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SHOW DATES FOR 2013

May 19	Aug 17-18	Nov 16-17
June 16	Sept 8	Dec 8
July 14	Oct 20	

NEXT SHOW

May 19th
8:30AM - 1PM
4333 Ledger Ave,
Burnaby, BC

OUT OF TOWN SHOWS

MAY 4-5: Prince George gun show at Coliseum. Email info@pgrgclub.ca or zoofool@hotmail.com

MAY 11-12: Claresholm at Claresholm Arena. Phone 403-381-3183 or 403-381-3275.

MAY 25-26: Kootenay Gun Show, Marysville Arena, Kimberley. Phone 250-422-3469 or 250-427-0158.

JUNE 1-2: Castor, Ab, Community Hall. Phone 403-882-3835.

JUNE 14-16: Camrose, Ab, Regional Exhibition. Phone 780-374-3864.

JULY 20-21: Hanna, Ab, Curling Rink. Phone 403-854-3768.

JULY 27-28: Springbank Arena, Calgary, 32224A Springbank Rd. Phone 403-637-2459, email bluechipshows@gmail.com

AUGUST 10-11: Witchekan Gun & Hobby, Spiritwood, Sk., Communiplex Arena. Phone 306-984-4715, email jdalpe@sasktel.net

AUGUST 24-25: Ron Garr Arena, Torrington, Ab., Hwy #27, Torrington. Phone 403-556-5768.

AUGUST 30-31: Vernon Rec Centre. Contact Phylis 250-547-1442, email pcwhow42@gmail.com

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RON'S REPORT

Hello boys and girls. I'm going to say a few words about the annual volunteers' appreciation dinner, hosted by Vice President, Art Hoivik. The dinner is held in Chilliwack to thank the volunteers who work so hard to make the show a success. It includes all of the planners, the Brown family on the Club table, and all the folks like Roy Stark who promote the show everywhere. It is especially for the folks who work like dray horses putting up tables (575) and again folding them up after the show. They also have to be sorted and stacked on pallets, as some are rented and have to be trucked away later. Some of the security folks too attend and a few Club elected officers. This year the meal was the best it's ever been. The ginger beef was outstanding! It's all done in traditional Chinese style with large plates of food delivered to each table and there was lots of food. It's a good thing Chris was there or some food would have had to be thrown out. I think it was very generous of Mark Lewis to give him some help on the extra chow mien. We all left knowing we had been fed. Thanks Art, you did an excellent job on the dinner.

Save me from the wrath of Stan Taylor please: Note – he is having a gun show August 24-25 in the Ron Garr Arena in Torrington, Alberta on Hwy. 27. Be sure you all read this!

Lance Arnett sent a nice letter from his home in Kelowna to say nice things about the March show in Chilliwack. He also sent the picture in this issue of the line up at 9 a.m. Saturday. He added that at 10.30 a.m. it was still a very long line. Thanks for the photo Lance, also the nice words and the effort put into your news item.

I've been getting reports from various sources about folks selling magazines for semi automatic center fire rifles that have a capacity of MORE than 5 rounds. Canadian law requires semi autos in center fire to only hold 5 rounds! You are jeopardizing yourselves if you sell unpegged magazines. It's in the interest of the Club that no one gets caught for such a silly offence. I'm sure you realize there are bureaucrats out there just hoping they can get the jump on someone.

To change the subject back to gun shows, The Lions Club will host their usual gun show August 17-18 this year. We've had inquiries from Alberta already, so we know it's going to be another sell-out. This year there will be a two table limit for everyone. I suggest you get an application from Fred Cooper at the next show. If you want to call him and have one sent, here is his home phone number 604.431.0080. Remember it's not just a good gun show, the Lions always put on a super breakfast for table holders on Sunday morning. Dave and I always lend a hand on this show so you can always call Dave at 604.880.4706 or me at 604.522.3609. Definitely talk to Fred at the May 19 show. I'm sure he will have applications then.

