, Section C., notice of all amendments approved by the Board on 4/11/22 is hereby provided to all members. The entire RBGC, Inc. By-Laws, including all amendments approved by the Board on 4/11/22 may be accessed from the RBGC website <u>Documents</u> section.

David Norcross Member Communications Manager

## Action Pistol—All Steel Match

Rain, rain, go away

Come again some other day

And it did!

The rains swept through on Friday night and, as your trusty Match Director predicted, Saturday morning was dry and beautiful. The Action Pistol Bays were very shootable, thanks to our River Bend crew of "trenchers". Thank you Bill Illg, Junior, Bobby and Paul van O! Additional huge thanks Phil Henderson, Mike Castleberry and John Busey who helped setup all that steel on Friday. Everyone owes you.



Under clearing skies and comfortable weather, thirty three not-be-be-denied Action Pistol Competitors arrived for our 3rd All Steel Action Pistol Match. If you stayed in bed Saturday for fear of getting damp, you totally missed out on the real challenge and satisfaction of the sound and feedback of lead-on-steel. Lots of smiles and laughter, especially about a certain MD who totally zoned out on a popper that he intentionally set up to make others zone out....



Bay 1 began the steel madness with nothing but plate and pin racks, gunfighter targets and a really annoying No Shoot silhouette with a tiny little RED center. Thanks to Russell Wynne for sharing. Seemed like this time more shooters remembered to Aim Small, Miss Small.



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## **Action Pistol**

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Bay 2 brought more confusion to a simple instructions: Shoot the dueling tree from both gaps in the barrels. And don't forget there are four (4) large poppers behind the barrels. What could possibly go wrong? You can't see what you can't see until it's too late. Also several shooters were lucky that the portholes weren't concrete...that pesky "height over bore" thing can put your muzzle where it shouldn't be if you're in hurry and not aware.













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## **Action Pistol**

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Bay 3 settled things down a little with just plan ole' racks and plates, and, oh yes, two Texas Stars. Our 2x4 plate racks, rebar and conveyor belt swinging racks and really tall gongs gave lots of visual and auditory feedback and satisfaction. Good times.

Thank you to all who pitched in and made the heavy lifting not so heavy when we tore down the stages.

Our Action Pistol traditions continued after the Bays were cleared with another great grilled lunch prepared by Art Thompson and superbly complemented by Karen Busey's killer Chocolate Strawberry Cake AND Mamiko's infamous brownies. The match was topped off with door prizes of ammo, cleaning gear, storage equipment.

Thanks again to the Action Pistol RO's and Support Team plus all the competitors who show up to help set up, get us going and keep us safe and organized.

**OUR NEXT ACTION PISTOL MATCH IS MAY 21st** 





## NRA Light Rifle—April 2022 Match Report

It's the beginning of a new administration for the NRA Light Rifle event with newly minted Match Director Chris Sagar taking over for long time Match Director Simon Bailey. Simon has decided to cut back a bit on his RBGC duties. Many thanks to Simon and Fran for their work. Simon will still be around for Light Rifle as a competitor.

Simon and Fran were on hand for the opening match of the 2022 season to help myself and new Stat Officer Jeanette Bias with getting the 'paper work' organized. Again, many thanks to them. Saturday started with temperatures hovering around 34 degrees and the sun trying to come out. The fickle River Bend wind was active with occasional gusts strong enough to make it a bit uncomfortable. Overall, the day was nice with



late morning sun warming up to reasonable temperatures.

The match started about 9:45am with a total of 12 competitors comprised of 10 members, 1 guest and 1 youth. The classifications were 6 Marksman, 4 Sharpshooter, 1 Expert and 1 Unclassified Master. Moving some shooters around to create 3 classes, we ended up with 6 Marksman, 3 Sharpshooters and 3 Masters.



The match started off with George Wilson jumping out to a 2 stage total of 186-0X, followed closely by Mat Whitley at 178-0X and Brad Reynolds at 176-0X. On the heels of the top three were the other competitors with scores in the high 160's and mid 170's.

