"We are re-running this article from the March/April 2013 issue of the Bullet Trap as it unfortunately continues to be all too relevant. Just as unfortunate, there has been virtually no advancement in actual school safety anywhere, despite many efforts by law enforcement officials and others. Too many school people seem to be really bothered by the presence of law enforcement officers, not to even mention trained responsible armed staff of citizens.
- Landis Aden

KEEPING OUR OWN HOUSE IN ORDER.

With the recent mass murder in Connecticut, we all need to take a good look at our children and grandchildren and honestly ask, “Do you have someone who might fit, or is starting to look like that profile”? We have learned over the past few years that it is very difficult to get help. But you can’t give up.

Trust your instincts as a parent, friend or family member if you have a child fitting this profile or a potential problem, you need to take the appropriate safety measures immediately including absolutely no access for that person to firearms or ammunition (knives, bats, or whatever is appropriate). Yes, that means any firearms or weapons are in your direct control or securely locked away.

Emphasis on the physically “securely” means gun safes, steel cabinets or boxes

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BREAKING:

DIANNE FEINSTEIN INTRODUCES FEDERAL BILL TO CONFISCATE GUNS

By Nick Leghorn on June 6, 2014

We all saw this one coming. Two weeks after Elliot Roger stabbed three people and shot three more, a trio of legislators from California (including Dianne Feinstein) have proposed a new federal law called “The Pause for Safety Act” which would allow anyone at any time to seek a “firearms restraining order” against an individual to prevent them from purchasing any new firearms and also confiscate any firearms they may already

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TRAINING IS SOMETHING YOUR ASRPA IS BECOMING MORE ACTIVE IN EVERY YEAR. WE BELIEVE IN QUALITY FIREARMS TRAINING!

Noble C Hathaway, President ASRPA

Arizona has many well qualified instructors within our state and many that were once NRA/CMP certified but sort of went by the way. I want to call on all of our members to encourage these folks to re-enter the training arena and get involved in their local clubs, ranges and organizations to guide the record amount of new shooters through a real maze of training options. Colossal numbers of gun sales, which many are first time purchases, along with those wanting to protect themselves and begin a lifelong hobby of shooting are confused as to just what they need and which direction to go. We must be there to welcome them and give them solid advice on the best solutions for their needs.

Self-Protection Carry:

With the demise and gutting of our stellar CCW program several years back, many believe they need no training, on any level, as our state law now allows virtually anyone which is NOT a prohibited possessor to carry discreetly, or open carry style….this is a right and a great thing for freedom. This is however creating the potential for some real problems which could be averted by the training community taking an interest in what is being taught. I have written previously that someone seeking a 20 minute virtual online class (now allowed by legislation pushed through several years ago) could be in for a big surprise if they ever have to use their firearm in a business fashion. It is imperative to take some time to get the best and continuous training for something so important.

New gun owners and especially those which are now carrying for the first time really do need training to make them an asset to free Arizona society. Whether or not you obtain a state permit is not material here however, just purchasing a gun, sticking it in a holster, and going on about your business after moving here from another state could certainly lead to some issues. The same goes for the newcomer to personal protection with a firearm. Competence with a firearm along with how to safely handle it, knowing state statues and thinking about the consequences of even pulling your firearm should be explored by anyone wanting to be a safe and responsible armed citizen. Many training orgs and individuals have sadly looked at profitability over quality of training with the freedoms citizens now have in our state. Again, due to the gutting of our CCW program, some so called firearms trainers are not even in our state and could possibly be based out of the US …. all in the name of making a buck and this lack of legitimacy was allowed by the legislation. Remember the new statutes of several years ago did away with DPS approved schools and trainers in which I had spent many hours in a DPS classroom qualifying for some years back. Now you pay $60 to the state after furnishing them with proof of a safety course perhaps originating in some other country and basically you just bought yourself a state permit.

The ASRPA is dedicated to helping our citizens make good decisions regarding, if I may, cradle to the grave firearm and related people skills. Every gun owner should be participating in NRA, NSSF, CMP and many other training programs both as students or trainers. We hope to make that an easier process and goal for our members. The ASRPA also would like schools and
instructors, which wish to do so, be recognized for their efforts of following a robust and successful training program. We must return to a better system; one that allows schools to be certified much like NRA instructors, or the BBB businesses cherish, and even the UL label found on most appliances. A system that allows a list of easily found legitimate trainers and suggestions and reasons for seeking quality training before getting into trouble in the criminal or civil justice quagmire. It could be a matter of time before a well-intentioned armed citizen makes national news by making a huge mistake with his or her firearm due to little, bad, or no training. The gun and gun owner hating politicians will have a field day with their pals in the press. Let’s all step up and demand a more sophisticated system of firearm knowledge and be known for the best trained citizen base in the US.

If you are a trainer in Arizona, and a corporate member of the state association, we would like to feature your training programs, and in some instances perhaps showcase some of your classes through our magazine and email campaigns. Rifle, Pistol, or Shotgun…there is a place for you. We want you to submit a list of your courses with detailed descriptions of the curriculum. We will review your information and hopefully have you as a guest class in the next year. 2015 should be a record year for training in our state and we would like for you to be a part of our education and training efforts. We are of the belief that we should all be furnishing a quality training program to many which will be carrying on the streets and in their cars to protect themselves and families. They deserve the best information and schooling we have to offer. Be part of our training team!

If you are a trainer wishing to get back into the teaching world please let us help you find a home and get your credentials reinstated from the NRA and/or CMP. We have many on our board and staff which are willing to give you the best advice on where to find a home.

So jump on board this train and let’s make the 2014/15 shooting season a time of learning and advancement for our states firearms owners.

Send inquiries to me, Noble C., at president@asrpa.com. We will review your programs and try to make a fit in some of our upcoming events.

ONE LAST ITEM:

Two years ago, our Annual Dinner keynote speaker was a young Aussie by the name of Nick Adams. I had met Nick some years previous through a fellow shooter from Australia and over time he has become a great friend and a houseguest many times.

Those of you which attended the Annual Dinner remember Nick’s passion for our great Nation and his desire to be a US citizen and ultimately a US Congressman in Texas.

Nick has been busy in the US appearing many times with Glenn Beck, Governor Rick Perry, Stu Varney, and Fox and Friends. Just in the last few weeks did a show with Dennis Prager.

Nick has just written a new book and I whole-heartedly support this book as it is again promoting the great American values that many in our own country have sadly forgotten. Go to Nick’s website http://nickadamssinamerica.com and get this book. I hope to schedule Nick for a few days in Arizona soon for an event.

Have a safe summer everyone and as always I so much appreciate your membership and support of the ASRPA and your God Given 2nd Amendment Rights in our wonderful and great State.

N C
I SUGGEST WE ANSWER OUR HOME DOORS WITH OUR GUN (CONCEALED)

I have had 2 male friends tell me, recently, the reasons they always have their guns (on them) when answering their doors at home—valid reasons, not paranoid and I admit, I am considering it as well. In these more and more dangerous times, with home invasions, front door attacks and desperate, poor people, drug users or drunk persons, we may consider this action. I have recently been told of some neighbors that were drunk and foolishly pulled their guns and displayed them to intimidate or threaten their neighbors, which concerns me.

