



# The Plinker



## MISSION STATEMENT

*The object of this organization shall be the encouragement of organized rifle, shotgun and pistol shooting among residents of our community, with a view toward better knowledge on the part of citizens of our community of the safe handling and the proper care of firearms, and the development of those characteristics of honesty, good fellowship, self discipline and self reliance that are the essentials of good sportsmanship and the foundation of true patriotism.*

## Range Expansion and Safety Improvement Project

If you braved the weather in November to visit the range you either heard the sounds of heavy equipment or you saw firsthand the work being done. Approved by the Board, a series of projects to improve safety on two ranges and expand functionality on another are now complete. Here's a run-down of what was done to improve your club's facilities.

The right-hand berm on bay #3 at the Action Pistol Range was extended and the back berm was raised to provide a safer shooting environment. With more and more shooters participating in events at the APR, keeping up with its safety needs was critical. Adding to safety was creation of an improved safety (unloading) area next to the shack. Drainage around bay #1 was restored to ensure the all-weather capabilities of this area.

Over at the High Power Range, the line of fire on the side bay, used for pistol shooting, short distance scope sight-in, or other forms of "casual" shooting was turned 90 degrees by excavating material from the hill. By turning the line of fire, shooters using the bay will not need to "go cold" when high power shooters go down range or vice versa. An all weather surface was installed with the next improvement a cover over the shooting line. Once a cover is installed, extra benches from the black powder range will be brought over.

The need to create a safer non-defined firing line bay was necessary as the pit on the Multi Purpose Range was filled, using the excavated material. This was done to benefit silhouette and bench rest shooters so they would not have to shoot over the "hole". This improvement provides a better facility for shooters coming to these events. Pistol and rimfire rifle shooters who still want to use the MPR are urged to shoot on the left end of the firing line, firing towards the 60 meter berm.

Those of you who have ventured down to the APR undoubtedly experienced the bone jarring ruts in the road. While doing the excavation and grading work, the "moguls" were leveled to improve the road surface. Because of the grade on this part of the range road, to keep from damaging its surface once again it is recommended that users drive slowly to

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prevent tire spin. Excessive speed begins the damage.

The same is true when entering the HPR. When making the left hand turn from the range road, "stick to your lane" (swing wide to the far right side), keeping your entrance off the steepest part of the road to avoid tire spin. An alternative is to go past the "main" entrance and take the driveway on your left about 50 feet farther on towards the APR. Using this relatively flat entrance into the HPR parking area will save wear and tear on the range road.

To any shooters inconvenienced by the work, thank you for your patience!

## **Beginner/Intermediate Pistol Match December 2010**

The Beginner/Intermediate match drew 22 shooters for the December match. It rained hard all day but almost all shooters braved the wet and cold. One person came to shoot but changed his mind and left before the match started. This match was our annual Christmas Prize Match and shooters vied for a variety of items Ron brought for the winners. Unfortunately, a couple winners chose to leave early, to escape the rain and cold I suspect, so their prizes were given to other shooters.

The match was 72 shots with 6 stages. Stages 1 through 5 all had 12 shots per stage and all were shot from the 15 yard line using a two handed grip. Beginners were allowed as much time as they needed to complete each stage. Intermediate shooters were required to complete each stage in 45 seconds while Advanced shooters were limited to 30 seconds to complete each stage. The first five stages used standard targets consisting of paper plates, texas star, plate racks, and bowling pins.

Stage 6 consisted of 12 shots, on paper and steel. Shooters moved through three different shooting positions and shot at varying distances. Each shooter's time was also recorded so that we could record their "hit factor."

Larry Lufkin won top prize for hit factor with a .2664. Gerold Trusty was the best of the beginner class with a 67. In the intermediate class, Theresa Dec scored the highest with a 66. Ron Lohman was best of the advanced shooters with a 65. Trusty Logging Company, manned by Gerold Trusty and his team of Tom Eardley, Brandon Bennett, and Dave Norcross won the 4X4 shot by cutting off their post in 24.27 seconds. None of the other 3 teams came close to beating this team. Ron brought a selection of chocolates for the various stage winners. Each 4X4 winner received a punkin pie for a prize.

All pistol shooters are invited to the Beginner/Intermediate match and you can really hone your accuracy skills with this match. If you know any beginners who want to learn safety rules and basic shooting skills, send them to our match.

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Mark your schedule for January 8th for the next Beginner Match and we will see you at the Action Pistol Range. Remember, our matches are held the second Saturday of each month.

Shooters should bring a hip holster and a center fire pistol – semi or revolver – of 9MM or larger caliber, and at least 3 speed loaders or magazines. Four are better. Cross-draw and shoulder holsters are not allowed. We recommend that you bring at least 100 rounds to the match so that you have plenty of ammo for the match and any practice shooting you do. Any shooters who do not have the needed equipment may borrow equipment from Larry or Ron but we ask that they reimburse us for the ammo they use.

