

October 11th Lunch Program: member fall hunting stories

October 14th Open Range at CCSC to sight in your hunting rifle



Historically the club has not held an event in October due to most guys in the field hunting deer. Last year we held a .38 cal pistol shoot but the honcho has moved out of state. We still have the range reserved at CCSC so why not use this time to get your rifle ready for the hunting season?

The club will have the range at the Education Center at CCSC open from 8am till 12 noon for our use to sight in your guns for this fall or just to dial in a load or practice your shooting. No cost. So if you do not have a hunt and want to come out and shoot your gun(s) feel free on Oct 14.

November 4th 22 pistol Turkey Shoot at CCSC honcho Don Turner



We will have our pistol silhouette shoot at the Clark County shooting complex. Set up at 8am, shoot starts at 9 pm. \$20.00 entry fee and \$5.00 challenge fees, highest score counts.

Each shooter will shoot 20 rounds of .22LR. There will be five silhouette turkey targets and a paper turkey target per shooter at 25 yards. All five silhouette targets will have to be knocked down before shooting the target. Each target knocked down is 10 points, and each shot hitting the kill zone on the turkey target will be ten points (200 points max). Safety rules will be strictly enforced (muzzles up unless on the firing line, no handling guns behind the firing line and during cease fire/safe periods). Lewis class prizes. **Safety is an attitude--attitude is everything.**

December 9th 3 Gun Shoot LAST MARKSMAN OF THE YEAR EVENT!



Once a year we get to shoot a MACHINE GUN and this event is it. The format is shooting a semi-auto pistol, a semi-auto rifle and a fully-auto machine gun. Those of you new to the club are in for a treat, regardless of the Marksman of the Year standings it is always fun to shoot something you don't get to do everyday. Often the machine gun has been the deciding factor in the final standings....can you hold it on target to empty a full magazine? Honcho Dave Famiglietti from New Frontier Armory will be supplying the guns. Details for the shoot will include......info to follow in

email blasts stay tuned. Dec 9th CCSC 100 yd range at the Training Center sign ups start at 8am shooting to start soon after. Cost will be \$? TBD by honcho The Club will provide coffee, hot chocolate etc.



Next meeting Wednesday November 8th, noon at Charlie's Lakeside located at 8603 W. Sahara (Sahara/Durango) price \$20



Presidents Message

Hunting season is well under way, I hope that you drew a great tag(s) and are successful filling it. Please take pictures and have a great story to share with the rest of us. Our motto is "We hunt, we fish, and we talk(exaggerate) about it. Join us at lunch and see who spins the tallest tale!

Banquet preparations are under way and VP/Banquet Chairman Dave Famiglietti could use your help!

Steve Linder President 2016 & 2017

Fall Hunt Photos....



A friend of Craig Wright dropped this B & C top 200 record up in Utah. He was offered \$40K for it by some Park City Billionaire but refused the offer.

Taken on Private Property in what is now known as a Trophy Area in Central Utah. Manti, Utah. Pointed out at 396 5/8 BC. It ran 13 5/8" all the way up both sides. Never varied. That is what made this Bull Royal (6 pt.) score so high. Shot with a 270 Ruger at 253 yards. One shot! Funny thing though was that the Bull with him probably would have scored about 405 but he rack didn't look as good as this one. Mounted as a shoulder mount.

The Park City area now has numerous 25 million dollar homes everywhere up there and one of those billionaire home owners offered Tim the \$40K for it. He has taken 23 Bulls in his lifetime and scored this one as his highest lifetime kill so he decided to keep it.



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Sept speaker Bob Markworth, dogs ready to go, Eric Forsstrom elk.

Fall Feast & Iron man Shoot Results.....



Mike Reese once again put on a great event with great weather to boot. Let's start with the FREE food for all provided by the Road Kill Grill what an awesome spread of BBQ fixings of ribs, chicken, sausage, beans, potato salad, cole slaw and mac and cheese. Road Kill Grill has been a great banquet supporter of the club over the years as well as providing the meal at this event, they do a wonderful job. Mike had food prepared for 70 folks and I think the final total was around 50-60 that took advantage of this perk of LVWW membership. Part of your annual dues each year include a FREE meal for you, your family and friends at the Spring Feast in May and the Fall Feast in

September, I suggest you take advantage of these events.

Now the results of the Iron Man Shoot. Mike had a combination of 4 different types of shooting set up, all with the field hunter in mind. The rules where similar to what type of conditions you may actually find in the field when hunting birds. The four disciplines were trap, skeet, 5 stand and wobble trap. There were a total of 98 targets for each shooter. Extra points were given for posting the top score in each discipline. High score in Trap was Tracy Delfante, Skeet was a tie, Mike Reese and Ron Drombowski, 5 Stand was Mike Reese and Wobble Trap was Michael Reese.

