

LA GRANDE RIFLE AND PISTOL CLUB

MINUTES OF MEETING

February 1, 2023

The February 1, 2023 of the La Grande Rifle and Pistol Club (the ‘Club’) was called to order at 7:00pm by President Karl Baum at the Anderson-Perry Conference Room in La Grande, OR.

All present stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

All present introduced themselves. 13 individuals attended the meeting, including the following members of the **2023 Executive Committee (EC)**: Karl Baum, Eric Severson, Gary Langlitz, Martin Creson, Jeff Roberts and Darrel Plank, and **Trustees (BOT)**: Gene Paul, Tim Roberts, Dutch Brogoitti and Sheldon Strand and Membership Director Cindy Edwards.

The minutes of the January 4, 2023 meeting were read and approved and will be posted to the Club website (lgrpc.com).

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Membership:** Cindy reports membership records include: 479 members (426 regular members and 53 associate members). 271 memberships have expired.

- **Treasurer Report:** Martin presented a current Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss report for discussion. Income in January from dues was \$6,550.00. Also noted was the addition of \$200.00 monthly expense for Media. Karl requested a breakdown of membership dues to reflect income towards year realized.

- Range Maintenance:

- **300 yard range:** The BOT continues to await an estimate for proposed retaining wall/concrete slab construction. Pete and Martin to review project together. Dutch to provide plans and gate key to prospective contractors in order to review the proposed project area.

- **Calendar:** Calendar for Traditional Archers is correct. The .22 Bench rest will need to be moved to a different date and time in June.

- **Hunter Safety Education:** Karl provided information to Eric identifying three individuals who have signed up for the ODFW Hunters Education Program.

- **Chairman Selection:** Gene Paul has been identified as BOT Chairman.

- **LGRPC Website:** Cindy provided the January Report of the Ad Hoc Website/Communications Committee. Welcomes any suggestions via email. Karl requested website and Facebook to push each other. Cindy to submit website requirements list to Jess. Once defined, submission for bid will move forward. One and two year membership signups to be adjusted on website for improved ease of use.

- **Member Orientation:** Orientation scheduling will change back to Tuesday at 5PM and Saturday at 9:30AM. Cindy to provide notices to new members.

- Discipline Directors affirmed at this meeting:

- **Turkey Shoot:** Leslie and Lewis Michael (541) 786-3018 email: leslie.mneopt59@gmail.com:

NEW BUSINESS:

Secretary Position: The current Executive Committee Secretary Gary Langlitz presented his official written resignation from his position. An Executive Committee quorum was reached for the approved vote to elect Georgene Trudel to replace Gary in the Secretary position. Thank you Gary for volunteering all your time and effort as the Secretary of the LGRPC for the last three years.

Range Maintenance: Darrel provided suggestions for various range improvements.

- **300 yard range:** Construction of dormers over the sidewalks and stairway.

- **100 yard range:** Cementing shooting areas for the 50 and 100 yard lines. Acquire and lay rock to provide leveled support for placement of new storage shed.

All ranges: Provide a detailed description for the types of maintenance needed for all ranges that the Boys Ranch can provide for LGRPC.

- **Grounds keeping:** Kaleb to mow and cut down weeds where needed.

- **Weed Spray:** Karl to call March 1st to set appointment for weed spraying. Gene to provide list of what to spray.

END EXECUTIVE SESSION

OPEN SESSION:

Discipline Reports:

- **.22 Silhouettes:** Last match was held on January 8th, with 17 Shooters enduring cold and windy conditions. Next match is February 5th. A BBQ will be provided after the last scheduled shoot of the year on April 2nd.

- **AWA:** Current membership is 97. Last event was held on January 21st and had 47 members in attendance.

All other Disciplines are inactive until spring. Check the Club Calendar for the resumption of their events.

CTUIR - Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation: The 100 yard range will be shut down in the afternoon of April 19th from 3:00PM on for tours of the river improvements upstream of the range.

Range Maintenance:

- **Replace Missing Posts:** Darrel had mentioned that some of the .22 Silhouettes posts were pulled out of the ground and he will replace those missing.

- **Spring Work Party:** Dutch mentioned he will schedule a spring work party for May 20th at the 300 yard range. A "Save the Date" announcement to follow with photos.

Open Range Day: A free Open Range Day to be scheduled as summer approaches; sometime in August or September.

Archery Targets: Alex to provide a list of targets to purchase for archery use.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50PM.

Check the Club Calendar for current information.

Submitted by:

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