I am also one who believes in protecting myself, as well as those around me. I can best protect with a tool, rather than my small framed female body. I feel for the elderly and love to read stories where they pulled a gun on the intruder that was to steal from them or hurt or kill them. I won’t let the liberals tell me that, those of us who carry at all or most times, that we are paranoid. I say, we are prepared to defend! There are great stories in the NRA magazine and on websites where children even defended their siblings or home from invasion with a firearm.

Phyllis Gross

I really enjoyed participating in the ASRPA AR 15 Competition on May 4th at Cowtown! It was challenging and exciting. I was most excited about the moving stations where we had to move to the next target or targets. I found that prone position with the scope was best for me. I also had a difficulty with the further distance at the end stages where the targets were more challenging to locate. I made my trainer proud on some stages and disappointed on a few others. It was a long and educational and exciting day. I used my trainer’s AR 15 that he made. He trained me on in one session at Ben Avery prior to the event. I will remember this event and have learned, especially to be ‘prepared’. Elbow and knee pads are necessary in these type of competitions. I came home with bruises and pain. It was definitely worth it! Thanks ASRPA and Cowtown! As a prior Glock competitor, only, it was different shooting an AR 15! -Harley Glock Gal Phyllis Gross

Photos attached—Photographer: Larry Przybylak
CONCEALED CARRY ON CAMPUSES

University presidents overwhelmingly oppose letting students carry concealed guns on their campuses — and don’t really want people carrying them anywhere else, either.

A study commissioned by Ball State University polled 401 university presidents in the U.S. and found that 95 percent of them do not want students with concealed handguns to be allowed at their universities. Furthermore, most weren’t comfortable with students having guns anywhere else either, as 65 percent of them opposed the carrying of concealed handguns off-campus.

The numbers are hardly surprising, as the university presidents seem to have little personal taste for guns. Seventy-nine percent of them did not own a firearm and 57 percent grew up in a home without a gun, numbers significantly higher than the rates for the U.S. population at large.

Just 5 percent of presidents had a concealed carry permit themselves.

The presidents cited safety as the number-one justification for their positions, with 91 percent saying they feared armed students would end up accidentally shooting other students. Almost all of them said students and faculty would feel less safe if concealed carry were allowed, a sentiment that is borne out by at least one previous survey of college students.

Read more: http://dailycaller.com/2014/06/03/university-presidents-dont-want-students-with-guns-on-campus-or-anywhere-else/#ixzz33o1HLCDX

Blake Neff

SHOT SHOW
NRA CONVENTION LISTED IN 25 FASTEST GROWING TRADE SHOWS

The Century International Arms and Red Ammo booth during SHOT Show 2014. (Photo by Ben Philippi)

If trade shows are any indication into what the American people are interested in than it looks like guns, gun rights, books and food take the cake.

The Trade Show News Network announced the 25 fastest growing shows last week and the list includes the Shooting Hunting Outdoor Trade Show and the National Rifle Association Annual Meetings and Exhibits.

“It’s outstanding that our industry’s trade show, the SHOT Show, continues to grow and be recognized with the best and fastest-growing shows in North America,” said Chris Dolnack, the National Shooting Sports Foundation senior vice president and chief marketing officer.

“This honor is shared by all the talented people who work on the show.”

SHOT Show is an annual event that takes place in January, it’s an industry-only event where companies introduce new products and retailers, militaries and police departments order new supplies, guns, equipment, etc.

It’s sponsored by the NSSF, the trade association for the firearms and ammo industry, and for the past few years taken place in Las Vegas, Nevada.

The NRA annual convention moves around, but its scheduling is consistently in the spring. The show is a massive fundraising event and political rally, sometimes setting the agenda for the year.

Read more here: http://www.guns.com/2014/05/22/shot-show-nra-convention-listed-in-25-fastest-growing-trade-shows/

by Daniel Terrill
LANDIS AIDEN’S CORNER

TEAM OBAMA SUPPORTS YOUR RIGHT TO “SELFIE”-DEFENSE?

The British author George Orwell’s prescient novel “1984” has increased in popularity since the recent revelation of massive spying on Americans’ private communications. Orwell is also credited with the sentiment popularized in the quote, “People sleep peacefully in their beds at night only because rough men stand ready to do violence on their behalf.”

Orwell said words to that effect in 1942, back when clear-thinking people had no illusions about how to deal with enemies bent on their destruction. Since then, things have changed, however. Today, the Obama administration apparently would have Americans believe that we rest well at night not because of Green Berets, Navy SEALs, Army Rangers, Marines, and the world’s most powerful Navy and Air Force, but because Team Obama stands ready to Tweet wrongdoers into submission.

In March, as Russian troops occupied the Crimea and threatened to invade Ukraine, State Department spokeswoman Jen Psaki Twitter-posted a photo of herself holding a sign stating #UnitedForUkraine, @StateDeptSpox. The New York Post headline? “Russia sends troops, Obama sends a selfie.” Ridiculed, Psaki defended her initial foolishness with even more foolishness, saying “the benefit of communicating over social media is it sends a direct message to the people that we are with them, we support their fight, their voice and their future.”

Similarly, this month, in response to terrorists kidnapping 300 girls in Nigeria, First Lady Michelle Obama locked and loaded for battle with her own “selfie,” with the unconditional surrender demand #BringBackOurGirls. Ms. Psaki’s and Mrs. Obama’s naiveté—thinking that Vladimir Putin or Boko Haram terrorists will change their ways because of tweets—would provide ample fodder for their ridicule, were we so inclined. But while we appreciate the value of maintaining a sense of humor in the face of things that are disagreeable, we do so only within reasonable limits. There is nothing funny in this instance.

Tyrants and terrorists, like murderers, rapists and robbers, understand only one thing: force. They laugh at, and are emboldened by, weakness. That is why it is important to preserve and promote the right to keep and bear arms. An armed citizenry deters violence.

The Obama administration weakens America when it allows international wrongdoing to continue without serious consequence. Similarly, for more than a year it has tried to reduce the ability of Americans to defend themselves against criminals by banning magazines designed expressly for that purpose, banning rifles best suited for defensive purposes, and supporting a background check system expansion to pave the way for gun registration.

However, those of us who understand and value the Second Amendment will not forfeit the right to keep and bear arms, and we will not stake our personal safety on “#PleaseDontHurtMe” tweets. Instead, we will exercise our right to arms, by acquiring the best arms for defensive purposes and becoming proficient in their use. And we will do everything possible in 2016 to help elect a president who understands the importance of maintaining strength, whether dealing with common criminals here at home, or with international criminals on the world stage.

Posted on May 16, 2014


We are happy to announce the date for the

2nd Annual ASRPA Gun Show
will be October 17 and 18, 2014. Put this on your calendars.
The ASRPA will set our sites on a packed house both with vendors and attendance.
Adam Kunz will again be our ASRPA Gun Show manager and will soon be sending out communication to our established vendors and to new ones alike.

Don’t miss out on being a vendor as the date will be here sooner than you expect.
AZMEX BT UPDATE JUNE 2014

An update for our members on conditions along the border with Sonora.

Since our last update, hard as it is to believe, security along our border continues to deteriorate.

Yes, it does sound like a broken record. (Not sure how to describe what a broken record is or what a record was.)

