

# The Front Sight

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## President's Message

Jerry Shiller, President

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The County of San Diego Hazardous Materials Department held an information session online this past week for shooting ranges. HMD will be working with indoor and outdoor ranges to insure potentially hazardous materials commonly found at shooting ranges are managed in compliance with state and county regulations. This may necessitate changes in the way we deal with items such as lead, spent cartridge cases (brass, steel, and aluminum) as well as shotgun hulls. Members with hazardous materials management experience are asked to contact me to help the Club develop a management plan for compliance.

## CLAYS

The Club allows members to make a donation to the Club in return for having a box of clays to shoot. This is done for the convenience of the members. The Club is not trying to compete with Walmart or any other sporting goods store. In fact, we can't, because we do not sell anything. Lately, some members seem to be taking advantage of this privilege, buying more clays than they can reasonably use, or using the clays somewhere else besides our range. Effective immediately, each Club member will be limited to obtaining 2 boxes of clays per week, and those clays must be used on our trap fields. Non-members are not permitted to obtain clays.

## Club Audit

It is time for another audit of the Club's finances. Members with accounting experience who are interested in helping should contact Jerry Shiller, or Brian Carty, Club Treasurer.

## Gate Closure

**Do not lock the gate open during open shooting.**

Please close the gate after sign-up has been completed for those events where it is possible to do so. We want to avoid folks coming in and wandering around the range especially when shooting is occurring.

## Summary

September 15, 2020

## Board of Directors Meeting

The Board approved 12 new members into the Club. This brings the current number of membership vacancies down to 104. Dave Reed asked to bring a Red Dot Training Concepts class to the range in late April-early May 2021. There would be one dry fire session and two live fire sessions. More from Dave will be forthcoming. Dave has also scheduled a new NRA RSO class for Sunday November 8, 2020. Interested members should contact Dave for more information. Club member Lou Tevis has volunteered to take over the monthly field archery shoot. Club members interested in having the archery shoots continue are asked to give Lou some support.

The Club has been offered a double-wide office trailer in good condition for free. The Board is looking into the cost of moving the unit from Colton to Alpine. Club member Bob Friar, Jr., owner of Chula Vista Electric was present to inquire about when the Club would like to proceed with upgrading the electric service to the campground. The Board asked to have a cost estimate for the work. New permit stickers for trailers and other vehicles using the campground, as well as stickers for ATVs used on the range, will be coming soon. Contact Wendell Trent to be sure you get one. The old Stevens shotgun the Club had on auction the members has been sold on Gun Broker.com. The only remaining item the still has is the FMK polymer AR lower. If interested, make an offer to President, Jerry Shiller. One of the freezers in the clubhouse failed again. At this point, the Board is evaluating whether or not we need to replace it because the repair cost for the old one was expensive, and the parts would have to be back ordered.

## Club NRA Recruiter

Casey Gastrich is the Club's NRA recruiter and renewals through him benefit the club financially. Please renew your NRA membership through him.

## Archery Shootmaster Needed

Rod Richardson, one of the founders of LGRGC's field archery match has decided to retire as the Shootmaster. For the match to continue, we need another member to step up and take over for Rod. We still have many volunteers who help set up targets the Thursday before the match, and tear down/put away targets after the match is over. Contact Jerry Shiller or Rod Richardson.

## Chief RSO Corner

### Dave Reed

Firing rifles and pistols on the range ALWAYS requires a SCHEDULED RSO to be on duty. Twice in the past couple of weeks there have been reports of members attempting to shoot when there was not an RSO scheduled. Nobody is allowed to just show up and start shooting, including RSOs. Doing so may lead to suspension of your shooting privileges at the club or even removal from the club. RSOs may schedule open shooting shifts a minimum of 24 hours in advance, if you need access to the calendar contact Dave Reed. As long as the time is scheduled a minimum of 24 hours in advance any qualified RSO may cover the shift. If there are no other shooters on the range, then that RSO is allowed to shoot. If there are multiple RSOs on the range they are allowed to rotate so all of them are able to shoot.

## Training Opportunities

### Dave Reed

#### San Diego County CCW Renewal class – LGRGC MEMBERS ONLY - NO GUESTS

This is the renewal class only - not the initial 8-hour class  
Sunday October 4th from 8 AM to Noon.

