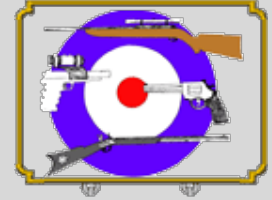


August 2022

# CWSA NEWSLETTER



**Central Whidbey Sportsmen's Association P.O. Box 711 Coupeville, WA 98239**  
**For current information and the most up to date calendar of events**  
**Go to the web site address: [cwsaonline.org](http://cwsaonline.org)**

#### CLUB OFFICERS:

<b>President</b>	Larry Memmer	969-2588
<b>Vice President</b>	Randy Pike	544-2140
<b>Secretary</b>	Kay Gheen	907 231-5492
<b>Treasurer</b>	Ralph Young	678-0430
<b>Membership</b>	Wes Kenworthy	675-3524

#### CLUB DIRECTORS:

<b>2022</b>	Gary Winlund	503 440-3492
	Mike Nortier	619 947-4299
<b>2023</b>	Mike Cox	399-0078
	Michael Marks	696-5814
<b>2024</b>	Doug Smith	672-0629
	Ron Martin	320-8797

#### Committee Chairs:

<b>Public Relations:</b>	Bill Balfour	679-1812
	Ron Martin	320-8797
<b>Match Scheduling:</b>	Al Lindell	678-0960
<b>NRA Recruiter:</b>	Gary Winlund	678-9879
<b>Range Safety Ofcr:</b>	Kelley Gustafson	678-4430
<b>Hunter Safety:</b>	Larry Memmer	696-2588
<b>Projects coordinator:</b>	Ed Hilkey	929-2896

[CWSA\\_PROJECTS@CWSAOnline.com](mailto:CWSA_PROJECTS@CWSAOnline.com)

**Newsletter:** John Mott 222-3161

#### Match coordinators:

<b>Pin</b>	Richard Morgan	425 750-5444
<b>Speed Steel Rifle</b>	Larry Memmer	969-2588
<b>Speed Steel Pistol</b>	Mike Cox	399-0078
<b>Pistol Falling Plates</b>	Roger Richards	820-8105
<b>Rifle Falling Plates</b>	Roger Richards	820-8105
<b>Pistol Hanging Plates</b>	Gary Raster	969-3228
<b>Rifle Hanging Plates</b>	Gary Raster	969-3228
<b>22lr Off-hand Rifle</b>	Lance Landquist	320-3645
<b>Rifle</b>	Gary Winlund	678-9879
<b>Trap</b>	Ralph Downs	202-7562
<b>Archery Coordinator</b>	Bill Simons	360 679-4993

For full list of Committee Chairs - visit the CWSA Website

Next General Meeting – **Monday**

**August 8, 1900**

**(7:00 PM)**

The club is offering a FREE "Stop the Bleed" Classes on 29 August and on 7 September 2022 at the CWSA gun club from 7:00pm to 9:30pm on both dates. There are only 15 seats for each class. This is a really good class to take especially if you are around guns and have an accidental discharge of a weapon or with a hunting group. Please contact Steve Foster for more information and to reserve a seat for one of the classes at [shfoster@usa.net](mailto:shfoster@usa.net)

#### **What you absolutely, positively MUST know:**

Are you interested in a concealed carry class using the Utah protocol? You must have the Washington permit to apply for the Utah permit. Contact Randy Pike [RW\\_Pike@yahoo.com](mailto:RW_Pike@yahoo.com) or at (360) 544-2140 if you are interested.

## Board Meeting – Items of Interest:

In the last couple of months two of our riding mowers have died and are too old to economically repair. Gary went to Tractor Supply and found a store return unit that had only 15 hours of use. He was able to negotiate a \$1,000 discount on the unit. The membership present voted to allocate \$3,484.00 to purchase the mower.

President Memmer announced that he will stay on as president and will run for reelection at the end of the year. We will use the standard voting process in December.

The club would like to officially thank **Julie Trobaugh** for donating a Kurig coffee maker and supplies to the club.

Randy Pike raised the question: is anyone interested in a concealed carry class using the Utah protocol? You must have the Washington permit to apply for the Utah permit.

The membership voted to raise dues to \$96.00 for regular membership and \$48.00 for Seniors (members over 65 with 5 years membership). There is an additional \$50.00 assessment for **not completing** a 2-hour work contribution.

There will be a Range Safety Officer (RSO) Class on 20 August 2022 starting at 0900 to 1300 for the first 13 people who would like to be Range Safety Officers for the club. Standing a 4-hour watch will be your service project for the year while keeping the ranges safe. If you are interested in becoming an RSO Please email Larry Memmer at [lgmem@comcast.net](mailto:lgmem@comcast.net) to reserve your seat!

CPR/First Aid class will be held on 8 October. Please contact Larry Memmer at [lgmem@comcast.net](mailto:lgmem@comcast.net) to sign up.

