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#### Range and Event Schedule

email your calendar request by the 10th of the month to be included in the next month's newsletter. Go to the website for updates to the calendar.

- Sep 4 Range Orientation 9:00 am-10:30 am at the Range Classroom Contact: Lurlyn Patrick
- Sep 4 Work Party 9:00 am-3:00 pm. All ranges closed Contact: Lurlyn Patrick
- Sep 13 BTRPC Board Meeting 6:00 pm-7:30 pm At Wesley's Trading Post Contact: John Way
- Sep 16 Parole & Probation 9:00 am-5:00 pm Pistol Range Closed Contact: Lurlyn Patrick
- Sep 20 BTRPC Membership Meeting 6 pm - 8 pm at the Timbers Restaurant & Lounge, Toledo Contact: John Way
- Sep 25 through Sep 26 Hunter's Sight In Days 9:00 am-5:00 pm Rifle Range open to public Contact: Lurlyn Patrick
- Oct 2 Work Party 9:00 am-3:00 pm. All ranges closed Contact: Lurlyn Patrick
- Oct 5 Parole & Probation 9:00 am-5:00 pm Pistol Range Closed Contact: Lurlyn Patrick
- Oct 18 BTRPC Membership Meeting 6 pm - 8 pm at the Timbers Restaurant & Lounge, Toledo Contact: John Way

September 2021

<u>Note:</u> The Pistol Range is for standard pistol and revolver calibers <u>ONLY</u> with the exception of .22 Rimfire rifles.

NO SCHEDULED SHOOTS FOR THE MONTHS OF SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER

The new archery targets are scheduled to be received about the 20th of September. Yea!



Thank you archers for your patience. Please note that broadhead arrows will not be allowed on the new targets.



### Hunters Sight In Days

September 25 through September 26 at the Rifle Range.

The Range will be open to the public.

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#### WHEN SHOOTING IS MORE THAN A SPORT

Archery allowed me to find more than just a bullseye on the range. by Ashley Thess, Assistant Editor posted on August 12, 2021 in NRA Women

Anchor. Release. Follow through. The principles of archery and possibly ... life? While archery is still target practice, it's distinctly different than shooting firearms. Shooting a bow and arrow is quieter and more Zen, with entirely different motions and equipment.

Archery instructor Sharon Cundiff said, "If you work against [the bow], it won't work with you." Being tense at the gun range might work in your favor when you're unloading magazines into targets. However, archery requires a little more grace and a lower heart rate. The meditative act of pulling back a bowstring, anchoring it to your cheek, releasing all of the tension in the string and your body into an arrow and following that energy through has an inherently calming effect. I'm sure many women can relate to being too busy to take time for themselves; archery is the perfect activity to combat a hectic lifestyle.

Cundiff said that she particularly enjoys teaching women because we have the ability to draw in others. It's often heard in all of the shooting sports, "If the woman shoots, everyone shoots." Cundiff also has a habit of telling some students to, in lieu of paying for their lessons, donate what they believe the value of their training session was worth to the DC Project, a national organization comprised of women dedicated to working with their individual state legislators to educate them that education, not legislation, is the ultimate answer to firearms violence. Her dedication to women and freedom is only matched by her passion for archery.

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My Women's Wilderness Escape group was particularly lucky to shoot bow and arrows with Cundiff at the end of the week. Archery has the effect of centering and relaxing, which is exactly what we needed after a fast-paced week of fun and socializing. Archery is, I think, more personal than shooting a gun because you're using your own muscles to set up the shot, your eyes as sights and your fingers to release the projectile. Throughout our time at the NRA Whittington Center, we bonded over shooting firearms, chatting at meals and enjoying each other's company and stories. It was helpful to internalize all that we had learned in a quiet environment like the archery range.

Upon Cundiff's return home after a previous WWE, her daughter Caitlin White said, "You look different!" Cundiff had been trying to get her daughter to attend the life-changing event for years, and White was finally able to go to the 2021 session. On the last day, Cundiff asked her daughter if she "got it" now that she had experienced the magic for herself. "Yes, totally," White responded.

After anchoring ourselves in a new place, releasing the stress or frustration of everyday life, and following through on our goals, I like to think we all looked a little different at the end of the week. Check back at NRAWomen.com to read about the very last day at the Women's Wilderness Escape and why it's an ideal place for all women firearms enthusiasts to gain friends, skills and memories.

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"In a civilized and cultivated country wild animals only continue to exist at all when preserved by sportsmen. The excellent people who protest against all hunting, and consider sportsmen as enemies of wild life, are ignorant of the fact that in reality the genuine sportsman is by all odds the most important factor in keeping the larger and more valuable wild creatures from total extermination." – Theodore Roosevelt

#### **Big Timber Website**

The new website has been live since August 1st. Errors have been discovered, corrected and the site itself has been rearranged a little bit. If you have not already done so, check it out www.btrpc.com

WESLEY'S TRADING POST Wes Bullock 136 SE 1st St, Newport OR (541) 265-4556

Do you have an article or story you would like in the newsletter? Send your submission to managr.btrpc@gmail.com. Deadline for submission is the 10th of each month.

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# Christmas Raffle

custom made Walt Heller knife and sheath set

tickets will be available at the next Membership Meeting

\$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

contact John Way for more information (541) 272-7243, awayjway@gmail.com

## **Hunters Sight In Days**

Saturday, September 25, 2021 through Sunday, September 26, 2021 at the Rifle Range.



The Range will be open to the public.



It is time for the Big Timber Rifle and Pistol Club's Annual Turkey Shoot

Saturday, Nov. 20, 2021 at 9:00 am

Rifle practice and warm-up will start at 9:00 am. The shoot will start at 10:00 am. Bring your favorite rifle and handguns to join in the fun to win a turkey or ham for the holidays!

EACH PARTICIPANT IS LIMITED TO TWO SCOPED RIFLES, TWO IRON SIGHTED RIFLES AND TWO HAND GUNS.

Scoped rifles – 200 yards Iron sighted rifles – 100 yards Handguns – 50 yards 22 Rimfire targets at 100 and 50 yards

Cost per gun - \$6.00

Range is located on Wade Rd in Siletz, OR

For information or if you have questions: John Way, President 541-272-7243