



The Bull Sheet

Paul Bunyan Rifle and Sportsman's Club

Puyallup, WA

Established 1945

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APRIL MEETING NOTES

Next month's general and board meetings will be moved up 2 weeks, to Friday May 12th, in order to accommodate the annual women's primitive skills and the muzzleloader rendezvous events being held on the following weekends. The range will be closed for member use over the Memorial Day weekend from Thursday May 25th thru Monday May 29th while the muzzleloader rendezvous is under way. Please check the online calendar before coming to the range during the summer months. We are often holding matches on the weekends, resulting in individual range closures.

Range officer Russ Gibson will be hosting monthly .22RF long range matches starting June 24th. These matches will be shot at 100 and 200 yards, 20 shots at each distance with an entry fee of \$10. We will have more details in the June BullSheet.

Bob Wendt reports that the summer smallbore league starts Monday June 5th, running through the summer for 12 weeks. This is a 3 position or prone only league with accommodations for those with special needs. It is a handicap league, great for those who are new to shooting rifle. Get in touch with Bob if you have any questions.

Darrell Behounek reports \$211 in used brass sales for the month of April. The proceeds of the brass sales go to our junior program.

The range will be closed to member use on Sunday May 7th for the Mt. Tahoma 80 shot high power match. This is a 200-, 300- and 600-yard three position match. Click [here](#) for the match bulletin. Get in touch with Bob Wendt if you have questions.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Kevin Olson

The worst Washington state legislative session for gun owners since, maybe ever, has ended with three anti-gun bills, **HB1240**, **HB1143** and **SB5078** now law. Due to an emergency clause in the bill, **HB1240** became effective when the Governor signed it. So not only can you no longer buy (or sell) America's favorite modern sporting rifle, but neither can you purchase replacement parts for the one you already own. You can legally keep the one you own and as a WA resident you are allowed to take it out of state *and* bring it back again. However, a person just moving to WA will be breaking the law if they bring their banned firearm in state, even a person being stationed here with the military.

Multiple lawsuits have been filed in state as well as federal court against the laws by the NRA, SAF, FPC, Aero Precision and several different gun shops. The SAF suit requests injunctions and if granted might open at least a window, if not a permanent opportunity to once again legally purchase firearms and parts.

MEMBERSHIP

The club would like to welcome the 18 new members for May. Daeton Alden, Sheldon Barnes, Samuel Battersby, Joel Delorme, Noordeep Dhadha, Eric Frey, Scott Fueston, Timothy Hetzler, Gilbert Kinder, Kevin Lloyd, Steven Morgan, Danyeal Parke, Daniel Morris, Travis McQueen, Robert Nickel, Chad Prohaska, Jeff Tadlock and Casey Tuttle were all voted into the club at the general meeting. Club membership now stands at 1393 paid for 2023.

ACTION SHOOTING INTERNATIONAL (ASI), LADIES LEAGUE AND IDPA REPORTS

Jackie Russo

April did not disappoint. In addition to the expected showers, the range enjoyed hosting IDPA's 2023 Hunter's Gold, Inaugural Western Washington Regional Match, held on the 22nd. The match recognized PCC (Pistol Caliber Carbine), Revolver, Enhanced Service Pistol (ESP), Stock Service Pistol (SSP), BUG (Back-up Gun) CDP (Custom Defensive Pistol), CCP (Compact Carry Pistol).

118 competitors arrived to compete in 9 challenging stages over one day. Stages included the House in Bay 6 and Platform in Bay 7. Several stages offered drop turners, swingers and even a double – swinger. Match Director Shawn Hallinan and his team, AMDs Joe Bawden and Birney Oxford, worked tirelessly to ensure that staff and competitors had a worthwhile experience at our range.