As business “arrangements” down south get reset, we are seeing much more trafficking across the border. A side effect or “benefit” is that the combat between cartels and government has significantly scaled down, but far from over.

The flip side is that kidnappings, extortion, robbery, and similar crimes are way up all across Mexico.

Haven’t been any more mass killings along our AZMEX border since the last report, but they continue one or two at a time. Nogales, Sonoyta and the stretch between has seen pretty steady contribution to the body count.

The exception was the killing and dismemberment of three unfortunates out east of Agua Prieta (Douglas) couple days ago. Some may remember back a few years when the local cartel associates were more compassionate and sensitive, and left the bodies in coffins along the road.

The San Luis Rio Colorado area has been pretty quiet since the triple murder a couple months ago.

So guess/hope it is ok to go back and finish dental work.

South of I-8 from Yuma to Casa Grande remains a heavily used smuggling route. Especially coming up from the Tohono O’odham (Papago to you old timers) reservation and the Cabeza Prieta NWR.

The border bandits are still active in the area west of Nogales, on both sides of the border.

Historical note:

On July 1s we will be celebrating the fourth anniversary of the Battle of Tubatuma. Not quite the Cinco de Drinko, but it will have to do. It was just a few miles south of Nogales. Of the couple dozen killed, unknown number wounded, several vehicles riddled and probably well over a thousand rounds fired. Not one pistolero, not one vehicle, not one bush, cactus, tree, shrub, not one desert tortoise, condor, jaguar, or bug is known to have caught fire or exploded. Same exact terrain as southern AZ.

The federal government (Mexican) continues its intensive campaign to co-opt and destroy the “Auto Defensas” The “Self Defense Movement” Because armed citizens are a nightmare for corrupt governments and other criminals everywhere.

As of press time, most of you should be seeing daily reports of the federal government shipping huge numbers of illegals, probably thousands by the time you read this, many of them “children” to AZ and other parts, to be released into the U.S.

So much for the “war” on the sex trade.

New, large and steady supply of fresh victims.

Given the always corrupt ruling party in Mexico ( PRI, think chicago democrats ) we need to support firearms and Self Defense Rights for our families, friends and neighbors in Mexico. Remember, a Free, Safe and Prosperous Mexico is so very much in our interest.

Be safe and Vaya con Dios
NRA ISSUES STATEMENT AGAINST OPEN CARRY OF LONG GUNS IN PRIVATE BUSINESSES

Here at NRA, we are big fans of responsible behavior ... legal mandates, not so much. We think the Founders of this country were right to trust its people with the freedom to make their own choices. We also think they were wise to build checks into our constitutional system so that one view could not easily dominate the others and so that officials could be held accountable for their decisions.

As gun owners, whether or not our decisions are dictated by the law, we are still accountable for them. And we owe it to each other to act as checks on bad behavior before the legal system steps in and does it for us. If we exercise poor judgment, our decisions will have consequences. These consequences could be simple and transitory, such as watching a trophy buck bound away into the woods after a missed shot from an improperly sighted rifle. They could also be lasting and consequential, such as turning an undecided voter into an antigun voter because of causing that person fear or offense. In ways small and large, we are all in this together, and we all have a role to play in preserving our cherished freedoms for ourselves and future generations.

Let's take just a couple of examples. In each case, just because something can be done doesn't mean it should be done. In each case, gun owners would do well to consider the effect their behavior has on others, whether fellow gun owners or not.

One issue that has been in the news recently is so-called “smart” guns. The theory here is to create a gun that can only be fired by an authorized user, typically through the use of a transmitter/receiver system or through a biometric interface. In principle, the idea would seem to have merit, at least in some circumstances. Certainly, the NRA doesn’t oppose anything that would make firearms more appealing or accessible to a larger segment of the American public. Not everybody has guns for the same reason, and we believe people are perfectly capable of determining for themselves what best suits their needs.


Photo Quiz

Guess what these are?

Click Briefcase for Answer.

Compare your answers with others for a fun competition.
A TRIAL SHOOT FOR THE DISABLED VETERANS AND IT WILL CONTINUE!

5.23.2014

Out of respect for many of our DISABLED VETERANS who have difficulty going into the prone position, Rob Oyster, on the board of the Phoenix Rod and Gun Club, made arrangements for the position 10 to be available for the Disabled Veterans having first choice of shooting. A portable shooting bench was made available (with a padded seat no less), a Farley Front Rest, a Savorski spotting scope with experienced coach, rifles and ammunition for the Disabled Veterans to use. The Wickenburg Junior Club volunteered (two demanded) to pull for the Disabled Veterans. Also the Phoenix Rod and Gun Club waived all fees for the Disabled Veterans.

LET’S GIVE THE PHOENIX ROD AND GUN CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ROB A BIG HAND AND A THANK YOU THE NEXT TIME YOU SEE THEM FOR SUPPORT OUR VETERANS.

Jack was a big help in getting the truck loaded to go to the range and when the truck arrived the tail gate was descended on and the equipment was unloaded and the truck was moved to the parking area. Then the shooting bench was disassembled and reassembled in the correct order to allow shooting on the #10 F-Class target.

This set up, in the picture to the left, will allow the seat to be used and adjusted for height or moved out of the way to allow for the motorized scooters or wheel chairs to advance to the shooting table and be used by that type of Disabled Veteran. There were enough able body people plus the Wickenburg Junior Club members to move both the equipment and personnel into position.

Jack was the designated coach, demonstrating shooter, spotting coach and go-for during the shooting sessions.

During the pit change Mike Senior volunteered to go to the pits and allow the target #10 pit crew to come to the firing line to get a few rounds down range.

The other half of the #10 pit crew also cut out the X-Ring and if it was overheard correctly they liked playing both ends of the range. Maybe at the next Disabled Veteran shoot more will be learned about the two (actually three and one could not make it) so why they were so adamant about pulling for the Disabled Veterans-Maybe good parenting?

Krieger Barrels, Kimber, Sierra Bullets, Fiocchi and Pacific Tool and Gauge donated T-Shirts and Caps for the shoot. The two pullers picked up the cardboard box, opened it and then had the first choice of a Cap and T-Shirt; next a selection (by the juniors) was made and presented to Rob Oyster for all his

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good work as match director and his good thoughts. At that time other deserving shooters were pointed out and caps and t-shirts were presented to them. If the estimated T-Shirt size was incorrect it is unknown how this was rectified, but no one seemed to be displeased.

Everyone helped each other by providing suggestions and recommending equipment that would apply to their situation. A bunch of old GI’s and young kids make great teams in solving problems.

The Target #10 shooters integrated into the time schedule of the match format so no one was inconvenienced. When the time for the match shooters was complete and to create a learning situation for new shooters and make it easier on the pit crew.

During this integrated time there were many in blue shirts from the Wickenburg Junior Rifle Team getting in some range time.

Also going way back to high school Allen and Joe were friends and school mates. Since everyone knows Allen and his gun smithing abilities only a picture of the Felix family will be illustrated. On the right is Papa Bear (Joe) who went to the pits to pull for his kids Josh and Savanna. She is going to whip her brother with a little practice.

To the right is the shooting bench and rests which were used. The bench is the Caldwell bench which is super and on top is a Farley front rest. The rifle is a Savage with a Nightforce scope and a Krieger #14 Palma barrel. The Blue Stock is a McMillan which works well for 1000 yards and prairie dogs.

