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SHOW DATES FOR 2015

Apr 19	July 12	Oct 4
May 24	Aug 9	Nov 14-15
June 21	Sept 20	Dec 6

NEXT SHOW

April 19th
8:30AM - 1PM
Evergreen Hall
9291 Corbould Street, Chilliwack

OUT OF TOWN SHOWS

APRIL 3-4: Calgary Stampede Grounds, 1410 Olympic Way S.E. Call 403-771-8348.

APRIL 11-12: Penticton Curling Club. Call 250-494-4356 or 250-494-4420, email collector0003@gmail.com

APRIL 12: Quesnel, Legion Hall, 262 Kinchant St. Call 250-249-0150.

APRIL 18-19: High Prairie, Gordon Buchanan Rec. Centre. Call 780-523-1948 or 780-523-5034.

APRIL 25-26: Kamloops McArthur Sports Centre, 12 St. South. Email kamloopsgunshow@ktsa.ca or call 250-376-0055 or 250-319-1916.

MAY 2-3: Red Deer in UFA Agri Centre West, Westerner Park, 4847A-19 Street. Call 403-347-3767.

MAY 9-10: Prince George in the Coliseum. Call Don 250-613-0151.

MAY 23-24: Kootenay in Cranbrook Curling Rink, 1812 – 2 Street North. Call 250-422-3469.

JUNE 13-14: Canora, Sk @ Sylvia Fedoriak Centre. Call 306-563-7369 or 306-563-6379.

JULY 18-19: Hannah Curling Rink, Hanna, Ab. Call Ron 403-854-3768, fax 403-854-3986.

AUGUST 8-9: Spiritwood, Sk., Communiplex Arena. Call 306-984-4715, email jdalpe@sasktel.net

AUGUST 22-23: Torrington, Ab., in Ron Gorr Memorial Arena, Hwy #27, Torrington. Call Stan, 403-556-5768.

August 28-29: Vernon, BC, Vernon Rec Centre. Call Phyllis 250-547-1442, email pcwbow42@gmail.com

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RON'S REPORT

Before getting into the good news of a show report, I have an important reminder for everyone. This year, 2015, is the federal election year. Now Stephen Harper hasn't done away with all of Bill C68. However, the registration of long guns is gone. I have heard there are other pieces of legislation being studied which will make our lives even easier. So think about this: we are told the mark of a fool is to keep making the same mistake and expecting different results. A case to note. Mulcair, of the NDP, favours bringing back registration. The Liberals, led by "son of daddy" have always been in favour of registration. Historically, it was Mackenzie King's Liberals that started handgun registration in 1934. I bring this to your attention so you can think about it, then make an informed decision on Election Day. I've already made my decision!

An article in the Firearms Access got me thinking, maybe a lot of you boys and girls saw the same item. We all know that a permit to carry a handgun in Canada is almost nonexistent. A lot of the security people seen around are not armed. They are only armed if they are protecting money or precious metal! No one is allowed to carry just to protect your life. However, how many women would have avoided an assault if they carried a "snubnose"? Even those creeps would realize their chances of out running a .38 were very poor! It's something to think about if you're going to be writing some letters. I'm sure you've all noticed that none of the above political/bureaucratic rules don't even come close to good old common sense!

Important! Don't forget to pay your Club dues. They are still only \$40 per year.

A tip of the hat! A rousing cheer! And a huge thanks to Gord Bader, Al Amundson and Art Hoivik for the biggest, most successful show the Club has ever sponsored! The second huge thanks goes to all of the volunteers who worked like dry horses setting up tables. Then coming back Sunday to take them down and stack them on trolleys. Thanks to all!

Want to hear some really big news? Al Amundson won the shotgun that the CSSA was raffling! Mike Wallace called me with his complaint about the show. We had less than a dozen visitors under 5000. Mike was hoping to break 5000, now he has to wait until next year! As I said, this was our biggest and best attended show. We had 607 tables on the floor. Gord said at the meeting he is going to redraw the floor plan to get some more tables on the floor. Everyone I spoke to had just as good a time as I had. My biggest beef was there were so many people that I didn't get a chance to talk to some of my old friends. I got a surprise on Sunday though. I looked up and there was one of our first lifetime members – Henry Romain, who I hadn't seen for years. Henry, you haven't changed a bit! Early Saturday, in the first hour, a table holder from up-country came with his eyes the size of golf balls and said, "I've already taken in \$5000!" I had the honour of meeting and shaking the hand of the gentleman who volunteered to drive any older members out to the Chilliwack shows. His name, if you remember, is John Jensen. We talked about it for a bit, he didn't see it as any kind of a nuisance to have a passenger out to a show. So, again, his name is John Jensen, 604.620.0652. If you can't drive out to the shows, give John a call and make the arrangements for meeting somewhere.