AMD Joe Bawden, Birney Oxford & MD Shawn Hallinan

Jacquelyn Hallinan created a bountiful array of meals, snacks and the much appreciated, treat bag with a selection of range essentials. A special shout out of appreciation to Becky Voehler for baking dozens of iced, Glock shaped, sugar cookies, to share. No one – from set-up staff to competitors left with empty bellies.

And the prize table had an array of fabulous items from ammo to gear bags, optics and 10 certificates for Hunter's Gold eye protection. Stage and Match sponsors were crucial in the success of our match. We appreciated their support!

When the last projectile was shot and the last target taped – there were awards for the top shooters. Awards were provided by [River's Edge FFL](#), out of Orting – and were so unique you have to see them to appreciate. Regular recognition awards were laser etched into a sanded, section of log. The division winners received a laser etched axe – a practical, yet sentimental trophy.



Awards designed by River's Edge

Four of our Ladies Shooting League members were recognized with awards – they gathered behind Stage sponsor A Girl and a Gun banner and proudly posed.



LSL members J. Hallinan, J. Russo, V. Jennings & M. Bartlett

Plans are already in the works for the next Western Washington Regional match! Stay tuned for updates here. If you can't wait for 2024 – there are still spots open for July's IDPA Washington State Championship! Sign-up on Practiscore!

Many of the same folks who support IDPA also help us in ASI. I've always referred to our relationship as the "shooting sport cousins". Literally, we are family, a symbiotic bond, forged for the love of competition and the 2nd Amendment! What could be better?

The month of May means we only have ASI as IDPA is taking a break. Sign up is open for the ASI match for May 6th on Practiscore. Our next matches are back-to-back on June 24th and June 25th. I'll be the match director for both days. Standby as there's a neat surprise awaiting the IDPA competitors on Saturday the 24th.

We invite those who are interested in competition to join either of the disciplines. ASI is the perfect introduction to the Move-and-Shoot sport and IDPA is the mainstay in shooting with a concealment garment while shooting scenario themed stages!

Questions? Checkout the Shooting Discipline tab at the top of the Paul Bunyan webpage.

MUZZLELOADER REPORT

Eric Burkhead

The weatherman kindly gave the Paul Bunyan Plainsmen a break between showers for their April rifle match on the 23rd. Fourteen stalwarts kept their powder dry and posted good scores. Four challenging metal and paper targets were set at distances of 25, 100 and 150 yards, for a total of 20 shots. Mike Holeman was high scorer, followed by Mike Nesbitt and Bob DeLisle. Our own Darrell Behounek took 4th and Mark Merwin shot his very first match for a solid 5th place. Shooters and their scores are listed below.

The Paul Bunyan Plainsmen were pleased to host Boy Scout Venture Crew #524 of 7 senior scouts and 3 adult leaders. Scouts were Isaac Hester, David Dickman, Dylan Johnson, Austin Nagel, Jake Meechan, Cooper Bass and Keegan. Adult leaders were Andy Johnson, Doug Dickman and Jeff Hastings.

The scouts shot their muzzleloaders alongside the match competitors, followed up by knife and tomahawk throwing instruction by intrepid instructor Mark Hansen at our practice block. We look forward to seeing this crew again at The Rendezvous and at the range in the future.

The next monthly match will be June 25th (the 4th Sunday, monthly). The annual Rendezvous will be on Memorial Day weekend, May 26-29 (come one, come all!).

A new Paul Bunyan range is available to members—The Black Powder Pistol Trail Walk. This "walk in the woods" is available on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays from 2pm-5pm. Members with black powder pistols and revolvers are encouraged to give this new range a shot (pun intended).

Mike Holeman	146-2x
Mike Nesbitt	138-1x
Bob DeLisle	134
Darrell Behounek	132
Mark Merwin	130
Tim Klima	122
Dan Albro	121
'Hatchet Jack'	118
Chip Kormas	117-2x
Jerry Mayo	109
Jim Hillberg	96
Greg Romanczak	90
Rich Pogue	74

See you at The Rendezvous!!!

