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## President's Message By Paul Dulong, President

A new year is upon us!

I would like welcome a few fresh faces to the Board of Directors. Terry King and Darren Ewert are first time directors and Melvin Dureen and Wendy Lau are returning ex-directors. Some fresh perspectives and ideas are always good for the Board and the Club.

I would also like to say thank you to the members for their vote of confidence in re-affirming me for another term as president. I will continue to work in the best interest of the club and its members.

Together, we look forward to a good year!

The 67th Annual Boxing Day Vedder River Steelhead Derby is coming up sooner than we think. I am chairing this again this year and could use a dozen or so enthusiastic volunteers—some for preparation work leading up to the event and some for the day of the event. Any contribution of your time and/or prizes would greatly appreciated! Call or email me if you can lend a hand. My contact information is on the back of this newsletter.

It is also not too early to start thinking about the Game Dinner in the Spring. If any of you great hunters and fishermen would like to start mak-

ing donations of game meat, fowl, or fish, we have freezers to put it in! If you would like to make a donation, contact Wayne Ralph or myself. Please make sure that it is well packaged and labeled as to what it is.

We are continuing to work on improvement projects around the club such as the shooting bays, berm extension/enhancement, new roofs, and others.

As always, there is lots to be done. We look forward seeing some fresh faces coming out and lending a hand!

Live! Explore! Enjoy!

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## Annual General Meeting By Paul Dulong, Editor

This year's Annual General Meeting was held on Wednesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

The meeting went very well. We hoped to see more members turn out, but thank you

to the 41 that did.

Yvonne Clarke, Treasurer, did an excellent job of the financial statements and was happy to report that we are in a strong financial position.

There was a presentation

made on the BCWF and the membership voted to rejoin. More information on Page 2.

Some changes to the Range Rules & Initiation/Orientation fees were presented. More information on Page 7.

## WANTED!

Clean fill (dirt) for building shooting bays. Any amount helps! If you have some or know where to get some, please contact Ken Mathiassen at 604-795-2656 or email [kmathiassen@shaw.ca](mailto:kmathiassen@shaw.ca)

## Rejoining the BC Wildlife Federation By Paul Dulong, Editor

The Chilliwack Fish and Game Protective Association has made the decision to renew its affiliation with the BC Wildlife Federation (BCWF)!

The Board of Directors was asked to explore the and evaluate the option at the June 2009 AGM. After meeting with representatives of the BCWF and Hub International Insurance, the Board strongly felt that it would be in the club's best interest to join forces with the BCWF. A presentation was made at the September 2010 AGM to the membership and the motion was made to join the BCWF. The motion passed with a majority in agreement.

Effective January 1, 2011, all members of the CFGPA will also have a full membership with the BCWF. This means that you will not only have all the benefits that the CFGPA offers, but also all the benefits that the BCWF offers! BCWF membership cards and information will be mailed out in January.

### **Benefits of BCWF Membership**

- Have a voice in the largest and longest-standing conservation group in BC, over 38,000 members and growing
- \$2,000,000 Excess Third Party Liability Insurance including ATV use for hunting or fishing & up to 25% per cent discount on House Insurance.
- Reduced rates at major hotels and other special pricing discounts.
- The "Outdoor Edge" magazine; informative and insightful reading.
- Special pricing on BCWF merchandise and limited edition prints.
- Complimentary BCWF vehicle decal.

### **Hunting and Fishing Excess Third Party Liability Insurance**

In some areas of The Lower Mainland

and the Costal Islands require proof of Insurance while hunting, membership to the BC Wildlife Federation includes this plus hiking, fishing, lawful shooting, archery, and a watercraft under 26 ft and under 100 hp

### **ATV Insurance**

Membership to the BC Wildlife Federation includes \$2,000,000 third party liability insurance required to operate an ATV on Forestry/Non Public Roads



### **Discounts on House insurance**



BC Wildlife Federation members are eligible for up to a 25% discount on their new home owners insurance policy. Hub Barton also gives BC Wildlife Federation members discounts on personal liability insurance

