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General News

CLUB SPOTLIGHT ... A Big Club Thanks to **John Dorsh** and **Dave Shupe** for organizing and supervising the Boy Scout grounds cleaning.

VOUNTEERS NEEDED ... Your club needs your support – We need lots of help organizing and conducting our Dinner / Auction Fundraiser to be held September 28th. Committee meetings have already begun to plan and conduct this event. Many volunteers are needed. Contact Dave Shupe to volunteer.

BEEF BAR-B-QUE & MEMBERSHIP DRIVE
The Clubs Annual Beef Barbeque will be held on Saturday July 20 in conjunction with our Membership Drive & Open House. Dinner will feature Smoked Beef Brisket, and dance music will be provided by the Weatherside Whiskey Band. Bring your friends out and introduce them to the club. It will be a lot of fun.

2013 SCHOLARSHIPS ... Congratulations to this years Club Scholarship winners. Three college scholarships in the amount of \$1000 each were awarded to each of the following South Whidbey High School Graduates: Kailee Marin, Caitlin Neil, and Wesley Thorsen. Thanks to club members who donated towards these scholarships.

FUND RAISING WINE & DINNER EVENT ...

The Club is holding a Fund Raising Dinner & Wine Tasting Event July 24th at 6 PM. The dinner will feature award-winning wines from Whidbey's Blooms Winery paired to a multi-course dinner prepared by Chef Jess Dowdell, owner of the Roaming Radish in Freeland. Cost is \$75 per person and part of the proceeds will benefit the Club. There are only 80 seats available and reservations are first come, first serve, so act quickly to be part of what should be an amazing evening of fine wine and delectable food. RSVP to Cheryl at the club 360-221-8494.

Ken and Virginia Bloom will be on hand to describe their wines throughout the evening and answer questions you might have.

Chef Jess will be creating a unique menu around the five fine wines from Blooms. The menu is attached.

NEW MEMBERS ... Welcome to New Members: Brad Weeks, Aylene Bigras, Vince Bond, Jeff Harris, Merritt Wolfkill, Erik Johnston, Ted Robinson, Ken Rookstool, Douglas Young, Richard Gunst, Rob Chappelle, Troy Hansen, Mozelle Langford, Brett Richter, Jim Short, George Vasil, and Michael Klamm. The total number of paid 2013 club members is now 816.

General Meeting (All Members are Welcome) - Wednesday, July 10th, 7:00 PM

Trap & Skeet Shooting Will be Held Wednesday July 3 Instead of Thursday July 4 This Month.

Range

News: The Carnival Pistol Shoot was held June 8: Jay Miazga was the match winner, and Dennis Skog took second place, and Steve Mooney earned third place. The Continental Solstice Shoot was held June 22: it was won by our perennial winner and buckle champion Tom Holum, Greg Speck was took second place, and Evert Olkonen earned third place; The Class B winner was Pete Tulloch; and the Class C winner was Dan Lavaty.

Range Orientation Class: Remember that we require that all shooters attend a Range Orientation Class prior to shooting on our ranges. July's Classes are: July 9 at 7 PM, and Saturday July 13 at 2 PM. Questions? Contact Steve Mooney.

Trap Lessons: Beginner and Novice trap lessons will be provided at the trap shack. These beginner/novice trap&skeet lessons will be held each 1st Sunday of the month at 10 am. April thru Aug. Special rates for first timers: \$10 birds and shells. The next class will be July 7.

July Events: The July Shooting Events are: 1) Dirty Harry Pistol Shoot on July 13 at 9 AM; 2) Metallic Silhouette Shoot on July 20 at 9 AM; 3) Iron Man 100 Shotgun Shoot on Saturday July 27 at 11 AM, and 4) a Steel Championship Match on July 27 and a Steel Fun Match on July 28, 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: The club house will be closed July 3rd and 4th to celebrate Independence Day. We will be open Friday July 5th.

On Tuesdays in July: Bob will be preparing his Chicken Fried Steak with country gravy. Don't miss this delicious meal.

On Wednesdays in July: Our kitchen staff is featuring Summer Specials for \$8.95. Each week we will offer a different special: Fish & Chips Night, Sliders Night, and BLT Sandwich Night. Check the Calendar for the schedule.

On Thursdays in July: John will be preparing a medley of his favorites: Pan Seared Scallops, Italian Panini Sandwiches, and Rueben Sandwiches. Check the Calendar for the schedule.

July Events: We have some great entertainment, events, and food lined up for July: On July 5th, we have our First-Friday Dinner-Dance, the dinner is Prime Rib and the dance music will be provided by the Steve Ellis Duo; On July 12th, we are serving London Broil; On July 19th, we are serving Taco Salads & Chimichangas; On July 20th, we have our Beef BBQ & Membership Drive with music by Tanner McInerney's "Weatherside Whisky Band"; and then we will close out the month with a Dinner / Wine Tasting Fundraiser Event on July 24th. Reserve Early for these Events so you don't miss out!