By the way, if you want tables for May 19 you should call Dave at 604.880.4706 or me at 604.522.3609, the sooner the better because they go quickly!

Recommended reading for every citizen of Canada is an article in The Canadian Firearms Journal, March/April 2013 by Dr. Gary Mauser. The heading is "Some Thoughts on Multiple Victim Murders and Firearms". I'm giving copies to all members of my family. It proves the line we've all heard over the years, "you can't legislate human behaviour." There is some eye-opening information for everyone in this article. If you don't belong to the NFA you should! Talk to Blair Hagen at the show. He'll be glad to sign you up and give you a copy of the Journal. As said before everyone should read it. All gun owners would do themselves and other honest folks a favour by belonging to the NFA. More members are going to give us a stronger, louder voice when it comes to fighting anti-firearms moves.

The April 7 show was, as always, crazy busy. Being on my own, I didn't get a chance to see anything. I felt lucky just to get my lunch eaten and a cup of coffee. I believe everyone on a table did okay. My sales were small stuff. I took four guns but brought them home also. I know one of my table neighbours sold a few guns. I was too busy to notice what was going out. I did see folks carrying bags around. I had a good time talking to people as I usually do. I've told lots of people my hobby is participating in gun shows and not collecting photos of the Queen. If I heard what the attendance was, I've forgotten. It was a crush though! Everyone seemed happy to be there and that's certainly a good sign. We're all wishing Ken Olychick a speedy recovery. Unfortunately they couldn't make it in to cover their tables.

We had a longer than usual exec meeting after the show. Gord Frost is our new Secretary so Malcolm had to guide him through the routine. The Chilliwack show was a long topic of conversation. Many ideas were floated in hopes of getting the crowds moved in faster. I'll report in coming months how we'll accomplish this. As you all saw, there were tables there that were booked and yes paid for, but empty. Those people who decided to just not show up will find next year, if they apply, instead of getting a reservation they will go on a waiting list. If there are tables available a few days before the show, then maybe they can get a table reservation!

As Charlie Stewart was unable to attend the AGM in March, he was appointed to his old position of Second Vice-President. Another point of discussion was something that gets my goat. That is, at the one-day shows there are folks who book tables, then don't show up. Here is the new rule: if you book and don't cancel three days before, or just not arrive to cover your table(s) at all, the next time you ask for a table you will have to pay for the table(s) you didn't cover before you get a chance at booking again. We think that's fair!

Fred Cooper, of the Lions Club, 604.431.0080, was taking reservations for their show August 17-18 at the Operating Engineers Hall. This year there will be a two table limit! Price of the tables is \$40 for both days. I think it would be in your best interest to contact Fred and get an application early. It's going to be a sell-out as was last year.

April 13-14 was the annual Penticton gun and antique show. I always go a day early to visit with a retired hunting buddy and his wife. So I arrived Thursday and it was cold. Friday was also cold and people were using the nasty "snow" word. However, Saturday was warmer and so was Sunday. I left there Sunday about 4 p.m. When I turned off #97 onto the Yellow Lake Road, there were rain showers all the way to Princeton. As I started through Allison Pass, snow! It was almost a white out. Visibility was about three car lengths. The good part was it melted on the road and traffic was light. After Hope it was just a sprinkle.

