

PVR&G News

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President's Column

by Bruce Kobara, President

Bruce's Column will return next month.

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Range News

by John Maraldo, Rangemaster

Range Improvement

NRA Foundation, the charitable arm of NRA which derives its funding from the dinners like the one we hosted on March 15th, has awarded our Club \$20,853.00, the funding needed to double airflow in our range. That improvement will make our range a more suitable venue for our Venture Crew, our NRA courses and other training events that entail sustained group shooting.

The work itself will require that the range be closed for about a week. Because the day we will receive the check (likely in the next month) is not yet known, we may not be able to announce the range closure in this newsletter. So check with Jim (724-7311, 818-5584) before coming out to use the range.

And thanks to everyone who worked to make our dinner possible and who turned out to support it! Making our range a better training venue is only one small part of the good work accomplished by the Foundation. Since the Foundation's inception, dinners such as ours have raised

over \$230,000.000 in support of firearms safety and competence.

Santa Cruz County Is "Shall Issue"

I realize that the Sentinel has beaten this story to death, but just in case you don't subscribe you'll be interested to know that our Sheriff has changed his concealed carry policy in light of the Peruta ruling.

Applicants are no longer required to show whatever need Sheriff Wowak happens that day to deem "special". Wanting a permit for self protection is reason enough to get one. You can read the Sheriff's CCW policy here:

www.norcalmedtac.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/Amended-Applicant-Process-Handout.pdf

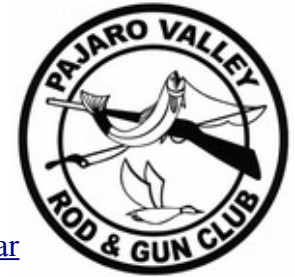
April Speaker

Our guest speaker at the April dinner meeting will be Steve Tremper. Steve is retired from the Monterey County Sheriff, a former SWAT member & sniper, with NRA, POST, California DOJ certifications. Steve also had a large part in designing the CCW application process for Monterey County. He will speak on the subject of concealed carry permits: whether to get one, how to get one and how to behave once you have one.

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

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| Thu Apr 3 – IPSC shooting 5pm | Thu Apr 24 – IPSC shooting 5pm |
| Sat Apr 5 – Hunter Safety Class 7am-2pm | Thu May 1 – IPSC shooting 5pm |
| Mon Apr 7 – Regular dinner and meeting 6pm | Mon May 5 – Regular dinner and meeting 6pm |
| Tue Apr 8 – New member orientation 6pm | Thu May 8 – IPSC shooting 5pm |
| Tue Apr 8 – Board meeting 7pm | Sat May 10 – Hunter Safety Class 7am-2pm |
| Wed Apr 9 – Venture crew 6:30pm | Tue May 13 – New member orientation 6pm |
| Thu Apr 10 – IPSC shooting 5pm | Tue May 13 – Board meeting 7pm |
| Sat Apr 12 – Hunter Safety Class 7am-2pm | Wed May 14 – Venture crew 6:30pm |
| Thu Apr 17 – 65 & Over Club 11am-3pm | Thu May 15 – IPSC shooting 5pm |
| Thu Apr 17 – IPSC shooting 5pm | Thu May 22 – IPSC shooting 5pm |
| Wed Apr 23 – Venture crew 6:30pm | Wed May 28 – Venture crew 6:30pm |

This Month's Meeting Menu: Chicken and Pasta

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

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

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 (831) 724-7311
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A well regulated militia...

The federal government can call up militia only to suppress insurrection or repel invasion. But as Governors who have sued to block foreign deployment of their Guardsmen learned to their chagrin, the National Guard is not militia. It is merely a reserve component of the federal military force. Glenn Reynolds observes that this state of affairs raises a question. "...if a well-regulated militia is necessary to the security of a free state, it follows that a state lacking such a militia is either insecure, or unfree, or possibly both."

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Venturing Crew 568 News

by Joe Yetter, Crew Advisor

Venture Crew 568 is PVRG's youth shooting group, part of the Boy Scouts of America. It is open to youth, 14-21. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at the range. We have a great year planned for 2014.

Contact me (Joe) for more information.

This last month we had an outing to Camp Pico Blanco, near Big Sur. We ran 4 ranges for a Boy Scout Troop from the San Jose area, and for Venturers from all over Northern California. We shot Rifle, Pistol, Shotgun, and Muzzleloader. About 30 Boy Scouts and 50 Venturers were able to shoot. For many of them, it was their first time shooting pistol or high-power rifle.

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News Bits

Club News for the Monthly Newsletter

Since our monthly club newsletters are meant for the membership at large, news articles from members are welcome. Articles should relate to club sponsored functions or matters relating to club activities. Please direct items to newsletter@pvrg.us. Complaints will not be published here. They should appropriately be directed to club officers.

Range, Grounds & Lake Users

A reminder, when leaving vehicles unattended at the lake, range or other club premises, club members should leave their membership cards in an obvious area on the upper instrument panel. Also, members must check in with the caretaker, Jim Ihlen, when using any of the above. Non-members and uninvited guests could be considered trespassers and in such case, a liability in event of accident or injury involvement.

Candidates for Membership

After attending three meetings, a candidate for membership and his/her primary sponsor must attend the following session which will be the second Tuesday of the month at 6:00 PM sharp. Dues payment must be made by check or money order. Cash will not be accepted.

Newsletter Delivery

Those of you that would like to receive the newsletter by email, please, contact Mike Ciglar. Mike's email address is: m.ciggy@sbcglobal.net. The newsletter is posted on our web site www.pajarovalleyrodandgun.org. For those who do not want as much typing, you can also access the website at www.pvrg.us.

Range Closures

the hall, or when specific groups have reserved the range (such as the IPSC shooters, the Venture crew, or a hall rental). This information is published in the monthly newsletter, and is on the web calendar at www.pvrg.us/calendar.

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