Ron has put the first Saturday of each month on the calendar for beginner training at the Action Pistol Range. Shooters who want to attend this training need to show up at a beginner match and sign up for the training. Ron will provide additional comments about each training class when you sign up.

We ask that shooters show up at 8 AM to help set up targets for the match and stay and help tear down the targets after the match has been completed. Matches are usually completed around 1 PM.

Larry Lufkin, Co-Director

## December Free Trappers Report

Half of La Nina came to the December event. It wasn't wetter than usual but the cool part was evident along with some wind. That all worked out well for an inauguration of "Reliable Tony's" recent efforts to get the woodstove up and functional. In addition to the chimney installation, Tony even provided the wood. Thanks to Tony for his contributions. Set-up for the shoot progressed readily as well due to the early risers on-hand to prepare the range. Tony (again) along with Frank Poncerof and Doug Simpson assisted in this necessary task, even with a bit of slithering and sliding on the frosty grass. Eleven shooters signed in for the day's events which included another "Mulligan Gourd" option to gain a one-shot advantage on the rifle gongs. Lucky shooters for the day were: Tim Sampson, with an unbeatable center-shot on the turkey head, and DeWayne Pritchett's full house was the best poker hand. Targets for the day simulated a late season hunt with deer and a variety of game animals, both on paper targets and the gongs down range.

Individual events: Pistol: 1st-Mike Nesbitt, 2nd-Bob DeLisle, 3rd-Doug Simpson

Rifle: 1st-Adam Sampson, 2nd-Rowland Zoller, 3rd-Bob DeLisle

Trade Gun: 1st-Mike Nesbitt, 2nd-Adam Sampson, 3rd-Bob DeLisle

Aggregate results, rewarded with brown bag mystery Christmas items arranged on the prize blanket: 1st-Mike Nesbitt, 2nd-Adam Sampson, 3rd-Bob DeLisle, 4th-Frank Poncerof, 5th-Tim Sampson, 6th-Rowland Zoller, 7th-Doug Simpson, 8th-Dave Perry, 9th-Dewayne Pritchett, 10th-Ralph Birmingham, 11th-John Barberi. Scoring assistance from JK Johnson and BO Brown lightened the match direction tasks. BO also donated three boxes of Clay pigeons for future events. Frank Poncerof donated a fine wooden box and two pistol stands for the Rain-Dee-Voo blanket prizes.

Visitors were Dave Dolliver and a most welcome drop in by Jim Robertson, progressing well with his program. At a brief Free Trappers meeting, BO announced a volunteer from the general club membership to assist in the kitchen. The turkeys for the dinner are on hand in the freezer and an additional volunteer for cooking one is needed.

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Reminder to all that the Evergreen Muzzle loaders shoot next Sunday, December 12th, starting around 0930. The January Free Trappers Shoot is scheduled for January 8th to avoid New Year's Day festivities and will constitute a joint weekend with the Evergreen Crew which should consume lots of GOEX. Watch for more details in "reminders" about these coming events.

Bob Gietz  
360-273-7862

## Indoor 4-P Starts December 2nd

It's time to dust off the rifles, see if our shooting jackets still fit and start the stretching exercises. Capitol City's 2010 Indoor 4-Position Rifle league begins the first Wednesday night in December.

League shooting will be conducted at 7 p.m., Dec. 2 – March 30 at the Indoor Range. Like last year, the first few sessions will be devoted to coaching, practice and checking equipment, followed by a 12-week "fire for record" league match.

The 40-shot NRA sanctioned event will be fired in four strings; 10 shots each from the prone, sitting, kneeling and standing positions. League fee is \$20, targets will be provided and scores can be used for NRA skill classifications in the 4-P Rifle discipline.

Shooters can use single-shots or repeaters, loading one round at a time. Rifles may be scoped or iron-sighted. As in past years, some shooters will use heavy, highly-accessorized target gear. Others opt for lighter Plinker style rifles to gain or improve their NRA standing in Sporter Class .22 rifle.

Wednesday nights with a good rifle, fellow club members and a roof overhead is a great way to make shooting a truly year-round sport. For more information, contact Tom Krugman [tkrugman@comcast.net](mailto:tkrugman@comcast.net) or Jeff Young [jefyou1@gmail.com](mailto:jefyou1@gmail.com).

Jeff Young

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### **MEMBERSHIP DUES RATES**

***Dues and Renewal policies are effective September 1, 2003***

Members will receive a statement 45 days before their membership expires. (Your renewal month is found on your mailing label.) The dues renewal date is the last day of the month in which members' "annual date" falls. Members' gate card will automatically "lock out" on their renewal date if they have not renewed, and their membership will be considered "inactive" for 30-days, during which time they may still pay their dues. After 30-days on "inactive" status the membership will be terminated. Should they wish to rejoin CCR&P past the 30-days "inactive" status, they must reapply as a new member and attend the Orientation class. **Membership fees**, collected at the time of the orientation classes are:

Annual dues **\$70.00** for the first member of each household and **\$35.00** for each additional eligible member of the household.