We want to thank the Junior Wickenburg Junior team and coaches for their help in making this a successful shoot for the disabled veterans who could not go to the pits.

Also we give big thanks to KRIEGER BARRELS, KIMBER, FIOCCHI and PACIFIC TOOL and GAUGE for their donations that the two Junior Team Members distributed out.

If there is anyone left out, please shake their hands and offer big thanks for making this happen. We all owe our freedoms to the veterans both present, past and future.

To keep Rob happy, the follow addition is being allowed without edit.

Norm

From Rob to the World-

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS shoots are being planned for every other month and will alternate (?) between Saturday and Sunday so those with scheduling problems will have a greater leeway. My personal thanks go to everyone who assisted the DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS and we will make every effort to accommodate their needs.

Rob-MATCH DIRECTOR
MUZZLE DAMAGE

5.24.2014

About a year ago a barrel ended up on my door steps with severe muzzle damage. After looking at the muzzle of the barrel that someone had taken a lot of time to center in the lathe head stock and made a perfect crown, what had caused this amount of damage?

In the past condoms, tape, covers and many other things have been used to keep moisture, sand, and all kinds of crud out the muzzle and have been used (most by the military) without any muzzle damage. Now at the Ben Avery Silhouette range one of the engineers forgot to remove a stem thermometer from the bore and that caused a bit of damage, but nothing like this. That engineer only did the thermometer trick once.

Have you seen the muzzle plugs in the naval guns which people think they shoot out, but are actually removed with compressed air. One old gunny on a gun crew said they shot out all the muzzle plugs with live rounds and they could still hit the island for the rest of the day. The old gunny never said how big the island was.

The pictures are not quite up to the SR-71 at 80,000 feet but just one of our missions cost a lot more than my little Brownie Box camera.

The picture on the left shows one angle of how much damage a magnetic bore sighter can do when left on the muzzle when firing. The picture on the right is head on to the crown of a Krieger Heavy Palma #14 contour stainless barrel in 308 caliber with a 12 twist. Prior to bore sighting this rifle was less than a 1/4 MOA barrel at 100 yards and in the X-ring at 1000 yards. It was assumed that the magnetic bore sighter would blow away from the muzzle by gases exiting the bore, but more damage than anticipated occurred.

Note the bit of copper coloring around the muzzle and the amount of metal removed from the flat bench rest crown around the bore. Some of the metal going from the bore to the raised rim is a bit discolored with some of the metal “changed”. It is assumed that the magnetic bore sighter was in a 6:30 to 12:30 position. This assumption is made from the pattern of the metal distortion/removal in the 6:30 position. However after doing a lot of destructive testing in failure analysis my experience tells me your analysis is easier to believe than mine.

About 1 inch of barrel was removed and then the bore of the barrel was centered in the lathe head stock to about .0002 inches. The crowning tool was sharpened twice to give a “perfect” crown, but the new crown might not have been perfect after cutting .005 three times, .002 twice, and then .0005 inches several times until there was no fuzz when a Q-tip was pulled out of the muzzle. This indicates no burrs on the muzzle where the sharp crowning tool cut from the inside to the outside of the muzzle.

A check was in the mail immediately after the barrel shot as well after the damage and re-crowning as it did before. This is another reason to start with 31 inch barrels so you have some metal to play with. The sight “come ups” were also the same, but that was in New York State so what can I say.

This story was redone to answer a question and no I will not re-crown the muzzle of the barrel you destroyed. It takes a perfect crown to give good accuracy from 10 meters out to 18 inch rifled cannons range. Treat yours with a lot of care.

Norm
DEVELOPING A LOAD FOR A NEW SAVAGE

Many of you technical people, within ASR & PA, will realize the validity of the gathering of this data and should recognize the limitations of the rise time of the output of the photo cells as a pointed object casts a shadow on the photo cell. It is this shadow that produces a electrical signal and it is magnitude of the photo cell and its rise time which triggers the digital circuitry. Good data from South of the Gila River and west of three points. Is this only good for your information or will it be helpful in long range load development? Only you can make that determination.

None of this data has been validated, so please use at your own risk.

Norm

### SEATING DEPTH TESTS ON A NEW SAVAGE FACTORY BARREL!

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**TOTAL** 0  **TOTAL** 64  **TOTAL** 15.8  **TOTAL** 51.8  **TOTAL** 8.2  **TOTAL** 72  **TOTAL** -7.6  **TOTAL** 67.2  **TOTAL** 27  **TOTAL** 26

The data was taken by some one else and done in the Northern Hemisphere east of the Pacific Coast. To define the area it was done west of the east coast.

The order of data collect was all shots were fired in the order of 1-2-3-4-5 so any deviation of rise time of the sensors would be equal and not create a bias. The Delta is the difference of the Average subtracted from actural reading. Note that -.005 has a total of Zero and the Absolute Delta.

If you have been around bench rest group 5 shot group measurements it is very difficult to do, but the results indicate a very uniform measurement technique. Some of the data indicates erroneous rise time/data on the sensors.

It is my conclusion that the -.040 seating depth (unknow how this was determined) but the difference among the seating depths should be valid. Should another test be done to validate the data or should a 600 yard test be done to produce the best load.

The SD gives the best indicator and the curve validates the -.040 is the best to do the tests around. OK, this is a very sloppy Savage factory chamber with a Obermeyer (?) reamer. Will it hold the X-ring at 1000 yards? The history of the Savage factory barrels say a few need a bit of work on the crown and some shoot right out of the box. This "will" be a winning rifle in good hands.

**MAYBE I WILL BE BLESSED WITH MORE DATA AND A CUP OF COFFEE AND A PASTRAMI SANDWICH. ANY BETS!**

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which are of good quality and not cheap plastic locks or gimmick safety devices. Consider good combination locks if keys might be a problem. If you feel you need access to your firearm please look into the various and reasonably priced finger code locked handgun or long gun safes. These can be accessed very quickly and are secured to tables, walls, or doors and very hard to remove and even harder to open. There is really no excuse for not being able to lock your firearms from unwanted access but have them for quick use to protect your life or your family.

As far as any suspect behavior, learn to recognize the signs and symptoms and become educated...on behavior that your sense tells you might be an issue. Early detection is important; it can save your child, and others. Much behavior can be changed if we pay attention and seek help immediately. Mental Health is everyone’s issue and can no longer be ignored. Denial will not make the problem go away or keep the potential problem from getting worse. Doing nothing is not an option! Good information is available for mental health, ranging from support groups to clinical diagnosis and various modalities of treatment. Below is a partial list of quality resources and providers for parents and Children and Young Adults in Phoenix are the priority. Be aware that these organizations will not necessarily be competent, knowledgeable or sympathetic with firearms and self-defense concerns. You will need to work with and around those issues, especially the access and security issue. Your particular security conditions will need to be evaluated and modified if necessary. Parents need to work with school officials and anyone who interacts with their child as in sports, church and scouts to recognize any unusual behavior changes. These are a few of the organizations that offer help. Here is an excellent place to start and offer good information.

