



The Shotwad

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The Right of the People to Keep & Bear Arms Shall Not Be Infringed

Hunter's Education Classes

1st & 2nd of October 9 AM to 4 PM at MRC Club House

All individuals born after Jan. 1, 1972 must show proof of hunter education certification before purchasing their first Washington hunting license. Qualifying individuals participating in the Hunter Education Deferral Program are exempted from this requirement for one year. If you already have a valid hunter education training certificate, just show it to a license vendor to purchase a hunting license. Hunter education training certificates can be from Washington or another state. Please note that an out-of-state license is not the same as a hunter education certificate. There is no minimum age required to enroll in hunter education. However, students 17 years of age and younger are required to complete an in-person assessment through either a traditional class or field skills evaluation for the online course. For more information visit: <<https://wdfw.wa.gov/hunting/requirements/education/basic>>

If interested Contact Rodney Moore # 198 at boulderchewer@aol.com

Saturday September 24th Work Party – 9 AM Start Time

September's Projects:

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- Portable Welder needed for September project dealing with welding plates for the new RFID gates

Mantis X-2 Available for use

- The MRC has Mantis X-2's available for check out. The mantis is a dry fire computer that attaches to your pistol or rifle and connects to your phone. The mantis has internal gyroscopes that log everything you do from aiming your firearm to firing the shot. . The Mantis then analyzes what you did and offers tips to improve your marksmanship. Visit the website to learn more <https://mantisx.com/pages/how-mantisx-works>> For checkout contact Scott Bigger at phone 360-403-5922 or email at scottbigger50@comcast.net

Keyless Entry Activation 1 Aug 2022

- Starting August 1st we will activate the electronic gate locks. If you have not already tested your badge on the Upper Range House or Club House doors please do so ASAP. If you have an issue, please contact Karen Lindauer or Todd Wilburn so we can get it fixed. If you have Action Bay access, please test your card on the gate. You will hear a beep and a click if it's working. We have had a few cards that had a configuration issue, and we believe we have corrected the problem.
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MRC September Calendar at a Glance

Wednesday, September 14	Thursday, September 22	Sunday, October 2
10:00am Silhouette Bay 9	10:00am Rec Shooting	8:00am Hunter Education
1:30pm Pistol League	6:00pm Youth League: Indoor 22 Range	10:00am Hunter Site In
Thursday, September 15	Saturday, September 24	Monday, October 3
10:00am Rec Shooting	8:00am Multi Gun Setup	7:00pm E-Board Meeting
6:00pm Youth League: Indoor 22 Range	9:00am NRA Concealed Carry Weapon	Tuesday, October 4
Saturday, September 17	9:00am Work Party (all ranges closed)	10:00am Trap Shooting. Rifle Range Closed 10AM to Noon
8:00am New member orientation	6:00pm Trap Shooting: Rifle Range Closed	12:00pm Pistol Range Class
8:00am USPSA Setup	Sunday, September 25	4:30pm Jr. Shotgun. Rifle Range Closed @ 4PM
9:00am NRA Refuse to be a Victim	10:00am Multi Gun Match	Wednesday, October 5
10:00am PPC Match: Bay 9	Tuesday, September 27	10:00am Silhouette Bay 9
Sunday, September 18	10:00am Trap Shooting. Rifle Range Closed 10AM to Noon	1:30pm Pistol League
10:00am USPSA Match	12:00pm Pistol Range Class	5:00pm Trap Shooting: Rifle Range Closes
Tuesday, September 20	4:30pm Jr. Shotgun. Rifle Range Closed @ 4PM	Thursday, October 6
10:00am Trap Shooting. Rifle Range Closed 10AM to Noon	7:00pm Cowboy Standoff Cmtte	10:00am Hunter Site In
12:00pm Pistol Range Class	8:00pm Cowboy Standoff Cmtte	10:00am Rec Shooting
4:30pm Jr. Shotgun. Rifle Range Closed @ 4PM	Wednesday, September 28	6:00pm Youth League: Indoor 22 Range
5:30pm USPSA Practice	10:00am Silhouette Bay 9	Saturday, October 8
Wednesday, September 21	1:30pm Pistol League	9:00am Cowboy Setup
10:00am Silhouette Bay 9	Thursday, September 29	10:00am Hunter Site In
1:30pm Pistol League	10:00am Rec Shooting	10:00am ISSA
5:00pm Trap Shooting: Rifle Range Closes	6:00pm Youth League: Indoor 22 Range	6:00pm Trap Shooting: Rifle Range Closed
	Saturday, October 1	Sunday, October 9
	8:00am Hunter Education	8:00am Lower Range House: Reserved\Cowboy
	9:00am NRA Basic Rifle	9:00am Cowboy Match
	10:00am Hunter Site In	10:00am Hunter Site In
	10:00am Black Powder Match 10AM - done	

