



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
Nelson District Rod and Gun Club Facebook Page

Newsletter November 2019

News:

Don't
Miss
Out!

Early Payment Incentive for Renewing Members!

Once again, the Club is offering an incentive for early payment of memberships for those members who paid in 2019 and are renewing their memberships in 2020.

If you pay between October 15th and November 30th 2019 for 2020, there will be a reduction of \$10.00

Individuals and Seniors will pay \$75.00

Families will pay \$100.00

Juniors will still pay the \$30.00 as the Club currently subsidizes these members.

The application form and payment must be received by the Club by December 1st, 2019, not simply put in the mail or dropped off at Nelson Farmers Supply on or after that date.

Remember, if you miss the deadline, the full fees will apply

For those of you on automatic renewal, **as long as your credit card info is current**, you don't have to do a thing – your 2020 membership will be processed in November

A new person in charge of memberships will be hopefully starting in October, and this year we will be able to process renewals as received. You will be able to contact her via the club e-mail: Membership@nrgcbc.ca

Frances Brown, Director- Treasurer

Nelson District Rod & Gun Club - 2020

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Membership Application with Early Renewal Incentive:

valid October 15, 2019 to November 30, 2019.

Do not wait until the last moment to renew - Remember, if you miss the deadline your application will be held until the full fees are received.

Please print clearly

Date:

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 \$75 _____ Family \$100 _____ Senior: \$75 _____ 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

If you are paying by Credit Card it must be approved prior to December 1st

If paying by cheque – the cheque must clear prior to December 1st

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 2019

If you did not request a key at the time of your application – and now want a key -- you must provide your

Firearms Lic # _____ **Date of Expiry** _____ (year and month)

For renewing members who have completed the registration and signed the waiver-upon receipt of this form, you will be sent your 2020 membership card(s) and key to the outdoor range starting in November.

For **new** members and those members **who have not renewed since the waiver requirement was established-you do not qualify for the early payment incentive.**

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.

Any queries- membership@nrgcbc.ca

Nelson Social Gaming

Social Gaming is an open space for Traditional Games
We support a variety card, board and tabletop gaming for people of all ages

* Bring Your Favorite Game and Find Other Interested Players *

Where:

Nelson District Rod and Gun Club
Main Hall, 801 Railway Street

When:

Sundays 4 pm to 9 pm and Thursdays 5 pm to 10 pm
Weekly as Scheduled in the NDR&GC newsletter
Late cancellation notices are posted on the
Nelson Social Gaming Facebook Page

Open To:

Members of the Nelson District Rod & Gun Club as well as Guests
\$5 Fee Per Person Each Night
Fee Waived For Club Members and First Time Visitors

Contact:

Coordinator Calvin Hacking at calvin.hacking@gmail.com

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me

In addition to people bringing their favorite game,
the Club has a selection of Games to play
and we are always willing to teach



What is "Social Gaming"?

It is a family orientated time and place to socially interact playing your favorite non-electronic game. To find opponents for your game or play other games. Games like Catan, Agricola, Risk, Dominion, Magic, Warhammer 40K, Age of Sigmar, X-Wing, Battlegroup, D&D and Pathfinder just to name a few. Just bring out your favorite game or show up to see what is being played and if anyone needs another player to join in. We would also like to start building a collect of games within the club for venue use. If anyone has any games, complete or otherwise, lying around not being used, we are interested in them. Donations would be greatly appreciated.



**Come On Out and Play **

NDRGC Core, and PAL programs to be held at Mickey McEwen Hall

PAL: January 19, 2020, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm plus testing time. Limited to a max of 12 students. Cost: \$125. Minimum student age for PAL is 12 yrs.

CORE: Feb 1-2, 2020, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm each day. Minimum of 12 students required. Cost: \$150. Minimum student age for Core is 10 yrs. Core book required as students should pre-read the book and practice the review questions. Contact: **Alan Bond** @ 250 352-2289 or **Howie Grant** @ 250 551-1077 to register.

If you have any questions regarding these courses, please contact the instructor **Dorian Boswell** @ 250-265- 9912.

Hay Lift

Howie Grant

On Saturday, Oct. 26, 2019, Mother Nature challenged the members of the NDRGC, The Salmo ATV Club and the West Kootenay Big Game Trophy Association with blizzard conditions as the clubs joined forces to deliver 3 tons of hay and 4900 lbs of pellets for the 2019-2020 sheep feeding program. However, the persistence of all volunteers was unwavering and the hay and the feed were delivered without incident. Eventually Mother Nature relented and a warm sun and clearer skies helped to make the Bbq and social afterwards a day to remember. Thanks, Glen for the hotdogs, they were great as usual.

