

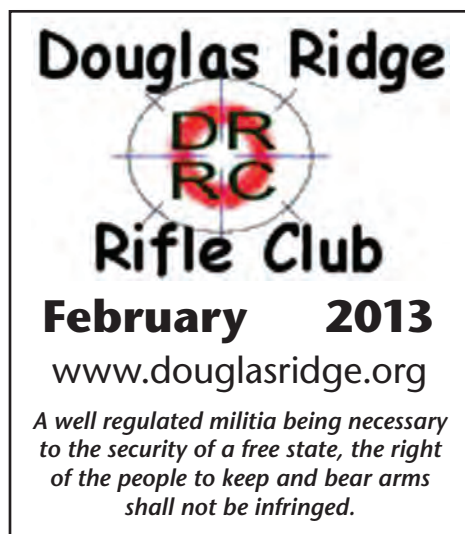
2012 Christmas Party

Joe Keller

Festively decorated with poinsettias on every table, Mountain View Christian Church in Gresham was the location for the 2012 DRRC Annual Christmas Party on Saturday, December 15th. About 185 members and family gathered to feast on great food, socialize with old friends, and meet new friends. The Kitchen crew, led by Joe Keller and his wife Frances, and with several great volunteers, prepared 75 pounds of turkey, fifty pounds of mashed potatoes, along with ham, dressing and gravy. Side dishes and desserts brought by the partygoers rounded out the great meal.

Before dinner, Event chairman Nils Bittner made a few remarks. He recognized the Board Members, Environmental Officer Stan Pate and Project Coordinator Ron Carey for their efforts on behalf of the Club. Then, a blessing was said and everyone filled their plates and enjoyed the meal.

After dinner, Nils conducted the door prize and raffle drawings. First, he called forward the youngsters in the crowd; thirteen youth came forward, and all of them received envelopes with a cash prize. Some of the youth stayed to help draw tickets. After several names were drawn to select from the collection of door prizes, a raffle prize was drawn. This continued until all the raffle prizes were awarded. Alyce Irving, wife of former Board Member and Blackpowder Director Steve, won the 40" screen TV. This was fortuitous, as their own TV had just died. Ryan Rivers, one of the youth, drew the ticket number for the S&W



semi-auto pistol, and the winner was his dad, Jim Rivers. \$60 Olive Garden gift cards were won by Life Member Harold Booth, and Lisa Bittner, Nil's wife. The spotting scope was won by Fred Louts (spelling?). And the Henry Golden Boy .22 rifle was won by Bill Hutchens. Many other door prizes were given away, from tools, to ammo, to candy.

After the prizes were awarded and everyone was full, members joined to help collect the leftovers, clean up the hall and pack up the remaining prizes. Thanks go to Charlie and Sheri McAlister for arranging to use the church facilities, and helping everyone during the set-up and clean-up activities.

Membership Applications Surge

Joe Keller

The January Orientation on Saturday January 12th for new members was a record for DRRC, at least as far as recent memory. Vice President Charlie McAlister knew it would be a large group, when he had 25 applications processed and ready to go before the orientation session. But when 15 additional prospective members walked

in before 9 a.m. on Saturday morning, the session quickly reached standing room only. In all, there were 40 new senior members oriented and admitted to the Club. In addition, 17 family members, associates and juniors, participated in the orientation, for a total of 57 people taking part.

Assisted by his wife Sheri, Charlie was able to get almost everyone their new membership badges and gate access cards, although a couple of new members did opt to have them mailed, rather than wait for them at the end of the session.

The three hour orientation presentation did not go off without a few hitches. The morning started a little chilly, as the Clubhouse heater was not working. But after a phone call to maintenance guru Ron Carey, Terry Bennett brought in a portable heater, and Al Lisoski got the heater system working shortly afterward. Then, just after the orientation session ended and some new members were trying out their Indoor Range privileges, the power went out due to a PGE problem in the area. Since the computers were down, Charlie and Sheri took a deserved break, and left the final processing to be continued at a later time. It was time for lunch, anyway.

The increase in membership brings our total membership number to 1008. When you run into some of these new members on the range, be sure to say hello and welcome them to our Club. After all, we are "the friendly place to shoot."

"One loves to possess arms, though they hope never to have occasion for them."

Thomas Jefferson

Christmas Party 2012

Nils Bittner

The Christmas party of 2012 went off without a hitch. I want to thank all of the folks who volunteered their time to make the party a great success. Thank you, volunteers.