**Inpatient Child & Adolescent**


**Banner Behavioral Health** — Adolescent Outpatient Service, Chandler, Ariz. [www.bannerhealth.com/Services/Behavioral+Health/Locations/Chandler/Adolescent+Mental+Health.htm](http://www.bannerhealth.com/Services/Behavioral+Health/Locations/Chandler/Adolescent+Mental+Health.htm)


**Children’s Action Alliance**

This is an excellent guide and the Children’s Action Alliance in Phoenix is a wonderful Organization...I have worked with them for years...there is no fee for their service. Parents are where it all begins but they need to overcome the mentality, “Not My Child” and get down to the reality of things if they want to save their child...Mental Illness is nothing shameful anymore... when behavior starts to change and a child becomes, guarded, and reclusive we know something is not right. Parents need to immediately speak with their family physician, school counselors and that child’s network of friends to start their investigation.

Keep in mind, we are dealing with the Brain...and that controls everything we do. All behavior can be changed if we can have early detection, look for any unusual signs in behavior and get to any of these resources so diagnostic testing can take place. This would involve an evaluation by a physician ordering, blood work to check the cortisol levels of the brain, brain scan perhaps, EEG and psych evaluation to determine the next step of treatment and how to proceed. [www.azchildren.org/myfiles/pdf/teen_resource_guide.pdf](http://www.azchildren.org/myfiles/pdf/teen_resource_guide.pdf)

**Doorways Arizona, Counseling for teens and young adults in Phoenix**


**TUCSON:**

This is an excellent resource guide for services and mental health information. It may take a few moments to load. I suggest you print out a copy.


**COPE Community Services**

[www.copebhs.com/services.html](http://www.copebhs.com/services.html)

Keep in mind all County Health Depts. in our state offer Mental Health Programs and treatment. All counties have clinics.

[www.cpsa-rbha.org](http://www.cpsa-rbha.org)

**CODAC**

[www.codac.org](http://www.codac.org) and [www.samhc.com](http://www.samhc.com)

Co-written by Landis Aden and Carole Joyce

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**EBERT SQUIRREL RECIPE**

4 servings

3 Squirrels dressed - cut into frying pan

Dredge pieces in flour, salt n pepper

Fry pieces till brown in butter

*Just brown meat–Do not cook

Remove from fry pan and set pieces on a paper towel to remove fat.

Cut potatoes in 1/4 approx 6

Cut carrots in 1/4 approx 8

2 cloves of garlic - chopped

sals & pepper to suit

Put browned meat pieces in Crock Pot, alternate meat and the vegetables in layers

Add 2 cups COLD water

add salt & pepper

Cook on High approx 2 hours

*Enjoy the Ebert Squirrel Recipe*
PLANNED COPPER MINE NEAR TUCSON FACES DELAY

TUCSON, Ariz. — A planned copper mine in the Santa Rita Mountains near Tucson is facing another delay after the federal government announced it would restart reviews examining the project’s effects on endangered species.

The Arizona Daily Star reports that the reviews guarantee another delay for the Rosemont Mine after seven years of permitting efforts.

Rosemont Copper’s parent company, Augusta Resource Corp., had hoped for a final decision from the U.S. Forest Service by June 30. But the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has said the new reviews are needed in part because of new information about the species’ presence or threats to their habitat.

The reviews will focus on the endangered ocelot and five imperiled fish, frog, plant and bird species that depend on Cienega Creek and other streams. Also up for review are the Western yellow-billed cuckoo and the northern Mexican garter snake, which could be listed soon as endangered or threatened.

The proposed mine would put an open pit in the Santa Rita Mountains. The mine and its associated tailings and waste rock areas would be located on more than 4,400 acres of federal, state and private land.

If the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service concludes the mine would jeopardize a species’ existence or illegally damage critical habitat, that could stop the mine. More commonly, the federal government requires mitigation plans from the company.

Federal officials can’t say how long the additional reviews will take. Under federal law, the Fish and Wildlife Service’s review by itself isn’t supposed to take more than 135 days.

In a written statement, Augusta noted that the wildlife service has already gone through one review and concluded that the mine won’t jeopardize endangered species or critical habitat.

“Although this delay is unfortunate, we recognize the need to have a robust and comprehensive decision document that includes all the required analysis,” said Gil Clausen, Augusta’s president and CEO. “Further, the (Forest Service) has committed to dedicating the appropriate resources to this analysis and to ensure that the work is done expeditiously.”

But the decision to start new reviews proves once again that the mine is a “terrible, ill-conceived idea,” countered Sergio Avila, a biologist for the conservationist Sky Island Alliance. “We already know that this project could impact the surface and subsurface water, protected species and non-protected species. The company must address laws and regulations protecting public lands and habitats.”

By Associated Press
ARIZONA OUTDOOR SKILLS AND HUNTING CAMPS

Mentored workshops designed to teach hunting, trapping, fishing, and shooting activities.

Do you know someone that needs to pass hunters education? Or are you interested in hunting, but just don’t know how? If the answer is “yes” to either of these questions, then it is time to register for the annual hunters education camp. Close your computer and get outside!

**Date:** Saturday, Aug. 2, 2014 – Sunday, Aug. 3, 2014
**Location:** Poor Farms (near Happy Jack)
**Hosted by:** Youth Outdoors Unlimited

The cost of the camp is absolutely FREE and Youth Outdoors Unlimited will provide breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks, and drinks all weekend. The hunters education class is open to any person that is at least nine years old at the start of the camp; however, the camp is open to the entire family, so bring the whole family and join Youth Outdoors Unlimited in the cool pines for the upcoming weekend and complete a hunters education class at the same time. Space for the hunters education class is limited to the first 60 people that register, so don’t delay. If you have already completed the online section of the hunters education class by the Arizona Game & Fish Department, Y.O.U still requires that you attend both days of the class and does not accept people that only want to complete the field day portion of the class. Attendance is required both days of the class to pass. Registration is required, and registration forms and additional information can be obtained at: http://www.youthoutdoorsunlimited.com/upcoming_events/index.html

**PVCI George Knox Memorial Boot Camp /Junior & Adult Predator Hunting Camp**

**When:** Aug 15 – 17, 2014
**Where:** Mogollon Rim, Vincent Ranch

**Hosted by:** Phoenix Varmint Callers, Youth Outdoors Unlimited, Arizona Game and Fish, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, Arizona Elk Society, National Wild Turkey Federation, Youth Outdoors Unlimited

Would you like to learn predator calling basics and go hunting with mentors? Phoenix Varmint Callers and Youth Outdoors Unlimited are putting on the George Knox Memorial Boot Camp for novice youth and adult predator hunters. The class is free and meals are provided along with snacks and drinks. Families are welcome and activities are provided for non-hunters at the beautiful AZ Game & Fish-owned Vincent Ranch. Saturday’s class will include basic predator calling techniques and speakers on lion hunting, wolf conservation, and trapping. Expert hunters from PVCI, AZ Predator Callers, and Xtreme Predator Callers will be available for mentoring, but we cannot guarantee a mentor for every novice if more novices than planned sign up; therefore, there is a 70 novice hunter limit, but a waiting list will be taken to fill cancellations. Equipment required will be camouflage, including face net and gloves, and rifle or shotgun along with appropriate ammunition. Registration for the Predator Camp is required.

http://www.youthoutdoorsunlimited.com/upcoming_events/index.html

Interested, but not ready to go hunting yet?