Special thanks to The Salmo ATV Club for their continuous, unwavering support and to Fred Mansveld of Mill Creek Farms. Fred donated his truck, flat deck trailer and fuel to travel to Creston and pick up the hay.

These acts of dedication, commitment and generosity are truly appreciated.



Photo: Natalie Green



Indoor Gun Range:

Marvin Paisner

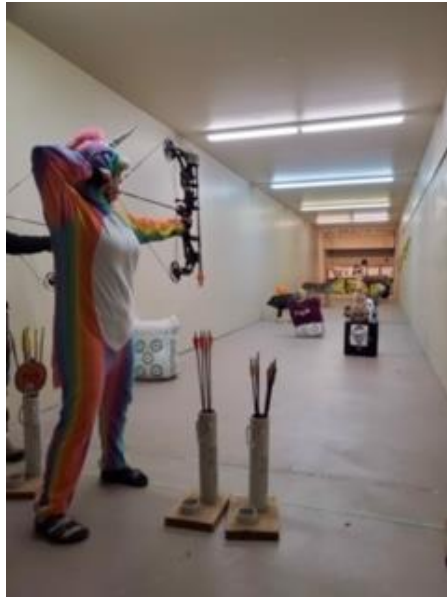
New Time: Monday evening shooting times will be **4:30-6:00pm**

Indoor Archery Range:

On Tuesday, October 29, the indoor archery range was haunted by skeletons, unicorns, a dragon, walking hot dog, pumpkin and a huntsman. Thank you to **Alex Schlosser** for organizing a fun evening of shooting, prizes, and yummy snacks.



Shayla, Alex, and Annette



Alex



Cloud



Jody and Dez



Greg



Yummy snacks!

Outdoor Range:

The **trap shooting** season has come to an end. Thank you, **Jim Brown** for volunteering to be the coordinator.

Archery Outdoor

The archery shelter is up and the landscaping will be completed in the spring. We will have a “grand opening celebration” when the season opens again. The targets have all been stored for the winter. Thanks so much to **Warren Russell** for all his efforts in organizing the shelter.



Member Question:

Is there a fee to use the Buy and Sell area in the newsletter?

Coordinator Answer:

No, there is no fee to members of the NRGCC to place either a “for sale” or “looking to buy” ad in the newsletter. The newsletter deadline for submissions is the 20th of each month.

New Year's Eve Glitter and Gold Gala

Alan Bond

The word is getting out for the New Year's Eve Glitter and Gold Gala at the Mickey McEwen Memorial Hall, sponsored by the Nelson District Rod & Gun Club and the Nelson Italian-Canadian Society. Notice and menu are below. If you are interested in volunteering, please call Alan Bond 250 352-2289 or Richard Green 250 352-5609. Tickets available at Vince DeVito's Shoes, 411 Hall St. Nelson or email nelitalcansoc@gmail.com to reserve tickets.

THE NELSON ITALIAN-CANADIAN SOCIETY & THE NELSON
DISTRICT ROD & GUN CLUB INVITE YOU TO A

New Year's Eve Glitter & Gold Gala

December 31, 2019

801 Railway St, Nelson, BC

Enjoy a Fabulous Dinner and a Night To Remember featuring:

★ 5-Course Hume Made Italian Dinner Served Family Style

NYE Party Favours

Door Prizes

A Few Surprises

6:00pm - Reception

7:00pm - Dinner

9:30pm - Dancing

** Music by Railtown Classic Rock

★ Come "Dressed to Impress" (Semi-Formal)

\$100 per person, tables of 8 - Cash Bar

Tickets available for purchase at Vince DeVito Shoes, 411 Hall St, Nelson

Or e-mail: nelitalcansoc@gmail.com to reserve your ticket or for any questions

New Year's Eve Glitter & Gold Gala

menù della cena

Catered by Hume

Aperitivo

prosecco

Antipasto

Marinated & Pickled Vegetables | Olives
Domestic & Imported Cheeses | Cured Italian Meats
Artisanal Crackers | French Bread

Insalata Mista

Greens with Dried Fruit, Sunflower Seeds,
Balsamic Vinaigrette

Penne all'Arrabbiata

Penne Pasta | Crushed Chili Flakes | Peeled Tomatoes
Capers | Parmesan

Petto di Pollo al Limone

Baked Chicken Breast | White Wine Lemon Sauce

Dolce

Cannoli & Biscotti

Caffè

vino

Villa Teresa, Prosecco
Santa Margherita, Pinot Grigio
Peppoli, Chianti Classico
Crognolo



The BC Wildlife Federation is devastated to inform you that Alan Martin, our beloved Director of Strategic Initiatives, passed away quickly from aggressive cancer on Tuesday, October 15, 2019. This is a terrible loss for our organization and for the many conservation partners Al supported and worked with throughout his career.