### **Hotel Discounts**

Members can enjoy special discounts with Coast Hotels using their "Coast Rewards Program" and the Sandman Hotel sign up today to get your special member booking codes for selected hotels



### **Clothing & Merchandise Discounts**



Not only can you purchase discounted BCWF member merchandise clothing & BC Limited Edition Art Prints members also get a discount card to Image Wear – A division of Mark's Work Wear House

### **Have a Voice in Conservation**

Have a voice in the largest and longest standing conservation group in BC; for over 50 years the BCWF has been the

leader in conservation in BC and over 100 years as a collective Fish & Game Association. When you join the BCWF you support conservation in British Columbia



### **Just a few of the many programs the Federation supports:**

- Conservation & Outdoor Recreation Education (CORE)
- Wetland Education Programs
- Becoming an Outdoor Woman (BOW)
- Fishing Forever Program
- Angling Ambassador Program
- National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP)
- Wilderness Watch
- Coming soon – Outdoor Passport Program



Visit the BCWF website at [www.bcwf.net](http://www.bcwf.net) and explore are the great programmes and projects that are going on.



## IDPA Report By Ken Mathiassen & Kim Gilmore, IDPA Co-Chairs

IDPA, an acronym for International Defensive Pistol Association is a worldwide competitive shooting organization that uses stock pistols and revolvers. The targets are IDPA standard cardboard that are either in stationary or moving stands at distances of up to 35 yards with an emphasis on using cover or shooting on the move. IDPA uses a variety of props to create different stages or scenarios for a mix of fun and competition.



CFGPA IDPA meets every Wednesday evening between 5:30—9:00 pm and usually the first Sunday of every month for a full day match. Check the CFGPA calendar for exact dates. With the cooler weather coming on, our November 7<sup>th</sup> match will be the last one held outdoors, before moving indoors. If you are interested feel free to come out and join us, no need to have a handgun for your first time.

Our ranks are growing as new members from around the lower mainland come out to participate in both our regular Wednesday night meets as well as the monthly matches. Our club has also

made its mark with three of us competing at the BC Provincials, Ken Mathiassen won for most accurate shooter. Good work, Ken! We also travelled and com-

peted in the Alberta Sanctioned Stampede Match and the Idaho State Championships to sharpen our skills. A good time was had by all.

A big thank-you goes out to Jordan for getting us all our steel barrels and to Derek for welding together our new metal targets: swinger, droplegs, reid reactives, and drop turners. Your contributions have stepped up the level of our matches which are now averaging 7 stages on our monthly matches.

So check the calendars folks and come out and join the fun, we would be glad to have you!

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## Standard Pistol Report By Andy Gebert, Standard Pistol Chair, CFGPA

Another season of Tuesday evening shooting outdoors has sadly come to an end. The outdoor shooting was reasonably well attended throughout the summer, regardless of whether it was raining or sunny.

Shooters enjoyed the opportunity to blaze away at a variety of steel targets with all types of hand guns (and a




few rifles too) at distances anywhere from 25 meters to 100 yards and even as far as 200 yards! Tuesday night pistol shooting will continue indoors for fall, winter and into spring. Members and guests are welcome to come and hone their shooting (and B.S.ing) skills under relaxed but controlled conditions from 7 PM to 9 PM. Informal instruction on basic shooting technique is also avail-

able on request.



## October 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
						Novice (Only) Trap Rifle Range Open to 50 m Berm
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
IDPA Event - 9 am - Outdoor Range Outdoor Range CLOSED		Std. Pistol - 7 pm Inside	IDPA - 5:30 pm Outside	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Orientation - 1 pm		Std. Pistol - 7 pm Inside	IDPA - 5:30 pm - 7 pm Inside General Meeting - 7:30 pm	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		Novice (Only) Trap Rifle Range Open to 50 m Berm
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Black Powder Shoot  Outdoor Range CLOSED	Jr. .22 - 7 pm  Board of Directors Mtg - 7:30 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm Inside	IDPA - 6:30 pm Inside	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Orientation - 1 pm	Jr. .22 - 7 pm  Black Powder Mtg - 7:30 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm Inside	IDPA - 6:30 pm Inside	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		
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	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Jr. .22 - 7 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm	IDPA - 6:30 pm	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		Novice (Only) Trap Rifle Range Open to 50 m Berm
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Club Service Day  10 am—3 pm	Jr. .22 - 7 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm	IDPA - 6:30 pm	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		Novice (Only) Trap Rifle Range Open to 50 m Berm
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Black Powder Shoot  Outdoor Range CLOSED  Orientation - 1 pm	Jr. .22 - 7 pm  Board of Directors Mtg - 7:30 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm	IDPA - 6:30 pm	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		
28	29	30				
Club Service Day  10 am—3 pm	Jr. .22 - 7 pm  Black Powder Mtg - 7:30 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm				

