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A well regulated Militia being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms shall not be infringed. --Amendment II, US Constitution



The right of no person to keep and bear arms in defense of his home, person and property, or in aid of the civil power when thereto legally summoned, shall be called to question; . . . --Article II, § 13, Colorado Constitution

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June 11th Meeting: Protection

Continuing the theme started last month when attorney **Daniel K. Usiak, Jr.** spoke to a crowd of nearly 80 people on the "Make my Day Law" and the use of force in self-defense situations, our June 11th meeting will feature three informative speakers on how to protect ourselves, our homes, and our liberty.

Colorado Springs Police Officer **Lori Torini** will speak on the NRA's "Refuse to be a Victim" program. Officer Torini has spoken at the NRA annual meeting. She works out of the Sand Creek Division and is in charge of the Neighborhood Watch Program.

The owner of Security Systems will talk about securing our homes and home security systems. They will be offering PPFC members a discount on their services.

Local business owner, PPFC member, and author **Tedd Ada-movich** will talk about protecting our Second Amendment rights. Tedd has written a novel, *The Price of Liberty: Benjamin Franklin Wept* about what could happen in today's world to our right to keep and bear arms. It is said that Benjamin Franklin wept with joy when he signed the Constitution. Tedd believes he'd weep with sorrow to see what has been done to our Constitution today.

What a great lineup of speakers! This will be a very interesting meeting. Be sure to attend and bring a friend.

Some members have asked for Daniel Usiak's contact information in case they are ever in need of a great attorney. Here it is: (719) 955-0143, 128 S Tejon St Ste 100, daniel@usiaklaw.com, www.usiaklaw.com.

Friends of NRA Event

The 14th annual Colorado Springs Friends of NRA dinner and fundraiser will be held on September 25, 2009 at Biggs Event Center. There will be a large number of firearms and other limited NRA items available to win. This will be an excellent event and your chance to sup-

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- June 11, 2009: PPFC Membership Meeting
- June 13, 2009: Ben Lomond Gun Club Open House and BBQ
- June 18, 2009: PPFC Board Meeting

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Thursday, June 11, 2009
VFW Post 4051
430 E Pikes Peak Ave
Colorado Springs CO
7:00 - 9:00 P.M.

port the NRA Foundation, the non-profit, non-political arm of the NRA. See the Colorado Springs website for all the details and to buy tickets: www.csfnra.com.

BLGC Open House

The Ben Lomond Gun Club will hold its 11th annual open house and Bar-B-Que on Saturday, June 13, 9:00am to 4:00pm, at their 560 acre facility in Ramah. There will be a FREE BBQ lunch and FREE shooting. There will also be door prizes. BLGC has more than a dozen ranges. Visit the BLGC website for details and directions: www.blgc.org. The PPFC makes a donation to help pay for the food for this event. All PPFC members, and their families, are invited to attend this great event and experience the wonderful facilities that BLGC provides.

Women on Target

The Colorado Springs *Friends of NRA* committee helped secure a \$2,000 NRA Foundation grant for the PPFC to conduct a Women on Target event in Colorado Springs.

Women On Target is designed to create more hunting and shooting opportunities for women. There are currently about two million American women who hunt and an additional four million who enjoy target shooting. These numbers are steadily increasing.

Fulfilling its mission to "create opportunities, encourage, educate, and mentor women's responsible participation in the recreational shooting and hunting sports," Women On Target is helping women learn shooting and hunting skills in a safe and supportive women-only atmosphere!

The PPFC Women on Target event will be held this fall. It is designed to introduce women to the shooting sports and is targeted for those women who have little or no shooting experience. If you know someone who would like to attend, please call Sue Paradis at Paradise Sales, 630-7070. This will be an all-day event of fun, learning, and fellowship. Class size is limited so sign up now.

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