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SHOW DATES FOR 2010

Feb 13	June 19	Oct 16
Mar 12-13	July 10	Nov 19-20
April 10	Aug 20-21	Dec 11
May 15	Sept 18	

NEXT SHOW

Feb 13th
4333 Ledger Ave,
Burnaby, BC

OUT OF TOWN SHOWS

JANUARY 22 - 23: Lloydminster at the Exhibition Convention Centre

Contact: Rick 780-872-1345, email husky4589@yahoo.com

JANUARY 29 - 30: 22nd Annual Gardenhead Gun and Hobby Show, Tompkins, Sk

Contact: Bruce 306-672-3680 or 306-671-7123

FEBRUARY 6 - 7: Lethbridge Gun & Hobby Show, Exhibition Grounds

Contact: 403-223-8004 or 403-327-7595

FEBRUARY 6 - 7: Edmonton Gun Show, Northlands Agricom, Hall A.

Contact: Darren 780-473-3032 or Greg 780-222-2929, email edmgunshow@hotmail.com

FEBRUARY 26 - 27: Vegreville Gun Show, Vegreville Social Centre

Contact: Daryl 780-632-4966

FEBRUARY 26 - 27: Yorkton Gun Show, Parkland Agri Pavilion

Contact: Eugene 306-783-6025, or email educhnit@sasktel.net

MARCH 5 - 6: Provost Gun Show, Provost Culture & Recreation Center

Contact: Oscar 780-209-1627 or email olong@mdprovost.ca

CMEC SHOWS

February 27, 2011

July 24, 2011

October 30, 2011

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RON'S REPORT

Happy New Year boys and girls! Let's all hope that 2011 will be as successful for the Club as 2010.

Our last show of the year on December 12 was the busiest one-day show we've ever had! We had more tables squeezed into corners and on the stage and still we had to turn away quite a few folks who wanted tables. My theory is, I asked Gord Bader to call CKNW on pledge day, December 4 and remind everyone about our donation. Gord is a very good speaker and must have been able to convince a lot of people that a HACS gun show was worth seeing. So for the benefit of those not fortunate enough to be able to attend, no one can remember having more people in the room. You couldn't move out from behind your table. I don't know how the visitors managed to get around the aisles. Oh yes, our donation was \$3077! That's going to help a lot of underprivileged kids. Of course I saw a lot of guns being bagged so I'm thinking everyone's sales were good. I even sold some of my prized double barrelled shotguns to delighted buyers of quality guns. Because I couldn't get out from behind the table, I didn't spend much either. My daughter, Rhonna, used one of my tables and was happy with her sales also. Two or three fellows just showed up on spec that there might be a table. We had one "no show" so his table was covered right away. Gord Frost had to have a table on the stage and Greg Nehring had a 6 foot table crowded into a corner. Ian Sim came in to browse and shop. Thanks for the mocha Ian. I didn't speak to him before he left so I don't know if he got any of the bargains there must have been on the tables. It was so busy I'd see friends I would have liked to speak to but they were carried away in the crowd and I just wouldn't see them again. I forgot to call Fred Bardua to remind him of the show, so he missed a good day. Al Amundson complained to me the crowd was too thick for him to get out from behind his table. So he wasn't able to get out and buy anything. Incidentally, it was George Clark's birthday!

I hope all of you boys and girls had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

There is only going to be one more newsletter after this one reminding you of our March 12-13 show at Heritage Park in Chilliwack. Here's what we would like you to do. Get all your ducks in a row now. Then fill out the application for a table and either mail it to the Club box or bring it to the next show. The earlier we get your request the sooner Gord and I can get the floor plan done. It's going to require a whole new floor plan this year because we rented both #1 and #2 buildings. If anyone reading this has received a second mailing of a table application you can disregard the second one. A mistake was made.

So the next show we have at the Ledger Avenue hall will be February 13. If Mike doesn't forget his brief case at this show, he will auction off our Club charity tax receipts. You can bid on these and if you get one it can be used on your own tax return. Yep, that causes a saving for you. Maybe enough to buy an extra gun this year. Be sure and call either Dave 604.880.4706 or me at 604.522.3609 and book your tables early. Yearly table holders, if you are not going to attend, call me at 604.522.3609 and let me know. You telling me is the only way I know how many tables I need on the floor.

