



NELSON DISTRICT ROD & GUN CLUB

Mailing Address: PO Box 16, Nelson, BC V1L 5P7

Indoor Range & Clubhouse: 801 Railway St, Nelson BC

Outdoor Range: 124 Porto Rico Rd (off of Hwy 6), Nelson BC

Website: www.nrgcbc.ca

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NEWS:

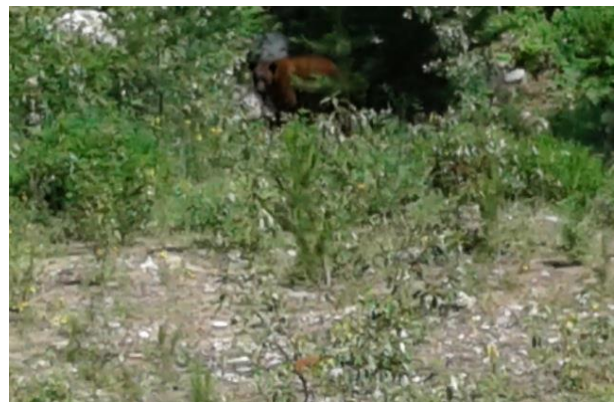


Trap Shooting: Regular trap shooting is happening again this year at the outdoor range. We propose to shoot on every **second** and **fourth** Sunday of the month from 9:00am – 12:00pm, good weather permitting. The costs will be \$4.00 per round to cover the costs of the clays and \$8.00 for a box of shells. Please note at this time we only have 12-gauge shells for sale. So, come on out and have a little fun.

Jim Brown

We had a visitor slowly (and I do mean slowly!) graze his way across our line of sight today out at the trap range. Even firing off a couple of shots did not encourage him to move along. We curtailed shooting for awhile to allow him to pass by safely. Fine looking bear, he survived winter well. Made for a special day out at the range!

Jim Brown



2018 Kootenay Heritage Match

Sunday, August 26th, 2018

The centrepiece of the Nelson Rod and Gun Club's rifle shooting events is back! Bring your .303 British-chambered rifle out for some fresh air and good competition. Add your name to the legacies of our trophies or win other glory!

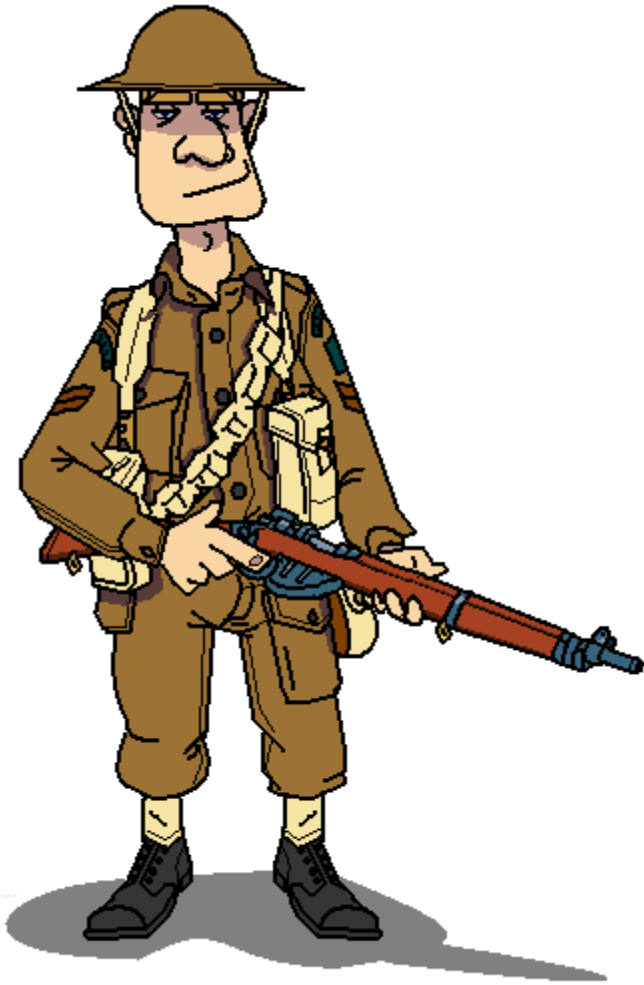
Registration at 0900hrs – shooting starts at 10 O'clock sharp!