The raffle for the prizes raised in excess of \$2,000. This money will be going to the Junior fund. I also want to thank the Sponsors who donated cash, merchandise, gift cards, etc. Thank you, sponsors.

We had a record attendance for the party approximately 185 people. I hope to have a crowd like this for the 2013 party. Plans and logistics are in the works for the 2013 party.

Again a big thank you to our chefs, volunteers, and sponsors. Stay tuned as I will again be in need of help to put the 2013 party together.

Report Reminder

ODFW website

Report your tags by Jan. 31, 2013*. Avoid the \$25 penalty fee. Report on each deer, elk, pronghorn, bear, cougar and turkey tag you purchased – even if you weren't successful or didn't go hunting. Hunters who don't report their 2012 deer and elk tags by the deadline (*Jan. 31, 2013 for all hunts that ended by Dec. 31, 2012) will have to pay a \$25 penalty fee to purchase a 2014 hunting license.

Report at www.reportmyhunt.com or call 1-866/947-6339.

The 23 Exec Orders

The following is a list, provided by the White House, of executive actions President Obama plans to take to address gun violence.

1. Issue a Presidential Memorandum to require federal agencies to make relevant data available to the federal background check system.

2. Address unnecessary legal barriers, particularly relating to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, that may prevent states from making information available to the background check system.

3. Improve incentives for states to share information with the background check system.

4. Direct the Attorney General to review categories of individuals prohibited from having a gun to make sure dangerous people are not slipping through the cracks.

5. Propose rulemaking to give law enforcement the ability to run a full background check on an individual before returning a seized gun.

6. Publish a letter from ATF to federally licensed gun dealers providing guidance on how to run background checks for private sellers.

7. Launch a national safe and responsible gun ownership campaign.

8. Review safety standards for gun locks and gun safes (Consumer Product Safety Commission).

9. Issue a Presidential Memorandum to require federal law enforcement to trace guns recovered in criminal investigations.

10. Release a DOJ report analyzing information on lost and stolen guns and make it widely available to law enforcement.

11. Nominate an ATF director.

12. Provide law enforcement, first responders, and school officials with proper training for active shooter situations.

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“The foundation of national morality must be laid in private families.”

John Adams

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2013: 03/07, 04/04, 05/02

Board Meetings

2013: 03/28, 04/25, 05/30

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February 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> <p>Calendar Codes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CH/Ind Clubhouse & Indoor Range • Arch Archery Range • 100/200 100/200 Yard Range • Silh Silhouette Range • LR Long Range </div>					<p>1</p> <p style="color: blue; font-size: small;">4:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult smallbore (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>2 Groundhog Day</p> <p style="color: blue; font-size: small;">9:00 am - 4:00 pm USPSA (Silh/TSB)</p>
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Affiliations:



13. Maximize enforcement efforts to prevent gun violence and prosecute gun crime.

14. Issue a Presidential Memorandum directing the Centers for Disease Control to research the causes and prevention of gun violence.

15. Direct the Attorney General to issue a report on the availability and most effective use of new gun safety technologies and challenge the private sector to develop innovative technologies.

16. Clarify that the Affordable Care Act does not prohibit doctors asking their patients about guns in their homes.

17. Release a letter to health care providers clarifying that no federal law prohibits them from reporting threats of violence to law enforcement authorities.

18. Provide incentives for schools to hire school resource officers.

19. Develop model emergency response plans for schools, houses of worship and institutions of higher education.

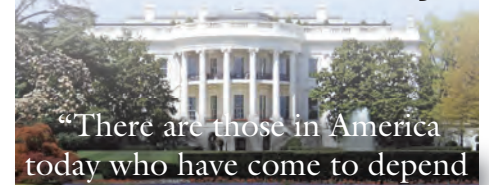
20. Release a letter to state health officials clarifying the scope of mental health services that Medicaid plans must cover.

21. Finalize regulations clarifying essential health benefits and parity requirements within ACA exchanges.

22. Commit to finalizing mental health parity regulations.

23. Launch a national dialogue led by Secretaries Sebelius and Duncan on mental health.

What Price Security?



absolutely on government for their security. And when government fails they seek to rectify that failure in the form of granting government more power. So, as government has failed to control crime and violence with the means given it by the Constitution, they seek to give it more power at the expense of the Constitution. But in doing so, in their willingness to give up their arms in the name of safety, they are really giving up their protection from what has always been the chief source of despotism – government.”

Ronald Reagan