The Museum Club show is February 27 at the old army base on Keith Wilson Road. You can book with me at 604.522.3609 or George at 604.841.0710. I suggest booking early as space is limited. These are usually a pretty well attended show and each one has a bigger turnout. Another plus is the fact that George makes the coffee which is free all day long. If you get there a little early you can browse through the museum room. I'm pretty sure you'll be impressed. Their club seems to have lots of volunteers, something that seems to become much rarer nowadays. I'll tell you again, Dave Worfolk had his "best ever" show out there at the first show they ever sponsored. All he took home that day was money.

So in a nutshell, February 13 is our next one on Ledger Avenue and February 27 is the museum show on Keith Wilson Road in Chilliwack. Third item and most important, again in Chilliwack, Heritage Park, March 12-13. Please book early for every one of these events.

STOP PRESS! News item: George Clark just called to say now sorry he was about the cancellation of the last museum show. To make up for the inconvenience he will be supplying free hot dogs and coffee to participants at the February 27 show. So what do you all think of that? It makes the show more attractive, doesn't it?

Boys and girls, I've just received the nicest Christmas present I've every received. It brought tears to my eyes! I got the application for tables for the April 16-17, 2011 show in Penticton. When I opened the envelope I found it would be a memorial show for my late wife, Jan. I just can't think of anything I could have gotten that would be nicer! My daughters and I are overjoyed.

Most of you will remember me writing about a HACS member being raided, arrested and jailed unjustly with his wife and sons. The member is Gord Bader and his family. It's finally been made public now in "The Province" paper and Global

television. Both the RCMP officer, one David Clarke, and C.F.C. bureaucrat, Jeffrey Harrison, are in jail. There are 15 charges against Clarke which include stolen firearms (Gord's) and dealing drugs. Harrison, as of now, has three charges which include firearms. One would hope an example would be made of these scum. I would be comfortable hearing they each got 25 years of hard labour, preferably on the north end of Baffin Island. At least something that could restore a degree of respect for our so-called "justice system." In some of the US states an example is made when sentencing crooked police/bureaucrats. That seems an excellent idea. But hey, I won't get going on my complaints and ideas of the justice system, though I do believe we could be a lot better served with elected judges.

So Gord, from me and every Club member, we wish you every success in your civil suit against this evil vendetta that was inflicted on you and your family. You will always have our support!

John Holdstock, late of Kelowna, BC, passed away from a heart attack on Christmas Day. John was active in the firearms network. Our condolences go to his widow, Morag.

More bad news: Dave Friesen's wife passed away on January 4, 2011. Our sympathy goes out to you Dave. A few of us know and feel your loss.

Our first show of the year certainly opened a lot of eyes. Certainly mine, as I had predicted a slow show. Again I was wrong in a good way. I couldn't believe the visitors we had. Almost 200 people paid admission to see the show. I think sales for most guys were at least good. We had one non-member who booked a table. He was a really nice fellow as well. He sold out and left well before lunch. He was well pleased with his endeavour he told me. I sold both of my pre-owned side-by-side shotguns. Rhonna didn't have too much stuff on the table but took home quite a bit less. Even though I sold the shotguns my weight going home was about the same. Yep, I bought a bunch more stuff that I thought looked nice. Every one of the dealers I talked to was surprised at the turnout. Al Amundson and I think it's because of the good will advertising we get by our charitable contributions. As usual with these busy shows I couldn't leave my table too often. I'm sure I missed many bargains out there on the floor. I saw a really good buy a member had. He bought 3 really nice shotguns at less than the price of one. A fellow came in and said he just wanted to get rid of the guns. Gord Bader was in and told us he has sold his house and will be moving up to the Sunshine Coast. A few of our members are now living up there.

Have any of you fellows experienced this: it's at a show. A customer asks will you please bring this or that to the next show for me? I'm really hurting to get this thing. Anyhow, you do remember and you bring the item he wanted so badly. Do I really need to tell you the rest? That's right! You don't ever see him again.

I'd like to thank all of you folks who take the time to tell me you enjoy the newsletter. It makes it all worthwhile. Thank you. I think that's about all the news I have to report at present. So till next time boys and girls be good to each other.

Cheers,
Ron

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PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

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Please fill out and return with payment, \$40, or drop off at the next show.