Entry Fee: \$25 (includes lunch; non-shooters' lunch \$10)

Any rifle chambered in .303 British is welcome, military or sporting. No scopes or target sights. Any safe ammo is acceptable (approx. 55 rounds needed).

Bragging rights are available for any shooter who participates in period uniform!

Please direct questions to Andrew Woodward at Andrew.g.woodward@protonmail.com



Archery

3D Shoot Winners:

Men Compound	Women Compound	Mens Crossbow
1. Eddie Philipzyk	1. Alicia Rawlinso	1. Cal Laybourne
2. Dan Neil	2. Sandy Russell	2. Norm Rich
3. Ryan Johnson		3. Army Zaitsoff
Men Traditional	Women Traditional	Cub
1. Bruce Olson	1. Gina Shaw	1. Dez Erven
2. Wes Smith	2. Annette Smith	Mini Cub
3. (TIE) Monty and Ray Evin		1. Liam Malpass
Two-Day Best Average		
Wes Smith		



Liam helping Annette at Awards.



Greg Turner



Dez Ervin and Jody



Sandra Warren and Grandson



Doug Turner

Thank You to all the volunteers who helped to make the 3D Shoot a success. We especially would like to thank the businesses and individuals who donated to our event.

Baba's Indian Cuisine
Barren's Sport Shop
BOH Archery
Bronwen Wetter Clay
Bruce Olson
Cooper Peloso

Doug Shaw
FRP Transmissions Innovations
HOJO Designs
Itza Ristorante & Pizzeria
John Ward Fine Coffee
Kokanee Mountain Zipline

Martech Electrical Systems
Obsessed Optic Hunting
RBC Royal Bank
Thor's Pizzeria
Valley Firearms
Windfeather Archery

A special thank you to the **Mount Sentinel Woodworking** class for creating our beautiful awards.

Fishing Forever – June 16 and Family Fishing – June 17

Richard Green

Fishing Forever, a BC Wildlife Federation program designed to provide an opportunity for a day of fishing /outdoor enjoyment for those who would otherwise never be able to get out due to infirmities or other handicaps, was hosted by our club for the 19th time at Cottonwood Lake. The weather was fine. We had only 43 guests (this year we were missing the bus from Nelson Jubilee Manor, sadly) but Mountain Lake Seniors Community did send a busload and they had a great day boating, fishing, and munching on Glen's burgers while sitting around the campfire.

Family Fishing on Fathers' Day was a total success with a steady influx of guests (160 registered) who got out on the lake, fished, had lunch, and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. As in the past the kids who caught a fish were presented with a gift fishing rod & reel. One of the youngest kids, a three-year-old named Walt, caught not one but two fish! The biggest fish at 14.5 inches was a tie between Yee Lin and Ty Zukowski. Good for them!

Thanks to the BC government for allowing fishing without a license on that weekend; Family Fishing Society of BC for assistance in the form of some funding and some materials such as fishing gear; Freshwater Fisheries Society of BC for stocking the lake (arranged by the Ministry); Ben Beetlestone for bait; BC Wildlife Federation for Tee shirts; the Regional District of Central Kootenay for the use of their park; and a generous donation of burgers and buns from A & W Restaurants in Nelson.

The volunteers who worked at setup on Friday afternoon and during the weekend were truly impressive in their cheerful enthusiasm for the tasks they undertook. I am most grateful for the competent assistance throughout our weekend event. A special note of thanks to the three kitchen workers – Glen, Bev, and my sister Holly from Surrey.



Makeup of volunteers for Fathers' Day weekend at Cottonwood Lake

Richard Green

Club members will be interested to know that the 19th annual Fathers' Day weekend of fishing hosted by our club depends heavily upon workers who are not club members and many came from far away.