Initiation fee (one time) **\$80.00** for each household and a refundable gate card deposit fee of **\$10.00** for each member.

In addition, each member is expected to devote 8 hours of volunteer service annually or recruit two new members or pay an assessment of **\$80.00**.

**NRA membership (required)**

**Orientation class (required)**

**(GUESTS:** Members may bring their spouses and children under the age of 18 years old **as guests** as often as they'd like. Non-immediate family member guests are limited to two visits annually. Members **MUST** accompany their guests at all times, including spouses and children, and are responsible for the conduct of their guests.)

### **NRA CLUB AFFILIATE BENEFITS**

Free listing of events on NRA website; discount on range technician team & service; attorney referral service; non-legal advice for legal problems; NRA attorneys pro bono for national concern issues; eligible to apply for \$5,000 grant annually; \$10 reimburse for each new NRA member; \$5 reimburse for each returning member; "Club Connection" quarterly magazine; eligible for NRA firearms insurance.

## February 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>2</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League	<b>3</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>4</b> (C)1900-2100 Exec Com mtg	<b>5</b> (I)0900-1500 Airgun Field Target (B)0900-1500 Black Powder Shoot (C) 0900-1400 Kitchen Cleanup for Rain Dee Voo (T)0800-1300 Beginner Pistol Training
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> (C,I) 1400-1800 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	<b>8</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>9</b> (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams	<b>10</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>11</b> (T) 1200-1500 Beginner/ Intermediate Pistol League Setup	<b>12</b> LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY (T)0800-1500 Beginner/ Intermediate Pistol League (C,I) 0700-1600 WA Jr Oly Air Rifle 3-P C'ship
<b>13</b> (C,I) 0700-1600 WA Jr Oly Air Rifle 3-P C'ship (M)0700-1600 Small Bore Rifle Silhouette Match	<b>14</b> VALENTINE'S DAY (C,I) 1400-1800 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	<b>15</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>16</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I)2000-2200 Small Bore Gallery League (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>17</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (M)0800-2000 Rain-de-vous Setup	<b>18</b> ALL RANGES CLOSED ALL DAY Except Action Pistol for Rain Dee Voo 2011	<b>19</b> ALL RANGES CLOSED ALL DAY Except Action Pistol for Rain Dee Voo 2011 (T)1300-2000 Action Pistol Setup
<b>20</b> ALL RANGES CLOSED ALL DAY Except Action Pistol for Rain Dee Voo 2011 (T)0800-1500 Action Pistol Match	<b>21</b> (C,I) 1400-1800 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	<b>22</b> WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>23</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C) 1900-2100 New MBR Orient (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League	<b>24</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>25</b> (T) 1400-2000 CAS setup	<b>26</b> (T) 0800-1700 CAS Match (I)0900-1500 Air Rifle Benchrest
<b>27</b> (T) 0800-1300 CAS Orient. Bay 2 (H) 0800-1600 Old Soldier Match	<b>28</b> (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League					

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# January 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 NEW YEAR'S DAY (T)0800-1300 Beginner Pistol Training (I)0900-1500 Airgun Field Target
2	3 ((C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	4 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	5 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League	6 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	7 (C)1900-2100 Exec Com mtg (T) 1200-1500 Beginner/ Intermediate Pistol League Setup	8 (T)0800-1500 Beginner/ Intermediate Pistol League (B)0900-1500 Black Powder Shoot
9	10 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	11 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	12 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C)clubhouse 1800-2200 Cowboy Action Busin Meet (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League	13 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	14 (A)1300-1800 Wooley Booger Work Party	15 (C) 1000-1300 New Mbr Orient.(A)0600-1800 Wooley Booger 3-D (I)0900-1500 Air Rifle Benchrest (T) 1300-2000 Action Pistol Setup
16 (A)0600-1800 Wooley Booger 3-D (T)0800-1500 Action Pistol Match (M)0700-1600 Small Bore Rifle Silhouette Match	17 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	18 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	19 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League	20 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	21 (T) 1400-2000 CAS setup	22 (T) 0800-1700 CAS Match (C,I) 0700-1700 WA Air Rifle Championship
23 (T) 0800-1300 CAS Orient. Bay 2 (C,I) 0700-1700 WA Air Rifle Championship (H) 0800-1600 Cmp Match	24 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	25 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	26 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery League	27 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	28	29 (B,M) 0900-1400 Prep. for Rain Dee Voo
30	31 (C,I) 1400-1700 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League					

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## VOLUNTEER WORK OPPORTUNITIES

There are volunteer work opportunities coming up in connection with the Free Trappers Rain Dee Voo event. Dates and options are:

1. Trail Work day Saturday January 29th 0900 til noon
2. Assistance during the event Friday February 18th thru Sunday February 20th: Needs are  
Trail Monitors from noon Friday thru noon Sunday  
Set up blacksmith Friday noon for 4 hours  
Kitchen assistance taking orders & money, no cooking  
Saturday & