

RECENT POSTINGS TO THE CANADIAN FIREARMS DIGEST

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POSTS FROM CANADA

THE REBEL - TELL THE RCMP TO KEEP THEIR HANDS OFF OUR GUNS!

The RCMP have made hundreds of thousands of Canadians into criminals overnight by changing the classification of a widely owned rifle magazine to prohibited. BY BRIAN LILLEY - REBEL MEDIA - JULY 28, 2016

http://www.therebel.media/hands_off_our_guns_rcmp

CTV - DEVON, N.S. HOSTS NATIONAL PRACTICAL SHOOTING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Hundreds of competitors and volunteers from around the world have gathered in Devon, N.S. for the event.

CTV Atlantic - Last Updated Thursday, July 28, 2016 6:22PM ADT

<http://atlantic.ctvnews.ca/devon-n-s-hosts-national-practical-shooting-championships-1.3006583>

CCFR: CANADIAN FIREARMS OWNERS LEFT IN THE DARK ABOUT CHANGES TO MAG

CLASSIFICATIONS - CCFR Issues Advisory on RCMP Document July 28, 2016 07:00 ET

http://www.marketwired.com/printer_friendly?id=2146101

THE CANADIAN NON-RESTRICTED “AR-10” & AR-15 – ALBERT TACTICAL “MODERN” SERIES

Both weapon systems are available for pre-order from Alberta Tactical Rifle Supply.

<http://www.thefirearmblog.com/blog/2016/07/28/the-canadian-non-restricted-ar-10-albert-tactical-modern-hunter/>

B.C. FISHERMAN IN UNEXPECTED BRAWL WHEN ANGRY BADGER TRIED TO BOARD HIS BOAT

I heard him come snarling over the transom, between the motors. I know badgers, and I didn't want him in the boat with me.” By Nick Faris | July 27, 2016 6:49 PM ET

<http://news.nationalpost.com/news/canada/b-c-fisherman-in-unexpected-brawl-when-angry-badger-tried-to-board-his-boat>

MANDATORY DRUG TESTING FOR CANADA’S POLICE IS A GREAT IDEA

We respectfully ask that Prime Minister Trudeau start this pilot program with the staff at the RCMP's Firearms Lab.

CSSA COMMENTARY - Posted on July 26, 2016 by Ammoland

<http://www.ammoland.com/2016/07/mandatory-drug-testing-for-police-is-a-great-idea/>

OLYMPIC SHOOTERS THRUST INTO GUN-CONTROL DEBATE

As gun laws become stricter, the ability to obtain guns and ammunition could become much tougher for Olympic shooters. The Canadian Press - July 26, 2016

<https://ca.sports.yahoo.com/news/olympic-shooters-thrust-gun-control-001700433.html>

USA TODAY - PROTESTS TO FOLLOW POLICE KILLING OF BLACK MAN IN CANADA

Black Lives Matter Toronto co-founder Rodney Diverlus said police brutality against minorities often goes ignored in Canada. By Adam Kovac, Special for USA TODAY 8:45 p.m. EDT July 26, 2016

<http://www.usatoday.com/story/news/world/2016/07/26/protests-follow-police-killing-black-man-canada/87592310/>

CSSA COMMENTARY - MANDATORY DRUG TESTING FOR POLICE IS A GREAT IDEA

The RCMP claims that “10/22 platform magazines are designed and/or manufactured for both rifles and handguns.” This claim is patently and verifiably false. Team CSSA E-News - July 26, 2016

<http://myemail.constantcontact.com/Team-CSSA-E-News---July-26--2016.html?soid=1124731702303&aid=nu0Ucyg17II>

TORONTO STAR - WOMAN ARRESTED AFTER POKEMON GO PLAYERS SHOT AT WITH PELLET GUN

At least four shots were allegedly fired at a group of Pokemon GO players in Newmarket, police said.