Learning Opportunities with the NRA Instructors:

Various NRA classes are offered throughout the year at the Marysville Rifle Club. Everyone, including the public, is welcome take these classes. If you are interested in learning a new skill or know any new gun owners, they can sign up through the NRA website, accessed through Google ("NRA Classes Near Me") or at <https://www.nrainstructors.org/search.aspx> Select the classes you are interested in & press search. It is best to search using the MRC zip code of 98223 to ensure you get all the classes. For questions contact Scott Bigger at PH 360-403-5922 or email at scottbigger50@comcast.net There is a discount for MRC members & all funds from these classes are donated to the MRC. All classes start at 8 AM. Cost is \$75 for the public & \$50 for MRC members. Instructor classes will be coming out in second half of 2022 if you are interested in becoming a certified NRA instructor. See below for the near-term class schedule.

September 17th 8AM – New Member Orientation

Pistol Qualification around 4 PM. Call or email NRA instructors if you would like to go through qualifications

September 24th & 25th 8AM – NRA Basic CCW

Two Day class, Topics covered: Firearm Safety, selecting a Pistol for Self Defense, Defensive Ammo Selection, Basic Defensive Pistol Skills, Drawing from Concealment, Loading & Stopping Remediation, Mindset, Carry Modes & Concealment, Firearm Cleaning, Sport Shooting & Activities. Additional information provided with registration.

Saturday October 1st 8AM – Basic Rifle Class

This course is at least 14 hours long & includes classroom & range time learning to shoot rifles. Students learn NRA's rules for safe gun handling; rifle parts & operation; ammunition; shooting fundamentals; range rules; shooting from the bench rest, prone, sitting, standing & kneeling positions; cleaning, & continued opportunities for skill development. Students will receive the Basics of Rifle Shooting handbook, NRA Gun Safety Rules brochure, Winchester/NRA Marksmanship Qualification booklet, take a Basics of Rifle Shooting Student Examination, & receive a course completion certificate

Saturday October 22nd 8AM – Basic Muzzleloading Class

Instructors may focus the course on one specific discipline or a combination of disciplines. The course is a minimum of 12 hours in length & includes classroom instruction & time on a range shooting either muzzleloading rifle, muzzleloading pistol, or a selected combination of these disciplines.

Saturday October 29th 8AM - Metallic Cartridge Reloading

Teaches beginning reloaders the basic knowledge, skills, & attitude necessary to safely reload metallic cartridges. This course is eight hours in length & is conducted in a classroom. Each student is taught reloading safety, centerfire cartridge components, how to use the reloading manual & reloading data, equipment, & the metallic cartridge reloading process. Students will receive the NRA Guide to Reloading handbook, the Basic Reloading Student Exam, a course completion certificate, NRA Gun Safety Rules brochure, a Basic Firearm Training Program brochure, & a Course Evaluation form.

Sunday October 30th 8AM – Shotgun Shell Reloading

Teaches beginning reloaders the basic knowledge, skills, and attitude necessary to safely reload shotgun shells. This course is six hours in length and is conducted in a classroom. Each student is taught reloading safety; shotgun shell components; using the reloading manual and reloading data; equipment; and the shotgun shell reloading process. Students will receive the NRA Guide to Reloading handbook, the Basic Reloading Student Exam, a course completion certificate, NRA Gun Safety Rules brochure, a Basic Firearm Training Program brochure and a Course Evaluation form.

Saturday November 5th 8AM – Basic Pistol

Course topics include gun safety rules, proper operation of revolvers & semi-automatic pistols, ammunition knowledge & selection, pistol selection & storage, shooting fundamentals, pistol inspection & maintenance, marksmanship, & shooting range safety. Additionally, students will complete live fire training & a nationally standardized shooting qualification while on the range with an NRA Certified Instructor. Students will receive the NRA Guide: Basics of Pistol Shooting handbook, take a Basics of Pistol Shooting Student Examination, & receive a course completion certificate bearing the signature of the NRA Secretary & your NRA Certified Instructor.

Saturday November 26th 8AM - Range Safety Officer Training

Develops NRA Certified Range Safety Officers with the knowledge, skills, & attitude essential to organizing, conducting, & supervising safe shooting activities & range operations. This course is nine hours long & is conducted in a classroom & a shooting facility. Range Safety Officer candidates will learn roles & responsibilities of an RSO, Range Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), range inspection, range rules, range briefings, emergency procedures, & firearm stoppages & malfunctions. Each Range Safety Officer Candidate will receive an RSO Student Study Guide, a Basic Firearm Training Program brochure, an NRA Gun Safety Rules brochure, & a Course Evaluation form.

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