# RANGE NOTES

### REDMOND ROD & GUN CLUB NEWSLETTER

July 2021











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P.O. Box 14
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(Located south of Redmond behind the solar farm)

**More Information At:** 

RRandGC.com

Redmond Rod and Gun Club is a 501C4 Non-Profit.

### PLEASE SLOW DOWN

Are you are making dust? Perhaps you are driving too fast.

10 mph when you are driving please.

### THIS MONTH'S NEWS

### **Date Change**

July Board meeting will be held Tuesday July 6 at 7 pm. There needed to be a change in date as Monday was an observed holiday.

### Rimrock Archery Big Shoot Planned, August 7

Redmond Rod and Gun Club is partnering with 3 Rivers Archery and Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) to host a 3D tournament at our Rimrock Archery discipline August 7 starting at 6 am.

3 Rivers Archery will provide the tournament set up experience and we will provide the much sought after natural shooting areas. This will be a joint venture under the 3 Rivers "Dusty Trail" banner.

Using 3D animals from both clubs and ODFW will result in a 40 target course. Our current course and some borrowed additional space will give shooters a test of skills. RRGC is at work seeking a BLM permit to expand on the land adjoining our club as well for next year.

Contact Archery Director, Denny Morris, for questions or offers to volunteer.

Denny@bendbroadband.com

#### **Volunteer Board Members**

Board Members are like many who give time and often donate to the club. Chosen by our membership we serve the club in a multiple of ways. Many of us are Directors overseeing the actual site and leading teams of individuals to create shooting venues. Other board members work from home or the range but are not actually assigned to one discipline.

We each report to the board at our monthly first full week





### UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 17,18 and 21
   Volunteers Of America
   Five Stand Shoot
- July 22; 6-8:30
   Ladies Bustin' Clays
   Sporting Clays
- August 7; 6 am
   Archery 3D Competition

Visit Our Website for More Details on These Events:

rrandgc.com/calendar

### RENOVATIONS & ADDITIONS NEEDED

Sure there can be additional bays built at pistol, extended ranges, more trap fields, improvements numerous around the sites can occur. so why doesn't it happen right Well there is a welldefined plan for each area and members of the disciplines know what is needed. They are looking for partners to sponsor the pistol expansion, parking lot renewals and general club improvements for shooters to enjoy. See the office staffs and they will put you in contact with the right person. Your business or personal contributions will be permanently recognized using signage at a shooting station. To make changes quickly volunteer or donate.

Thanks!

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meeting. Discussions about the club, our visions, finances and personnel that have been brought forward by club members are addressed.

Being a board member is rewarding and offers challenges. There is sometimes a difference of opinion, as within any governance body, we work together to find positive pathways forward. It is indeed difficult to overcome rumors especially unfounded ones. Our task is to give well documented answers to our members and create a plan for the club's future.

If you see something that needs attention bring it to your discipline director or any board member. If you know something is not quite as it seems help us to move forward by getting the facts. Hear something that does not sound right seek a source of solid information. Most of all become involved in the club by finding solutions much like your board strives to do each day.

#### Ladies' Nite

Take your shooting to the next level in a safe, relaxed and fun environment for women only. Ladies' Nite at the Redmond Rod & Gun Club is informative and custom-tailored to your shooting experience level, using your own firearm. Whether you're an experienced shooter, a beginner or anywhere in between, this is a perfect opportunity to become more comfortable with your firearm and to build your personal shooting skills.

Maureen Rogers, Women's Program Director and Chief Range Safety Officer at the RR&GC, is an NRA certified instructor for Pistol, Rifle, Shotgun, and Home Firearm Safety. For details and more information, please contact Maureen at 541.604.0144

https://www.rrandgc.com/index.php/women-s-programs

2021 Dates remaining: for 5-7 pm classes

- July 13; 27
- August 10; 24
- September 14; 28

### **Scouts Enjoy the Club**

Volunteers coordinated a two day educational training with our partners at ODFW and Hunter Ed. Numerous young shooters with their guardians attended a session of safe shooting



### **SPECIAL THANKS**

Thank you to our volunteers:
Brad Cohen, Terry Gibson,
Bruce Stuwe, Ken Brown,
Robby Bailey, Kirk Glisson,
Brian Ferry, Maureen
Rogers, Norman Rogers,
Ralph Mabee, Bill Garrett,
Ralph Mabee, Tracey
Karshner, Bob McDaniel,
Mike Elvsaas, John Kennedy.