HACS NEWSLETTER AD SPACE

FOR SALE OR TRADE | Ron 604-522-3609

- Parts catalogues/service manuals Mossberg component parts list \$25
- S & W parts list incl. shotguns & handguns \$25
- Savage, Stevens and Fox component parts \$25
- Savage Arms gunsmith service manual c. 1967 \$35
- Remington parts list and instructions \$35
- Remington parts list c. 1983 \$15
- large folder containing Colt, F.I.E., Franchi, Ruger, Harrington and Richardson, Browning \$35
- Mossberg catalogue & price list No. 61 \$15
- Mossberg catalogue & price list No. 64 \$15
- Remington parts list and catalogue No. 49 c. 1949 \$20
- Hi standard catalogue c. 1975 \$10
- Remington catalogue c. 1975 \$10
- Numrich Gun Parts catalogue No. 10 \$15
- J.C. Higgins rifles & shotguns \$10
- Ithaca parts and service c. 1960 \$15
- Ithaca catalogue c. 1973 \$5
- Remington parts catalogue and instruction with 1946 price up-date \$45
- H & R component parts \$15

FOR SALE | Larry Lee 604-299-6982

- TRW M. 14 C.A., 308 cal. rifle, US battle rifle, wood stock, beautiful cond., original \$1400
- Browning hi-power, Canadian 9MM, semi-auto army, by Inglis, excellent \$750
- Belgium Browning, 12 ga. semi-auto double auto 2 shot model, excellent, \$375
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FOR SALE | Charlie 604-277-3646

- Beautiful British crafted floor lamp. Standard is a MK.4 Martini musket. Truly a thing of immense beauty for sale at only \$150

FOR SALE | Dave 250-832-4123 or 250-515-5656

- Ruger Red Label in either 12 or 20 gauge, both 3", O/U, 5 screw in chokes each, lockable hard cases, 12 has English stock, 20 has American pistol grip stock, lightly used. \$1500 each
- S&W 27-2, .357 m., 8 3/8" barrel, blued, two sets of grips (factory & Pachmeyer), in wooden lined case with latches, factory tools. New condition, \$1000.00
- NEW Clearance rifle scopes. 3 – IMC Gold Crown, 4 – 12 x 40, 1 – IMC Gold Crown, 4 x 40, 1 – IMC Gold Crown, 3 – 9 x 40. Your choice, \$80.00 each
- 1 – Used Bushnell 3 – 9 x 32, 1/2 fine, \$50.00

FOR SALE | Cliff 1-250-457-9547

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Misc: March 52, 2 of Dec. 58, Mar. 57, Feb. 57, Nov. 67
Contact Larry at 604-941-1148, email at hdmiserv@shaw.ca

RCBS Full Length Die Set. RCBS Full Length Die Set For 6.5X55 Swedish. RCBS Precisioneered Dies are for shooters who demand reloads equal to the quality of their guns. 2-Die Sets are for bottleneck type rifle and handgun cases, and consist of a full length sizer die with expander-decapping unit, and a seater die with bullet seater plug. Full Length Sizer dies for bottleneck cases have vents to prevent case damage from trapped air or excessive lube. Each die is properly hardened and hand polished. Seater dies have built in crimper appropriate for the particular caliber. Bullets can be seated without crimping. Standard 7/8 x 14 thread size.

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Contact Ron at 604-485-5355

Military items from all eras such as autographs, helmets/headgear, uniforms, decorations, & edged weapons.

Single items, estates, or collections.