## December 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
					Black Powder Christmas Party	Novice (Only) Trap Rifle Range Open to 50 m Berm
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
IDPA Event - 9 am - Outdoor Range  Outdoor Range CLOSED Orientation - 1 pm		Std. Pistol - 7 pm	IDPA - 5:30 pm—7 pm  General Meeting - 7:30 pm	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		
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26	27	28	29	30	31	
<b>BOXING DAY STEELHEAD DERBY</b>	Jr. .22 - 7 pm  Black Powder Mtg - 7:30 pm	Std. Pistol - 7 pm	IDPA - 6:30 pm	Archery - 5 pm  Sr. .22 - 7 pm		

### Coming Events

**November 10** — General Meeting, 7:30 pm at the clubhouse

**November 14** — Club Service Day, 10 am—3pm at the clubhouse; Membership renewals, pictures, FOB updates

**November 28** — Club Service Day, 10 am—3pm at the clubhouse; Membership renewals, pictures, FOB updates

**December 8** — General Meeting, 7:30 pm at the clubhouse

**December 26** — 67th Boxing Day Vedder River Steelhead Derby

**1st & 3rd Saturday each month**

— Novice Trap Shooting

**Monday Nights**—Jr. 22 Rifle

**Tuesday Nights** — Std. Pistol Shooting

**Wednesday Nights** — IDPA shooting

**Thursday Nights** — Archery & Sr. 22 Rifle



**Come out and have  
some fun!**

# Black Powder - Fraser Valley Frontiersmen Report By Don Brown

## August 28<sup>TH</sup> to September 6<sup>TH</sup> found a lot of us at the B.C. Rendezvous at Heffley Creek.

There was a total of approximately 130 campers this year and Sieg Lau ran the last Vegetable Shoot that we will be putting on Saturday Sept 4. We had 110 shooters and everyone is sad to see it end. Next year we will be hosting a Hawk and Knife trail instead.

## September 19<sup>TH</sup> was Hawk and Knife at Don & Yvonne's

We had 20 people brave the weather and come out to play. The Pot Luck Dinner was delicious and the winners were as follows;

Ladies: 1<sup>st</sup> Lola McGladdery, 2<sup>nd</sup> Judy Scholz, 3<sup>rd</sup> was won by Candis Scott with a card cut with Wendy Lau.

Men's: 1<sup>st</sup> Kelvin Scott, 2<sup>nd</sup> Wolfgang Scholz, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sieg Lau

We did not have any juniors; I guess they

thought their children might shrink in the rain.

## October 8-11 is the Thanksgiving Shoot a Merritt

We hope the weather is good. Last year the evenings went down to -12°C. We still had a good time.

Don Brown - 604-858-2494  
President

Fraser Valley Frontiersmen



# Membership News By Valerie Shepherd

It continues to be good year for membership with many returning and new members. We now have almost 900 members!

## A reminder that all the memberships expire on December 31, 2010.

Enclosed with this newsletter is a renewal form. If you would like to renew your membership by mail, simply fill out the form and mail it in, along with your cheque. Please do not forget about the tax calculation of an additional 12%.

We will also be holding Club Service

Days on Sunday, Nov. 14th and Sunday, Nov. 28th from 10 am to 3 pm at the clubhouse. This is an opportunity to come and renew your membership, get your picture taken (yes, we are still working on the photo ID cards) and update your FOB for the new year. Coffee and doughnuts will be provided.



