#### **Renewal Notices Mailed**

Bill Slonecker, V.P.

By the time you read this, **Membership Renewal Notices** will have been mailed. If you have not received a renewal for 2018-2019, please contact the Club immediately at info@ douglasridge.org and we will mail you a copy. If you cannot use email, leave a message at 503/637-3131 with your name and member number and let us know you did not receive your renewal notice.

All members are to return their renewal notice. We use the notices as a paper trail for renewal payments, to back up our computer data, and to insure all members are current with their NRA membership. Senior and Old-Time members need to send the renewal notice with their payment. The only exception to this is if you use your bank's bill pay service. In that case, make sure your membership number is listed as the "account number" or select some other identifier on this form of payment so we know who it's for.

DRRC Life Members also need to return the renewal notice even when no payment is due. This lets us know you are still with us, and it notifies us to extend your gate access for another year.

Renewals with payment are due by the end of the membership year, which is June 30. Dues are late after the Annual Membership Meeting on July 5th, and gate cards are then de-activated for unpaid members.

Dues can be renewed late and we will reactivate your gate access, but the full amount must be paid along with a \$10 late fee. Late renewals will be accepted until next spring when we wrap up work hours and begin



A well regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed.

another billing cycle. Be aware, renewals submitted that late in the membership year give you a short time frame to attain your required eight work hours.

If your renewal notice is returned as undeliverable, we will try to contact you by phone or email to get a correct address. Please, make sure we have your current information. Use the **Update Your Contact Information** link on the Club website, www. douglasridge.org.

Sometime in July we mail a Second Notice renewal statement to all unpaid members. This is the final time we will try to contact you about renewing your Membership. If you fail to renew before the next billing cycle begins, you will need to apply to re-join the Club.

Please renew as soon as possible to continue uninterrupted assess to your Club

### **Long Range Orientation**

Bill Slonecker, V.P.

Thursday evening, June 21, 6 pm-8 pm. No reservation necessary, just don't be late. Report to the Clubhouse. You must take this orientation to shoot on the Long Range.

#### **Election of Officers**

Hal Halverson

July 5, 2018 is the date of our annual meeting of the members this year. At that meeting elections for officers and director positions will be held. If you have any interest in getting more involved with our Club, now is the time to step up and place your name on the ballot.

Listed below are the officers and director positions of our Club that are up for election this year. If you have any questions about any of the positions contact past president, Hal Halverson at Halofit13@gmail.com or 503/667-4360.

If you have any questions about the duties or responsibilites of the office refer to DRRC By Laws.

Serving on the board is demanding and rewarding. We need good members who want to help us keep our Club a positive place to belong. All offices are for two year terms and half of them expire each year. The positions that are open this year are as follows:

President Secretary **Executive Officer** 

(3) Board Members

(1) Board Member for 1 year service to fill Joe Keller's position who is stepping down.

Members who wish to vote must be at the annual meeting July 5.

Attend a Membership Orientation within the last 36 months proposal.

Hopefully you have read the proposed changes to the bylaws that were sent out in e-mail on May 8th. The most controversial proposal is adding a requirement to participate in a membership orientation every three years.

A few years ago, the club implemented a requirement to attend a long range orientation before being allowed to shoot on the long distance range. Long Term Planning started to kick around the idea of a similar requirement for each of the ranges to ensure members know the rules for a given range. The thought of sitting through 6 more orientations to use the whole facility seemed silly, particularly since we all already sat through an orientation when we became members.

These orientations also don't address the issue of changes. We have members that didn't go through an orientation because we didn't have orientations back then. We have members who went through orientation before the Dynamic Range or the shotgun curtain existed.

We also must accept that there are people who want to shut us down; be it from a political bias, environmental or just a straight up land grab. We must do everything right. We need to keep all rounds controlled. Environmental protocols must be followed to the T. How do we ensure that all members take this situation seriously?

Recently the club discussed the possibility of allowing open carry. The proposal was rejected primarily because of a belief that rules and safety at the club aren't followed. We post signs. Copies of the handbook are given to every member and is available for download from the web site; laminated copies hang at each range. There are video cameras and yet RSO's are still daily correcting rules violations by members who 'didn't know'.

We know that it would be an inconvenience to members to sit through a full orientation. We realize that with 1800 members it

would be logistically difficult to get everyone through orientation when the room only holds 50. We understand that this would be yet another task for the VP and accounting team. There are hurdles that need to be overcome. We have 3 years to work out these details (we will add an effective date of June 30, 2021 to the proposal).

One idea, that I believe has strong merit, is to do a training video and then create an online quiz to meet the orientation requirement. Another idea is a condensed orientation (1 or 2 hr) for membership renewals.

We are also in the process of rewriting the Member Handbook. The new format would be far simpler, with bullet points for each range. It will address some of the common errors such as Pistol Caliber Carbines and which ranges they can be used on.

Do you have other ideas? Please come to the meetings and let your voice be heard. The decisions are made by the people who show up. Last Thursday of the month are board meetings. First Thursday of the month are general membership meetings. Meetings start at 7 pm. All board member contact information is available in this newsletter and on the web site.

## Jr. Membership Conversion

Bill Slonecker, VP

As part of the Annual
Membership Renewal process, we check for Junior Members who have turned 18 years of age and are no longer eligible as Junior Members. This year there were quite a few. These will show up on your renewal as a missing name and a \$5 reduction of your total (compared with last year's), and if you have a Family Membership there will be no reduction—as

#### **General Meetings**

2018: 07/05, 08/02, 09/06, 10/04, 11/01

#### **Board Meetings**

2018: 07/26, 08/30, 09/28, 10/25, 11/29

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## June 2018

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Juniors are included at no cost.

If a former Junior Member wishes to continue as a Senior Member with their own Membership, we offer that to them at a reduced cost.

From our By-Laws: Section 603. Junior to Senior Membership Conversion. A Junior membership may be converted to a Senior membership without payment of an initiation fee, provided the Junior member makes application for Senior membership within one year of their 18th birthday. Junior members who leave the area to attend college or serve in the military may upon their return apply for senior membership and the initiation fee will be waived if they apply for senior membership within one year of their return.

All questions regarding Membership should be directed to me at info@douglasridge.org.

# SWAT Medic Association Fundraiser

Want to learn more about your 'scary' black rifle? Want to be at the range instead of work? Want to help out a worthy cause? Sign up for the Clackamas SWAT Medic Association fundraiser Defensive Carbine courses offered by 540 Tactical Solutions. The DC1 will cover fundamentals of accurate shooting, Battle Sight Zero & offsets, load sequencing and malfunction drills. You will learn the proper techniques to manipulate your rifle efficiently and under stress. This class is an excellent opportunity to learn about your gear; what works and what doesn't. Best part? All profits will be donated to Clackamas SWAT Medic Association. Lunch will be

provided as well as a raffle.

Defensive Carbine 1 will be held on the Dynamic Range, Monday June 11th, \$199 – Defensive Carbine 2 will be held Monday August 13th, \$199 or both classes for \$375 (all proceeds go to support CSWATMA)

Who is Clackamas SWAT Medic Association? A group of volunteer medics who assist SWAT teams in situations where it isn't safe for regular EMT's. Volunteers must provide a great deal of their own gear. This fundraiser helps offset those costs.

For more information please contact Scott Brown station3rock@gmail.com or James Holman james@540tactical.com

Registration: https:// payments.540tactical.com/t/ defensive-carbine-courses