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### Welcome to our newest TV Chapter Members

*Gary Biasi, Becky Booth, William Hermans, Christopher Hoff, Travis Hopkins, Paul Lewis, Skye Mayo, Gladys Nicely, Desiree Peoples, Erik Plaza, Gary Roe, Richard Severson, Mike Tate, Tom Vankoll and Antonia Wille.*

You can register for our 2020 Annual Fundraising Banquet now. The registration is in this newsletter. Please contact Melody Kind at 503-502-0611 or feel free to email at TVCOHA@Outlook.com with any questions regarding the banquet or to register.

Congratulations to our quarterly chapter meeting incentive firearm winner, Jennifer Teters! Jennifer won a Thompson Compass .243 rifle just for attending the monthly chapter meetings.

You can now register for the Annual Christmas Party. See the flyer in this newsletter. Remember there is limited seating and we did sell out last year. Please register by December 1st.

We are looking for donations for our Christmas Party as well as our annual fundraising banquet (2020). If you have any thoughts on things that you would like to see as bucket items or prizes, please let us know.

We love to work with our local businesses and crafters and we are also interested in buy one get one offers. Monetary donations are greatly appreciated. We will put your name/name of your business in our social media, in our newsletter and in our program. Contact any one of the board members to the left and we can answer any questions you may have on the topic. We are thankful and appreciate all donations.

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### \*\*CHAPTER MEETINGS\*\*

Chapter meetings are held the **Third Tuesday** of each month at:  
**Prime Time Sports Bar and Grill in Forest Grove**



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**A BIG THANK YOU to Jake Love from SIG** for being our guest speaker. SIG [Swiss Industrial Company) In Swiss, that's Schweizerische Industrie-Gesellschaft hence the initials SIG.] SIG was born in 1853 in

Switzerland. The company has continued to grow and expanded to the US. It has been known for firearms for all of those years however in 2015, the company expanded to include suppressors, optics, ammo and air guns. Jake was happy to share that SIG Sauer is the fastest growing optics company in the world and is proud of their products. He can attest to their high quality as he personally uses SIG products.

Jake came to our meeting bearing SIG optics galore! The optics were passed around and you could check out all the offerings from the lower work horse models all the way up to the tactical and military grade models with the latest technology. Jake discussed their BDS rangefinder and riflescope shooting system and the technology involved in it.

He shared that SIG has optics for everyone from military, law enforcement, to hunter and competitive shooters. He went over the different models of riflescopes, range finders, red dot sites, battle sights, binoculars and spotting scopes. He brought along catalogs for everyone plus information for us on how and where we could purchase them.

Jake was a very patient speaker and answered all of the questions we could come up with on their products and even went over their warranty information along with things that may be in the works. Check out SIG's website at [www.sigsauer.com](http://www.sigsauer.com) or find them on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram.



**Congratulations go to Tanner Smith for getting it done and harvesting this great looking bull elk.**



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If you have any hunting photos that you would like to share in our newsletter, please send digital images to [tvcoha@outlook.com](mailto:tvcoha@outlook.com) or email Melody Kind — [hidden\\_valley1@hotmail.com](mailto:hidden_valley1@hotmail.com) or text them to 503-502-0611.





**Tualatin Valley Chapter's  
Oregon Hunters Association  
37th Annual Fundraiser  
Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**Location:** NW Events & Environments  
2900 NE Century Blvd, Suite 100, Hillsboro, OR 97124

***Come join us for wonderful Food, Drink, Raffles,  
Games, Silent Auction, Live Auction and the  
Best Wall of Dreams prize choices out there!***

*More information will be available at [www.TualatinValleyOHA.com](http://www.TualatinValleyOHA.com)  
or find us on Facebook—Oregon Hunters Association Tualatin Valley Chapter*

**Doors open at 4:00 p.m. \* Dinner at 6:00 p.m. \* Raffles & Auction to follow**

We're using a software for registration. You will be asked for your credit card when you come in the door. It is tied to a bidder number which will log all of the purchases to that number. It assigns one bidder number per couple however if you would like individual bidder numbers, please specify below;

☐ I would like individual bidder numbers

To purchase your tickets, fill out both sections of this form and mail to:

**OHA Tualatin Valley Chapter, 33 S 18th Ct, OR 97113**

or scan it and email it to [TVCOHA@Outlook.com](mailto:TVCOHA@Outlook.com)

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Card Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Notice—All Credit Card purchases will be charged a \$3 credit processing fee

(All credit card information will be held strictly confidential)