On Saturday, June 16 and again on Sunday, June 17 there were 20 individuals who contributed their time and efforts to make the day a success.

On each day, ten of the workers were members of our club and ten were not members.

Of the ten non-members, three live in Ontario; two live on Vancouver Island; one lives in Surrey and took two days off work in order to be here to help; and one lives in Kelowna.

We could not put on these two wonderful days without help from non-members. The ten club volunteers were superb, but ten is not enough.

Something to think about!

Letter from a satisfied guest at Family Fishing June 17:

We had such a great time with Brian!

Our boy Walt (3) even caught a fish! It was delicious! It was his first time fishing and in a boat. Everyone was so friendly and helpful and full of smiles. It was so encouraging and I think he loved it.

Thanks again for such a wonderful event. We've been talking about it to everyone we know. When you have little kids it's so great to have an event to go to where you can be outside, meet some new people, learn something new, dazzle your children, and have fun!

All your hard work to put this event on is so greatly appreciated. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

See you next year!



Chicken Shoot:

There was a low attendance, but those who attended had a fun day with interesting rifles. Volunteers did a great job. Thank you, **Dan Danforth** for your help.

Nelson District Rod & Gun Club would like to recognize and thank

the following list of donors who contributed to the **Kitchen and Storage Addition.**

Wally Kampen, President

Nelson Italian Canadian Society
Red Dog Carpentry
Wall-Tone Painting & Contracting
Maglio Building Centre
Arcovio Elect

McNally Excavation
Nelson Ready Mix Concrete
Lammle Drywall
Edward Nunn p. Engineer
James Kurzinger

FOOD SAFE COURSE- If anyone is interested in occasionally helping in the kitchen and wishes to take the Food Safe course, the club will reimburse the cost of the course. Contact: Glen McKen 250-505-5006



Sandhill Cranes. Duck Lake
Photos: *Blaire Smith*



Coot Family. Kamloops

Nelson District Rod & Gun Club

Ongoing Events:

July 2018

Members Meeting

All members are encouraged to attend.

First Tuesday of the month at 7:15pm (Does not take place in January due to AGM)

Indoor Archery

Tuesdays at 6:00pm-7:30

Contact: Wes Smith

Trap

Every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month

9:00am-12:00 pm













Weather permitting

Ladies Shooting

Thursday at 6:00-7:00pm*

New shooters are invited on the first Thursday of the month.

Contact: Anita Bowers
250-354-2998

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3  	4	5 	6	7
8 	9	10 	11	12 	13	14
15	16	17 	18	19 	20	21
22 	23	24 	25	26 	27	28
29	30	31 				



Please note: Ladies will shoot all summer on Thursday from 6-7 pm. Sometimes indoors and sometimes at the outdoor range. Contact Anita Bowers for information. The group will continue to encourage new members to try out shooting on the first Thursday of the month year-round. ladiestargetshooting.nrgc@gmail.com

*Check the website, <http://www.nrgcbc.ca/indoorange/>, regularly for schedule changes and last-minute range closures. *

2018 Calendar of Events:

Heritage Shoot Sunday, August 19

Outdoor Range Closure:

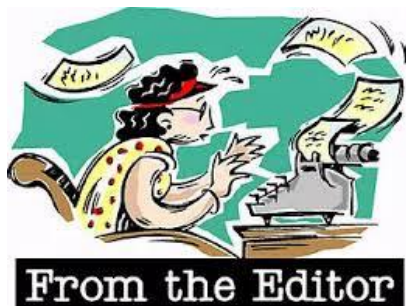
Outdoor range will be closed August 19 for Heritage Shoot.

