

## APPLE VALLEY GUN CLUB

### SAFETY MEETING MINUTES – OCTOBER 16, 2019

6:00 PM

**CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** The meeting was called to order by Vice-President, Diana Roederer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Tim Neubauer, Elizabeth Stuppy, Christian Smith, Deborah Kardos, Jimmy Dilley III, Jim Dilley, Ann Dilley, Ed Swan, Justin King, Allen Rutledge, Tracey Graham, Kyle Butts, Tim Smith, David Smith, Gary Menser, Jennifer Tornero, Jason Myskow, C.J. Caruth, John Lawrence and Diana Roederer.

**RANGE REPORTS:** No range reports were provided except for the following items:

Pistol Range – Tracey Graham announced that Jimmy Dilley III had been selected to be on the Hogue Shooting Team. Everyone congratulated Jimmy on this fantastic accomplishment.

**Facilities** – Tim Smith reported that the swamp cooler had arrived and installation would be occurring in the near future. Elizabeth Stuppy confirmed that a mass email had been sent out to club members regarding the all-day work party to be held on October 20. Tim also mentioned that Caltrans will be closing the Southbound I-15 at Stoddard Wells Road from 10/25 to 11/4. Everyone will need to drive to the D Street onramp to get on the I-15. Tim also said that when Caltrans tears up the road in front of the gun club, Caltrans will be creating an access road for everyone to us to enter and exit the AVGC premises. Tim explained that the main gate was malfunctioning due to a low battery problem. He said he would be replacing the Lithium AA batteries soon.

**Grants** – Diana explained that the balance of the meeting would be spent on talking about what the club would like to request in new grants. The deadline for submitting new grants is very soon so Diana will need to prepare the grant materials this week. Diana also said that AVGC needed to submit the grant final paperwork providing the NRA with the details of how the past grant funds from two years had been spent. She said that Ray Jameson had completed his report and George Elision was working on his. Regarding the reports that are needed to “close out” previous grants, Elizabeth asked how the expenditures are tracked. Diana said that once the grant money is received and deposited by the Club, the money can be spent for the approved items; in the future, the receipt for the items should be turned in to the Vice President. It was agreed that this particular process needs to be a main focus so the information about the purchases is not lost. Elizabeth mentioned it would be good to keep a running recap in the future on a quarterly basis in order to stay on top of the situation.

Following are grant suggestions from the committee:

Gary Menser – Trap Range – Decomposed granite for the upper range approximately \$7000. Tracey – Women on Target Program – Funds for ammo. Other suggestions were funds for earplugs, Home Fire & Safety pamphlets, replacing wood benches, and Refuse to be a Victim books (cost including postage for each approximately \$3.50). Diana said that she will need back-up data for each item requested submitted to her within 24 hours so she would have time to prepare the grant paperwork. Tim Neubauer, Board Member and Head Coach of the (SASP) Scholastic Action Shooting Program, submitted

his grant request information for this new program. His submission included a detailed explanation of the program; a listing of weapons, (ammo) magazines, and 22LR Standard ammo; 9mm 115 gr. target ammo; 22 LR CCI Rifle ammo that would be used in the program totaling \$18,552. Tim also included drawings of sample target layouts the program will be using.

Diana announced that the Train a Teacher Day the Club had sponsored recently was a huge success. The total number of participants at AVGC's Train a Teacher Day ended up representing  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the participants in the entire nation! This is fantastic news since the Club only had one month to prepare for the event. Next year's event will be held on June 20, 2020. If it is allowable by the USCCA, the Club would like to request grant funds for this future activity. Additionally, Tracey mentioned, it would be nice to really know how many participants will be attending next June. Diana suggested that if the Club charged for lunch on EventBrite, the reservation numbers would be more dependable because most people will attend if they have pre-paid for lunch. USCCA has indicated that charging for lunch is acceptable.

Deborah Kardos suggested that the signage at the Club identifying each building etc could be one of the goals to be completed prior to Train a Teacher Day. The committee has discussed new and improved signage for the premises in the past. It would definitely be beneficial to have the new signs for next year's events involving the general public because they are not familiar with the layout of the AVGC premises.

**Adjournment:** Diana adjourned the meeting at 6:40 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Elizabeth Stuppy*

AVGC Secretary