Cost: \$50

#### NRA RSO Course

Sunday November 8th from 8 AM to 6 PM

Cost: \$80 for club members, \$200 for non-club members  
(plus \$35 to the NRA for certification)

We have the honor of hosting Brian and Shelley Hill from The Complete Combatant for two great classes next year. They have a great reputation among many big-name trainers with people as diverse as Tom Givens of Rangemaster Firearms Training, John Correia of Active Self Protection, Scott Jedlinski from Modern Samurai Project and many others.

#### Image Based Decisional Drills class - April 30 - LGRGC MEMBERS ONLY - NO GUESTS

Guided by a series of images you will need to make real-time decisions on what level of force you should use for self-defense. Options include verbal commands, leave the area, call the police, use a flashlight, OC Spray and firearm. The scene is different for everyone. It is a great opportunity to work through different scenarios. Cost is \$65, \$50 if you are also registered for the Pistol Red Dot Concepts

class. More information can be found at <https://www.imagebaseddecisionaldrills.com/>

#### Pistol Red Dot Concepts class - May 1-2 <http://www.thecompletecombatant.com/red-dot-concepts.html>- LGRGC MEMBERS ONLY - NO GUESTS

This class will prepare you to get the most out of the red dot sights and introduce you to a training methodology that will allow you to take advantage of these benefits. This class will also help avoid time consuming mistakes in your training while learning the use of red dots. This is not a class for beginning shooters. The normal pre-requisite for this class is proof of completion of a professional course that focuses on "the draw" as a fundamental portion of the course. They waived the requirement due to the experience level of most of our pistol competitors, please do not register if you are not completely comfortable and competent drawing from the holster.

Contact Dave Reed with any questions or to register.

## 3D Shoot

### Rod Richardson

There will be no 3D shoot for October due to hunting season. It will resume the second Saturday in November.

## Your Business Here

Put your business card in the bulletin for only \$35 a year.

**All items offered for sale must be sold in accordance with federal, state and local laws.**

#### Advertising

¼ - \$35 per year for non-members or commercial ads. The year will run concurrently with the membership fiscal year.

Personal ads are free for members and will run for only one month unless additional months are requested.

  
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## Remembering Paul Coffey

Former President Paul Coffey, a club member since 2000, passed away September 10<sup>th</sup> at age 67. He had been battling cancer for some time.

Paul was quite active in the club serving as president, membership chair and work party lunch coordinator. He also helped with preparing many an installation dinner. Until he became ill, he was an avid shotgun shooter participating in sporting clays, pot shoots, Tuesday morning 5-stand and the Trap League.

He did volunteer work for the Alpine library and, along with his wife Vikki, was active in the Alpine Historical Society.

A memorial service for Paul will be held on the range in the near future. The December 2020 Sporting Clays event will be held in Paul's honor.

Also, Paul left a nice sum for money to the Club for the purpose of building several more permanent sporting clay stations.

Our sympathies go out to Vikki and the rest of Paul's family. He will be missed.

## Tony Corrao

Tony "Nino" Corrao, who was a member since 2011, passed away at 86 years old. He was a consummate trap shooter and always there for Women on Target as a Shotgun Mentor. Tony is survived by his wife, Phyllis and two children, six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

## Black Powder

### Ron Major

Four people shot this match on September 20th. Targets were Discs at 25 yards, Rabbit silhouettes at 50 yards and a Bison swinger at 50 yards. Mike Steinmetz and Trent Alford tied for first. Mike won the shoot-off to take first, with Trent second. Joanne Frazier, with her pistol, finished third. A Blackjack hand could be obtained by hitting the Discs. Trent won with Queen, ten

Mike Steinmetz.....	15	Joanne Frazier.....	8
Trent Alford .....	15	Jerry Shiller.....	3

## TRAP INTERCLUB INFORMATION

### Ken J

### 2020-21 Shoot year Calendar

Lakeside Sportsmen Club	October 17th, 2020
Imperial Valley Rifle & Pistol	February 13th, 2021
Maywood Trap Club	March 2021
Redlands Shooting Park	April 2021

## Women On Target

### Eric Johnson

The October 11th Women on Target Clinic is full with 45 ladies and in need of volunteers mentors and instructors for all venues. Please call, (619-368-2283), or email ([cisco2010@cox.net](mailto:cisco2010@cox.net))

Because of the continued COVID-19 issues, everyone will have their touchless temperature taken. As 100.4 degrees is considered a temperature, those reading below this will be OK. Those reading above this will have to leave. Masks will be worn at all times and social distancing will be practiced at all times except when the ladies are handling firearms. There will be hand sanitizer available and alcohol wipes to clean the gun exteriors after each round of shooting. Rifle benches will also be covered with a plastic covering that can be sprayed and wiped down.

