



The Bull Sheet

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Paul Bunyan Rifle and Sportsman's Club

Puyallup, WA

JUNE MEETING NOTES

Once again, the general meeting was cancelled due to the COVID-19 restrictions. We did hold a combination on-site/virtual board of directors meeting. We will put an announcement in the BullSheet and on-line when we can resume our general meetings.

Dave Farrow recently purchased Bluetooth Kindle compatible timers for use in the USPSA/IDPA/ASI and steels matches. We are going to sell the old timers for \$100 each. We also have some of the old Kindles that he wants to sell for \$20 each. Get in touch with Dave if you would like to purchase any.

The Muzzleloader Summer League has started with matches on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of June, July, and August. The 7:00 pm matches are very informal, and we will keep the range open to other members. The next match will be July 14th at 7PM. Interested in muzzleloading? Come on down and check us out. Get in touch with Mike Moran at (253) 232-3087 if you have any questions.

Our annual muzzleloader rendezvous was a great success this year. Attendance was down a bit from previous years, but all who attended had a good time.

The board is reviewing the club by-laws. A few updates were made this month. The revised by-laws will be reviewed and voted on at the next board meeting.

Club member Dave Clinton, owner of [Longshot Gun Shop in Yelm](#), is offering a 10% discount on goods and services, excluding firearms, at his store to club members who show their club badge. The shop has a master gunsmith on site to take care of firearm issues, and they also can Cerakote your guns.

In July and August, we have several range closures that will impact the general membership. Over the 4th of July weekend, the entire range will be closed 8am-5pm for the hi-power regional rifle matches. Other rifle and pistol matches will impact the ranges on some of the following weekends. August 2-9, our club will host the USPSA championships, which will close our entire facility 7am to 10pm during those days. We also will be holding other matches on the remaining weekends which will impact general membership use. It is a busy time of year for the range, so please check the on-line calendar prior to coming out to the range.

LADIES SHOOTING LEAGUE

Jackie Russo

The ladies enjoyed the return of all the available lanes at the pistol range for Girlz Night Out. The long daylight hours invited the opportunity for distance shots. The increase in availability of ammo also encouraged participation. The gals had fun shooting at the "June Bug" target at GNO and T-Time the gals played "Tic - Tac - Tie" – the X and O replaced by neckties and bow ties.

T-Time for June fell on Father's Day – and as is the long-held tradition – the ladies invited their dads or other significant fellas in their lives. Thus, the theme of ties (what dad doesn't enjoy the institution of a gift of a tie!).

We invite gals to join us on the first Wednesday and the third Sunday of the month! Bring your safe gun handling skills, your pistol and a box of ammo and enjoy the comradery. Want more info? Go to the [website](#) and click on the drop-down box to the far right under MORE and learn more there.

CBA BENCHREST RIFLE MATCH RESULTS

John Schauf
June 24, 2021

Here are the results from today's match. We had eleven shooters today vying for top spot on a very warm and sunny day. As usual, Paul Bunyan had its tricky winds that tend to make things interesting. We had a target setter in training today and she did a terrific job for us. Thank you, Carter. Also, a special thanks to those who contributed to her tip can. She was very happy with the surprise. She will be working for us in July at the Washington State Championship.

Shooter	CLASS	100yd	200yd	Grand Agg
John Schauf	PBB	196-7X	195-2x	391-9x
Ron Yatso	PBB	196-4X	189-2x	385-6x
Tim Wilson	PBB	190-2x	193-2x	383-4x
Mike Boynton	PBB	193-4x	189-0x	382-4x
Bud Hyett	PBB	190-3x	182-1x	372-4x
Ed Sudol	PBB	177-1x	182-2x	359-3x
Doug Shellenberger	PRO	190-3x	179-0x	369-3
Al Richardson	PRO	181-0x	185-0x	366-0x
Anna Lynn	PRO	171-2x	180-2x	351-4x
Mike Martinez	PRO	176-1x	162-0x	338-1x
Alice Gardner	PRO	160-1x	119-0x	279-1x

PBB=plain base (no gas check) cast bullets fired in breech seater rifles
PRO=commercial factory production rifles
Heavy=rifles weighing under 14lbs

USED BRASS FOR SALE

Darrell Behounek has used brass for sale. He has most handgun calibers available as well as a lot of rifle calibers. Rifle brass is ten cents each and handgun brass is six cents each. The proceeds go to help the junior program. Give Darrell a call at 253-212-9976.

CLUB CAPS AND SHIRTS

We have club tee shirts and sweatshirts for sale. The shirts are \$15 and sweatshirts are \$20. We have solid back caps as well as mesh back caps, \$12 each for either style. The proceeds on these items go to support the junior program. If you are interested, get in touch with Doug Shellenberger at 253-846-6767 or see him at the range.