From what I had time to see, I think a lot of guns left the show. The door for taking bought guns out was opposite my table where two security men checked receipts and bagged the guns. I saw on two occasions where a buyer came with both arms full of guns. The way one would carry firewood. I also spoke to Terry Hamilton who told me they too were very busy doing handgun transfers and travel permits. We are very fortunate to have that service right in the show. It sure streamlines buying that handgun you've always wanted but before you didn't want the bother. Now a one-stop shopping.

As we all know the place on Saturday was jammed. It didn't stop folks from buying though. Dave Worfolk sold so much on Saturday, he had to go home for more stock for the sales on Sunday. Sunday, another fellow told me he had brought four guns and sold every one. However, he was going to take home five. He said not because I need them, it's because I like them. Now who can argue with logic like that? For myself, both daughters and husbands, my oldest grandson and wife with their 2 youngsters came in Saturday morning. It was busy then and just kept getting busier. Most of my family visitors were put to work either at the tables or looking after Ben and Amelia. The girls thought they might get around and do some visiting, however, the crowd was just too thick so they came back to the table. The plan was they would stay until I had lunch then they would leave. I finally got one bite off my sandwich then had to get up to help at the table. It took some time of a bite every few minutes before I had it finished. My stomach didn't even know I'd eaten a sandwich. Lei had got a coffee for my lunch, but it took so long to get to it that its temperature was like tap water! My sales were good. I brought a whole bucket of stocks and sold every one. I was sure that I'd sold one rifle. I'd really hoped to sell three. However, after getting home and cleaning out my attaché case, I found two trigger locks. For the life of me I couldn't remember why. I called Rhonna who said, "Dad, don't you remember you sold two guns?"

I didn't remember all of the guns I'd taken only the number. So, on counting them, I found, yes, I'd sold two. Though, again I didn't manage to achieve my goal in gun sales. I did manage to buy three more. That was another goal I didn't manage well. I told myself I wouldn't buy any guns. Of course, the girls got after me for the failure. My buddy and table neighbour sold one gun but quite a few sets of dies and I think also some ammunition. No one came to me saying they had a poor show. So again, three cheers for our Show Committee!

Important notice: The 2016 March Show dates are changed. Due to leap year we had run into another function at Heritage Park. Art worked on the problem for three days and the final outcome is this: we are going to have the third week of March from now on. So in 2016 the date of our show will be March 19-20, 2016. While on the subject, here are all of the 2016 show dates for you long-range planners. January 10, February 7, March 19-20, April 10, May 22, June 19, July 10, August 7, September 18, October 9, November 12-13, December 4. Easter is March 27, 2016.

As always, Saturday after the show closes we have the Club AGM at which the elections are held. Here is the list of officers for the coming year: President, Ron Tyson; First Vice President, Art Hoivik; Second Vice President, Gord Bader; Treasurer, Mike Wallace; Sgt.-at-Arms, Al Amundson; Recording Secretary, Malcolm Finlayson. The Directors are: Dave Norfolk, James George, Fred Dallyn, Don Beebe, Brian Morphy, Mike Hodgson and Mark Lewis. So all of the above will be working on the Club's behalf for the next year. So please be nice to them! Sunday at the show was a bit slower as expected. Though it was steady enough that I couldn't leave the table for more than a very few minutes. I noticed the security fellows who were checking out guns didn't have much time to spare. I don't remember a March show in Chilliwack with such nice weather. Chilliwack in March always makes me think of rain! With drops the size of a dime!