Check in for the ladies will be between 7:00am and 7:45am. They will be escorted to their 1st venue and the Venue RSO will conduct a firearms safety briefing from 8:00am to 8:30m. The range will go hot at 8:30am. Sue will call out the following rotations.

We are still having issues with the NRA and haven't been able to get the grant ammo. We have enough 12/20 gauge and .22LRHV, but we are again going to have to limit the amount of centerfire ammo passed out. We have 9MM, .38S&W, .380ACP, .40S&W and .45ACP.

Just like we did in January, Bill Palmer will pass out 100 rounds of centerfire ammo for each centerfire firearm a volunteer brings. Each lady will be able to shoot 3 magazines of each ammo. Unused ammo will need to go back to Bill. This worked well in January, and with your continued cooperation, will work well again.

Please contact me with any questions and to volunteer.

Thank you again,

Eric Johnson

## Hospitality Chair

Carol Schwartz has resigned as hospitality chair so please contact the president if you would like more info or to volunteer. Email Jerry at [lgrgc\\_prez@cox.net](mailto:lgrgc_prez@cox.net)

## Trap Machines

If you have not been trained on the trap machines, don't mess with them! If you have been trained, DO NOT try and make the machine run beyond its limits. The limits are there to prevent damage to the machine and exceeding them is going to cost the club money.

Get trained and use the directions in the SOPs for operating them. There should be a copy of the instructions in each trap house.

## October Black Powder

### Ron Major

The October Black Powder Shoot will be the annual pistol shoot.

# Ginger Wolbers (Bass) Memorial Shoot



*Eleventh Annual Trap Shooting Event in Memory Of Our Lost Friend*



## DODGE CITY



**(Ginger's Dodge City Winning Smile)**





*Lakeside Sportsmans Club*

# Inter-Club Shoot

## Saturday, October 17, 2020

SIGN-UP AT 8:00 A.M. • SHOOT STARTS AT 8:30 A.M.

