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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE.

For the members who haven't heard the campsite was buggerized by persons unknown. They broke into the CAT shack, and both trap houses; initial reports from the property chairman is the club only lost a compressor but the care-taker and the property chairman lost personal property. It was reported at the last board meeting that the persons responsible were seen in Mexico with the items taken. The scary part is this all took place while several members were camping. Now the first thing that comes to everybody's mind is to come out guns blazing, including me but stop and think first.

- They were seen between two campers; a bullet would go through a camper like a hot knife cutting soft butter, and the good folks inside those campers.
- They were dressed in dark clothing.
- They were bold enough to do this while our members slept.
- They were wide-awake!!!!
- Number of suspects unknown.
- Also only a liberal would think they weren't armed. (Yes a political incorrect statement, but true)

I am not recommending that we do not protect what is ours, but I want everyone to realize that bullets go both ways in a firefight; ask a vet, and it was at night. The following is copied right out of the California Penal Code Section 951 and it is very specific when deadly force can be used.

Sec. 53a-19. Use of physical force in defense of person. (a) Except as provided in subsections (b) and (c) of this section, a person is justified in using reasonable physical force upon another person to defend himself or a third person from what he reasonably believes to be the use or imminent use of physical force, and he may use such degree of force which he reasonably believes to be necessary for such purpose; **except that deadly physical force may not be used unless the actor reasonably believes that such other person is (1) using or about to use deadly physical force, or (2) inflicting or about to inflict great bodily harm.**

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, a person is not justified in using deadly physical force upon another person if he knows that he can avoid the necessity of using such force with complete safety (1) by retreating, except that the actor shall not be required to retreat if he is in his dwelling, as defined in section 53a-100, or place of work and was not the initial aggressor, or if he is a peace officer or a private person assisting such peace officer at his direction, and acting pursuant to section 53a-22, or (2) by surrendering possession of property to a person asserting a claim of right thereto, or (3) by complying with a demand that he abstain from performing an act which he is not obliged to perform.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, a person is not justified in using physical force when (1) with intent to cause physical injury or death to another person, he provokes the use of physical force by such other person, or (2) he is the initial aggressor, except that his use of physical force upon another person under such circumstances is justifiable if he withdraws from the encounter and effectively communicates to such other person his intent to do so, but such other person notwithstanding continues or threatens the use of physical force, or (3) the physical force involved was the product of a combat by agreement not specifically authorized by law.

Sec. 53a-20. **Use of physical force in defense of premises. (CLUB HOUSE OR ONES TRAILER OR MOTOR HOME)** A person in possession or control of premises, or a person who is licensed or privileged to be in or upon such premises, is justified in using reasonable physical force upon another person when and to the extent that he reasonably believes such to be necessary to prevent or terminate the commission or attempted commission of a criminal trespass by such other person in or upon such premises; **but he may use deadly physical force under such circumstances only (1) in defense of a person as prescribed in section 53a-19, or (2) when he reasonably believes such to be necessary to prevent an attempt by the trespasser to commit arson or any crime of violence, or (3) to the extent that he reasonably believes such to be necessary to prevent or terminate an unlawful entry by force into his dwelling as defined in section 53a-100, or place of work, and for the sole purpose of such prevention or termination.**

Sec. 53a-21. Use of physical force in defense of property. (CLUB PROPERTY) A person is justified in *using reasonable physical force* upon another person when and to the extent that he reasonably believes such to be necessary to prevent an attempt by such other person to commit larceny or criminal mischief involving property, or when and to the extent he reasonably believes such to be necessary to regain property which he reasonably believes to have been acquired by larceny within a reasonable time prior to the use of such force; **but he may use deadly physical force under such circumstances only in defense of person as prescribed in section 53a-19.**

Again I am not recommending that we just run away but every member must know what we can legally do to protect ourselves an the club.

TOPICS OF DEC 2007 BOARD MEETING

The board meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Ted Barker at the BVOA□Clubhouse.

Officers and board members present were:

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| Ted Barker | Ron Kesner | Jean Wilson | Joan Faustman |
| Jeff Lawhorn | Jim Black | Luwana Kesner | Emily Lawhorn |
| Joanne Norfolk | Lonise Black | Rich Wilson | |
| Rick Norfolk | Ron Hoebeck | | |

Minutes of the November board meeting were read and approved.