The club is in need of a Webmaster for our club's website. Cliff Howard did an awesome job setting it all up and maintaining it. Thank you, Cliff! Cliff has decided to move on and therefore we need a new webmaster. **If you know WordPress** please contact Randy Nollan at (360) 320-2375 and **leave a message**, or email [rnollan@cablespeed.com](mailto:rnollan@cablespeed.com)

## Just Another Reminder !

**The shotgun (ammo) rules have recently changed.** You can fire a shotgun with shot **Birdshot** in the trap range, at the patterning board at the end of the trap range and in Bay #6. In Bay #6 they have set up hog wire to hold targets or paper to check out your shotgun - bring some clothes line clips or tape. You can fire **Slugs** at the 100yd and 200yd range as well as the short range - this is for sighting purposes only. Please limit the number of slug rounds that you fire on these ranges due to the damage they do.

## **Working Party Notes & Next Work Party(s)**

**Ed Hilkey is our new work party coordinator.** As usual, the turn out for Sunday work parties is better than Wednesdays, if you can, attend the Wednesday work party to help out.

Come out and assist Ed with the work party and get your punch card punched. The weather is improving, the grass is growing and the membership is using the ranges. This all requires more maintenance.

**Wednesday July 6<sup>th</sup> 0900 to 1100 (9:00 AM to 11:00 AM)**

**Sunday July 10<sup>th</sup> 0900 to 1100 (9:00 AM to 11:00 AM)**

**Wednesday August 3<sup>rd</sup> 0900 to 1100 (9:00 AM to 11:00 AM)**

**Sunday August 7<sup>th</sup> 0900 to 1100 (9:00 AM to 11:00 AM)**

If anyone has any extra time and wants to help around the club (and get credit and a punch on your “work party card”) the following items always need attention.

Weed whack around ranges and behind the sheds behind the club house. Bring your own trimmer.

Spray weeds and grass on ranges and other areas. Bring your own sprayer and liquid.

Empty garbage cans, including brass barrels on ranges. Extra bags should be available in cans.

**Let Ed Hilkey know what you have done so he can give your card a punch for work performed. Ed 360-929-2896.**

**All Ranges, this means the ENTIRE Club is CLOSED (except scheduled shoots) during the work party!**

**Contact Ed Hilkey 360 929-2896 or [CWSA PROJECTS@CWSAOnline.com](mailto:CWSA_PROJECTS@CWSAOnline.com) with suggestions.**

**Notice of bylaw changes below; these require a 2/3 vote of the members present for any change. Therefore, this is to notify all membership of the club to come and vote on the bylaw changes at the next general meeting on 8 August 2022 at 7:00pm. Article 9 gives the requirements to change the bylaws.**

#### Article 9 AMENDMENTS

*Any proposed amendments to the bylaws may be submitted in writing to the Executive Committee at any time. The committee shall deal with them in an appropriate and timely manner depending on the subject of the proposed amendment. If they receive the committee's approval, they must be voted on by the members at a regular meeting provided the members have received a copy of the changes at least 7 days before the meeting. A 2/3 vote of the members present is required for any change to the bylaws.*

Proposed changes to our bylaws are listed below the first is, Article 4 Officers and Executive committee is how are bylaws currently read; a change to the terms from 1 year to 2 years as highlighted in the second article 4 paragraph Section A is what we would like to change the bylaws to read.

#### ARTICLE 4 – OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (EXISTING)

##### Section A:

The Officers of CWSA shall consist of the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Membership Secretary and such other Officers as shall from time to time be appointed or elected. This group, along with the Board of Directors, shall constitute the Executive Committee. In addition, the most recent past president shall serve on this committee for 1 year following his/her term of office. Officers and Directors shall be elected by ballot by the members present at the meeting in December. The nominations shall be accepted in both the November and December meetings. The nominees must be aware of the duties of these offices for which they are running and personally accept nominations. The term of office shall be for 1 year for Officers and 3 years for Directors. All Officers and Directors shall be 21 years of age or older.

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#### ARTICLE 5 – DESCRIPTION OF POSITIONS (EXISTING)

Election of any office does not confer upon any Officer any prerogatives other than as specified in the following descriptions of those positions. However, recognizing that all eventualities cannot be covered by a single

document such as this, if a decision needs to be made that cannot wait for a meeting of members to decide, then a majority of the Officers and Directors currently available shall be adequate to make that decision. Such decisions, however, shall be made known to the membership at the next regular meeting.

#### Section A: PRESIDENT

The President shall preside over all meetings of the CWSA and the Executive Committee. He/she shall be an ex-officio member of all regular and special committees. He/she shall perform all such duties as usually pertain to the office, including assuring that all members, Officers and employees carry out their duties in a businesslike manner. He/she shall act promptly upon receipt of any correspondence or other action items received in his/her capacity as president.

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