Buy and Sell:

Radiant Natural Gas Heater. Located in the indoor range for sale. \$500 OBO. If interested, contact: Marvin Paisner @ 250-229-5710



For sale: S&W Model 57, 4" bbl, 41 magnum; Lee dies, 300 brass, 350 loads, 950 SWC 210gr; 5 speed loaders, \$750. Richard: 250-229-4457



Hello! My name is Annette Smith. I am the newsletter coordinator. Please send me your pictures of animals, scenery, and activities for the newsletter. Submissions accepted by the 20th of each month to be published by the 1st of the following month. newsletter@nrgcbc.ca
Phone: 250-505-2912

Nelson District Rod & Gun Club - 2018

P.O. Box 16, Nelson, BC V1L 5P7

Membership Renewal or Application – after Nov. 30, 2017

Date: _____

Please print clearly

Name: _____

Mailing Address: (Street, PO Box, Apartment) _____

City or Town: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: Home _____ E-Mail _____

Membership: New: _____ Renewal _____

Type of Membership: (check one)

Regular \$85 _____ Family \$110 _____ Senior: \$85 _____ Juniors(17 and under) \$30 _____
Family – covers Children – age 5 to 17 and spouse or partner only

Donation _____ Please indicate If this donation is a one time only _____
or If this donation is a yearly donation _____

Each application must be accompanied by payment

Method of Payment: (check one) Cash _____ Cheque _____ Credit Cd: Visa _____ MC _____

Account # _____ Exp Date: Mo _____ Yr _____

If you want to have an automatic dues deduction made
from your credit card **EACH YEAR** please sign here _____

Outdoor range keys were changed in 2016

If you did not renew or are a new member – and want a key -- you must provide your

Firearms Lic # _____ **Date of Expiry** _____

- (Year and month)

For renewing members who have already completed the registration and signed the waiver – upon receipt of this form, you will be sent your 2018 membership card(s)

For new members and those **who did NOT** renew in 2016 or 2017

Once this application has been received, you will be sent the new membership form, together with a Club waiver. Upon return of completed documents, your membership will be activated and card(s) and other information will be mailed to you.

Failure to complete registration or sign the waiver will result in a delay in the activation of your membership.

Membership runs January to December of each year and is not activated UNTIL you receive your membership card – simply paying the fee does not activate membership

2018 Executives and Board of Directors

Executives

President	Wally Kampen	250-354-4349	wally.k@shaw.ca
Vice President	Howie Grant	250-551-1077	hhgrant@telus.net
Past President	Richard Green	250-352-5609	Scaler1@shaw.ca
Treasurer	Frances Brown	250-352-7406	treasurer@nrgcbc.ca
Recording Secretary	Wes Smith	250-304-7521	wes.smith@shaw.ca

Directors

Marvin Paisner	Cottonwood Creek/ Indoor Firearm Range	250-229-5710	paisners@shaw.ca
Glen McKen	Event Assistant/Fishing Forever	250-505-5006	
Howie Grant	Police Liaison/ Outdoor Firearms Range	250-551-1077	hhgrant@telus.net
Frances Brown	Membership/ Treasurer/ New Society	250-352-7406	membership@nrgcbc.ca
Wes Smith	Act/Policies/Bylaws		
Andrew Woodward	Archery Indoor	250-304-7521	wes.smith@shaw.ca
Richard Green	Project Maple Seed/Spring Chicken Shoot/Heritage Match	250-551-5050	andrew.g.woodward@protonmail.com
Warren Russell	Fishing Forever/ Key Master/ Gun Show/Banquet	250-352-5609	scaler1@shaw.ca
Brian Beaudoin	Archery Outdoor/Trap Range	250-352-0787	warren@WSRussell.ca
	Trap Range/Ladies Shoot	250-551-4549	brian.kootrac@gmail.com

Coordinators:

Alan Bond	Nelson Italian Cdn Society	250-352-2289	barbalanbond@gmail.com
Anita Bowers	Ladies' Shoot	250-354-2998	ladiestargetshooting.nrgc@gmail.com
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Annette Smith	Newsletter	250-505-2912	newsletter@nrgcbc.ca
Alan Thomson	Cottonwood Creek	250-505-5376	alant2@telus.net
Dan Danforth	Bighorn Feeding	250-357-9303	dan357@telus.net
	Volunteer Coordinator		
Al Walker	Security	250-352-9752	arwalker@telus.net
Jim Brown	Trap	250-352-3933	jandjbrown604@gmail.com
Needed	Hall Rental		