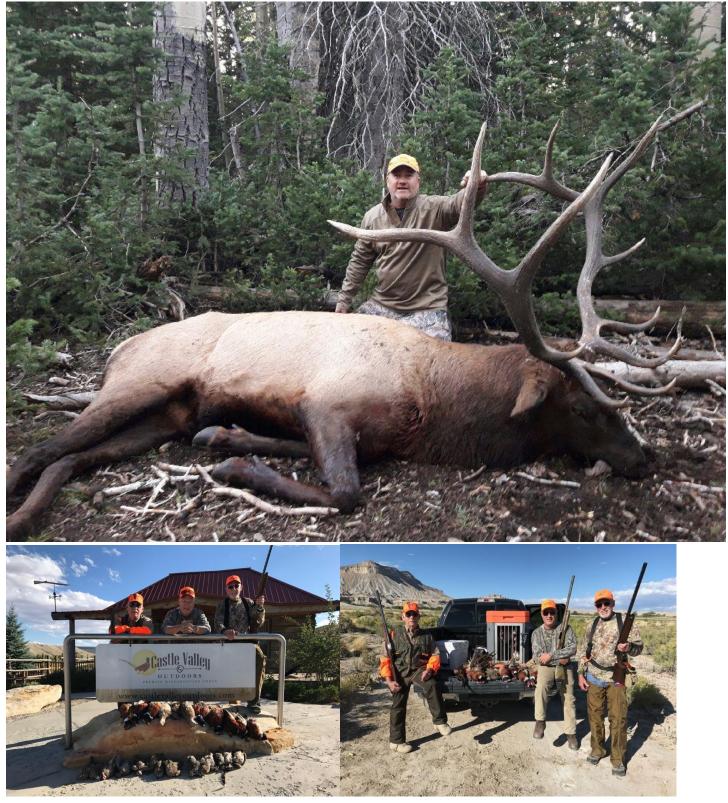
However, it was the overall score for all the four events combined that counted for the Marksman of the Year standings. The top 5 finishers were; Mike Reese 10 pts, Frank Mirabelli 9 pts, Jerry Gnade 8 pts, Tracy Delfante 7 pts, Jeff Jorgensen and Tony ONeil tied with 5.5 pts each and Ron Drombowski with 4 pts.

There were a total of 32 shooters which generated a nice prize pool for Lewis Class money payouts. Three flights were paid out and the winners were: M. Reese \$75, F Mirabelli \$50, J Gnade \$20 in flight #1, Clayton Philipp \$25, Mike Lussier \$25, Mike Taylor \$25, Bruce Young \$50, and John Mitteness and Ryan Drombowski each got \$10 in flight #2 and the 3rd flight paid out Steve Kiss \$75, Steve Reiter \$50 and Shaun Kiss \$25.



McKenna Reiter at her station showing the guys how its done, Russ Swain looking at the camera and not the birds.

Successful Hunts this fall..... Shaun Deal with his big UT elk



Castle Valley Pheasants, not sure all the LVWW members that went but Neil Dille, Bruce Young, Rod Maly, and Steve Linder were part of the crew. Another successful hunt for pheasant, chukar and quail. Castle Valley donates to the banquet each year

Grand Canyon Bison Management Act

PHOENIX — The Arizona Game and Fish Department applauds the U.S. House Natural Resources Committee for approving a bi-partisan bill that will allow the Department to better manage and conserve the bison population within Grand Canyon National Park.

Today the Committee passed the Grand Canyon Bison Management Act, attaching it as an amendment to the larger Sportsman's Heritage and Recreational Enhancement (SHARE) Act. The Bison Management Act, introduced in June by U.S. Rep. Paul Gosar, requires the U.S. Department of Interior and the Arizona Game and Fish Commission to coordinate on a plan that would allow sportsmen holding a valid state-issued hunting license to assist in management of the bison population within the park.

The amendment follows the release of a National Park Service plan that allows public volunteers to assist in culling an overpopulation of bison on the North Rim of Grand Canyon National Park. Wildlife surveys estimate that about 600 bison have migrated into the park, where hunting is prohibited and bison are impacting both natural and cultural resources. Left unclear with the current National Park Service plan is whether a licensed, skilled volunteer would be allowed to harvest and keep the entire animal. The Service stated previously that it was legally prohibited from conveying the harvested animal to a private hunter. Approval of the Bison Management Act will provide clear legal direction that allows skilled volunteers to keep the entire animal when leaving the park.

"While the National Park Service plan has some components that move in the right direction, it will surely face endless litigation while a bison herd continues growing unabated on the Grand Canyon National Park," Arizona Game and Fish Commission Chairman Jim Ammons said. "This federal legislation will allow Arizona Game and Fish Department and Park Service to apply the best wildlife management practices to manage the bison herd effectively and immediately. Right now, Grand Canyon National Park simply cannot properly manage the unhealthy growth of the herd without this legislative fix." Rep. Gosar stated that the Bison Management Act provides a direct, cost-effective solution that strives to protect Grand Canyon resources.