Contact George at 604-341-8411, or Bill at hughes@militaryautographs.com

FOR SALE | Rhonna (after 6:30 p.m.) 604-945-6304

- Law Enforcement Bible, Edited by Det. R.A. Scanlon, \$15.00
- The Blue Book of Crime, T. Dickerson Cooke, \$5.00
- The Royal Canadian Mounted Police, \$10.00
- Canadian Penal Institutions, C.W. Topping, \$10.00
- Eyes Behind The Lines, Gary A. Linderer, \$5.00
- The Royal Canadian Mounted Police / A Century of History, Nora & William Kelly, \$20.00
- The Royal Canadian Mounted Police / Centennial 1873-1973, \$15.00
- Crimes and Punishment, \$20.00
- The Lost Patrol, Dick North, \$5.00
- Outlaws on Horseback, Harry Sinclair Drago, \$5.00
- Butch Cassidy, My Brother, Lula Parker Betenson, \$5.00
- Bugles in the Hills, A Story of the Mounties' First Days, John F. Hayes, \$15.00
- The Gunfighter - Man or Myth?, Joseph G. Rosa, \$5.00
- The Outlaw Trail / The Story of Butch Cassidy and the "Wild Bunch", Charles Kelly, \$5.00
- Operation Dancing Dog, James M. Fox, \$5.00
- Gun Fighters, George Turner, \$3.00
- Saskatchewan Provincial Police, Frank W. Anderson, \$3.00
- Bill Miner, Train Robbert, Frank W. Anderson, \$3.00
- Hanging in Canada, Frank W. Anderson, \$3.00
- Tales of the British Columbia Provincial Police, Cecil Clark, \$15.00
- Charlie Company: What Vietnam Did to Us, Peter Goldman and Tony Fuller, \$5.00
- Men in Scarlett, Edited by Hugh A. Dempsey, \$15.00
- The B.C. Outlaws, F.W. Lindsay, \$3.00
- Gun Law - A Study of Violence in the Wild West, Joseph G. Rosa and Robin May, \$5.00
- Mountie - A golden treasury of those early years, Dean Charters, \$15.00
- The Royal North-West Mounted Police A Corps History, Captain Ernest J. Chambers, \$20.00
- Buddy Boys / When Good Cops Turn Bad, Mike McAlary, \$10.00
- Intrepid's Last Case, William Stevenson, \$10.00
- The FBI Story, Don Whitehead, \$15.00
- Gumshoe, Reflections in a Private Eye, Josiah Thompson, \$15.00
- The RCMP Quarterly (x2), \$5.00
- Royal Canadian Mounted Police An Historical Outline of the Force, \$5.00
- Small Arms of the Mounted Police, R. Phillips and S.J. Kirby, \$15.00
- FBI - Law Enforcement Bulletin (x3), \$5.00
- The Investigator (x2), Vol 7, No. 2, \$5.00
- FBI / A Handbook Containing Suggestions for the Preparation of Uniform Crime Reports, \$5.00
- The British Columbia Corps of Commissionaires Constitution and By-Laws, \$2.00

FOR SALE | Mike Wallace 604-892-9001 walfor@shaw.ca

- NAACO Model 10 – No bolt
- Lakefield Mark 1 – No bolt or trigger guard
- Eatonia Model 20 – No bolt or stock

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Entire collection or single pieces of military, mountain, camping, fishing, hunting/target (rifle, carbine, shotgun, pistol, knives), surplus and factory ammo, scope, range finder, binocular and alike, parts-remains, artifact, publications, new clothes, junk for parts. Ethical service, licensed collector. State what you are looking for or what you have, the condition, your general location, and your best price.

Contact Adam at 604-834-0207, email adamhome@live.com

Firearms Safety Education and Training courses, challenge exams, C.O.R.E. examiner.

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Wanted: 22 L.R. clips for J.G. Landmann bolt action rifle, 'Preetz/hoist' model, made in West Germany. Also, .22 L.R. clip for Husqvarna bolt action, model A.B. Kal .22, make in Sweden. Call Larry Lee at 604-299-6982

Wanted: Searching for .348 Winchester brass or the converted brass for Vetterli's, .41 Swiss. Call Harry at 604-815-1296

Wanted: F.A.L. magazine. Call Lyle at 604-986-3289

Wanted: Parts for a Stevens Model 42, Trigger guard and butt plate for Winchester Model 1904, Bolt and trigger guard for Lakefield Mark 1, Bolt and stock for Truline -

Eatonia Model 20, Bolt for NAACO Model 10, Volly sight and pin for Enfield No.1 Mk.3. Call Mike Wallace at 604-892-9001, email walfor@shaw.ca

Wanted: Strip clips for Dutch Hembrug rifle. Call Ron at 604-522-3609

Wanted: Winchester Mod. 71-348 and 1886 Winchesters or parts. Call Al at 604-941-8489

Wanted: Early Winchester and Colt firearms. Call Al at 604-941-8489

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Wanted: Colt pistols and old west, Civil War and slave era memorabilia. Any type of unusual weapons, palm pistols, cane guns, sword canes, miniature guns, unusual knives, etc. Needed, cylinder for model 1879 Reichs revolver. Call Eric Shenker at 604-462-1133

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Wanted: J. Unertl scope, 2" or 2 1/4", 10 to 30X. Call Norm at 604-946-5958