I've read more on the RCMP job in High River, Ab. Most of you know the details of the break-ins and the thefts. The report by the Civilian Review and Complaints Commission (122 pages) found fault with the way the Force handled the situation. In my opinion that shouldn't require 122 pages to point out that they had broken the law and the trust of many, many more residents. I think a much fairer method and probably cheaper, would have been to pick a dozen gun owners from other parts of the province to look into the incident so as to avoid any bias. There shouldn't have been a High River folks. I could name a couple of unbiased gentlemen from Edmonton, either of whom would have done an excellent job on the investigation and the recommendation of punishment! I think the lash is still on the books.

Now, I'm asking all you boys and girls to remember March 19-20, 2016 is the next Heritage Park show. The next Evergreen show is April 19. If you would like a table, call Art at 604.858.8039 or email ahoivik@shaw.ca.

Saturday, March 14 was the volunteers' dinner. I was surprised at how few attended. There were only 19. Last year, if memory serves, there were around 30. For all who didn't attend, I have to tell you, it was the best meal yet! I thought last year couldn't be beat but they did it. It was great to see Tom Brown home from Whitehorse and with him Dawn and Catlyn. Tom said the weather up there was, for there, warm.

More sad news. I just had a call from a member's daughter to say her dad, Ed Krawinkel, has passed away. Our sympathy goes out to Rolf and Chris.

I'm hoping to see many of you April 19 at the Evergreen Hall. I think I've covered all the topics you wanted to hear about. So, boys and girls, that's it for this issue. Remember, be good to each other.

Cheers,
Ron

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- 7x57 Lee \$20
- 38 auto 4-die set c/w shell holder Lee \$35
- 270 Win. C.H. \$35
- 7x57 Pacific \$35
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- 270 Win. Pacific \$35
- Win. M88 Cayler Clip 10 Rd \$65
- Hi standard Mod. G-B 6 3/4" barrel c/w front sight \$80
- Hi standard M100-101 6 3/4" barrel c/w sight \$80
- Colt 1911 45 cal. NEW SS barrel \$125
- Glock 40 cal. 4 1/4" barrel \$150
- Hi standard M100-101 slide c/w F. pen, F.P. spring & rear sight \$95
- Hi standard M100 4 1/2" barrel c/w sight & filler plate 22LR \$95
- Browning M.1922 slide c/w extension & sights \$125
- S&W 9MM slide c/w front sight, barrel bushing, safety, firing pin, spring & extractor \$235
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FOR SALE | Email g.strahl@telus.net for details and photos. 604-858-7869.

Gas masks and helmets of many nations.

FOR SALE | Charlie 604-277-3646

Gun Books. Approx. 45 collected over the last 50 years plus 15 volumes of Time Life "The Old West". Price will be reasonable & negotiable.

FOR SALE | Contact akldf@hotmail.com

- Several parker hale rifles, safari 1200, 30/06, one det. magazine for each. Fair to good condition. Open to offers.
- Parker hale rifle, safari 1200, 35 whelen, good condition, c/w bausch/lomb 3x9 scope, two det. magazines, loading dies and lots of good brass and bullets. Very good shooter.
- Box of leather and synthetic holsters (~15), for semi pistols and large revolver, shoulder rigs.

FOR SALE | Larry Lee 604-298-2070 (Burnaby, BC)

- Winchester Model 94 rifle, 38/55 calibre, 26" round barrel with 1/2 button magazine, 90% original blueing, flip up tang sight, S.N. 271268, 1902 manufacture. In original condition with all aspects of this rifle in quality condition. First \$6600 takes it. Call for more info.
- L.C. Smith 12 ga. SxS, 32" fluid steel brls, auto ejectors, LC Smith/Hunter Arms, 1913 era +/- very solid, tight gun, good wood, \$475.
- Remington M742 – 30-06, semi-auto, deluxe grade, w. 2.8 x 8x scope, custom leather sling, well looked after, excellent condition, \$550.
- SKS Model "D" w. detach. mag. v. good cond. \$450.
- Dominion Co. 12 ga. pump shotgun, new, never fired, 12" barrel, pump action, black finish, not restricted, in original, new cond. \$450.
- 3 P.08 Luger clips v.g. \$90 each.
- Colt 1860 army revolver, 1st Gen. made 1864, US Civil War gun, matching nos., very tight cond. faint cartouches on walnut grips, \$2500.
- 1918 Bar LMG – deactivated, model "D" up-grade by FN for Browning, no restrictions, in excellent cond., trade for exc. M-1 Garand & M-1 Carbine, sell for \$2100.