Don’t worry, Arizona Game & Fish Department still wants you to see what the outdoor experience is all about. Hunting is just one portion of these events. Many of these camps are also open to people wishing to learn more about wildlife biology, ecology and their habits; target shooting; archery; wildlife viewing; camping; camaraderie and more. If you are interested, just contact the camp host and let them know your interests.

For additional events that teach beginners, check out the Hunting and Angling Heritage Workgroup Outdoor Skills calendar for an upcoming event for the whole family. Go to the link here for more details: http://www.azgfd.gov/h_f/MentoredHuntingCamps.shtml
NEW WOMEN’S INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM AT PICACHO SPORTING CLAYS

ELOY, AZ—Introducing women to shotgun shooting on March 8th, a collaborated event with Picacho Sporting Clays, Arizona Game & Fish Department, and Arizona State Rifle & Pistol Association, was just the beginning. Some of the women from Southern Arizona drove over 1 ½ hours to learn shotgun shooting skills. Everyone on the varied staff knew that these gals wanted more than an opportunity offered just once. The phone calls and emails flew back and forth in March, and thanks to Sharon and Gary Yee, owners of Picacho Sporting Clays, and some ASRPA Shotgun Division assistance, a new program has been born.

Once a month, instructional programs for women-only are now offered by NRA-certified coaches and instructors at Picacho. Interested? For more information, call: 520-705-8333 or 480-215-7770; Email: sremillong@netzero.net. Summer’s programs are early (8 AM) to avoid the heat of mid-day. Reservations are required, especially if loaner shotguns are required. Picacho Sporting Club is located at 6185 E. Baumgartner Rd., Eloy, Arizona, but please ask for directions, as GPS sources are not always accurate for this location, as many an Annie Oakley participant has discovered.

April 2014 New Shooters and Coaches

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THE ASU GUN DEVILS WIN THEIR FIRST NATIONAL MEDAL IN 5-STAND

San Antonio, Texas—The Arizona State University Gun Devils, 5-stand Shotgun Squad; Freshman Perry Miller, Freshman Justin Dombrowski and Senior Justin Uhart earned ASU’s first ever National medal at the 46th annual ACUI Collegiate Clay Target Championships in Texas.

The ASU club participated in all the shotgun disciplines during the weeklong event at the National Shooting Complex, and set a team goal of coming home with a medal.

As the week of competing progressed, having shot over 1000 targets, fatigue was setting in and the Gun Devils’ hope of winning their first National medal was growing slim. Overall, the team preformed near the top level in each event, but consistently scored just short of the medal rounds by a target or two. However, when it came time to take the field for the 5-stand event ASU was determined not to fall short again.

After the sixth round of shooting in the 5-stand event, ASU was in a three-way tie for second place. Arizona State, the University of Louisiana, and Northwest College, each scored 126. Hillsdale College took first with a score of 131.

However, the hour was growing late and in the interest of time and safety, the officials decided not to do another shoot-off to break the tie. Therefore, the “longest run formula” would be used to determine the final results. By rule, the team with the longest run without a miss would be declared the winner. As a result, the University of Louisiana was awarded the Silver Medal and Arizona State was awarded the Bronze.

Gun Devil Shooting Sports at Arizona State University is a student-run club in its second year. Head Coach, Jim Tweedley had this to say about the team; “I could not be more pleased with how this club has progressed in just two years. The professionalism, and desire to win, makes this group of students and coaches special. Winning our first medal on the National level is a testimony to the character of this club and the students’ desire to represent ASU as the best School in the Nation, both on and off the field”.

In addition to winning their first medal in at national collegiate competition, the ASU Gun Devils are the 2014 ACUI Western Regional Collegiate Champions, 2014 Scholastic Clay Target State Champions, and finished 2nd in 2014 ACUI Western International Collegiate Championships.
THE HOTSHOTS
END OF THE YEAR

Please let the team know, the ASU coaching staff says the following:

The XCP Hotshots have improved dramatically this year. It was truly a pleasure training and working with a team of such great standards. They are among the most polite and professional shooters out there. And without a doubt, the best dressed. In the future, Gun Devil Shooting Sports at ASU would be honored to have you on our team as would UoF, Yale, Harvard, or any of the other 150 collegiate teams. No matter what school, or military branch you ultimately attend, keep shooting. It will lead to good things...

Over the past two years, there have been 4 XCP graduates on the Gun Devil team; Kelsey Gerchar, Windsor Smith, Cathrine Hoke, and Shannon Tweedley. All of them have been instrumental in founding our team, serving our team as club officers and leading the team in academic achievements. I would like to share with you the accomplishments and achievements of your fellow XCP grads.

Kelsey Gerchar
XCP Grad 2010
ASU Grad 2013
ASU Barrett Honors College, Summa Cum Laude honors, BS Biology, Arizona Game and Fish Dept
Founding Member of ASU Shooting Sports, Club Officer, Club University Representative, Gun Devils 2012-2013

Cathrine Hoke
XCP Grad 2010
ASU Grad 2014
ASU Barrett Honors College, Summa Cum Laude honors, BSE Mechanical Engineering Boeing Scholarship, New American University Scholar, Presidents Award, Army ROTC Leadership School Fort Knox, Undergraduate teaching assistant engineering, Deans List, Gun Devils 2012-2014, Commissioned as Second Lieutenant in the US Army as Engineering Officer on May 14, 2014.

Shannon Tweedley
XCP Grad 2010
ASU Grad 2014
ASU Barrett Honors College, Summa Cum Laude honors, BSE Civil Engineering, Fulton School of Engineering promoted to Engineer in Training (EIT) April 2014, Provost Scholarship, Deans List, Chi Epsilon National Civil Engineering Honor Society, Golden Key Honor Society, Fulton School of Engineering Leadership and Service Award, ASU E2 engineering camp mentor, Engineer with Kimley-Horn Phoenix

There are a lot of people in the shooting world delighted to see an all girl shotgun team from Arizona. We are all proud of you!

Thanks,
ARIZONA SENIOR OLYMPICS
SHOOTING COMPETITIONS

Congratulations to all of the athletes who competed in the 2014 Arizona Senior Olympic (ASO) Games, a program of the Arizona Lifelong Fitness Foundation. The nonprofit organization is dedicated to promoting fitness programs and activities to keep seniors active and fit. This year’s Games not only increased its numbers, but clay target shooting sports saw its biggest increase of contestants yet.

The Games are open to anyone over 50, regardless of residency, and shooting venues are held at the Ben Avery Shooting Facility for Bullseye Pistol, Smallbore and High Power Rifle, Trap, Skeet, and Sporting Clays. Commissioner of Sporting Clays, Marci Welton, states that this year’s success for sporting clays was due to a partnership with Ben Avery Clay Target Center, so that the ASO could offer National Sporting Clays Association registered targets in its 50-target competition. The results are as follows for the February 15th ASO Tournament on the Rattlesnake Course:

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Mary Hightower, Gold
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Larry Welton, Bronze
Kurt Voigt, Gold
Lance Leach, Bronze
Scott Cusanek, Gold
William Wanderlean, Silver
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June 10, 2014

North Kaibab Ranger District To Enter Stage II Fire Restrictions

FREDONIA, Ariz. – Due to increasing fire danger and the need to prevent human-caused fires, the North Kaibab Ranger District of the Kaibab National Forest will implement Stage II fire restrictions at 8 a.m. on Friday (June 13). These additional fire restrictions will remain in effect until forest officials determine that conditions have changed sufficiently to reduce the risk of human-caused wildfire.