By JESSE WINTER, Staff Reporter - Mon., July 25, 2016

<https://www.thestar.com/news/crime/2016/07/25/newmarket-woman-shoots-at-pokemon-go-players-with-pellet-gun-police.html>

CBC IN MUNICH - MALL SHOOTING DRAWS CALLS TO TIGHTEN GERMANY'S ALREADY STRICT GUN LAWS - 'We must continue to do all we can to limit and strictly control access to deadly weapons'

By Derek Stoffel, CBC News - Last Updated: Jul 25, 2016 5:00 AM ET

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/world/munich-mall-shooting-gun-laws-reaction-1.3693226>

CANAAN SHOOTING SPORTS CLUB BRINGS HOME MEDALS AT NATIONAL RIFLE COMPETITION

The smallbore rifle competition, held annually by the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association, draws shooters from across the country. By Jennifer Jennifer Vardy Little - Published on July 24, 2016

<http://www.kingscountynews.ca/Sports/Other-Sports/2016-07-24/article-4595757/Canaan-shooting-sports-club-brings-home-medals-at-national-rifle-competition/1>

CONVICTED IN U.S., GUN TRAFFICKER WILL STAND TRIAL AGAIN IN MANITOBA

"A conspiracy to export six firearms out of the U.S. is a vastly different charge than trafficking three other firearms in Canada," said Manitoba Court of Queen's Bench Justice Colleen Suche.

BY DEAN PRITCHARD, WINNIPEG SUN - UPDATED: SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2016 09:53 PM CDT

<http://www.winnipeg.sun.com/2016/07/23/convicted-in-us-gun-trafficker-will-stand-trial-again-in-manitoba>

SAULT STAR - CONTROL PEOPLE WHO HAVE GUNS

Yet despite a strong gun culture, the Swiss gun homicide rate is less than one quarter of America's.

By Tom Mills, Sault Star - Saturday, July 23, 2016 7:32:48 EDT AM

<http://www.saultstar.com/2016/07/23/control-people-who-have-guns-mills>

TEAM CSSA SPECIAL REPORT - JULY 22, 2016

THE RCMP MAKES UP NEW LAWS AGAIN

<http://cssa-cila.org/2016/07/team-cssa-special-report-ruger-magazines/>

CBC - B.C. GOVERNMENT BANS DRONE-ASSISTED HUNTING

Wildlife Federation says it's a preventative measure to keep the practice from becoming a problem

By Matt Meuse, CBC News - Last Updated: Jul 22, 2016 2:07 PM PT

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/bc-drone-hunting-1.3691426>

CTV NEWS - 'A NATURAL THING TO DO:' YUKON PREMIER, SON SHOT MEAT SERVED AT PREMIERS DINNER

Yukon Premier Pasloski shot the moose. His son took the sheep

Bob Weber, The Canadian Press - Published Friday, July 22, 2016 4:23PM EDT

<http://www.ctvnews.ca/politics/a-natural-thing-to-do-yukon-premier-son-shot-meat-served-at-premiers-dinner-1.2998664>

RANGER PATROL

Photo Caption: Canadian Ranger Master Corporal Adam Glover, of Gillam Patrol in Manitoba, pulls back on the bolt of his Lee Enfield .303 rifle during marksmanship training at Heals Range in Victoria, BC By Lookout on Jul 19, 2016

<http://www.lookoutnewspaper.com/ranger-patrol/>

CBC - FEDS CONSIDER NUTRITION NORTH 'EXPERIMENTS' TO SUPPORT HUNTERS

Northern consultations on federal food subsidy program call for support for traditional foods

CBC News - Last Updated: Jul 19, 2016 1:33 PM CT

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/north/nutrition-north-consultations-traditional-food-1.3685295>

WANT TO PRACTISE WINGSHOOTING WHILE HELPING WESTERN FARMERS? TRY TARGETING

RAVENS - The raven game: Everything you need to know to hunt these plentiful winged pests of the west

<http://www.outdoorcanada.ca/Want-to-practise-wingshooting-while-helping-Western-farmers-Target-ravens>

POSTS FROM THE UNITED STATES & OTHER COUNTRIES

TIME - HOW DEMOCRATS EMBRACED GUN CONTROL AT THEIR CONVENTION

'If Hillary Clinton wins, she wins with a mandate on this issue'

Alex Altman / Philadelphia @aaltman82 Philip Elliott / Philadelphia @Philip_Elliott July 27, 2016

<http://time.com/4427616/dnc-guns-control-hillary-clinton-convention/>

DEMOCRATS: WE CAN WIN ON GUNS

"This is the first presidential nominee, in my lifetime, that came out talking about responsible gun laws,"

By Mike Lillis and Sarah Ferris - July 27, 2016, 06:00 am

<http://thehill.com/blogs/ballot-box/presidential-races/289357-democrats-we-can-win-on-guns>

JOHN LOTT'S NEW STUDY: OVER 14.5 MILLION CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMITS, LAST YEAR SAW THE LARGEST INCREASE EVER IN THE NUMBER OF PERMITS

During President Obama's administration, the number of concealed handgun permits has soared to over 14.5 million – a 215% increase since 2007. Crime Prevention Research Centre - 26 JUL , 2016

<http://crimeresearch.org/2016/07/new-study-14-5-million-concealed-handgun-permits-last-year-saw-largest-increase-ever-number-permits/>

GUN FACTS BLOG - THE OTHER 1%

About 74% of inner-city homicides (and other violence) is caused by 1% of the population - Tue 2016-07-26 10:04 AM

<http://www.gunfacts.info/blog/the-other-1/>

JAPAN KNIFE ATTACK SUSPECT 'WANTED EUTHANASIA' FOR DISABLED AS DEATH TOLL REACHES 19

Former care facility employee Satoshi Uematsu, 26, wrote letter before rampage that left at least 19 mainly elderly disabled patients dead and 26 injured. BY VASUDEVAN-SRIDHARAN By Vasudevan Sridharan - July 26, 2016

<http://www.ibtimes.co.uk/japan-knife-attack-suspect-wanted-euthanasia-disabled-death-toll-reaches-19-1572499>

TERROR FEARS TRIGGER SWISS RUN ON GUNS

There has been a marked increase in applications for gun licences in Switzerland, a development police attribute to growing insecurity. Published: 25 Jul 2016 08:52 GMT+02:00

<http://www.thelocal.ch/20160725/terror-fears-trigger-swiss-run-on-guns>

UKRAINE, AFTER WAR, BECOMES A TROVE FOR BLACK MARKET ARMS TRADE

BY ALESSANDRA PRENTICE AND ANTON ZVEREV - Mon Jul 25, 2016 8:59am EDT

<http://www.reuters.com/article/us-ukraine-crisis-arms-insight-idUSKCN1050ZE>

NBC NEWS - MILLENNIALS ARE LESS LIKELY TO SUPPORT GUN CONTROL THAN YOU'D THINK

An October 2015 Gallup poll found that 50 percent of 18-29-year-olds support stricter gun laws

by RACHEL WITKIN - JUL 24 2016, 6:57 PM ET

<http://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/millennials-are-less-likely-support-gun-control-you-d-think-n610546>

GUN CONTROL FOR GOVERNMENT

Need to better secure the guns of government law enforcement agencies so that they do not fall into the hands of criminals
“Since 2010, at least 944 guns have disappeared from police in the Bay Area and state and federal agents across California – an average of one almost every other day – and fewer than 20 percent have been recovered,” revealed an investigative report from the Bay Area News Group, which includes the Mercury News and East Bay Times newspapers.

By ADAM B. SUMMERS / STAFF COLUMNIST - July 24, 2016 Updated 9:41 a.m.

<http://www.oregister.com/articles/guns-723369-stolen-gun.html>

CANADIAN STATS ON GUNS STOLEN FROM GOVERNMENT

(1) NATIONAL DEFENCE WEAPONS & ACCESSORIES STOLEN OR LOST IN 2012-2013

<http://dennisryoung.ca/2016/06/01/national-defence-weapons-accessories-stolen-or-lost-in-2012-2013/>

(2) RCMP RELEASE LIST OF 125 FIREARMS THEY LOST OR HAD STOLEN FROM THEM

<http://dennisryoung.ca/2016/05/31/rcmp-release-list-of-124-firearms-they-lost-or-had-stolen-from-them/>

GERMANY 'URGENTLY NEEDS TIGHTER GUN CONTROL LAWS IN WAKE OF MUNICH MASS SHOOTING' - STRICT gun control laws are urgently needed in Germany after Friday's horrific mass shooting, according to the country's Vice Chancellor. By FRASER MOORE - UPDATED: 02:31, Sun, Jul 24, 2016

<http://www.express.co.uk/news/world/692619/sigmar-gabriel-gun-control-ali-david-sonbaly-munich-shooting>

GERMAN OFFICIALS URGE CLOSE LOOK AT GUN LAWS IN WAKE OF SHOOTING

European Union considers reforms that would tighten controls within the bloc and make it easier to trace the origin of guns purchased legally. BERLIN | BY ANDREA SHALAL - World | Sun Jul 24, 2016 11:33am EDT

<http://www.reuters.com/article/us-europe-attacks-germany-idUSKCN1030Z5?il=0>

MOST AMERICANS WANT TOUGHER GUN CONTROL LAWS, BUT DOUBT IT WILL HAPPEN: POLL

A staggering two-thirds of respondents to a new Associated Press-GfK poll expressed support for tighter laws, with majorities favoring nationwide bans on the sale of semi-automatic assault weapons such as the AR-15 and high-capacity magazines BY DENIS SLATTERY, NEW YORK DAILY NEWS - Updated: Saturday, July 23, 2016, 6:48 PM