CARETAKER'S REPORT

Doug Shellenberger

We have been working with our tree faller to get the range property cleaned up of downed, damaged or diseased trees. He has pulled out several trees that we can now sell for firewood. We are still asking \$50 for a pick-up truck load. All of the trees are still in log form, so bring your saw and plenty of energy. Get in touch with me if you are interested.

The lawn vac we purchased last month is working well on the ranges, picking up a lot of debris while we are cutting the grass. It doesn't work so well around the buildings or in tight places, but it is making the large grass areas a lot cleaner.

MEMBERSHIP

We would like to welcome the 22 new members for July. Christopher Barbion, Gregg Bradshaw, Kira Bradshaw, David Brown, Heath Ehlers, Mary Ehlers, Joseph Harvey, Michael Kellogg, Ron Kent, Robert Kimball, Noelle Kimball, Deanna Kostelecky, Bryce Marion, Leonard Mills, Dennis Sadowsky, Loren Scott, Kasie Scott, Veronica Shakotko, Alex Tanchev, Joel Thornburg, Todd Wenke and Daniel Whitehorn were voted into the club at the board meeting. Welcome to all. Club membership now stands at 1408 members.

JUNIORS

Doug Shellenberger

We had 13 juniors show up last week to practice. A couple of weeks ago, we had 18, so many that we ran out of rifles for them to shoot. Along with an increase in attendance, we are really burning thru the ammunition, at a time when it is difficult to come by.

Five of our juniors attended the Spring Schutzenfest match at Tacoma Rifle and Revolver Club on June 5th. The overall match winner was Maisyn Douglas from Lacey with a 1129 overall score. Complete match results can be found on the Orion website [here](#).

CBA MILITARY MATCH RESULTS

Mitch Migliaccio
June 12, 2021

Some of y'all missed a near perfect shooting day. Moderate winds, sunbreaks and 65 degrees. Scores were so-so, but all in all a good day on the range.

We'll be doing John's CBA BR State Match next month at PBC, and hope to see some old faces that haven't been getting around much.

Shooter	CLASS	100yd	200yd	Grand Agg
Al Richardson	is	189-8x	189-7x	378-15x
Mitch Migliaccio	is	195-6x	178-5x	373-11x
Don Tolman	is	171-1x	164-0x	335-1x
John Schauf	mi	194-7x	187-4x	381-11x
Ron Yatso	mi	186-4x	187-2x	373-6x
Tim Wilson	mi	157-0x	162-1x	319-1x
Bud Hyett	mi	146-3x	34-0x	180-3x
D. Shellenberger	ms	193-3x	184-6x	377-9x
Alice Gardner	ms	184-6x	162-3x	346-9x

IS=issue-as issued military rifle, no modifications

MI=modified iron-modifications allowed to sights, trigger and stock

MS= modified scope- modifications plus scopes allowed

ACTION SHOOTING INTERNATIONAL (ASI)

Jackie Russo

If you checked the Paul Bunyan on-line calendar you may have noticed an absence of an ASI match for June. In support of our shooting sport cousin – IDPA – we chose to forgo our June match to assist with the Washington State Championship. ASI will return to the calendar on July 25th (Sunday) –following IDPA's July 24th match (a Saturday). Also – our August match is on Sunday the 22nd, while IDPA will host their match on August 29th – also a Sunday.

Summers are busy at the range – double check the on-line calendar to confirm the date for the matches of your choice. October we will return to our customary first Saturday of the month.

Pre-registration is appreciated on PracticeScore. Stat Shack opens at 0845 hours – and closes at 0945 hours. Shooters briefing at 10 am.

22LR MATCH RESULTS

Mitch Migliaccio
June 20, 2021

We had a nice turnout on Father's Day for our 22LR match. Light but gusty winds skewed the scores a bit, but overall a good day for the match. The next scheduled 22LR match will be October 17.

Shooter	CLASS	100yd	200yd	Grand Agg
Mitch Migliaccio	match	487-11x	477-5x	964-16x
Gary Lottermann	match	482-5x	479-4x	961-9x
Ron Scholz	match	481-8x	473-6x	954-14x
Rod Mehrer	match	481-6x	473-6x	954-12x
Al Richardson	match	480-5x	473-4x	953-9x
Eric Carter	match	478-4x	473-6x	951-10x
Don Tolman	sport	478-5x	465-5x	943-10x
John Carter	match	476-6x	453-3x	929-9x
Alice Gardner	match	485-4x	423-4x	908-8x

Match class rifles and sporting class rifles as determined by the match director

PAUL BUNYAN RENDEZVOUS 2021

Mike Moran

It sure felt good seeing old friends again at the Paul Bunyan Plainsmen Rendezvous this Memorial Day weekend. The weather was glorious and the good times abundant. The Plainsmen were honored to host this much needed and much anticipated event. It sure was Shining Times!

The crowd was a little smaller this year, at just under a hundred registered guests of which 58 were shooters. The format remained the same, with trail guides leading groups out to the rifle, pistol, and knife and hawk trails for the main aggregate event. Mark Curtis came all the way down from his new home in Sequim to Boosway the event.

Will "Bugler" Ulry had his candy cannon going every day at noon for the kids, and Jack Knight led the kids in crafts and games. Jim Haeckel had a new twist on the self-guided archery trail with the addition of some 3-D animal targets. Tim Klima knocked it out of the park again this year with his now world-famous stew pot, and Rich Pogue almost completely re-vamped the knife and hawk trail. Mark Curtis held the trade gun shoot on Monday morning.

The only rainy day occurred on Thursday, when most of the traders set up their shops. The rain would start and stop, and the wind made setting up tents a challenge. But a little rain won't stop a hearty Pacific Northwesterner, and Trader's Row came together. There were plenty of blanket traders as well. We can't thank the traders enough for what they bring to the event, the true spirit of the rendezvous.

We lost Dan Smith this past year, a long-time Plainsmen and the man responsible for our Pee Wee Shoot. Dan's family committed to continuing his legacy and hosted what we now call the Dan Smith Memorial Pee Wee Shoot. This year's winner took home a muzzleloading rifle that had been worked on by Dave Rase and Doug Kitchens. It was donated by Mark Curtis, and was his very first muzzleloader.

The novelty shoots this year consisted of the team Stake/Steak shoot and a Split the Ball shoot, both led by Bill Sick. Apparently bad welds get worse with age and the axe heads proved no match for the shooters, which broke the axe heads instead of the clay pigeons they should have. Special thanks to Greg Romanczak who re-welded both axe head targets and the competition continued the next day after everyone's favorite, the Chicken Shoot.

A relatively new event this rendezvous was the "Fur Trade Follies", a self-guided scavenger hunt dreamt up by Mike Moran. The participant takes a card with 13 tasks on it, such as start a fire with flint and steel, have a meal or drink in someone's camp, or set a beaver trap. Once 10 of the tasks have been completed, the card is turned in for a chance to win a prize. This year, Steve "Stitch" Hohnstein took home an American Flag display made by a local veteran.

Sunday night everyone gathered for the Council Fire and Apple Pie contest, with the leftovers available for sampling. A little apple pie goes a long way to lubricating the lips, and soon there was laughter, singing, and some music being played. It was a great wrap up to the events of the weekend.

To help raise a little money, the plainsmen raffled off some extra special prizes. This year we had a set of Steve Skillman powder horns, a painting donated by Mark Curtis, and a black powder rifle built by Tim Sliffe, a former

Paul Bunyan R&S Club member. Tim built this gun back in 1976 for the U.S. Bi-centennial celebration and his sister donated it back to the club on behalf of Tim's estate. She hoped it would honor his memory in supporting youth marksmanship. It was won by one of our Juniors, Jazzy Rieves.

Booshway Mark started the awards ceremony with a recognition of the military veterans in the audience and a remembrance of the fallen service members for Memorial Day. The prize table was chock full of great plunder thanks to Karla and Jim Hillberg. Mark recognized the many dedicated volunteers who helped make the event possible, with Chip Kormas and Helen Sick in registration, the many trail guides and helpers from other clubs, and Mike Moran, Dakota Nash, Eric Burkhead and others with set up and tear down.

As the tents came down and the people cleared out, only the smoldering ashes remained. Re-kindled friendships and new memories will hold us over until next year, when we can all gather again for rendezvous.

Men's Aggregate

1. Glenn Borg 48
2. Two Tails 44
3. Squatting Hawk 43

Women's Aggregate

1. Knee Walker 33
2. Marley Sotelo 30
3. Lori Caswell 21

Junior Aggregate

1. Nicholas Schubert 16
2. Natalie Schubert 10

Archery

Squatting Hawk

Junior Archery

Natalie Schubert

Trade Gun

Will Ulry

Fur Follies

Steve Hohnstein

Pee Wee Shoot

Jazzy Rieves

Apple Pie Contest

Ted Hogland

Stake Shoot

Derek Sotelo

Tony Plante

Allen Tresch

Marley Sotelo

Split the Ball

Lem Bartley

Chicken Shoot

Bob Tresch

Marley Sotelo

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Dues: \$120. Please send your check made payable to: **Paul Bunyan Rifle and Sportsman’s Club**

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Membership runs from September 1st thru August 31st

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