At the end of stage 4 George Wilson was still leading the pack with 373-0X. Brad Reynolds slipped out of the top three by one point and was replaced by Mauro Bisiacchi at 353-2X and Mat Whitley right behind with 353-1X.

At the end of the home stretch was George Wilson in first place with 541-2X.

Brad Reynolds rebounded to second overall with 532-0X just edging out Mauro Bisiacchi in third place with 531-3X to claim third overall.

In the Master class we had our Unclassified Master youth of John Hanratty who is King Stracke's grandson. John shot a 497-0X using his grand-dad's prized Kimber rifle to win the Master first place award.

The Sharpshooter class was settled by a one shot difference between Simon Baily with 521-1X and Bob Morris with 520-0X.

In the Marksman class first place went to Mat Whitley with 527-1X and second place to Tom Hollingsworth at 505-0X.

Unfortunately, during the match the entry for Mat Whitley's stage 4 score of 84-1X somehow got erroneously changed to 28. This was not noticed until after the awards were presented. This greatly changed the results of the Marksman class. Mat's corrected score moved him from last to first place in the Marksman standings. My apologies to Mat for this. Mat will be presented with his 1st Marksman medal at the next match.

Congratulations to all winners.

Thanks to Fran Bailey for Stat office duties and to everyone for helping with setup and teardown.

The next Light Rifle match will be on Saturday May the 7th with first shot downrange at 9:30 AM – and hopefully much warmer temperatures! The match will be an any sight 60 shot match fired at 50 ft. Looking forward to seeing you here.



## Smallbore Rifle Prone

Our April match was a Conventional 1600 for which we had seven competitors, five shooting with a sling and two shooting F-Class. The weather was precisely the opposite of what we faced at last month's match – the April match saw warm temperatures and mostly mild wind until we moved the targets to 100 yards.

In the sling class, Matthew Whitley won his second consecutive match with a strong 1587-109X, followed closely by Charles Iracondo, who fired 1584-88X. Charles has been coming on strong since getting a fully adjustable smallbore rifle and practicing diligently during the winter.

The top three in the sling division:

Matthew Whitley 1587-109X

Charles Iracondo 1584-88X

Steve Hardin 1580-80X (shooting with iron sights all

the way)

Simon Bailey was on fire in F-Class, shooting 600-54X (out of a possible 600-60X) during his first sixty shots, and 799-69X (out of a possible 800-80X) during his first eighty shots.

The top two in F-Class:

Simon Bailey 1583-114X Brad Kanipe 1536-59X

The full match report can be accessed by visiting our venue page.

Our next match will be the 82d Black Hawk Open to be held Memorial Day weekend. The Rimfire Range will be open for practice on Friday, May 27 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.; we'll hold a Conventional 3200 on Saturday and Sunday, May 28-29; and on Monday, May 30, we'll have a 60-shot English Match and 45-shot Mini Palma match. The matches are open to both conventional prone (sling) and F-Class competitors. The match program and entry form are here: <a href="http://www.blackhawkrifleclub.org/docs/2022/2022BHOpen\_program-forms.pdf">http://www.blackhawkrifleclub.org/docs/2022/2022BHOpen\_program-forms.pdf</a>.

For further information about our Smallbore Rifle Prone program, please contact Dave Rabin at <a href="mailto:smallbore@rbgc.org">smallbore@rbgc.org</a> or visit our venue page.

#### -----Dave Rabin





## Rimfire Benchrest Match Report

Sunday, April 25, 2022 greeted 17 eager Rimfire benchrest competitors with mild temperatures, clear blue skies and the promise of light to manageable wind – a seemingly perfect day! Several first time shooters were on hand making up a capacity single relay - plus one – and all four classes were represented. The Semiauto class and Factor classes fired against the RBA 50 target while the Precision and Unlimited classes fired the much more challenging RBA target.