FOR SALE | Dave 604-536-1202

500 frangible 38 cal. bullets, \$80 OBO. 500 – 38 cal. SWC, \$50 OBO.

Outdoormanship in Lower Mainland (40+). Interested in hunting and fishing. I am looking for a partner with mentor or living legacy outlook. I do have my life experience and willingness to provide transportation, share costs and to acquire new and to reinforce, existing knowledge, behavior, skills, values. I outing, fish and hunt with a dog. I am European with a family and ethical values have all licenses and most gears. Email demonofchoice@outlook.com

Complete gunsmithing, metal work, wood work, checkering, all types of blueing and high tech metal finishing, rebarreling, etc., Gary Flach, home - 604-510-4114 or email garyandtammy@shaw.ca

Canadian Firearms Safety Courses & Conservation Outdoor Recreation Education Courses & Exams – certified examiner – contact Al Simmons, 604-291-1952. Burnaby.

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.

Military items from all eras such as autographs, helmets/headgear, uniforms, decorations, & edged weapons. Single items, estates, or collections. Contact George at 604-841-0710, or Bill at hughes@militaryautographs.com

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 778-223-3335, email adamhome@live.com

Wanted: Original condition WaA marked Walther PP, Astra 600, or Star p .08. Please contact morgan.andreassen@gmail.com or 604-217-7584.

Wanted: Pinfire revolvers. Please call Gary Bates, 604-476-0063 or gngbates@shaw.ca

Wanted: Looking for surplus 8mm mauser ammunition. Call Jay 604 649-6540.

Wanted: Monte Carlo stock and fore end for Lee Enfield #5. Bayonet (authentic or reproduction) for Lee Enfield #5. Receiver and bolt for Lee Enfield #5. Any drelling (3's), doubles (mixed) or over & under rifles any caliber. Cowboy action lever action rifles or pistols. Prohibited firearms. Reloading dies for 38/357 mag set, 9MM, 303. Also any .22 WRF ammo. Call Bill 604-626-4550.

REWARD FOR RETURN | Barry Dadswell 604-826-3327

Reward for the return of WW1 Death Penny in the name of Edward O'Kill Dadswell 10th. Brigade, Canadian Field Artillery. Died August 29th, 1918.