JUNIORS

Doug Shellenberger

The juniors are now using the rifle range for their Tuesday evening practice.

Our annual Phyllis Cline smallbore match was held April 29th. We had 16 competitors show up for this two-part match, a 60 shot prone only match and a 3-position match. In the prone only match, Elias Holton from Oak Harbor took first place with a 563-9x followed by Cole Blocher and Joshua Merry, both from Capitol City. In the three-position match, Elias Holton took first place once again with Joshua Merry and Theron Hull from Oak Harbor right behind. Complete match results can be found on the Orion website by clicking [here](#).

PISTOL SILHOUETTE

Bret Stuntebeck

April 1, 2023

We put 13 entries across the line this month. It was overcast when I got to the range with temps in the mid 30's and got up to the low 40's by the end of the match. We also got rain off and on. We were missing a few of our regulars again this month. Steve and Becky Bishop are gallivanting around Australia. But for the others I hope all is well with everyone. On to the results of the match.

No 40's shot this month. I posted a U-Int, 39 followed by Jim Harris with a U-Int, 30. Richard Nicol posted a UAS-AAA, 39 followed by Jim Harris with a U-Int, 38 and Ron Craig with a UAS-Int, 37. Joe Stumpf posted a R-AA, 20. I managed a US-AAA, 25 followed by Steve Parsons with a US-AA, 19.

In smallbore Joe Stumpf posted a P-AA, 16.

In Field Pistol I Posted a PAS-AAA, 25 followed by Joe Stumpf with a PAS-AA, 22 and Ron Craig with a PAS-AA, 21

Our target setters did a great job this month. Thanks to all who came out to shoot the match and also to those who stayed to help pick up targets after the match.

Until next time shoot straight and be safe.

BB

Class	Name	Gun/Caliber	Score
R-AA	Joe Stumpf, R	FA: 357M	20
U-INT	Bret Stuntebeck	XP-100: 6TCU	39
UAS-INT	Jim Harris	XP-100: 22PPC	38
-AAA	Richard Nicol	TC: 6.8SPC	39
US-AAA	Bret Stuntebeck	TC: 7TCU	25
-AA	Steve Parsons	TC: 7TCU	19

FP

PAS-AAA	Bret Stuntebeck	TC: 22H	25
-AA	Joe Stumpf, R	TC: 22H	22

SB

P-AA	Joe Stumpf, R 1st	TC: 22 LR	16
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USED BRASS FOR SALE

Darrell Behounek has lots of 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 pistol brass is six cents each. The proceeds go to help the junior program. Give Darrell a call at 253-267-5087.

2023 BULLSEYE SHOOTING AND ADVANCED PISTOL MARKSMANSHIP CLINIC

Dennis Wilcox

Paul Bunyan will host a Bullseye Shooting & Advanced Pistol Marksmanship Clinic on Sunday June 11, 2023 from 9AM to 1PM. This class will provide pistol marksmanship training beyond that which is provided in an NRA Basic Pistol Course. It will introduce pistol shooters to the course of fire and rules for NRA precision pistol "Bullseye" competition. It will also prepare participants for the summer pistol league. Classroom instruction will be followed by live-fire practice.

Advance registration is required. E-mail your request to Dennis Wilcox (spindleblaster@msn.com). Please include following information: Name, phone number, shooting experience, and model & caliber of the pistol you plan to bring (a .22 caliber pistol is recommended but not required). This is a free training class. Class size is limited to 22 participants.

CARETAKERS REPORT

Doug Shellenberger

The range will now be on the summer maintenance schedule with the ranges being closed from 10am to 4pm on Thursdays. This will allow time for the caretakers to do the maintenance necessary to keep the range going.

We have been cutting up a few downed trees that were laying around the property, enough so that we filled one of the racks on the rifle range and have more wood stacked up for use next winter.

We ordered a load of rock for use around the range. The price has gone up by over \$100 since our last order 6 months ago, costing us \$680 for the load. The rock will be used on the parking lot and some spots on the trails around the range.