With very still conditions, high scores were expected, and the shooters did not disappoint. In the semiauto class, Paul Lemley and his Brownell's Custom and SK ammo started out with a 249-8X. In the Factory class, the first card resulted in an almost three-way tie for first with Drew Mckay and his trusty Lithgow 101 scoring a 248-9X tied with Alan Rauber using his antique BSA International. Bob Morris and his Kimber 92G also posted a 248 but with only 6X's.

In the Precision class, new shooter David Abraham and his extremely tricked

out CZ 457 based rig fired a 238-6X to take first Precision, while in the Unlimited class two shooters fired a clean 250 – the first time two shooters fired cleans in a single stage. Grant Toman and his Turbo X-3 with a Broughton barrel and Eley Blue box posted a 250-16X, only to be bested by John McBrayer and his Turbo and his made in Germany Lothar-Walther barrel firing Lapua Midas+ posted a 250-19X to take first place on X count.



The wind started making itself felt on the second card and coming to full impact on the third card along with significant mirage. There were some stable right to left conditions, but mostly the wind just switched around - did what wind does – mess up precise shooting! Scores dropped commensurate with the increasing wind and mirage, but some shooters improved as the match wore on.

In the Semiauto class, after two cards Angelina Lemley had pulled to within three points of husband Paul and after three cards, Angelina was a single point back with a 726-15X to Paul's 727-21X. Among the

Factory shooters, Morris was just 4X's behind McKay and after the third card he took over first place with a 741-22X. A strong third card by Rauber and slip by McKay put Rauber at second factory with a 736-26X to McKay's 732-22X.

In Precision class, Abraham continued to dominate through the second and third card to stay ahead with a 685-17X

after three. After two cards, the top three Unlimited shooters were separated by just two points. McBrayer held first with a 499-36X, Toman held second with a 498-31X, and Joe Ettershank and his amazing Calfee Turbo gun "Chisum" was in third with a 497-30X. After their third card, Toman's extremely consistent shooting put him into first by two points over McBrayer with a 747-40X.

The final card saw a slight increase in wind, but some conditions wiped away the mirage and were quite shootable – if you were patient.



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## Rimfire Benchrest Match Report

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Unfortunately, the conditions got the better of Angelina, and she was bested by Paul for first Semiauto. In Factory, Bob Morris's Kimber suffered a fatal mechanical failure causing him to post a DNF on the final card to end his match. Meanwhile, McKay returned to form and posted a final 249-5X to take first Factory while a solid 242-9x locked Rauber into second with Phil Betis and his CZ 457 finished in third.

In Unlimited class, Pat Patterson was having an exceptional final card by waiting out the conditions but ran out of time and did not complete his card to end his push for a second place finish. Both Ettershank and McBrayer posted solid final card scores but simply could not overcome the exceptional performance displayed by Toman who finished with a fourth card score of 249-16X and an aggregate 996-56X to take top Unlimited honors.

## Congratulations to all winners:

Grant Toman	996-56X	1st Unlimited
John McBrayer	990-62X	2nd Unlimited
David Abraham	905-20X	1st Precision
Drew McKay	981-27X	1st Factory
Alan Rauber	978-35X	2nd Factory
Phil Bettis	955-17X	3rd Factory
Paul Lemley	970-27X	1st Semiauto

After the match, the prize money was awarded, and congratulations offered. Everyone had a great time. Please see the <u>website</u> or <u>Forum</u> for the full match results, Match Bulletin and photos.

The next match will be on Sunday, May 22nd, 2022 so bring your 22lr rifle, a bi-pod or rest, a rear bag, some decent ammo and come join in! It is a fun event and a great way to sharpen your wind and bench shooting skills.