## Renewal Membership Rates

Regular Member:	\$90.00
Spouse or Partner:	\$25.00
First Junior (<19):	\$25.00
All other Juniors (<19) (ea.):	\$11.00
Seniors (65+):	\$70.00
Disabled:	\$50.00
Associate Member:	\$50.00



Plus Tax 12%

## Firearms Report By Clive Edwards, Firearms Chair, CFGPA

The Supreme Court of Canada refused to hear Bruce and Donna Montague's appeal on the Constitutionality of the Firearms Act. Bruce Montague is now in jail serving the remainder of his sentence. Donna Montague is dealing with the Ontario government continuing with the seizure of the family home under the "Proceeds of Crime" law, which had been stayed while the appeal was in process. The Ontario Court of Appeals decision is now the law of the land, and it is not looking very good for Canadians generally and those who own firearms particularly. You can read all at [www.bruceontague.ca](http://www.bruceontague.ca).

Concurrently, the Conservative private member's bill, C-391, to abolish the so called "long gun registry" was defeated by two votes after the Liberals whipped the vote against abolishing the registry and a number of NDP MPs who had for years declared their opposition to the Firearms Act in general and the registra-

tion of long guns in particular, found various flimsy reasons to change their minds.

The Canadian Chiefs of Police and the RCMP have gotten awfully political all of a sudden in their support for maintaining and enhancing the Firearms Act and keeping every last bit of it. Put all three of these events together and it is beyond coincidence. There are strings being pulled here; our Constitution and Common Law Rights are being trampled without concern or explanation.

This is not a purely Canadian phenomenon; it is happening world-wide. Individual rights are being re-defined to exclude property and self-defence. Internationalism, globalism, new world order or one world government, they all mean the same thing. If you thought it was difficult to fight bad laws emanating from Ottawa just wait until the laws are coming from New York, Brussels, Berne or Beijing (they likely are already – we

just don't know it yet!)

If we want to control our own destiny and pass that control on to future generations we must bring government closer to us. The only way to do that is to de-confederate. The West MUST separate from the rest of Canada. We need to be able to create laws that support liberty, not slavery. We need to create jobs locally, not in Mexico or China. We need to create and control our own wealth, our own education, our own immigration, our own banks and our own economy. Everything we need to do is a slap in the face and a grab at the purse strings of the Globalists. They will fight us every step of the way, first by ridicule then by every other dirty trick in the book. If we want our freedom we must be willing to fight for it.

This is no longer about firearms rights. Clearly it never was.

## Range Rule & Initiation/Orientation Changes By the Board of Directors

**Holster Course Exemptions for Law Enforcement — Sections 9.5.1.1 through 9.5.1.5 of the CFGPA Range Rules will no longer apply.**

This means that all law enforcement members will no longer just be able to do the holster orientation, but will have to go through the full holster course.

**Range Guest Fees:** The range insurance fee for Juniors and Associate Members has been raised to \$5.00.

**Initiation/Orientation Fee Exemptions:**

There has been a long-standing exemption for military personnel from paying the initiation/orientation fee that was

put in place while CFB Chilliwack was in full operation and there were many transient military members. The Board has decided that since the base is largely shut down, this exemption will no longer be offered in an effort streamline the membership process.

## In Memoriam By the Board of Directors

**William (Bill) John Otway**  
**1935—2010**

British Columbia wildlife enthusiasts and recreational fishermen have lost a consummate warrior and friend.

Bill spent a lifetime at the forefront of the fight for the best in management

practices for fish and wildlife and was the single most vocal proponent of the right of recreational anglers to fish.

A former executive director of the B.C. Wildlife Federation and a sports fishing adviser to the federal government, Bill was the recipient of many awards, including a national Recreational Fisheries Award from DFO.

Bill had all the ingredients to carry the burdens he did. He was a smart, stubborn, fearless and thoroughly decent man.

In Bill's passing, British Columbia and, indeed, Canada lost someone it could ill afford to lose: a real conservationist and wise man who said what had to be said.

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