**BREAKFAST:** served starting at 7:00 A.M. – \$5 (in addition to trap fees).

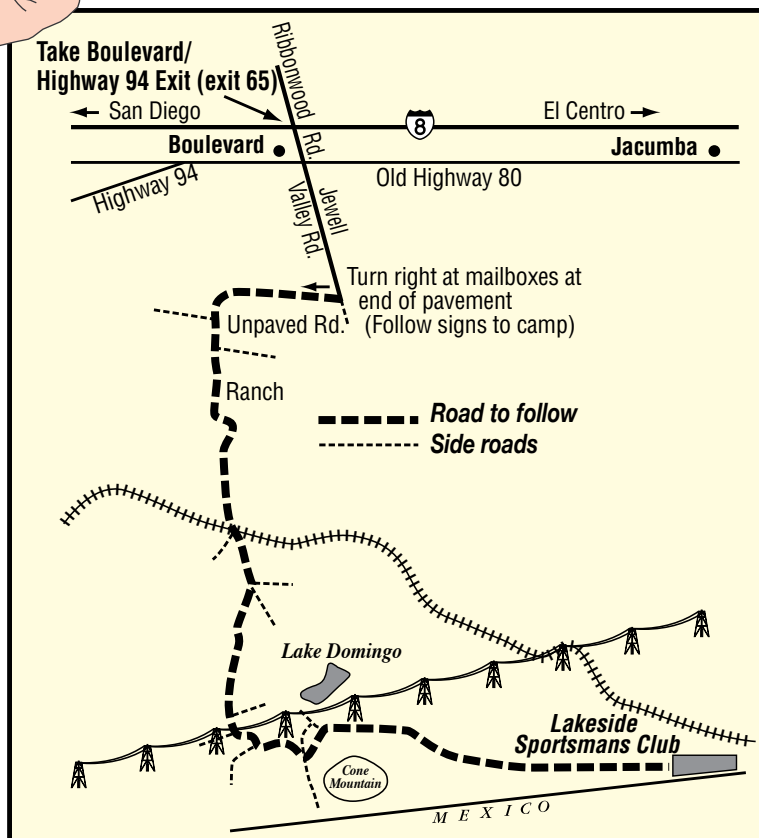
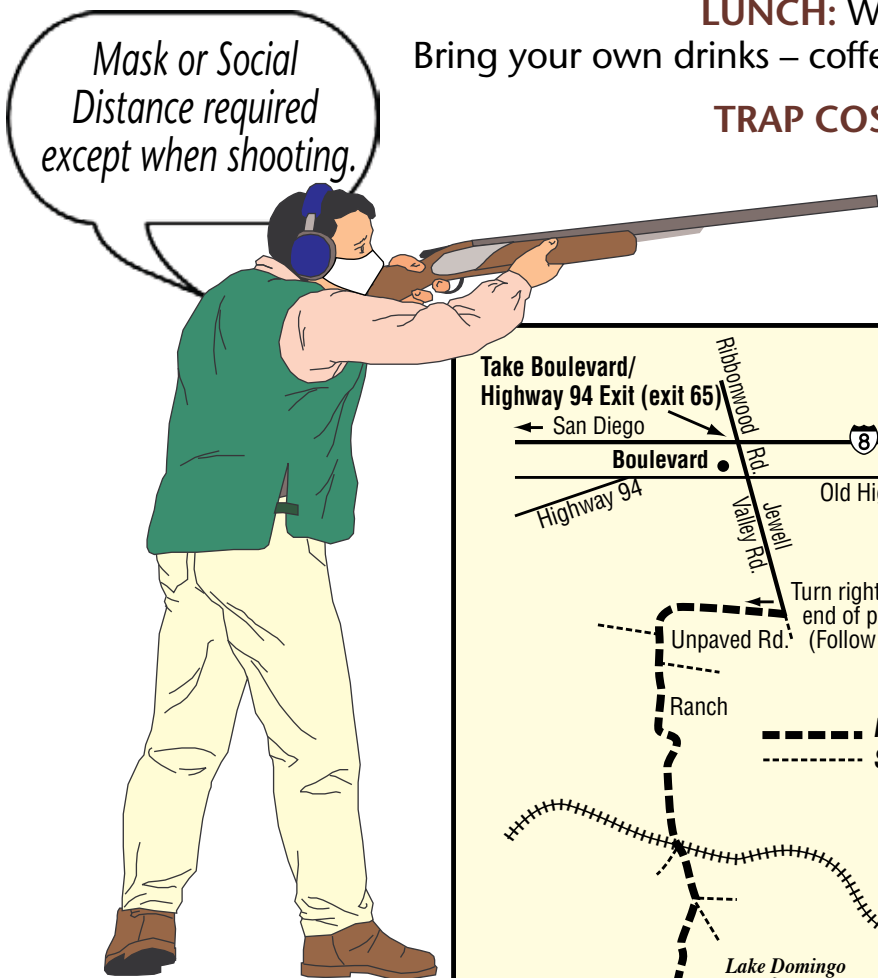
**LUNCH:** Will be included in trap cost

Bring your own drinks – coffee, bottled water provided

**TRAP COST:** \$30.00 / 100 TARGETS

\$20.00 / 50 TARGETS

Mask or Social  
Distance required  
except when shooting.



ANNUAL FUNDRAISER  
Oct 31st & Nov 1st, 2020

# NOZARKS

Turkey Shoot  
**LEWIS**

**GAMES**  
Long Shot  
Crosser  
Make-a-Break

Sign-ups start at 8:00am  
Two Flights 9 & 12

**100 Sporting Clays Per Day**  
\$90 per day

Lewis \$20  
Trophy 2day HOA  
Trophies 1, 2, 3, 4

> Pre-pay both days  
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Ear protection

Adult supervision if under 18



\$20 Camp donation

LUNCH \$10 NON-SHOOTERS

CAMP-OUT  
& Horseshoes

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