We had some free fill dirt delivered that came out of the construction area south of the Sonic drive-in on Meridian. We used it to fill in spots behind the 200-yard target line and behind the action bays.

CAST BULLET BENCHREST MATCH RESULTS

John Schauf
April 27, 2023

We had a great day for shooting with warm sunshine for a change and almost no wind. I want to thank everyone that attended the match Thursday and to those that took care of target changing. The next match will be Thursday May 18th. It will be the 50 shot Schuetzen match and will be shot all at 200 yards. Bring cardboard large enough to post 5 score targets and 1 sighter target. 36" X 24" is a good size. Also, clamps to clamp it to the frames.

NAME	CLASS	100yd	200yd	Grand Agg
Schauf, John	PBB	199-5x	189-0x	388-5x
Yatso, Ron	PBB	195-4x	188-0x	383-4x
Boynton, Mike	PBB	194-2x	188-2x	382-4x
Sudol, Ed	PBB	194-4x	187-1x	381-5x
Ellingson, Bill	PBB	191-3x	189-0x	380-3X
Ulrich, Roger	PBB	193-1x	180-0X	373-1x
Stewart, John	PBB	190-1x	179-1x	369-2x
Conner, Steve	PBB	189-2x	178-0x	367-2x
Ulrich, Barb	PBB	169-3x	139-1x	308-4x
Hewitt, Jack	PBB	196-1x	dnf	244-1x
Heilman, Ron	HVY	196-2x	185-2x	381-4x
Shellenberger, Doug	HVY	193-1x	166-0x	359-1x
Richardson, Al	PRO	177-1x	181-0x	358-1x
Gardner, Alice	PRO	165-1x	142-0x	308-1x
Rikansrud, Glen	PRO	165-1x	127-0x	292-1x
Migliaccio, Mitch	PRO	dnf	35-1x	35-1x

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



A good day for rifle shooting

CLUB CAPS AND SHIRTS

We have tee shirts and sweatshirts in all sizes available for sale. We are asking \$15 for the tee shirts (we have a few special ordered white tee shirts) and \$20 (\$25 for the XXL) for the sweatshirts. We have solid back caps as well for \$12. 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.

INCORRECT EMAIL ADDRESSES

If you elected to read the BullSheet on line and you are not getting a monthly notification email, then the email address we have for you on file is incorrect. Please contact us [here](#) so we can update your email address.

CAST BULLET ASSOCIATION (CBA) MILITARY MATCH RESULTS

Al Richardson
April 8, 2023

We had 9 shooters show up for the rifle match on a cool but dry morning. Ron Heilman shot a very nice 100-8X at 100 yards to finish with a 395-19X. Alice Gardner put a new barrel in her rifle and it seems to agree with her. Nice shooting Alice. John Baczuk joined us to finish fire-forming brass for his 6.5 Swede and to get a feel for the course of fire. He will be shooting for score in the next match. Welcome John. Thanks to Bud Hyett for doing all of the scoring. Our next match will be Saturday May 13th. If you have a military rifle and shoot cast bullets, please join us.

NAME	CLASS	100yd	200yd	Grand Agg
Ron Heilman	ms	197-12X	198-7x	395-19x
John Schauf	ms	198-9x	187-6x	385-15x
Doug Shellenberger	ms	192-8x	184-3x	376-11x
Bull Durham	ms	188-2x	167-2x	355-4x
Alice Gardner	mi	193-1x	182-2x	373-4x
Al Richardson	iss	1723x	178-0x	350-3x
Bill Ellingson	iss	176-5x	161-1x	337-6x
Mitch Migliaccio	iss	135-1x	175-1x	310-2x
John Baczuk	unc	179-3x	160-0x	339-3x

ISS=issue-as issued military rifle, no modifications

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

MS= modified scope- modifications plus scopes allowed