Stage II fire restrictions prohibit the following:
1. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, charcoal, coal, or stove fire, including fires in developed campgrounds and improved sites.
2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building.
3. Discharging a firearm, except while engaged in a lawful hunt pursuant to state and federal laws and regulations.
4. Operating any internal combustion engine from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.
5. Welding or operating acetylene or other torch with an open flame.

Exemptions to the restrictions include the following:
1. Using a device fueled solely by liquid petroleum or LPG fuels that can be turned on and off. Such devices can only be used in an area that is barren or cleared of all overhead and surrounding flammable materials within three feet of the device.
2. Operating generators with an approved spark arresting device within an enclosed vehicle or building or in an area that is barren or cleared of all overhead and surrounding flammable materials within three feet of the generator.
3. Operating motorized vehicles in compliance with forest Travel Management regulations.

The Williams and Tusayan districts of the Kaibab National Forest remain under Stage II fire restrictions, which were implemented May 30.

For detailed information about fire restrictions, visit www.fs.usda.gov/kaibab or call the Kaibab National Forest fire information phone line at (928) 635-8311. For information about fire restrictions across Arizona, visit http://firerestrictions.us/az/ or call 1-877-864-6985.

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MICKI’S BULLET TRAP ARTICLE

Micki’s Mobile Shooters Supply van is an NEW innovative twist to the typical old normal bricks & mortar gun store....she is “mobile” and on-site at shooting ranges all-around the Southwest. Micki’s “mobile store” is a Mercedes High Roof Extended Sprinter cargo van which has been wrapped with promotional material (which you cannot miss) and outfitted with shelves and drawers so she can offer the largest selection of gun cleaning, care and maintenance items for all types of shooters.

“The point of sale is often the point of usage” which makes Micki’s very popular at shooting competitions.

Micki will always choose whenever possible to offer products that are MADE IN AMERICA or those made by Disabled Veteran Owned Businesses.

Product lines include all the standard types of brushes, mops, CLP, gun oil, gun rods, bore cleaners, lubes, greases, jags, patches, kits, ear protection, glasses, shooting vest, gun wax, wood finishing, Magic Dots®, toe protectors and a whole lot more! A selection larger and second to none than any big box sporting goods store or even a major gun store and it is “on-site” for immediate delivery!

Many shooters like Micki’s offer for the shooter to clean their own gun(s) twice a day during a competition or even a practice session. This offer is only $15.00 and Micki supplies ALL the gun cleaning items. This is where many shooters get the opportunity to “try-it out” with new items and learn about different ways to clean and maintain their firearms. FREE samples and interesting literature and brochures are available on the van. All products carry a 100% Satisfaction Guarantee, period!

Micki can rent you a GoPro® Camera, a ShotKam camera or even chronograph equipment to test and evaluate your shooting skills and/or your shotgun shell or cartridge performance.

Micki’s website, www.mickismobileshooterssupply.com provides greater detail her product lines and suppliers. She promotes safety at all times and lists her 15 safety rules and has several NSSF videos on her site for training. The LINKS tab is an excellent source of information for all types of shooting sports organizations, publications and e-magazines. Micki’s Business Philosophy tab tells about her approach to business and in particular customer service. Micki states with her Southern up-bringing it is one of the reasons people feel so comfortable dealing with Micki’s Mobile Shooters Supply van. She is known to “tell it like it is and tries her hardest to do the best she can” is the only way she knows how to take care of her growing family of shooting customers. Micki made herself the Chairwoman of Customer Service and here is her cell phone number 602-738-1545 to call with any comments, questions or constructive complaints. Micki wants to hear your feedback! Micki’s Mobile Shooters Supply is different and she wants to tell you why and have you experience it.

Price wise, Micki’s is very competitive with the internet stores. There is no freight, no time delay, no handling charges and delivery is immediate. A clean gun today in competition is far more important than that dollar you think you might have saved on the internet tomorrow. Out of town and/or out of state shooters like her service, plus they like the option to buy smaller sizes (i.e. 4oz. or 8oz) bottles that fit well into their shooting bag for travel purposes. Micki’s eliminates some of the hassle one experiences with airline travel and the TSA!

Another unique feature is the “Shooter’s Weather Bar™” displayed across the hood of the van. Every hour or so Micki will update the weather conditions to give the shooters more exact information in regards to winds, wind direction, temperature, humidity, visibility and elevation. Weather does affect your shooting and good ones use this information to get that little edge up on their competitors.

QR Code advertising is coming this fall, Micki’s newsletter and the on-line store is under development at the time of this writing. However the most important thing for Micki is that you stop by her van; learn about all her products and in particular the new products; try some out and just have some fun and increase your enjoyment of your shooting sports experience.
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“SELFLESS” STUDENT WHO STOPPED THE SEATTLE PACIFIC UNIVERSITY SHOOTING IS A SHOOTING ENTHUSIAST, NRA SUPPORTER

Posted by Bob Owens on June 6, 2014 at 12:58 pm

It didn’t take long after yesterday’s shotgun attack by a non-student at Seattle Pacific University for word to get out that the brave actions of students ended the attack before far more people could be injured or killed.

The friends of the first man to go after the armed suspect quickly identified the bashful hero to the world via Twitter.

SPU hero Jon Meis is escorted out of the building after stopping the attacker. Photo credit: Dean Rutz / The Seattle Times

Meis was a monitor working the front desk in the lobby when the attacker began shooting, and he quickly sprang into action.

Shortly after a gunman stalked SPU’s Otto Miller Hall on Thursday afternoon, fatally shooting one student and wounding two others, Meis made a split-second decision that some now say helped stop further carnage.

As the gunman stopped to reload his weapon in blood-splattered Miller Hall, Meis, 22, a senior engineering student from Renton, saw an opportunity, his roommate said Thursday night.

Meis, who was working at the time as a monitor who sits at a desk in the lobby, near the Hall’s front door, quickly moved in to pepper-spray the gunman, then he tackled him to the ground. Police arriving moments later moved in to handcuff and arrest the suspect, other witnesses said.

Because it doesn’t fit the preferred narrative, there are things about Meis that the media seem to be choosing not to share about him.

Meis first made the news in 2010 for his academic performance, where he earned student of the month honors. It was noted that he helped found the S.K.A.R. airsoft team which competes in simulated combat events.

...In short, Mr. Meis seems to be the kind of person who clings to his guns and his religion... and yet oddly enough, hardly seems bitter.
**DIANNE FEINSTEIN**

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own. From Barbara Boxer’s website, here are the details we have at the moment:

The new legislation – The Pause for Safety Act – will include the following provisions:

• One, it would help ensure that families and others can go to court and seek a gun violence prevention order to temporarily stop someone close to them who poses a threat to themselves or others.

• Three, it would help ensure that law enforcement makes full use of all existing gun registries when assessing a tip, warning or request from a concerned family member or other close associate.

The scariest part of this proposed legislation is the idea that anyone can ask for one of these restraining orders. So, for example, if a gun control activist got ahold of a sign-in sheet from a local gun range, they could start spamming the judicial system with these “gun violence prevention warrants,” claiming that they believe these individuals to be about to commit a crime, and send a squad of police officers to their doorstep to confiscate their firearms. For their own good, of course.

