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# TODAY'S NEWS

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## CLUB UPDATE

Earl Skonberg – 541.229.2700

**Audit Committee** – The club's Audit Committee is looking for candidates to fill three vacant positions. Experience in auditing or bookkeeping would be helpful but is not a requirement. The year's audit will likely take place sometime after the 2018 tax season. If you would like to volunteer and are interested in supporting your club, please contact Chairman Tom Russell at [tvrussell@charter.net](mailto:tvrussell@charter.net) or by telephone (514) 643-0382.



**Annual Christmas Party** has been scheduled for Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> in the Clubhouse starting at 6:00 p.m. For the Trap Shooters: shooting and games will

be until 6:00 p.m. at which time Dan's Camp Cook Homemade Chili will be served as well as a sandwich platter. For those who plan to attend, bring your favorite hors d'oeuvres or dessert to share. If you wish to participate in the Gift Exchange, always lots of fun, bring an unwrapped gift [limit of \$25]. Come join us in celebrating the Holiday Spirit! BYOB.

**Boy Scouts** – Members of Troop 209 from Sutherlin spent one Saturday afternoon on the Rifle Range learning the skills of shooting black powder in preparation of earning a badge. With the assistance of Larrie Fuhriman, Willie Caldwell, Assistant Scoutmaster, the boys learned all about range safety, proper handling of firearms and an introduction to muzzle loading equipment and techniques. With targets set at 25-yards and with help from Paul Campbell and Tom Russell from our Muzzleloaders group, it wasn't long before they were hitting centers shooting both 45 and 50 caliber percussions. The class was most productive and something the Scouts

will not soon forget. Our thanks to the volunteers who made this possible.

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## TRAP WINTER LEAGUE

Krys & Dan Schindler – 541.486.3231

We will be having our **Winter League "Draft"** on **Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**. Team captains will draw for teams on "Draft" Day. Each team will consist of two above average shooters, two average shooters, and three 'not quite average' shooters (based on last year's averages). You may not be on the same team as your friends or last year's teammates, but you can be squaded with your buddies or however you desire, just let us know. Please plan on being there on Draft Day to sign up and see whose team you will be on.

"Honorary Team Captains" are: Bill Bayliss, John Backen, Dan 'Goob' Cossey, Brent Short, Phil Hardison, and Daro Handy. [If more shooters, we'll "elect" another captain!]

Winter Trap League will start **Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018**. WL will be \$12 per week for ten weeks. We will have the same format; teams will be made up of seven shooters, team scores will be the top five scores, and you will be able to drop your lowest score. We will have the Lewis Option [\$5/week].

Shooters will shoot at 50 targets each week; one singles round [16 yard line] and one handicap round. Handicap yardages, which will be determined by your 16 yard score.

If you want to shoot Winter League but cannot make December 10<sup>th</sup>, please email or call us to sign up. If you have any questions, concerns, ideas and/or changes for the improvement of Winter Trap League, **PLEASE** contact Krys or Dan Schindler – [jdk.fishhawk@gmail.com](mailto:jdk.fishhawk@gmail.com).

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# Troop 209 Boy Scouts





## TURKEY SHOOT

Daro Handy – 541.784.6096

Roseburg Rod and Gun Club is hosting a Turkey Shoot on Saturday, December 16, 2017. This is a Trap Shooting Event, using shotguns to break targets, and win turkeys and hams as prizes. Signup and registration starts at 9:00 a.m. Shoot starts at 10:00 a.m. Fee is \$30 per person, with squads shooting as they fill up. Each competitor starts at the 21-yard line, and will shoot on five squads. *[One shot from each of five post positions]* The winner of each squad will receive a turkey or ham and then move to the 25-yard line for further competition. Maximum of 4 wins per individual. Anyone who does not win after shooting on 5 squads, will receive a turkey, ham or an equivalent prize.

This event is open to club members and the general public. Shooters need to bring eye and hearing protection. Shotgun shells need to be #7½ or smaller shot. 12 ga. & 20 ga. shells are available for purchase at the club for \$7 a box.



## NOVEMBER CAST BULLET MATCH

Mel Harris – 541.637.8444

We had a nice turn out for our November 5<sup>th</sup> match. Shooters from Portland, Eugene-Springfield and Roseburg participated. Chuck Allen did our home range proud shooting a perfect 200-6x @ 100 yds. and a 198-2x @ 200 yds. Kent Uhl from the Portland area was 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Heavy Class with some good marks. We would like to give Chuck Jones a big thank you for driving down from the Eugene area to score our match. Next match is December 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you would like to give this a try, a rifle and all gear will be provided for you. For information, contact Mel Harris by phone or email: [thirtyppc@gmail.com](mailto:thirtyppc@gmail.com).



Merry  
Christmas



## NOVEMBER BENCH REST MATCH

Wes Jackson – 541.673.8257

Six shooters made it to the match. Conditions were good, except for the fog and freezing temperatures, and five shooters were able to get a perfect 250 at 100 yds. In first place was Chuck Allen with 18Xs, in second was Jim Stipe with 17Xs and Mel Harris in third with 16Xs. At 200 yds only two shooters managed to get 250 with Jim Stipe in first with 7Xs, Chuck Allen second with 5Xs and Mel Harris third with 249-3Xs. Final scores showed Jim Stipe taking first with 500-24Xs, Chuck Allen [with his first perfect 500] second with 500-23Xs and Mel Harris third with 499-19Xs. The next match will be December 17<sup>th</sup>. Sign in and set up is at 8:00 a.m. with the match starting at 9:00 a.m.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CALIBER</u>	<u>100 YARDS</u>	<u>200 YARDS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1. Jim Stipe	6PPC	250-17Xs	250-07Xs	500-24Xs
2. Chuck Allen	30BR	250-18Xs	250-05Xs	500-23Xs
3. Mel Harris	30BR	250-16Xs	249-03Xs	499-19Xs
4. Wes Jackson	30BR	250-15Xs	248-08Xs	498-23Xs
5. Roy Jenkins	30BR	250-15Xs	248-05Xs	498-20Xs
6. Eldon Yarbrough	6PPC	249-09Xs	247-03Xs	496-12Xs

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## NOVEMBER RIMFIRE MATCH

Wes Jackson – 541.673.8257

Only four shooters made it to the November Rimfire Match. Scores were good despite the changing winds. At 50 yds., Jay Conn was in first with 250-17Xs, Wes Jackson second with 250-16Xs, and Chuck Allen third with 250-14Xs. At 75 yds., Wes Jackson took first with 250-06Xs, Jay Conn second with 250-05Xs, and Chuck Allen third with 249-05Xs. Final scores had Jay Conn first with 500-22Xs, Wes Jackson second with 500-22Xs and Chuck Allen third with 499-19Xs. Jay claimed first due to his ability to hit a fly walking across his target at 75 yds. The next match will be December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Sign up and set up will be at 8:00 a.m. with the match starting at 9:00 a.m.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CALIBER</u>	<u>50 YARDS</u>	<u>75 YARDS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1. Jay Conn	22LR	250-17Xs	250-05Xs	500-22Xs
2. Wes Jackson	22LR	250-16Xs	250-06Xs	500-22Xs
3. Chuck Allen	22LR	250-14Xs	249-05xs	499-19Xs
4. Dennis Difeo	22LR	250-08Xs	248-07Xs	498-15Xs