

PVR&G News

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April President's Column

by Bruce Kobara, President

Our spring raffle will be for a AKC-47 Hunter model and bowie knife, both donated by club member. Tickets will be \$10.00 each or 3 for \$25.00. Tickets are available at East Lake Hardware and Markley's.

The dinner menu for May meeting will be baby back ribs, and chili beans.

Unfortunately the Kid's Fishing Derby has been canceled due to the early toxic algae bloom at Pinto Lake. The money for the kids prizes has been earmarked for the next derby. It may be possible to put on the derby in the late fall or early winter if the algae bloom subsides. Calif. Fish and Game is willing to support us with a special trout plant when we need one.

The FNRA dinner was a great success, the club profited from catering the dinner. Many thanks to the volunteers that provided all the work for the dinner.

The club bass tournament for May will be dedicated to Ray Grulach who passed away last year. A special ongoing plaque will have the fisherman who catches the largest bass will have their name engraved on the plaque. Also Ray's family have donated prize money and will be in attendance for the derby. For more details contact Nelson Gong.

We have one new club member voted into the club this month; David Betz.

Those of you who would like to receive the newsletter by email, please, email Mike Ciglar. Mike's email address is: m.ciggy@sbcglobal.net. The club will save about \$17 per member per year for each newsletter that is emailed vs. mailing a hard copy. The newsletter is posted on our web site, www.pajarovalleyrodandgun.org. However, you will receive the email notification the soonest.

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PVR&G Workday

by Chuck Woodson

Once again, this past Saturday April 20th, the members of our club got together for a work day. It was a beautiful day to be outside and though there was a small turnout, those that donated their Saturday got a lot done for the club and had a great time. There was a real camaraderie amongst the crew, and even though they were working, they seemed to enjoy themselves. More of us should take advantage of the opportunity to put our skills and experience into benefiting the club, and it gives us a chance to meet other members.

The workday crew included: Harry Williams sanding the floors, Duane Demicell, Rodger Silva, Abel Campos, John Maraldo, Dan McGrath, Mark Lauesen, Russ Orlandos painting, Todd Barrington tree trimming, Deo Frutuoso and Tim Lorenzen splitting wood, Robert Gandrup and Jim Rosell weedeating, Richard Rue brushing, Rodney Misumi, Glen Slay, Jim Ihlen weeding, Nelson Gong with his tractor mowing, Bill Conklin, Mike Alciaci and George Bourget (Swamp Fox Team) cutting back tules, John Hodges mowing and cleanup, and Jim Gandrup with his tractor clearing and cleaning, as well as overseeing the work crew. Great work you guys, job well done!

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Our Club Schedule.. updates: www.pajarovalleyrodandgun.org/calendar

Sat May 4 – Hunter safety 7am-2pm	Thu May 30 – IPSC shooting 5pm
Mon May 6 – Regular dinner and meeting 6pm	Mon Jun 3 – Regular dinner and meeting 6pm
Wed May 8 – Venture crew 6:30pm	Thu Jun 6 – IPSC shooting 5pm
Thu May 9 – IPSC shooting 5pm	Tue Jun 11 – New member orientation 6pm
Tue May 14 – New member orientation 6pm	Tue Jun 11 – Board meeting 7pm
Tue May 14 – Board meeting 7pm	Wed Jun 12 - Venture crew 6:30pm
Thu May 16 – IPSC shooting 5pm	Thu Jun 13 – IPSC shooting 5pm
Sun May 19 – Bass derby 7am	Sat Jun 15 – Bass derby 7am
Wed May 22 - Venture crew 6:30pm	Sat Jun 15 – Hunter safety 7am-2pm
Thu May 23 – IPSC shooting 5pm	Sat Jun 22 – Hunter safety 7am-2pm

May Meeting Menu: Baby back ribs and chili beans

Our Club Leadership....