Now, what was that line about no one wanting to take your guns?

ASRPA JUNIOR SMALLBORE DISTINGUISHED EXPERT SHOOTERS

The ASRPA conducts a Winchester/NRA Marksmanship Qualification Program for juniors aged 10–20 to learn and become proficient at four-position smallbore shooting (prone, sitting, kneeling and standing). Held at the Ben Avery Shooting Facility, the program enables participating juniors the opportunity to earn NRA classifications. The basic program provides training in all four positions with classifications earned from Promarksman through Expert, and the advanced program provides an opportunity for Expert shooters to hone their skills and earn the coveted Distinguished Expert classification. The Marksmanship Qualification Program has a great deal of history behind it, having begun in the early 1900s, and continues today essentially unchanged—a true legacy of America’s shooting heritage.

Achieving Distinguished Expert is a true badge of honor and proof that the shooter is among the most accomplished rifle shooters in the country. It not only requires a high degree of skill but patience as well, as it requires up to two years or more to earn from the time a new shooter begins the junior program. Juniors that achieve Distinguished Expert have the opportunity to be assistant coaches in the program and may continue training to shoot for NRA and Junior Olympic matches.

ASRPA is pleased to recognize the following junior shooters who have Distinguished Expert:
- David Fallenbeck
- Jessica Fallenbeck
- Trevor Gannon
- Colton Krolak
- Connor Lacy
- Kyle Langley
- Tyler Moore
- John Varkey
- Tyler Varkey
- Michael HagEstad
- Brad Garr

ASRPAs’s junior coaches also deserve recognition for their commitment, skills and dedication. Many thanks to Fred Shapiro, Craig Fallenbeck and Bob Jodoin.

The ASRPA Junior Smallbore Rifle Program would like to extend a heart-felt Thank You to Adam Braverman from NammoInc/Lapua and Darrel Stettemeier from the Lapua Rimfire Service Center in Mesa for securing the Junior Program some desperately needed .22 ammo.

Late last year the program at Ben Avery was running short of ammo and having difficulty obtaining a new supply. In response, Adam and Darrel were able to help secure a supply needed to ensure the continuation of the program Many thanks, Adam and Darrel, for your help and support!

Please support those that support us.

Brett Shomaker, ASRPA Junior Marksmanship Program Division

Photo of some of our DE kids, including: David Fallenbeck, John and Tommy Varkey, Kyle Langley, Michael HagEstad, and Trevor Gannon.
Among the DE list, Tyler Moore, Colton Krolak and Connor Lacy are not shown.
TUCSON TRAP & SKEET CLUB MAKES GENEROUS DONATION TO THE MIDWAYUSA FOUNDATION

Columbia, MO – In an effort to support youth shooting sports, the Tucson Trap and Skeet Club donated to the MidwayUSA Foundation, a public charity helping to fund youth shooting teams. The donation of $225,797 will benefit 22 youth shooting teams across the state of Arizona.

“Donating this money to the Arizona SCTP club’s MidwayUSA Foundation accounts will ensure that these clubs will always have funds to operate. The Team Endowment Account Program from MidwayUSA Foundation has helped many of these youth participate in State and National competitions and help cover the costs of shells and targets during training,” explained Rob Larson, Tucson Trap and Skeet Club’s Co-Youth Fund Director. He continued, “Shooting programs like this allow these youth to experience a sport that they might not get to otherwise and participation can increase their confidence, as well as teach them that commitment and hard work will almost always lead to success.”

Youth shooting sports has continued to grow and it is because of partnerships like this one between Tucson Trap and Skeet Club and the MidwayUSA Foundation. Shooting teams with an active Team Endowment Account, including the teams that received a portion of this donation, can draw up to 5% of their account balance each year to use for team expenses, such as ammunition, range fees, travel, uniforms and more. Through its grant process, the MidwayUSA Foundation has given over $1.6 million to youth shooting teams. Shooting teams interested in opening a free Team Endowment Account can do so by visiting the MidwayUSA Foundation website and filling out the ‘New Endowment Account Form.’

For additional details about the MidwayUSA Foundation or to donate to the team of your choice, please visit www.midwayusafoundation.org or call 1-877-375-4570. To learn more about the Tucson Trap and Skeet Club visit www.tucsontrapandskeet.com.

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You’ve heard all those Jeff Foxworthy “You could be a Redneck if ... jokes. Well, we have “You could be a Gun Nut If ... The following are some samples. See if you agree or can relate to any of these. Then see if we missed any. How would you define a Gun Nut. Send in your submission. Remember, keep it clean and keep it short. The best submissions will be posted in the next issue with the submitter’s name (or the name you choose). Send your ideas to Editor@asrpa.com

YOU MIGHT BE A GUN NUT IF...

– you have ever loaded a drawer up with so much ammo that you can’t open it
– when someone asks how many guns you have, you have to think about it for a minute
– you have ever bought ammo in a caliber that none of your guns fire
– the guns you took to the range cost more then your car
– you carry a different gun every day of the week
– whenever you can’t decide which gun to get, you get both
– you get your wife/girlfriend to wear Hoppes 9 instead of her usual perfume.
– you take so many guns to the range and don’t shoot half of them.
– you have an extra room in your house just for ammo and guns.
– you count the number of bullets that people shoot in a movie and then scream a top of your lungs BULLSH**!!! when a guy using a revolver mows down a battalion of criminals without reloading.
– you know more about the Constitution than your lawyer.
– your wife leaves you and you don’t mind. Your dog gets run over by a truck and you barely flinch. But you accidentally drop your favorite gun, gets scratched and you cry a river.
– if you have more holsters than Imelda Marcos had shoes.
– if you can field strip any firearm you own hanging upside down and blindfolded

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.22 AMMO SALE TO BENEFIT THE ASRPA JUNIOR PROGRAM

The ASRPA Junior Marksmanship Program instructs beginner and advanced youth in .22 rifle safety and shooting skills at the Ben Avery range. The program has a small supply of donated .22LR ammunition that is being sold to benefit the expenses of the program. The program hopes to replace this with standard velocity ammo.

We have new Federal American Eagle AE22 high velocity in 400-round bricks (not the normal 500 rounds) available at $55.

If interested please contact Ed at Treasurer@asrpa.com. We plan face-to-face handover but shipping can arrange shipping if needed at extra cost.
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A panda bear walks into a restaurant and orders a meal. After eating he pulls out a gun, shoots the place to the ground, and runs away. Quickly the bartender runs after him yelling, “HEY YOU CAN’T DO THIS!!!” The panda turns around and yells “Yes I can. Look me up in the encyclopedia!” So, the bartender looks up “Panda” in the encyclopedia, and it reads “Panda: increasingly rare species of bear that can be found in the eastern part of Asia. It eats shoots and leaves.

I drew my gun. The guy in front of me drew his gun. Then I drew my other gun, and soon we were surrounded by some lovely drawings of guns.

A burglar enters a house in the middle of the night. He was interrupted when the owner awoke. Drawing his gun, the burglar said, Don’t move or I’ll shoot. I’m hunting for your money. Let me turn on the light, replied the victim, and I’ll hunt with you.
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