\*\*\*\* NOTE—You will receive your pre-paid ticket packages at the door \*\*\*\*

If you have questions or comments contact:

Melody Kind—503-502-0611 Or Email: [TVCOHA@OUTLOOK.COM](mailto:TVCOHA@OUTLOOK.COM)

# FUNDRAISER DINNER FORM—2020

Member Name: _____	Phone: _____
Address: _____	Email: _____
Guest Name: _____	Phone: _____ Email: _____
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Guest Name: _____	Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please Print Legibly—All Guest Names are Required for our registration software

**1. Youth Dinner Packages: Ages—6 to 17 = \$25.00** \*\*This is for the youth dinner and not the adult dinner\*\*

1—Youth Dinner Ticket — (Must be accompanied by an adult.)

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Youth Packages x \$25.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

**AGES—5 and under are free — Please let us know their Ages:** \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Reserve a Table Package: \$1280.00 — for 8 people** **Value—\$2000.00**

Includes the following:

8—Dinner Tickets    16—Drink Tickets    8—\$100 worth of Raffle Tickets    **1—Rifle Winner per Table**

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Table Packages X \$1280.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Dinner Only Package: \$65.00**

Includes the following:

1—Dinner Ticket    1—Drink Tickets

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Tickets X \$65.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Adult Dinner Package: \$115.00** **Value—\$136.00**

Includes the following:

1—Dinner Ticket    2—Drink Tickets

\$60.00 worth of Raffle Tickets

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Tickets X \$115.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**5. 2 Adults Dinner Package: \$175.00—for 2 people** **Value—\$280.00**

Includes the following:    2—Dinner Tickets    4—Drink Tickets    2—\$60.00 worth of Raffle Tickets

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Tickets X \$175.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**6. Wall of Dreams Raffle: \$100.00**

1 – Wall of Dreams ticket + \$50 worth of general raffle tickets

\_\_\_\_\_ No. of Tickets X \$100.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Chance to win an item of your choice from the Wall of Dreams

(1 ticket drawn for every 10 Wall of Dreams tickets sold)

**7. If no one in your group is a member of OHA, please add one membership fee:**

☐ Individual membership is \$35.00    ☐ Family Membership is \$45.00    **Membership Fee = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Join us for the Tualatin Valley OHA Chapter  
Annual Christmas Party.  
Saturday December 14th 2019  
at Meriwether National Golf Club

**Please join OHA members and our  
Board of Directors for a family  
friendly Christmas Dinner.**

**Doors Open at 4pm | Dinner at 6 pm**

**Adult Meal \$40 / Youth Meal\* \$10**

**\*Youth ages 17 and under**

Hot Chocolate, Coffee and Cider provided.  
No-Host Soda and Alcoholic Beverages

Door Prizes, Silent Auction, Raffles,  
Youth Raffle and a visit from Santa.

Meriwether National Golf Club  
5200 SW Rood Bridge Road  
Hillsboro, OR 97123

Please help the less fortunate by  
Bringing non-perishable food  
Items, pet supplies and  
Toiletries, benefitting the  
North Plains Food Pantry.

To Register please call or email Melody Kind at 503-502-0611 TVCOHA@Outlook.com  
Or fill out this form and mail to TVC OHA 33 S 18th Ct, Cornelius OR 97113

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ CVV# \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_ # of Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Youth: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages of Youth \_\_\_\_\_



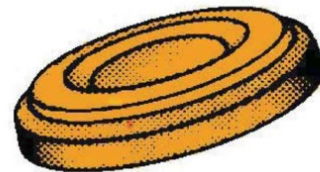


# HILLSBORO TRAP & SKEET CLUB

## Hosts the Annual JUNIOR WINTER TRAPSHOOTING LEAGUE

2019 - 2020 Season

For Students ages 18 and under



**Sign Up and NEW Shooter Orientation Training**  
**Saturday Oct 26th at 12:00 Noon**

Season starts Saturday November 2nd, 2019 and  
Ends Saturday February 22nd, 2020 with an  
Awards Presentation and Potluck at 3:00 p.m.

There will be awards in 3 Divisions:

Sub-Jr (5th & 6th grade)

Jr. (7th, 8th & 9th grade)

Senior (10th, 11th & 12th grade)

### 12 Week Saturday Schedule

First Half	Second Half
Nov 2	Jan 11
Nov 9	Jan 18
Nov 16	Jan 25
Dec 7	Feb 1
Dec 14	Feb 8
Jan 4	Feb 22*

**Shooting 12:00 Noon - 3:00 pm**

\*Awards Presentation Potluck 3:00 p.m.

