

Warner Mountain Gun Club
Business Meeting
January 6, 2021

Present: Brad Winters, Ed Henry, Bill Gransee, Richard Cooper, John Griffin, John M LeNeave, John R LeNeave, Mike Marshall, Jeff Marshall, Mike Wickman, Laura Cooper, Keith Steward, Cody Chartier, Ken Chartier, Tom Zarosinski, Dave McCarty, Dinnie McEuin

Minutes from Nov. 2020 read and approved.

Treasurer's report Dec. 31 2020 read and approved.

Old Business:

Elections: President, Brad Winters. Vice-President, Ed Henry. Treasurer, Laura Cooper. Secretary position still open.

Memorial Bench: Jeff Marshall checked with Desert Rose Funeral Home and Reclaimed Lumber for pricing. DRFH 2 3' benches ~ 2600.00. 2 4' benches ~3000.00. Both would have unlimited personalization. Extra to have shipped to the range. RL has slabs he could make into bench. No cost yet. More info needed.

Locks: Lock to the range was changed on Jan. 1. New keys are being mailed out with the new applications. We got our keys and lock from Al's Lockshop in Kfalls. ACE did not give us a quote.

Conyx: Decided that Officials would keep keys to the conyx. Members can sign out items. Needs to have inventory done.

Norm May Fund: Can we make our money work for us? Laura will check on rates etc for CDs.

Pistol Range: Our bid with Philibert is outdated. Brad has the plans and is looking to do some of the work with member help.

Website: Still looking for someone who can help out with our website. Update and keep current. Do we have a member who is tech savvy?

New Business:

Shoots/Events: We would like to do an event a month from April thru November. October can be difficult with hunting season so may not be one that month. Sight-In Day in September? Members interested in hosting a shoot can contact Brad or Ed. Richard Cooper is interested in hosting a lever gun shoot but not clear what month. Ed Henry is interested in hosting a muzzle loader shoot and a single shot black powder shoot. Other interests: bowling pin shoot (can get from bowling alley and we have some in conyx, also Tom has some). Weiner roast. We need 2 'Safety Officers" at each shoot to ensure all rules are being followed. One member would like practice time before each event.

Target Stands: Ed Henry has made some prototype target stands that do not require pallets. They are on the pistol range. Steel targets are too spendy. Trying to avoid our frames being shot up and destroyed. Also, for the silhouette hangers on the 200 yard line Richard designed a hanger made of grader bits. Jeff can get some more.

High School Trap Shooting Team: Dave McCarty is wanting to hold the practices for the High School team at the range. They would be 2 times per week from April thru June for about an hour or so. One of the days would be on Sunday. Some members think this would be a great way to support youth, while other members are concerned about safety. Other members would also like to see more shotgunning at the range. Concerns are #1 safety, insurance coverage and lead. Questions to be answered: would the range shut down for them? Would someone be in charge of turning other members away that want to shoot? Is being behind our firing line on the 100 yard berm safe? A proposal from Dave will be coming.

Committees: We are forming committees to help with the following

- Range Clean-Up: Once a week or monthly

- Shoots/Events: scheduling

- Projects: pistol range and others

- Target Frames: keep supply

- Equipment: inventory and maintain

Please contact Brad or Ed if interested in helping out or for more info.

Gate Posts: Still waiting for someone to do the holes for the gate posts. Brad may make an archway. Richard has the pipe.

Age requirement: Question on the age requirement of 21 for handgun on the membership application. Can we require this for membership to the range? Oregon law requires person to be over 21 to purchase a handgun. Laura will look into Oregon law for more info.

John LeNeave is giving the club a weed-eater. A donation may be made per Brad and Ed.

Next meeting: February 3. 6pm at the Indian Village.

Adjourned at 7pm