

## March 2014 THE TARGET The Official Publication of the

HOLMES HARBOR ROD & GUN CLUB

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**General News** 

<u>CLUB</u> <u>SPOTLIGHT</u> ... A Big Club Thanks to Larry Wright for building shelving in the Trap Shack.

**TARGET NEWSLETTER** ... The Target newsletter will be available only via email, and in printed form at the Club. We will no longer send out the Target via US Mail.

<u>GENERAL MEETINGS</u> ... General Meetings will now be held only once per quarter, in the months of January, April, July, and October on the second Wednesday as set forth in the new Club By-Laws.

**EASTER EGG HUNT** ... The Club Easter Egg Hunt is coming soon - Saturday April 19. Ursula Shoudy and Lori Brown have teamed up to organize and run it. They need many volunteers to help. Help is needed stuffing eggs, setting up the hunt, assisting with the hunt, and of course monetary donations are always needed. Give them a call at the club to volunteer. You can also drop off or mail a check to HHRG at PO Box 151 Langley Wa 98260 if you wish to donate. **JANITOR NEEDED** ... The Club is seeking a janitor - John & Helen are retiring. If you or someone you know is interested in the position please drop by the club and leave a resume. We would prefer to hire a club member.

**UNCLAIMED FOOTBALL POOL MONEY** ... The following members have won money in the Seahawk Football Pools and have not collected their winnings: Leu Bow, Richard Sutton, Jim Mack, Clayton English, and "CRB". See Ursula or Lori to pick up your money.

**DUES & MEMBERSHIPS** ... It's a new year and the dues notices for 2014 have been mailed. Most members have paid their 2014 dues, and the door lock has been changed. Your new key card is now required for entrance. There are a few Proprietary Memberships available for sale. Contact Steve Mooney for information.

**NEW MEMBERS** ... Welcome to New Members: Fran Harding, Gary Schallock, Vicki Denka, Cody Smeltzer, Robert Perez, Psyche Toledo, Michael Lewis, Ramon DelCastillo, Norman Bodine, William Martin, Dennis Bohling, Wayne Morrison, James Norton, Polly Pong, and Tom Eckhart. Total number of members is now 963.

Next General Meeting (All Members are Welcome) - Wednesday, April 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.

## Spring Sportsman's Show – Sunday March 30 at 9AM in the Trap Shack

## **Range**

**Range Orientation Class**: We have been conducting Range Orientation & Safety Meetings for the past year and your support has been great. The Board has determined that beginning March 15, 2014 use of our ranges, except for organized events, will require attendance at a Range Orientation & Safety Meeting and confirmation of that by wearing your membership badge with the yellow sticker given out at the meetings. Your Board has taken a hard look at this change & we believe it is in the best interest of the club. We now have over 950 members and feel that this mandatory training will help keep our safety record intact. Shooters on the ranges after March 15, 2014 who have not attended the Range Orientation & Safety Meeting will be asked to leave. Our next Range Orientation & Safety class will be: Tuesday 3/11/14 at 7 PM. Beginning April 1, 2014 we plan to move the meeting to the first Tuesdays at 7:00pm.

<u>March Events</u>: We have a busy month planned - Shooting events for March are: (1) Air Pistol Silhouette Match on March 1 at 9 AM on the Rifle Range; (2) Dino's Double Trouble Shotgun Shoot on March 1 at 11 AM; (3) Cabin Fever Pistol Shoot on March 8 at 9:00 AM on the Pistol Range; (4) Air Silhouette Shoot on Feb 15 at 9 AM on the Rifle Range; (5) The Steel Fun Match on March 22/23 in the Action Pistol Bays, Signup at 9 AM, Instruction and Shooting to follow; and (6) The Spring Sportsman's Show on March 30 at 9 AM in the Trap Shack.

## <u> Pine Tree Room / Bullwinkle Bar</u>

<u>News</u>: The Club House is now open at Noon on Saturday for Food and Drink Service. Come in and eat after you shoot. The "First Friday" Dance & Buffet will feature dance music by "Snakebite" and Prime Rib, Lasagna, or a Seafood Plate on the Buffet Line.

On Tuesdays in February our kitchen staff will be offer some new entrees. See the weekly email for the Tuesday Special.

On Wednesdays in February: Our kitchen staff is featuring Fish & Chips for \$1.00 off the regular price.

On Thursdays in February: Our kitchen staff will be preparing a medley of your favorites: Beef Sliders, Mongolian Beef, Pan Seared Scallops, and The Wimpy Burger with BBQ Beans. Check the calendar for the schedule.

<u>March Events</u>: We have some exciting food and music offerings in March: On March 7<sup>th</sup> we have our now famous First Friday Dance & Buffet, with Prime Rib or Lasagna or a Seafood Plate, and dance music by Snakebite; On March 14<sup>th</sup> we are serving a special Saint Patrick's Day Dinner featuring Corned Beef and Cabbage or Rueben Sandwiches in addition to our regular menu; On March 21<sup>st</sup>, we are serving BBQ Pork Ribs in addition to our regular menu; On March 28<sup>th</sup>, we are serving your favorite Chicken Fried Steak with mashed potatoes and sausage gravy in addition to our regular menu.