



BILLINGS ROD & GUN CLUB, INC.



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PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

The expression goes, “The days go slow but the years go fast.”

Here we are finding ourselves in the middle of another Montana summer. It has been a hot and dry year, and, luckily, we have not had a any sign of a significant fire season yet. I would like to remind the membership that the Club’s smoking policy states “No smoking is allowed on Club grounds outside of enclosed personal vehicles.” The Club does maintain a small fire trailer, but we rely on members demonstrating common sense when it comes to fire prevention.

Archery season is not too far away, and many of you will be hitting the Club’s field courses soon to get ready for the fall. We know that not all of the basic gun handling rules translate well to archery, but one definitely does: “Be sure of your target and what is behind it.” One of our neighbors to the west recently found an arrow in their yard. I’d like to remind us all to please be careful, be mindful of, and practice, all safety rules as you use the archery ranges, as well as any of the ranges on Club grounds. Always be sure, and make sure, to discharge your arrows or firearms in a safe direction.

Matt Waite ([contact the Club President](#))

MEMBER SERVICES

For 2026, members wishing to pay their annual dues with a credit card can request an invoice for the \$150 annual dues. A \$5 service fee will be charged. Send an email requesting invoice to Member Services via the [Contact Us](#) page on the club’s website.

CLUB OFFICERS

President, Matt Waite – (406) 208-3440
Secretary, Maurice DelCostello – (406) 839-6518

Vice President, Dan Dooley - (406) 749-1985
Treasurer, Gail Lambrecht – (406) 671-9212

ARCHERY

Our next monthly division meeting will be August 13, 2026, at 7PM in the Main Clubhouse. We will not be holding meetings in September and October due to hunting season. The Archery Division election of officers will be held on November 12, 2026. Anyone interested in running for president, or vice president, please submit your name or nomination to me. Please support the Archery Division by showing up for elections and meetings.

Bowmen, this is a reminder to be respectful of our neighbors. Recently, a member shot an arrow up in the air. This arrow ended up landing in the backyard of a Rehberg Ranch resident. This is unacceptable behavior, not to mention dangerous. Please be considerate of our neighbors and practice all safety rules as you use the archery ranges.

I am looking for volunteers to assist with replacing target faces during the year. If you are interested, please contact me directly.

Mike Niles ([contact Archery Division](#))

RIFLE AND PISTOL

Muzzle Loaders will shoot on Sunday August 2, 2026, and will use Bay 1. For more info, reach out to John Moorhouse at pandjmoor@msn.com.

Magic City Action Shooters will host the USPSA 2026 Treasure State Championship match. This is a large format match that will run Thursday August 6, 2026, through Sunday August 9, 2026, and will be using Bays 3 through 8, from the early morning until the late afternoon each day. To sign up, or for more information, please go to practiscore.com. This is a chance to see some of the best practical shooters in the state, and elsewhere, run some stages. Please note that the racks will be removed from these bays on Wednesday August 5, 2026. They will be hosting their regular monthly USPSA match on Saturday August 29, 2026, and will be using Bays 6 through 8. To sign up, or for more information, please go to practiscore.com.

Silhouette will meet on Sunday August 9, 2026, and will use Bay 1 to send some lead downrange.

Montana Territory Peacemakers will host a Wild Bunch Match on Friday August 28, 2026, starting about 5:30PM, and their Cowboy Action Match the morning of Saturday August 29, 2026, with a safety briefing at 8:30AM. There will be a shooter versus shooter or a team shoot after, weather depending. There will be no Bolt Action Military (BAMM) Match in August 2026, but should be returning in September 2026. They also have a new website! To check it out go to mtpeacemakers.club.

Jen Adams ([contact Rifle/Pistol Division](#))

SKEET AND TRAP

The Skeet and Trap facility is currently open on Sundays from 10 AM to 1 PM to members and the public. Skeet fields 1, 2, 3 and the Trap field are available every day. Tokens can be purchased for cash or check from the desk worker on Sundays, or via credit card from the token vending machine located on the east wall of the building at any time.

As a safety reminder, please remember that shot size larger than 7.5 is not permitted on the Skeet or Trap ranges.

Skeet Summer League kicked off Tuesday June 23, 2026, and runs for ten weeks, ending on August 25, 2026. Please see the Skeet Summer League Information Flyer posted on the BRGC Skeet & Trap Division website.

Montana State NSSA Registered Skeet Shoot will be held August 14, 2026, through August 16, 2026.

The next Skeet & Trap Division Meeting will be held on Sunday September 13, 2026 @ 11AM.

Mike Schmidt ([contact Skeet Division](#))

SPORTING CLAYS AND FIVE STAND

The next Sporting Clays and Five Stand Division Meeting will be held on Monday August 17, 2026, at 6PM.

Young Life Fundraiser Shoot will take place on Thursday August 13, 2026.

Our **Super Sport League** will begin the Thursday September 3, 2026 and run to October 8, 2026. 50 birds, no teams, and shooting starts at 3PM each day.

Rules concerning the new trail:

1.) No vehicles on the trail other than side by sides, ATVs, and golf carts. 2.) During tournaments and league: ATVs, side by sides, and golf carts are one way traffic only. Once you finish up on the last stand (#14), please return to the clubhouse area via the main club road. We ask that you continue to stay off the hydro seeded areas. We have put magnets on six-foot dowels that are stored at stations. It's not perfect, but it will pick up most hulls. We ask that you use the magnets to pick up what hulls you can without stepping on the hydro seeded areas.

Target cards/refill are available by contacting Steve Ahmann at 563-299-9945, Mike Davis at 406-698-6493, or Phil Gill at 406-696-3875.

See you on the course.

Steve Ahmann ([contact Sporting Clays Division](#))

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