Treasurers Report:

- There were bills to be paid.

Trap Report:

- Next interclub shoot to be Saturday, January 19, 2008 at Project 2000.

Rifle/Pistol Report:

- None. Jeff volunteered to run Turkey shoot on Saturday the 23rd in February.

Guests:

- None.

Correspondence:

- Usual bulletins and a booklet from the NRA.

Legislature/Federation:

- None.

Committee Reports

Property:

- Rain and road runoff taken care of
- Two toilet seats replaced
- Kits to rebuild tractor hydraulic
- Property chairman will start accumulating material for the caretaker house
- Tractors mechanical fuel pump suspect, looking at replacing with electric pump

Old Business:

- Nominations opened. All members of officer/board are returning except for replacement needed for Chuck Faustman.
- Ron Hoebeck nominated for that position.
- Ready to mail out ballot.
- By-law changes were presented to board. Moved by Lonise, 2nd by Rich that we accept changes. Passed. Don't offer a line by line vote – make a blanket vote. Rick concerned that there will be a big protest by members for dues increase and if they turn down increase we'll be in big financial trouble.

New Business:

- Jeff presented proposal that we extend to members an incentive of one year's free dues if they sponsor a new member that they know. This program will run through the June board meeting. We'll address the details and must track monthly for status.
- Moved by Jeff/2nd by Lonise. Motion passed.
- Jeff moved that trailer storage be moved to south of the round about that is south of the clubhouse. Jim 2nd. Motion passed.
- Ron moved that we do a study about that storage proposal because of deliveries requiring big vehicles that need room to turn. His proposal is across from Ted, down from the water tank. Table discussion until January meeting.
- Review where tractor is to be stored, too.

The next board meeting

- January 17th.

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

RANGE SAFETY TOPICS OF THE MONTH

Below are just a few things to think about before one chambers that first round of the day.

- Be sure your gun and ammunition are compatible. Shooting incorrect ammunition in a firearm may cause it to be damaged or even make it blow up. It is not a pretty sight!!!!
- Use only ammunition recommended for your firearm by its manufacturer. Never fire ammunition that exceeds industry standard pressure specifications. Over-pressure ammunition will reduce the service life of your handgun, and puts you and those around you at risk of a catastrophic firearm failure

RESULTS OF LAST INTER CLUB SHOOT.

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|----------------|----------|----|----|----|
| Norfolk, Rick | Lakeside | 49 | 42 | 91 |
| Brown, Tom | Lakeside | 44 | 43 | 87 |
| Wilson, Rich | Lakeside | 46 | 36 | 82 |
| Barker, Ted | Lakeside | 44 | 34 | 78 |
| Kesner, Ron | Lakeside | 33 | 31 | 64 |
| Norfolk, Issac | Lakeside | 46 | 0 | 46 |

| Club | Total Hit | 16 Yard Targets | Handicap Targets | Total Targets | Total Shooters | Percent |
|--------------|-----------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|---------|
| Lemon Grove | 578 | 350 | 350 | 700 | 7 | 83.57% |
| Escondido | 819 | 500 | 500 | 1000 | 10 | 82.90% |
| Lakeside | 448 | 300 | 250 | 550 | 6 | 82.55% |
| Project 2000 | 1790 | 1300 | 1150 | 2450 | 26 | 74.12% |
| Palomar | 351 | 250 | 250 | 500 | 5 | 71.20% |

CONGRATULATIONS TO ISSAC NORFOLK. HE WAS TOP JUNIOR

UPCOMING EVENTS

March



LAKESIDE SPORTSMANS CLUB

**Annual Trophy Presentation,
Installation of Board & Officers,
& Pot Luck Dinner**

Saturday - March 1st

Starting at 6:30 P.M. at the Bonita Views Club House
Bring a main dish, salad or dessert to share and your own service.
Milk, water, coffee, rolls & butter will be provided.
For directions, call 619 472-5615

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

- 20th Board Meeting
- 30th Interclub shoot at Escondido more info to follow i.e. times etc.

Included with this newsletter is a copy of the proposed calendar for 2008/2009 please review and contact the board if you have any recommended changes.

Next Board Meeting Thursday February 20th, 2008.