Al Martin was a giant in the conservation community. His clear thinking, vision and integrity commanded the respect of his colleagues, all conservationists and politicians and bureaucrats at all levels of government. His greatest strength, besides his sense of humour, was his ability to think strategically with insights into the future few of us could contemplate.

Al directed the strategic work of the BCWF after retiring from a 30-year career in the BC public service in 2010. Al is the former Assistant Deputy Minister in the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, and the former Director of the Fish and Wildlife Branch. Organizations such as the BCWF and the Habitat Conservation Trust Foundation, along with many leading conservation and research partners, are deeply grateful that Al chose to guide us. We are heartbroken by the immense loss of this wonderful man.

If you would like to recognize Al Martin, he has asked that instead of sending flowers, please donate to the Victoria Humane Society or any conservation organization. Al and his wife Julie were active volunteers and dog foster parents. The organization can be reached at www.victoriahumanesociety.com

Many of you have contacted us to find out where to send a card or a note to Al's family. Please send them to us and we will ensure they receive it. **Please address mail to:**

**Attention: The Martin Family
BC Wildlife Federation
101 - 9706 188 Street
Surrey, BC
V4N 3M2**

As details of a service for Al Martin become available, we will send out a notice. As we grieve for Al, we will honour him by upholding his legacy of conservation for future generations.

Yours in conservation,

Bill Bosch
President,

Nelson District Rod & Gun Club

Ongoing Events:

November 2019

Members Meeting

All members are encouraged to attend.

Indoor Archery

Tues: 5:30-7:00pm

Contact: Wes Smith 250-304-7521



Indoor Gun Range

Mon: 4:30-6:00pm*

Contact: Marvin Paisner 250-229-5710 or paisners@shaw.ca



Social Gaming



Thursday 5:00pm-

10:00pm

Sunday 4:00pm-

9:00pm

Contact:

calvin.hacking@gmail.com

kirktheorc@hotmail.com

Ladies Shooting



Thursday at 6:00-7:00pm* New shooters are invited on the first Thursday of the month.

Contact: Anita Bowers

ladiestargetshooting.nrgc@gmail.com **Check the website, <http://www.nrgbc.ca/indoorange/>, regularly for schedule changes and last-minute closures.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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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 Last day for Early Incentive

2019 Executives and Board of Directors

Executives

President	Howie Grant	250-551-1077	hhgrant@telus.net
Vice President	Richard Green	250-352-5609	scaler1@shaw.ca
Past President	Wally Kampen	250-354-4349	wally.k@shaw.ca
Treasurer	Frances Brown	250-352-7406	treasurer@nrgcbc.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/ Bighorn Sheep Volunteer Coordinator	250-551-1077	hhgrant@telus.net
Frances Brown	Membership/ Treasurer/ New Society Act/Policies/Bylaws	250-352-7406	membership@nrgcbc.ca
Naz King	Outdoor Gun Range/Trap	250-354-3335	nazyking@gmail.com
Andrew Woodward	Project Maple Seed/Spring Chicken Shoot/Heritage Match	250-551-5050	andrew.g.woodward@protonmail.com
Richard Green	Fishing Forever/ Key Master/ Corresponding Secretary	250-352-5609	scaler1@shaw.ca
Warren Russell	Archery Outdoor/Trap Range	250-551-7562	warren@WSRussell.ca
Brian Beaudoin	Trap Range	250-551-4549	brian.kootrac@gmail.com
Wally Kampen	Hall Maintenance/Website Conservation Fish& Wildlife/Hunting	250-354-4349	wally.k@shaw.ca
Alan Bond	Nelson Italian Cdn. Society and Hall Rental	250-352-2289	hallrental@nrgcbc.ca

Coordinators:

Anita Bowers	Ladies' Shoot	250-354-2998	ladiestargetshooting.nrgc@gmail.com
Darcey Lutz	3D Archery Shoot	250-354-7241	darcey64@gmail.com
Annette Smith	Newsletter	250-505-2912	newsletter@nrgcbc.ca
Alan Thomson	Cottonwood Creek	250-505-5376	alant2@telus.net
Wes Smith	Indoor Archery	250-304-7521	wes.smith@shaw.ca
Al Walker	Security	250-352-9752	arwalker@telus.net
Jim Brown	Trap	250-352-3933	jandjbrown604@gmail.com
Zach Burleson	Gun Show	250-551-7899	zachb123@gmail.com

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Membership Renewal or Application – after Nov. 30, 2018

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 _____

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(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 2019 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.

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