"This is another important step in the legislative process to provide local wildlife managers the authority to utilize state licensed skilled volunteers to provide a timely solution, with no cost to taxpayers, to address the exploding bison population problem in Grand Canyon National Park," Rep. Gosar said.

Biologists predict that the herd could grow to nearly 800 in the next three years and be as large as 1,200 to 1,500 animals within 10 years without further management actions to control the size of the herd. AZGFD continues to collaborate with the National Park Service, U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management and the InterTribal Buffalo Council on bison management guidelines for herd reduction.

"The Arizona Game and Fish Commission and Department thank Dr. Gosar for continuing to pursue this issue for the conservationists who appreciate the Park's historic landmarks and want to protect them and prevent undue degradation to habitat and native species by managing the bison herd at sustainable levels," Ammons said.

The bipartisan House bill is co-sponsored by U.S. Reps. Tom O'Halleran, David Schweikert and Trent Franks. Operational details of herd reduction under the National Park Service plan are still being worked out and more information, including potential volunteer opportunities, will be announced at a later date by the National Park Service.

BUY – SELL - TRADE

Buyers & Sellers agree to obey all firearms laws and local regulations in all transactions and hold LVWW harmless. Hunting, Fishing, Camping gear. No gear submitted for Oct.

New Members: Jeff Jorgenson, Joe Hanley...welcome to the club, make sure to get your free hat at lunch for joining.

Scouting Troop 130 and the LVWW Club

Want to be a scout? LVWW Boy Scout and Venturing Crew – Boys and Girls ages 11-21 welcome. Meet Thursdays from 6:30-8pm call Joe Luby at 702 290-9590 or scout master Bill Rochel'eau at 209 480-7835. Troop 130 is the clubs very own charter, scouting embodies all the things the club is about; hunting, fishing, outdoor skills, friendships and getting youth involved in these pursuits.

more fall hunting photos...



Left: group enjoying a meal at Castle Valley, top right: Neil Dille with a new friend at Castle Valley, bottom right: Mark Forrstrom and his brother Eric both got cow elk steaks for the freezer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LVWW Marksman Angler Events

October-	No official Marksman shoot, but we have the range at CCSC for our use to sight in rifles 8am till 12 noon 14 th at the Education Center Honcho LVWW
November-	22 Pistol Turkey Silhouette Shoot at CCSC 4th Honcho Don Turner 602 799-6466
December-	3 Gun Shoot at CCSC 14th Honcho Dave Famligetti
January-	Ice Fishing Cave Lake Ely NV With Ely Rotary Club



Stories or photos, contact GameBag Editor Brian Patterson 702 715-2020

In the News/Coming Events

Clark County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife (CAB)

Next Meeting Tuesday, September 19th 5:30pm-9:00 pm at Government Center, Pueblo room, 500 S Grand Central Pkwy. This meeting will discuss fishing regulations, please show up.



Marksman & Angler of the Year Standings

Marksman of the Year 2017 standings after 6/8 events

Angler of the Year 2017 standings after 5/5 events All Around 2017 Standings after 11/13 events

Mike Reese	28 pts	Steve Linder	38 pts	Larry Cusiman	o 55 pts
Al Schoelen	24.5 pts	Larry Cussimano	37 pts	Steve Linder	46.5 pts
Jeff Boatwright	23.5 pts	Rod Maly	23.5 pts	Al Scholen	34.5 pts
Turner/Cusimano 18 pts		Madgi Ghali	18 pts	Rod Maly	29.5 pts
Mike Taylor	17 pts	John Threadgill	16 pts	Mike Reese	28 pts

"There is no person living who isn't capable of doing more than they think they can do" Henry Ford

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Jokes

Dave Famigletti with a sage grouse.



Students at a local school were assigned to read 2 books, 'Titanic' and 'My Life' by Bill Clinton.

One student turned in the following book report, with the proposition that they were nearly identical stories!

Titanic: Cost - \$29.99 Clinton : Cost - \$29.99

Titanic: Over 3 hours to read Clinton : Over 3 hours to read

Titanic: The story of Jack and Rose, their forbidden love, and subsequent catastrophe. Clinton : The story of Bill and Monica, their forbidden love, and subsequent catastrophe.

> Titanic: Jack is a starving artist. Clinton : Bill is a bullshit artist

Titanic: In one scene, Jack enjoys a good cigar. Clinton : Ditto for Bill

Titanic: During the ordeal, Rose's dress gets ruined. Clinton : Ditto for Monica.

> *Titanic: Jack teaches Rose to spit. Clinton : Let's not go there.*

Titanic: Rose gets to keep her jewellery. Clinton : Monica is forced to return her gifts.

Titanic: Rose remembers Jack for the rest of her life. Clinton : Clinton doesn't remember anything..

Titanic: Rose goes down on a vessel full of seamen. Clinton : Monica.. Ooh, let's not go there, either.

Titanic: Jack surrenders to an icy death. Clinton : Bill goes home to Hillary - basically the same thing **His cool professor gave him an A+ for this report.**