<http://www.nydailynews.com/news/national/americans-stricter-gun-control-doubt-happen-article-1.2722969>

GERMANY - THE STRICTEST FIREARMS LAWS IN EUROPE BUT STILL FOUR ILLEGAL GUNS FOR EVERY REGISTERED WEAPON

- There are 5.5 million legal firearms in Germany owned by 1.4 million people
- Germany has the highest level of firearm ownership in the European Union
- Last year there was on average one gun murder in Germany each week
- Automatic guns and certain high-powered weapons are completely banned

By DARREN BOYLE FOR MAILONLINE - UPDATED: 19:16 GMT, 23 July 2016

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-3704881/The-strictest-firearms-laws-Europe-four-illegal-guns-registered-weapon-Germany-5-5-million-guns-belonging-1-4-million-people.html>

MUNICH SHOOTING: GERMANY'S STRICT GUN CONTROL LAWS DID NOT PREVENT HORRIFIC ATTACK - Most mass shootings in Europe that are not associated with international terror groups have been carried out with legally obtained weapons. BY Rick Noack Berlin Saturday 23 July 2016
<http://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/europe/munich-shooting-germany-strict-gun-control-laws-did-not-prevent-attack-7152576.html>

NSSF - GUN CRIMES PLUMMET EVEN AS GUN SALES RISE
Homicides with Firearms: down 43% (1991-2014) shared by NSSF on Jul 08, 2016 in Politics
<http://visual.ly/gun-crimes-plummet-gun-sales-rise>

OTHER POSTS THAT MAY BE OF INTEREST

QUOTE OF THE DAY – JULY 28, 2016

"I want gay married people to be able to protect their marijuana plants with guns."
-- Tim Moen, Canadian Libertarian candidate, Fort McMurray, Alberta
Source: First Libertarian candidate to run in McMurray, March 4, 2014
<http://www.fortmcmurraytoday.com/2014/03/04/first-libertarian-candidate-to-run-in-mcmurray>
http://quotes.liberty-tree.ca/quote_blog/Tim.Moen.Quote.024A

CHANGING ELECTION RULES COULD LEAD TO MORE COALITION GOVERNMENTS AND HIGHER GOVERNMENT SPENDING AND DEFICITS
The Fraser Institute News Release - July 28, 2016
<https://www.fraserinstitute.org/sites/default/files/electoral-rules-and-fiscal-policy-outcomes-newsrelease.pdf>

The Fraser Institute Research - Electoral Rules and Fiscal Policy Outcomes — Published on July 28, 2016
<https://www.fraserinstitute.org/studies/electoral-rules-and-fiscal-policy-outcomes>

TORONTO SUN - WE'RE NOT FIGHTING 'CLIMATE CHANGE'
Claiming the Paris treaty will keep the Earth from warming more than 2 C or 1.5 C, is ridiculous.
BY LORRIE GOLDSTEIN, TORONTO SUN - UPDATED: TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2016 05:45 PM EDT
<http://www.torontosun.com/2016/07/26/were-not-fighting-climate-change>

MANY MOUNTIES OPPOSE OPENING RANKS TO PERMANENT RESIDENTS, EASING ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS, SPOKESMEN SAY
The documents note the force's senior executive committee has set recruitment targets of 30 per cent women, 20 per cent visible minorities and 10 per cent aboriginal.
BY DOUGLAS QUAN JULY 24, 2016 8:45 PM
<http://www.canada.com/news/national/many+mounties+oppose+opening+ranks+permanent+residents+easing/12080098/story.html>

TORONTO SUN - PROGRESSIVES AREN'T SERIOUS ABOUT TERRORISM
The problem is not guns, so the solution is not gun control.
BY LORNE GUNTER - FIRST POSTED: SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2016 06:00 PM EDT
<http://www.torontosun.com/2016/07/22/progressives-arent-serious-about-terrorism>

WHILE CANADA'S LNG DREAM FADES, U.S. GEARS UP
Canada has become a virtual no-go zone for major energy projects
By GARY LAMPHIER, EDMONTON JOURNAL - Last Updated: July 22, 2016 6:23 PM MDT
<http://edmontonjournal.com/opinion/columnists/gary-lamphier-while-canadas-lng-dream-fades-u-s-gears-up>

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<http://crimeresearch.org/>

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