

Columbia-Cascade Section Board Meeting

January 25, 2007

Location: Norm Bright's House

Attendees: Norm Bright, Mike McCarter, Chuck Anderson, Mark O'Shea, Ernie Hockens, Paul Meier, Shaun Hescoek.

Meeting Minutes:

- **Section Coordinator Report**
 - USPSA has been informed of Columbia-Cascade's new section coordinator. Duties officially transferred from Mike McCarter to Norm Bright.
 - E-mail list and "snail mail" list of CCS members now being updated...Mark O'Shea to compile and distribute to board members and club reps. Post to web site.
- **Election Results**
 - Response rate: 36 ballots back from 105 mailed out.
- **Treasurers Report**
 - \$4993.74 in checking account. Good seed money going in to this next shooting season.
 - \$900 due back to Mike McCarter for expenses incurred in 2006.
- **Competition Director's Report**
 - Classifiers have been submitted for TCGC and Dundee. Albany to submit to Chuck Anderson (Mike McCarter)
 - Points Match stages to be submitted to Chuck 1 month in advance for review.
 - We will resurrect the idea of board members "walking the stages" prior to Points Matches to debug and critique.
 - Discussion about mesh walls versus hard walls. We need to continue to increase use of good quality mesh walls. (Safety!)
 - Nationals Slots: Pending Section activity reports (due in mid February...Chuck Anderson to distribute to members who have earned slots)
 - GSSF Glock Match: tbd
 - Classifier Match Dates:

- Albany: 2nd Saturday in January
 - Bend: 3rd Saturday in May
 - Dundee: 4th Saturday in April
 - Tri-County: 3rd Sunday in May
- **Tri-County Report**
 - Pepper poppers need to be straightened. Bob Beal might be able to help? Some poppers and stands need welding and fixing. Robert Wright can help.
 - 51 shooters attended January match.
 - Set up a canopy between two con-ex's? Need to get an estimate and see Mary for funds. Need volunteers for a work party.
- **Dundee Report**
 - Holding up well, but need more folks to come out for work parties and match setup.
- **Albany Report**
 - Some changes....conditional use permit for back bays on hold until Jul 2007. But have permission to use for bigger matches. Eventually those bays will also be covered as well.
 - As of 1st March 2007....permanent executive director at club is now Mike McCarter. Caretaker no longer there.
 - No more night matches until next winter
 - Robert Wright is discipline director for Albany Multi-Gun matches.
 - 9 new shooters in last IPSC introductory class at Albany.
- **CCS Juniors**
 - 15 junior members now. 50,000 rounds required to sustain 15 members for a year. Ammo currently procured through donations by CCS "benefactor". Now looking for additional vendors to supply 9mm ammo. Maybe Chuck can talk to Area-1 sponsors to see if they can contribute?
 - Currently have 5 Glock 17's for use by juniors.
 - Need to establish a gear "profile" for these juniors (entry level juniors versus experienced juniors.), i.e. who has what kind of gear.
 - Establish a junior qualification program so that new shooters can be safe and have fun, and learn how to shoot a match safely and without frustration.
 - Each junior should get a "junior package"...shirt, dvd's, instructional information, etc.

- Junior shooters to be sponsored? People interested in sponsoring a junior shooter?
- **2007 Competitive Season Discussion**
 - Section Match:
 - Format: 2 day format. Motion voted and passed.
 - Stages: 12 stages (8 medium, 3 speed shoots, 1 big bay)
 - Venue: Tri-County. Motion voted and passed.
 - Dates: July 21st, 22nd
 - Theme: “CSI” theme. Motion voted and passed.
 - RO’s: Squad “mom” method.
 - Shirts: Yes. Plain polo with logo or patch.
 - Meals: Include in match fee. BBQ on 2nd day. Buster’s? (1st day lunch: shooter’s bring own lunch)
 - Match Cost: \$75 will include BBQ on 2nd day.
 - Work crew discount: \$25/day
 - Stats: tbd
 - **Other discussion on 2007**
 - Put in bid for ’08 Area-1?
 - Need to think about what we can do to attract more female shooters to our Section and to our sport?