Elected Officers

President – Bruce Kobara, Vice President – Jim Gandrup, Treasurer – Glen Slay
Secretary – Mike Ciglar m.ciggy@sbcglobal.net (831) 724-2819, Director at Large – Abel Campos

Elected Directors

Wayne Farrel, Rodger Silva, Scotty Mitchell, Ron Gordon, Mark Lauesen, Rodney Misumi

Appointed Directors

Bar – Paul Cunningham, Chef – Bob Moresco, Work Party – Harry Williams, Range Master – John Maraldo

Appointed Assistants

Hall Rentals – Randy Turnquist rental@pajarovalleyrodandgun.org, Caretaker – Jim Ihlen
New Members Orientations – Bill Sanchez & Michael Ciglar, Club Historian – John Hodges
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Range News

by John Maraldo

Semiautomatic Pistol Shooting Clinic

Bob Leonardich has graciously consented to conduct another semiautomatic pistol shooting clinic. The clinic is free and open to all members of the Shooters Association. You only have to provide your own semiautomatic pistol, ammunition and eye and ear protection. However enrollment is limited to only five students so that each will receive individual coaching. Contact me if you're interested.

NRA Certified Rifle Instructor Training

Arrange your prequalification with me if you wish to be certified to teach the NRA Basic Rifle Shooting Course. Tuition will be the cost of your materials plus a \$40 honorarium for our Explorer Post.

Who Lied About Manchin-Toomey?

Immediately after the Senate's rejection of the Manchin-Toomey "compromise", King Pinocchio complained that the NRA had lied about the bill. But David Kopel, associate Cato Institute policy analyst, research director at the Independence Institute and adjunct professor of Advanced Constitutional Law at Denver University, Sturm College of Law writes that the law was a "bonanza of gun control". For one example, the legislation would have enabled universal registration so long as it was not conducted by DOJ. You can find his article here:

<http://www.volokh.com/2013/04/15/the-pro-gun-provisions-of-manchin-toomey-are-actually-a-bonanza-of-gun-control/>

Those of you who read the internal DOJ memo referenced in a previous newsletter article (and posted on our bulletin boards) will recall that even within the DOJ, universal registration is viewed as useless in preventing criminal acquisition of firearms but nevertheless desirable as an aid to confiscation.

On a lighter note, Dingy Harry accidentally blurted out the truth about Manchin-Toomey on April 16th: "On the anti-gun legislation before the Senate, we are making good progress on the effort to schedule a series of votes on amendments to the anti-gun-violence legislation before the Senate."

Write To Your Representative

Enter your location and this website will identify all your local and federal representatives and permit you to compose a personal email to each one.

<http://nraia.org/get-involved-locally/grassroots/write-your-reps.aspx>

We Need Weather Control

Peter Buxton has amassed compelling statistical evidence that cold weather causes homicide.

CHICAGO vs HOUSTON		
	Chicago, IL	Houston, TX
Population	2.7 million	2.15 million
Median FH Income	\$38,500	\$37,000
% African-American	38.9%	74%
% Hispanic	29.9%	44%
% Asian	5.5%	6%
% Non-Hispanic White	38.7%	26%

Similar - until you compare this:

	Chicago, IL	Houston, TX
Concealed Carry gun law	no	yes
Number of Gun Stores	0	84 - Dedicated gun stores plus 1500 - legal places to buy guns - Walmart, K mart, sporting goods, etc.
Homicides, 2012	806	707
Homicides per 100K	28.4	9.6
Average January high temperature (F)	31°	63°

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Bass Derby Results

by Nelson Gong

Results of the Best Two Bass Tournament 4-27-13

10 boats with 21 participants fished from 7am til noon.

1st place: 7.54 lbs., Mike Guttierrez and Juan Acosta

2nd place: 7.25 lbs., Jerry Boyd and Mike Barnett

3rd place was 7.19 lbs., Nick Markert and Frank Flores

Big Fish was 4.41 lbs., Jim Lemos and Mike Hummel

Next month we will have the Ray Greulach Memorial Tournament on Sunday May 19th, starting at 7:00am.

We will have a few of Ray's family members and friends join us, a special prize and also paying down to 5 places, followed by lunch afterwards.

All members are welcome to fish with us!

For more information, give me a call.

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