Now the show: there certainly wasn't room on the floor for another table. I don't know how many tables were on the floor. I know it was full. A few of our folks had tables there: Terry Lee, Jim Bennett, Don Beebe, Al Amundson & Tom Brown, and Leo Hanson. There may have been others that escape my memory. I apologize if I've missed anyone. There were about 10 tables of antiques, the rest were gun related. The crowd Saturday was just beyond belief! I know I was too busy to even look around until 1 p.m. Lucky for me, I saw Malcolm Finlayson pass as a visitor. I called him and he watched my tables so I could get to the washroom. That saved me some embarrassment! I thought a lot of guns sold Saturday. I saw a lot of tagged guns pass my table and I'm by the door out. I didn't sell any guns Saturday but lots of the small parts and magazines I have at shows. I was going to try for my sandwich at 11:30 but it was 1 p.m. before I got to wolf it down. Malcolm was just leaving then so I got him to get me some coffee or I wouldn't have had any. Thanks Malcolm! Sunday as usual was a bit slower, though still a good crowd. I got a surprise: a couple came to my table and called me by name to say hello. I couldn't recognize them. Then they told me, they were Lorne and Julie La Chappelle. They were Club members back about 1984-85. They are now retired and live in Summerland. They used to own "The Gun Care" shop in Port Coquitlam. Back to the show. Again, sales I believe were pretty good. Sunday morning I sold three guns out of the eight I brought. I'm pretty sure everyone did okay Sunday as well as Saturday.

Lance Arnett just called. I said too bad you missed the show. He told me he was there but couldn't get close enough to my table to say hello. That's how thick it was Saturday.

Here is the photo Lance Arnett sent. It was taken at Heritage Park, Saturday, March 9, 2013 at 9 a.m. This was the line up waiting to get into our show. In his note he said he was out to his truck at 10.30 a.m. and the line was even longer.



As I mentioned earlier, we're going to try and come up with a plan to move the visitors' line along a lot faster. We are also going to have a door for members only so they don't have to endure a line up because it is unusual for there to be no rain in Chilliwack! Right?

Our sympathy to Jim Jennings on the passing of his son, April 13.

Well boys and girls, that's all I have to say just now. I'll see many of you in Kamloops April 27-28. Until next time, be good to each other.

Cheers,
Ron

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

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- Clip/magazines – Ruger 44 mag.
- \$40; Browning B.A.R. 30-06, \$70
- Walther KKM 22 mag., \$50
- Steyr Mannlicher 308 & 6, 5x55, \$125
- Browning MK11 B.A.R. 338, \$65
- Browning B.A.R. magnum, \$55
- BLR 81 222-223, \$60
- B.A.R. 243/308, \$60
- B.A.R. MK11 300 Win. mag, \$55
- F.N. 5rd. 308, \$25
- Bernardelli VP 22 cal., \$50
- Lahti M40 9mm, \$50
- Taurus PT945, 45 ACP, \$50
- SIG 228 9mm, \$40
- SIG 229 40 cal., \$50
- S&W 59/69 9mm, \$50
- S&W 639 9mm, \$50
- Kwik-Site 1" scope mount Rem. 700, 721, 722, 725, \$30
- Dan Wesson 44 cal. cylinder c/w extractor, new, \$65
- Checkering tool 18 L.P.I., \$25
- Burris M70 rings & bases, \$50
- Win. M1902 bolt, \$40
- SMLE No. 4 air rifle bolt (scarce), \$85
- Colt new service 38-40 cylinder c/w extractor & crane, \$100
- Win. M94 lever, \$25
- Parker-Hale PH 180 SMLE No. 1 MK111 receiver sight, \$60
- Parker-Hale PH16 SMLE No. 1 MK111 receiver sight, \$85
- Lansky fold-a-vee knife sharpening tool, \$20
- WW 2 US Army heat tabs in seal pack, \$10
- Wood & brass shotgun cleaning rod, \$15
- Union cutlery bone handled "Hobo Set" in ex. cond., \$165
- 21"x31" framed Confederate States of America \$1000 bond, still attached are 59 x \$30 coupons, dated February 11, 1864, the glass in the frame is cracked, VERY SCARCE, \$775