"Our members and volunteers are our most valuable resources. We appreciate each one of you."

### LADIES BUSTIN' CLAYS EVENT

Attend this event July 22 for an incredible night at sporting Clays. See the attached flier. Targets, ammo, instruction, prizes, games, gifts. Limited Enrollment.

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practices and fun experiences on our ranges. An NRA grant provided eye and ear protection.

BB gun [prone position] and Archery for Cub Scouts age 6-10, 22 rifle, shotgun and archery for the older 11-17 age scouts were featured. Another successful program designed to promote a safe and fun event for the younger shooter and their family.

### Group Activities at Sporting Clays TEAM BUILDING

Bring your team out to Twisted Tree Sporting Clays & 5-Stand to provide a chance to connect with each other outside the workplace. This is a great way to provide a positive experience that will help boost spirit and confidence in a team environment.

#### SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Let the staff at Twisted Tree help design and provide a personal experience for all to remember! People of all ages and skills are welcome to come shoot and share an outdoor space with picnic tables, fire pit and catering or a food truck (which we can provide recommendations for local carts, if you're interested). The following are just examples of what types of occasions we can facilitate:

- Bachelor and Bachelorette Parties
- Cub and Eagle Scout Events
- Birthday and Retirement Parties
- Family Gatherings
- Youth or Women's Get Togethers
- Holiday Parties



### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

David Gilbertson, sportingclaysdirector@gmail.com

### **VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED!**

Want to volunteer? Go to any of the disciplines and one of the current volunteers will certainly get you in touch with the correct person. You do not have to work at the range to help. We need members to do projects from home or your shop. If you have a special skill please share with us.

Twisted Tree 10 - A Monthly Sporting Clays Game



## VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA





### Add a game to your Sporting Clays shoot!

- 3 rounds of 5-Stand. Singles cannot be hit with a second shot. Shoot the menu.
- Shoot alone or with others (max. 5)
- Prizes: 1st Place = 100 targets
   2nd Place = 50 targets
- New games each month

July 17-18,21 10:00 - 2:00pm

Before you shoot, register which day you will post your score at the Twisted Tree Office and pick up your scorecard. No practice on the course the day you post your score. You have 3 days to shoot your score. Winners will be announced the day after the last shooting date and will be posted on the RR&GC website. \*Additional details and rules are at www.rrandgc.com in the Sporting Clays & 5 Stand tab OR at the Twisted Tree Office on site.





# LADIES BUSTIN' CLAYS

### It's a special event at the Twisted Tree Sporting Clays Course just for the ladies!

We're thrilled to share this evening with clay target shooters of all skills and experience at the Twisted Tree Sporting Clays course located at Redmond Rod and Gun Club.

During this event, our NSCA certified instructor will start with the basics including gun safety and education based on your skill level. Next each Sporting Clay member will take a small group of shooters around the course for 2 hours, helping navigate nearly 50 locations of thrown clay targets in a variety of settings. The end of the night will close with a celebration of new friendships, new memories and a re-newed confidence in your abilities with a shotgun. We're sure you'll have a great time, so bring a guest and join us at the range!

- \* All shooters are required to wear hearing and eye protection at all times.
- \*\* Guns are not available to rent, so bring your own or borrow one from a member of your group.





### Included in this special evening:

- Private, small group training for all experience levels
- Lessons in gun safety and skills for confidence in handling a shotgun
- 2 hours of shooting fun with just ladies
- 75 clay targets loaded on a reusable Lifetime Shoot Card
- 75 rounds of either 12 or 20 gauge ammo
- Discounts on lessons and future shooting adventures
- A FREE gift including an embroidered hat, eye protection, a cooling towel, local business goodies and more!
- Cost is \$90/person

Email sportingclaysdirector@gmail.com or call David at (503) 730-1806 for information and to sign-up.

"Twisted Tree", established in 2020, is an incredible sporting clays course with 16 stations and nearly 50 target presentations, all well placed within sage brush, juniper trees and mossy lava rock. Twisted Tree offers a range of novice education, skilled instruction and veteran shooting challenges with shooters from around the country.