**A \$500.00 College Scholarship will be awarded to the top  
High School Senior male and female shooters for the season.**

Cost: \$4.50 per round (for 25 Trap Targets) (Weekly Prizes)  
Must record (4) scores in each half to be eligible for yearend awards.

For additional information contact Randy Lederbrand at  
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# OHA TRACKER

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SUNRISE ON WILD BILLY LAKE

## Commission approves new regs

By Jim Akenson, OHA Sr. Conservation Director  
and Al Elkins, OHA Lobbyist

Oregon's Fish and Wildlife Commission voted on Sept. 13 to adopt the large package of regulation changes proposed by ODFW. Most of these changes will go into effect beginning in 2020. The three biggest issues presented by OHA representatives were about the new bag limits for black-tailed deer, the situation with mule deer populations in eastern Oregon, and the scale and process of the proposed general cow elk hunts.

**Black-tailed Deer:** The Western Oregon deer bag limit will soon allow for spike harvest with the new bag limit of "one buck with a visible antler." Spike bucks will be illegal to harvest during controlled antlerless hunts.

**Cow Elk Damage Tags:** This is for areas of the state with high elk damage and will replace 19 controlled hunts and the need to provide damage tags to landowners. Hunters taking advantage of this new opportunity would still need permission to hunt on private land to use the tag and it would be their only elk hunting opportunity.

**Work Group Development:** The Commission also directed staff to form a work group to continue the big game hunting season and regulations review, specifically focusing on blacktail and mule deer issues. OHA will play a key role in this process as it develops.

What served as the impetus for forming this work group was the testimony OHA staff and a State Board member gave before the Commission at the September meeting in Gold Beach. Here are some of the highlights of that testimony:

OHA, the largest hunting group based in Oregon, had detailed conversa-

tions with ODFW staff on their proposals. As a respected stakeholder, OHA spent hundreds of hours evaluating each proposal with consideration of the biological resource as the first element. During our meetings with ODFW staff, we shared our concerns. All of our time, effort and solid science-based recommendations fell on deaf ears.

– and had no influence on their proposal to the Commission.

The proposals adopted by the Commission illustrate a significant change in the way Oregonians hunt. For such a huge change, the process of discussion and interaction between stakeholder groups and Department personnel was just the opposite of the wolf plan process: there was not a great deal of time for anyone to read and respond to these significant changes.

We will keep you updated on the progress that the workgroup makes in future Trackers.

## Sage grouse harvest topic of Oct. 11 meeting

The issue of continuing sage grouse hunting will be a topic at the next Commission meeting in Ontario on Oct. 11. OHA has continuously advocated for maintaining these hunting opportunities because of the wealth of information wing collection provides and the fact that the extremely conservative harvest does not affect the carryover population, and that advocacy will continue in Ontario.

## Gun initiative turns in its signatures

By Al Elkins, OHA Lobbyist  
[Alvinelkins@yahoo.com](mailto:Alvinelkins@yahoo.com)



Supporters of a gun storage ballot measure have submitted 2,000 signatures to the Oregon Secretary of State recently, and the process of verifying those signatures has begun.

This ballot measure includes these provisions:

A person who owns or possesses a firearm shall, at all times that the firearm is not carried by or under the control of the person or an authorized person, secure the firearm:

- With an engaged trigger lock or cable lock...
- In a locked container, equipped with a tamper-resistant lock...

The measure also addresses guns being used while hunting, stating that this measure does not apply if the unsecured firearm was obtained for the purpose of hunting, trapping or target shooting, during the time in which the person is engaged in activities related to hunting, trapping or target shooting.

This language is similar to the proposed language in 2018, but that proposal never made the ballot. During the 2019 Legislative Session, similar language was included in a gun bill, but that bill was killed as part of negotiations to get the Senate Republicans to return to the Capitol building. Like earlier attempts, there is no reference at all for stiffer penalties for those who actually steal guns.

OHA will work with gun rights advocacy groups to help defeat this ballot measure. If this measure gathers enough signatures, it would appear on the November 2020 ballot.







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**October 8th — Board Meeting is at 7pm— 33 S 18th Ct, Cornelius OR 97113**

**October 15th — Chapter Meeting** at Primetime Sports Bar & Grill 4450 Pacific Avenue, Forest Grove OR 97116 Guest Speaker is Trooper Tayler Jerome from OSP



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