## —Simon Bailey



May 2022						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Rifleman's Weekend IDPA Match	2	3	4	5 Cowboy Hill (CB) Bay 2 is Closed	6 Cowboy Hill (CB) Bay 2-7 is Closed Centerfire Benchrest IBS Scored Match	7 Centerfire Benchrest IBS Scored Match High Power 3X600 Match NRA NRA Light Rifle Cowboy Action NRA Basic Pistol Class Sporting Clays Match
8 Centerfire Benchrest IBS Scored Match Steel Challenge	9 Board Meeting	10	11	12	13	14 MultiPurpose 1 Range Closed for Annual Meeting Set-up High Power XTC Match NRA ICORE Match
15 River Bend Gun Club Annual Business Meeting, Club Picnic and Swap Meet Annual RBGC Swap Meet on MP2 Shotgun Hill will be open Sunday May 15th, 2022 1:00pm-6:00pm	16	17	18 Southern States Classic High Power Match	19 Southern States Classic High Power Match	20 Southern States Classic High Power Match	21 Action Pistol Hunting Rifle Shoot - Silhouette RImfire Silhouette Match Southern States Classic High Power Match Tactical Rifle Certification
New Member Orientation Meeting Bullseye Match Rimfire Benchrest Match Southern States Classic High Power Match 3Gun Match	23	24	25	26	27 Smallbore Rifle Prone Match - 82nd Black Hawk Open Match	28 USPSA Match 100 Yard Match/Clinic Buffalo Rifle Match Smallbore Rifle Prone Match - 82nd Black Hawk Open Match
29 Smallbore Rifle Prone Match - 82nd Black Hawk Open Match	30 Memorial Day Smallbore Rifle Prone Match - 82nd Black Hawk Open Match	31				

Events on calendar are subject to change. Please visit: <a href="https://www.rbgc.org/">https://www.rbgc.org/</a> for the most current events.

June 2022							
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
			1	2 Cowboy Hill (CB) Bay 2 is Closed	3 Cowboy Hill (CB) Bay 2-7 is Closed	4 200 Yard Rimfire Match NRA Light Rifle Cowboy Action Sporting Clays Match	
5 IDPA Match	6	7	8	9	10	11  NRA Women On Target  Centerfire Benchrest  High Power XTC Match  ICORE Match  High Power Silhouette Match	
12 High Power 3X600 Match Steel Challenge	13 Board Meeting	14	15	16	17	18 Action Pistol Hunting Rifle Shoot - HP RImfire Silhouette Match Tactical Rifle Certification	
19 Bullseye Match	20	21	22	23	24	25  USPSA Match  100 Yard Match/Clinic  Buffalo Rifle Match  Smallbore Rifle Prone Match	
26 New Member Orientation Meeting Rimfire Benchrest Match	27	28	29	30 Cowboy Hill (CB) Bay 2 is Closed			

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## **Classified Ads**

## For Sale:

All items below are sold on a first come, first serve basis

Types of payments accepted: Cash, Personal Check & Zelle

Contact Larry White at: <a href="mailto:lfwhite1@comcast.net">lfwhite1@comcast.net</a> to purchase an item or for additional information and/or pictures

You can pick up the items from me in Blue Ridge, GA or since I am an FFL, I can transfer them to an FFL of your choice + shipping fees.