FOR SALE OR TRADE | Colin 604-341-1917 seaforth72@gmail.com

- 1851 London Navy Colt with Upper Canada markings. Made in 1855, matching SN throughout. One of only 500 bought for Upper Canada. Canada's first military pistol. \$5,500
- Deactivated German 1943 MP-40 SMG \$3,500
- Deactivated Mauser C96 "Broomhandle" pistol. Cock and click. Chinese contract 1930-1937 with a non-original stock. \$750
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- Mauser Kar98k Steyr 1943 solid stock, Israeli 7.62x51 NATO (.308 Win) conversion, full military \$650
- WWII Japanese Arisaka rifle with rare original sling, dust-cover and Chrysanthemum. Includes bayonet w/ scabbard. Missing firing pin, spring and safety. \$350
- Seaforth Highlanders' basket-hilt sword with Seaforth etched markings and King George V (who ruled from 1910-1935). British made. Undress leather scabbard. No hilt liner. \$1,200
- WWII British BSA Airborne Bicycle c.1943 original, folding, second model, circa 1943. \$2,000
- .3006 (.300 ammo) in R.A.F. marked box of 20 \$40 each box (only 3 boxes available)
- WWII German M-42 helmet complete and original. No decals. \$475

FOR SALE | Jamieson Johnson Johnson_Militaria@live.com

1962 .357 Colt Python. 6" ribbed barrel, blued. Very minor wear, excellent condition. \$1250 OBO. For photos and more info please contact Johnson_Militaria@live.com

FOR SALE | Marshall Gaudreault 604-729-0042

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FOR SALE | Larry Lee 604-298-2070

- Japanese type 38, 6.5 Arisaka rifle, cover & mum, gd. \$350
- Japanese cavalry officer's sword, matching no.s., vg \$425
- Japanese WW 2 Dewalt grenade type 97, vg cond. \$225
- Husqvarna M.622 .22 cal. bolt action, excellent \$375
- Remington 870, 12 ga. vent. Rib, 28", 2 3/4" exc. \$385
- German luger P.08, 9mm, match. Mag, 80% vg cond. \$1300
- Ruger .22 Bearcat revolv. 4" prohib. as new \$350
- L.E. No. 5 jungle carbine (1946) all match, exc. \$425

FOR SALE | Jeremy Storie bigring54@shaw.ca

- Pedersoli Lightening 20" round barrel carbine, 45 Colt. Very Good to Excellent condition \$1000 OBO
- Marlin Model 1893, 25.5" barrel in 38.55 with half mag. Bore very good. Bluing worn but minimal to no pitting and no rust. Wood excellent and rifle all original. Mfg date 1906 \$900

I would like to talk to fellow collectors and to expand my collection of 20 gauge shotgun boxes.

Contact Ron at 604-485-5355

I am a C.O.R.E. examiner and also give firearms safety education and training courses.

Dave 604-536-1202

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I am a Lynch Mob Call dealer located in Surrey, B.C., I carry LMC's complete line of Duck and Goose calls. If you require a photo I have numerous available.

Name: Ian Thomson E: ianthomson54@gmail.com C: 778-389-5391

Gun Stocks Refinished – hand rubbed oil finish, 1st class job, reasonable rate, excellent references.

Contact Mike at 604-552-1254 or cell 604-833-5574

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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

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- Uberti 1873 20" OCT BBL, case hardened finish receiver, 'A' grade walnut checkered pistol grip stock, crescent butt plate, adjustable open sights, 10 shot tubular magazine, 45 Colt. Gun is as new condition with 10 rounds through it. Asking \$1250 OBO

FOR SALE | Lyle McLennan 1-604-824-0059

- HK 91 rifle, rear sighting tool, \$60
- Bayonet with scabbard, \$50
- Two manuals, \$40
- Five 20-round magazines, \$40 each
- One slip forearm, \$60
- "Section" cleaning kit, army 223 cal. brand new, \$50
- FN cleaning kit army 308 cal., \$50

FOR SALE | Cliff 1-250-457-9547

WWII and Korea era Military collectables: Books, Signed limited edition military prints, Military knives, Shoulder flashes, etc.

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.

