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### General News

**CLUB SPOTLIGHT** ... A Big Club Thanks to **Jim Grimes**, and his many volunteers for putting on the Club's Beer Garden at the Whidbey Island Fair. We especially thank Jim for an extraordinary job planning, organizing, and managing the beer garden. Jim will not be able to manage the beer garden next year, so we are looking for a capable club member who would like to take on the job.

**HALLOWEEN PARTY** ... The club's annual Halloween Costume Party and Dance will be held Saturday October 26. Prizes will be awarded for the Best Man in Costume, the Best Woman in Costume, and the Best Couple in costume. Dance music will be provided by Chris Yates as "Sly Mr Y". Dinner will be a Mexican Buffet. Don't miss it!

**NEW MEMBERS** ... Welcome to New Members: Robert Husom, Doyle Marks, Marje Nave, John Lindblom, Steve Bumstend, Glenn Parkes, James Edelen, Steve O'Brien, Setman Walker, Andrew Winberry, Brent Davison, Kelly Henderson. The total number of paid 2013 club members is now 877.

**BULLWINKLE BAR FUNDRAISER** ... The Bullwinkle Bar Fundraiser was a great success! We extend a big club thanks to Suzanne Healy and Dave Shupe, and the many volunteers who helped to put the event on, and to our Sponsors, Donators, and those who attended. The event was attended by 117 members and friends, and took in \$35369.32. We will be tallying expenses shortly, but we expect the net to be larger than the 2011 fundraiser.

**SALMON DERBY RESULTS** ... The annual Whidbey Island Coho Derby was held Saturday September 7 at the club. More than one hundred anglers participated and forty-six Coho Salmon were weighed in. Kelly Moseler caught the winning salmon, which weighed 11 lbs 7 oz., earning him the three hundred dollar first place prize. Thanks to all who participated.

**RYTHER FUNDRAISER** ... The Ryther Group Dinner / Auction Fundraiser will be held Saturday October 19 at the Club. See Fran Johnson for tickets.

**General Meeting (All Members are Welcome) - Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 PM**

**The ranges are open from 9:00 AM until sundown 7 days a week unless closed for a special function.**

### Range

**News:** The good weather and challenging matches attracted many shooters in September: The Club Skeet Championship was held September 7, and the championship buckle was won by Larry Wright, with Evert Olkonen and Tom Crites tying for second place; The Mike Fink Pistol Shoot was held September 14, and the match winner was Steve Mooney, with Mark Kjellstrom taking second place, and Tom Banks taking third place; The Metallic Silhouette Championship was held September 21, and was won by Jay Miazga, with Dave Shupe earning second place.

Following the Metallic Silhouette Championship on September 21, the Shooter of the Year standings were: 1<sup>st</sup> place - Jay Miazga (24 points); 2<sup>nd</sup> place - Dave Shupe (19 points); 3<sup>rd</sup> place - Mike McInerney (18 points); and tie for 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> place with Evert Olkonen (14 points) and Steve Mooney (14 points).

**Range Orientation Class:** Remember that we require that all shooters attend a Range Orientation Class prior to shooting on our ranges. October's Class is: October 8 at 7 PM, Questions? Contact Steve Mooney.

**October Events:** The October Shooting Events are: 1) Con Delateur Trap Shoot on Oct 5 at 11 AM; 2) Dirty Harry II Pistol Shoot on Oct 12 at 9 AM; 3) Air Silhouette Shoot on Oct 19 at 9 AM; 4) Steel Fun Matches on Oct 26 and 27, both events are in the Action Pistol Bays and Signup is at 9 AM, Instruction and Shooting to follow.

### Pine Tree Room / Bullwinkle Bar

**News:** Dining at the club has been exciting lately – Now that Summer is coming to a close we will settle into some Fall meals, warm drinks, and twice a month dances. Come out and meet our new manager, Ursula Shoudy. See you there!

On Tuesdays in October: We will be serving soup and sandwich combinations. Check your weekly email for the selection.

On Wednesdays in October: Our kitchen staff is featuring Specials for \$8.95. Each week we will offer a different special: Italian Panini Sandwiches, Fish & Chips, BLT Sandwiches, and Pizza. Check the Calendar for the schedule.

On Thursdays in October: Our kitchen staff will be preparing a medley of your favorites: Chicken Caesar Wraps, Mongolian Beef, Pan Seared Scallops, BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwiches, and Wimpy Burgers. Check the Calendar for the schedule.

**October Events:** We have some great entertainment, and food lined up for October: On Oct 4<sup>th</sup>, we have our First Friday Dinner-Dance, the dinner is Prime Rib and the dance music will be provided by the Puget Sound Machine (aka Steve Ellis); On Sept 11<sup>th</sup>, we are serving Beef Stroganoff; On Oct 18<sup>th</sup>, we are serving London Broil; On Oct 25<sup>th</sup> we are serving Italian Meatloaf; and then on Oct 26<sup>th</sup>, we will close out the month with our Annual Halloween Party featuring a Mexican Buffet and dance music provided by Chris Yates as "Sly Mr Y".

Reserve Early for these Events so you don't miss out!