FOR SALE | Marshall Gaudreault 604-729-0042

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

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

- CVA HAWKINS, .50 cal, BP, caplock. VG. \$349.00 + shipping
 - NEF HANDI-RIFLE, .45-70, VG. \$175.00
 - PLAINFIELD M1 Carbine, .30 cal., Restricted. VG. \$575.00 + shipping
 - ENFIELD Revolver, #2, Mk. 1, .38 S&W, chromed. VG+. \$350.00 + shipping
 - COLD STEEL, 6", matte black, two-position carry. NEW. \$125.00 + shipping.
 - TOKAROV (China) TT33/213, 9 x 19 Para, semi-auto with two magazines. NEW (RESTRICTED). \$225.00 + shipping
 - CROSMAN Model 357, .177" cal. Pellet, CO2 revolver, two x 10 round pellet clips, four x Crosman PowerJet Cylinders, owner's manual, several thousand pellets & non-original hard-case. AS NEW (NO PAL REQUIRED). \$55.00 + Shipping
 - PARKER HALE Model 'B' (Bisley) Rifle Vise. AS NEW in original box. \$300.00 + shipping
 - LE #4, Mk.1 Spike Bayonet with steel scabbard & web frog. British Broad Arrow. \$25.00 + shipping. LE #7, Mk.1 Blade Bayonet with reversible handle. No scabbard. \$30.00 + shipping. LE #9, Mk.1 Blade (Bowie) Bayonet with scabbard & web frog. Marked "E" or "D 53", "PF329362", British Broad Arrow. \$65.00 + shipping
 - SYKES-FAIRBURN (Repro) 'Commando' dagger, 7" double edged blade, knurled handle, black matte finish. Leather sheath with steel toe cap & tabs. NEW. \$75.00 + shipping
 - BUCK Model 120, fixed 7 1/2" blade belt knife. Black leather sheath with securing snap-lock. Made in USA. NEW. \$55.00 + shipping.
 - WINCHESTER 1200, 12g. x 3" mag., pump action, 30" full choke, Winchester recoil pad, Made in USA. VG+. \$250.00 + shipping
 - REMINGTON 1100, 12g. x 3" mag., semi-auto, 30" modified choke, vented rib, low 'mileage', well maintained. Made in USA. VG+. \$575.00 + shipping
 - SAVAGE 340C, .30-30, bolt action, carbine, two detachable magazines (can be kept full when in/on motorized vehicle), VG+. \$350.00 + shipping
 - 9mm Largo (Long) Ammunition. Made in Spain by National de Toledo. Boxed in 25's. \$15.00 each + shipping
 - SAVAGE 24S-E, O/U, .22lr x 20 gauge/3" magnum, Improved Choke, side lever, grooved for scope, walnut stock, 24" blued barrel & action, Made in USA in early 1970s – has a s/n which were introduced in 1968. VG+, \$625.00 + shipping.
 - CROSSMAN 110 Air Rifle, .22" calibre, bolt action, pump forestock, brass front sight & end cap, missing rear sight, Weaver D4 scope installed. Manufactured in 1949 (65th birthday). Made in USA. G+, \$195.00 + shipping.
 - RARE- Canadian Officer's Field Manual, WW I, issued to Captain T. Walker, 196th Battalion, C.E.F. Leather bound 1914 Edition with 1916 Amendments. \$200.00 + shipping.
 - RUGER M77 "HAWKEYE", .270 cal., .22" matte blue barrel, 'All-Weather' over moulded, green-tone Hogue stock. Includes Ruger scope rings. Made in USA. NEW, NEVER FIRED. \$650.00 + shipping.
- WANTED - Interested in acquiring by trade or purchase the following:**
- SAVAGE 24 in .22 Magnum over 20 gauge x 3" magnum
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 - 44 Carbine, Deerstalk 44 Carbine, Sporter 44 Carbine, International 44 Carbine, &/or 99 Deerfield Semi-Autos
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Wanted: M1 carbine parts or parts guns, complete or incomplete. Any condition, must be USG1, no modern reproductions. Stocks, mags, slides, bolts, sights, springs, trigger housings, slings, oilers, anything for USG1 M1 carbine. Will pay fair prices. Call 604-595-6930 or email gordon.swanson@gssa.ca

Wanted: FN cleaning kit in good condition, will pay \$20-\$50. Looking for USM shooting jacket. Call Lyle McLennan 1-604-824-0059.

Wanted: 2 inch .410 shotgun shells, 32 cal rimfire cartridges, 32 cal centrefire extra short (also called 32 Protector centrefire cartridges). Call Eric Shenker 604-462-1133 or email eric@mail@shaw.ca

Wanted: Mauser Broomhandle c/w matching numbers and red nine grips. Call 604.946.5958.

Wanted: 50 cal casings (with the bullet still) and 22 mm casing to be used in making a drill cane.

Email Bruce at bpskennedy55@gmail.com

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Wanted: Browning SLR magazine for a pre 81 Browning lever action rifle. This is an early model in 270 caliber. Call 604- 290-1911.

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Wanted: I need parts for Mod. 42 Stevens, trigger guard & butt plate Win. 1904, bolt & trigger guard for Lakefield MK1. I'd also like to buy old, rusty, broken firearms with or without stocks. Call Mike 604-892-9001, email walfor@shaw.ca

Wanted: I'm hoping to buy a Win. M71 and 1886 Win. or parts. I also would like some early Colts. Call Al 604-941-8489.

Wanted: Colt 45acp Government 1911's and 1911 A1 or variations. Call Jim at 604- 290-1911 or jimmyguns@gmail.com

Wanted: Weaver N2 or N3 3/4" scope mount. Email Richard at rp71@shaw.ca

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.

Wanted: Marlin guide gun 4570 manufactured 2007 or earlier prefer SS laminate big loop lever. Call Kevin Garber 778-997-1684, email garber222@gmail.com

Wanted: Air Guns: Daisy Model 41, 780, 790, S & W mod. 78G, 79G, Schimel mod. GP22, American Luger. Call Larry 604-596-4544.