FOR SALE OR TRADE | Dave (Salmon Arm) 250-832-4123 snappcap@telus.net

- COOEY 60, .22rf, repeater, tube magazine, factory drilled & tapped with AimMaster 4x20 scope. EXC. \$165.00 + shipping
- SAVAGE 340, .30-30, bolt action, drilled & tapped for scope mount, detachable mag., 22" barrel, EXC. \$350.00 + shipping
- REMINGTON 870 Express, 12 x 3" mag., sighted slug barrel, Pachmeyer Pistol Grip, sling swivels & sling. EXC. \$325.00 + shipping
- LEE-ENFIELD/PARKER HALE, .303 Br., Lithgow, 22" barrel with hooded ramp sight, 4x20 AimMaster scope & sling. EXC. \$250.00 + shipping
- CIL 401, 12 x 2 3/4", single shot, battered & abused, mechanically sound. Project or parts gun. \$45.00 + shipping
- ERMA EP-522, .22rf, semi-auto pistol, looks like PPK, original box & manual. LIKE NEW. Prohib 12-6. \$325.00 + shipping
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- BERETTA 1919, .25acp, semi-auto, blued, one mag., VG, Prohib 12-6. \$200.00 + shipping
- BERETTA 1919, .25acp, semi-auto, nickel, engraved, one mag. G. Prohib 12-6. \$150.00 + shipping
- BERETTA 1938/Panther, .25acp, semi-auto, two-tone, one mag., G. Prohib 12-6. \$150.00 + shipping
- BERETTA 1915, .32acp, semi-auto, one mag., G. Prohib 12-6. \$200.00
- BERETTA 1940, .32acp, pitted exterior, barrel fair, F. Prohib 12-6. \$150.00
- COLT GOLD CUP TROPHY, .22rf, factory target, semi-auto, three mags., hard case, manual. BRAND NEW, UNFIRED. Restricted. \$800.00 + shipping
- LASER-GRIPS, fits S&W K, L & N Frames Square. Model LG-207. NEW IN BOX, NEVER USED. \$200.00 + shipping
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- SNIDER Mk. II, 1864, 1 band carbine, marked "44 126" (44th Regiment, Lincoln & Welland – Niagara Falls, Ontario). Modified in 1905, by Canadian Gov't, to provide lighter weapon for drill purposes. Full description & pics avail. \$600.00 + shipping
- SNIDER Mk. II*, 1859, 3 band long rifle with cleaning rod, socket bayonet & scabbard. Full description & pics avail. \$900.00 + shipping
- SNIDER Mk. 1*, 1861, 2 band short rifle with cleaning rod, sword bayonet & scabbard. Marked "DC 82 168" (Dominion of Canada, 82nd Queen's County Provisional Battalion of Infantry, Prince Edward Island). Full description & pics avail. \$1100.00 + shipping
- COOEY 60, .22rf, repeater, tube mag, factory drilled & tapped for scope. Pre-Winchester. EXC. \$150.00 + shipping
- COOEY 60, .22 rf, repeater, tube mag. G. \$120.00 + shipping
- WICHESTER 100, .308 win., semi-auto, single magazine. VG. \$350.00 + shipping
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- ARMINIUS HW38, .38 spl., 6 rd., 101mm vented rib barrel, blued, fixed sights. Prohib 12-6. G/VG. \$150.00 + shipping
- MOB/DUCKFOOT Black Powder 3 barreled volley pistol, .36 cal., brass frame, wood grips, steel barrels. Prohib 12-6. EXC. \$200.00 + shipping
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- Canada Scout revolving rifle in .22rf & .22 rf mag, as sold by SIR about 25 yrs ago.
- Magazine for Astra 600/43, 9mm para.
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- Magazine for ERMA EP-522, .22lr.
- Sheridan "Knockabout" pistol in .22rf

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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, antique newspapers, paper ephemera, etc. Call Eric Shenker at 604-462-1133, email eric@mail@shaw.ca

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Wanted: N.W.M.P. Adams & Enfield Revolvers. N.W.M.P. Snider MKIII Carbine and original N.W.M.P. photos, documents, medals. Call Patrick 604-277-5940

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