Please note: All firearms listed below are in "used" condition

Туре	Description & Features	Model	Condition	Sell Price	Additional Notes
pistol	Ruger Mark III .22 LR	Mark III	very good	\$200.00	Original box
pistol	Sig Sauer 220 .45 auto blue bbl K -Kote	P220	excellent	\$750.00	Original plastic case
pistol	Ruger Security Six .357 Mag 4" bbl	Security Six	very good	\$350.00	
pistol	Rock Island Armory .45 auto stl bbl Polished Nickel	1911-A1FS	excellent	\$450.00	Original plastic case
pistol	Desert Eagle .357 Mag MKVII 6" blue bbl	.357 Mag	excellent	\$1,499.00	w/box, 2 factory mags & soft case
pistol	Desert Eagle .50 AE MKVII 6" blue bbl	.50 AE	excellent	\$1,899.00	w/box, 2 factory mags & soft case
pistol	S&W Model 27 .44 Mag K-frame revolver 3" blue bbl	Model 27	very good	\$320.00	
pistol	S&W Model 10-7 .38 Special 3" blue bbl	Model 10-7	very good	\$210.00	
pistol	Star (Interarms) 9mm auto pistol; polished chrome	9mm	good	\$250.00	No magazine
pistol	Nagant Russian revolver 7.62 x 39mm 1932 (w/holster)	M1895	very good	\$425.00	With correct holster
pistol	Nagant Russian revolver 7.62 x 39mm 1943 (w/holster)	M1895	very good	\$425.00	With correct holster
pistol	New England Firearms Model R92 .22 LR revolver	R92	very good	\$125.00	
pistol	Jennings .22cal auto pistol Model J22	J22	60% cond.	\$90.00	shows wear, no rust
rifle	Remington Speedmaster .22 LR semi-auto rifle w/scope	552	good	\$200.00	
rifle	Winchester Model 270 .22cal rifle	Model 270	very good	\$150.00	
rifle	German K98 8mm rifle with sling, Service Select	К98	good	\$300.00	
rifle	SKS semi-auto rifle 7.62mm (light wood stock - Chinese)	SKS	very good	\$750.00	
rifle	SKS semi-auto rifle 7.62mm (dark wood stock - Russian)	SKS	very good	\$1,200.00	
rifle	German K98 8mm rifle with sling, Service Select	K98	good	\$300.00	
rifle	Nagant M91/35 Russian 7.62mm semi-auto rifle	N/A	good	\$299.00	
rifle	GAMO Hunter 440 .177cal pellet rifle with scope	Hunter 440	good	\$75.00	
rifle	GSG-5 .22cal semi-auto short rifle	GSG-5	excellent	\$599.00	w/ 2 factory rotary drum mags
rifle	Beretta CX4 Storm 9mm semi-auto rifle with sling	CX4	excellent	\$629.00	
shotgun	Remington 1187 12ga semi-auto shotgun Premier	Model 1187	very good	\$630.00	Original plastic case
shotgun	Forehand Arms 12ga single bbl shotgun	N/A	50% cond.	\$100.00	
shotgun	J. Weston 12ga double bbl shotgun (i.e.wall hanger)	N/A	50% cond.	\$100.00	
shotgun	Stevens 12 ga double bbl shotgun (i.e. wall hanger)	N/A	50% cond.	\$100.00	
shotgun	Marlin 12ga single bbl shotgun with sling	55	50% cond.	\$125.00	

## **Classified Ads**

## COME ENJOY THE RANGE!

## For Sale: Bruno #7747 Precision Reloading Powder Measure

For Sale: Bruno #7747, Culver type precision powder measure in like new condition. Comes complete with two drop tubes and compares favorably with my Neil Jones measure at a fraction of the cost. \$125. If you have any questions or require further information, contact Jack at: K6JLP@bellsouth.net



## For Sale:

For Sale - Cash or Zelle - Contact Wallace Barron at <u>Wallace@CustomPrecisionLLC.com</u> and state your full name and what you want. First come first served. <u>Email me for pictures of anything listed.</u>

## I will be at the RBGC meeting on May 15th for pick-up of items

MEPROLIGHT Tritium night sights new in box. ML-11801 for Para Ordnance \$50 shipped to your door.

**StormLake Stainless 45 ACP Barrel. New in the box \$100 shipped to your door.** 1911 Drop-in threaded barrel 0.578x28 and includes link and bushing. Length 4.99 inches. **This is too short for a standard 1911 and is for a Commander Model.** Check this part number to insure it fits your pistol. NE-COM-45ACP-499-DI-US-OST-LPBT.

20-inch gas tube. Rifle + 1. White Oak Armament. New in the box \$10

#### **Various Brass**

- 222 Rem new in the box brass. 500 pieces Headstamp R-P \$90 (NOT 223)
- 270 WSM. 20 once fired brass \$10
- 40 S&W Starline New 100 cases \$15
- Mag Brass 100 cases \$20 (I have many bags of 100 each so tell me how many you want)
- ACP New in the box Federal brass. 5 boxes available for \$12 per box
- 357 Mag 100 Cases \$15. (I have many bags of 100 each so tell me how many you want)

#### **Firearms for Sale**

I am an FFL and the Firearms must be transferred to you and must be picked up at my location in Roswell GA. There is no transfer fee. I can ship to your FFL for additional cost.

Bear Creek AR pistol that is new in the box and unfired. \$490

5.56 NATO, 7.5" Parkerized M4 Barrel, 1:7 Twist, Pistol Length Gas System, 7" MLOK Rail Side Charging Pistol. No brace. (Billet Lower/No Magazine)

Bear Creek AR rifle New in the box and unfired \$450

5.56 NATO, 16" Parkerized M4 Barrel, 1:8 Twist, Carbine Length Gas System, 15" MLOK Rail Side Charging Rifle (No Magazine)

## **Classified Ads**

## For Sale: Ruger Redhawk 45 Colt / 45 ACP

Excellent, solid DA/SA revolver.

Accurate, dependable; popular big bear gun (+P).

- Stainless steel, 6-shot, 4.2" barrel
- Made in 2015
- Purchased new; less than 50 rounds fired stored in safe, like-new condition
- Moon clips for 45 ACP (9 included)
- 5 boxes (100 rounds, new) 45 long Colt +P, included (not all pictured)
- Hogue monogrip installed; original wood grip included
- Leather holster
- Original plastic box, lock, manual

Sold together (revolver and ammo), only. \$1,200

If you have any questions, please contact me at: danedwards45@mindspring.com





#### For Sale: Charter Arms 38 SPL Undercover

Stainless steel, 5-shot, 2" barrel

Purchased new; less than 50 rounds fired – stored in safe, like-new condition Original box included

## \$250

If you have any questions, please contact me at: <a href="mailto:danedwards45@mindspring.com">danedwards45@mindspring.com</a>









## **ITEMS FOR SALE**

- Triple Seven powder, 1 pound, \$25
- Powerbelt muzzleloader bullets, 50 caliber, 295 grain, hollow point, 20 pieces, \$10
- 35 Whelen once fired Hornady brass, unprimed, >120 pieces, \$50
- Hornady 30-06 180gr GMX, NIB, \$40
- 243 once fired Rem brass, primed, 100 pieces, \$45
- 30-06 fired brass, primed, 50 pieces, \$30
- 6.5 creedmoor once fired brass, primed, mix of Fed and Hornady, 50 pieces, \$30
- 6.5 creedmoor once fired brass, unprimed, mostly Hornady, 75 pieces, several with dents, \$30

- 270 once fired brass, unprimed, 20 pieces \$12
- 7mm-08 once fired brass, mix of Rem and Federal, unprimed, 119 pieces, \$70
- 38 Special once fired Winchester brass, unprimed, 350 pieces, \$65
- 38 Special once fired Rem/GFL/CBC/Fed brass, unprimed, 300 pieces, \$55

Text or call 706-877-4236 if interested

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Ads appear for two issues unless additional time is requested.





## **Shotgun Hill Hours:**

OPEN Thursday - Sunday 10am - 6pm last round must begin prior to 5:30 pm CLOSED Monday - Wednesday

#### **Club Hours:**

Club hours are from sunrise to sunset (specific times for specific dates are listed on the RBGC and other weather sites) on all ranges except the shotgun ranges, which are open late on certain days of the week, light and weather permitting (check the website for scheduled days and hours of operation). Evening shooting (until 9:00 p.m.) will be scheduled periodically on the lighted field. Check the website or contact the shotgun Manager for current schedules.

#### **Newsletter Information:**

When submitting articles, please remember to include a couple of pictures if possible.

Email to <a href="mailto:newsletter@rbgc.org">newsletter@rbgc.org</a> Deadline is the 28th of the Month.

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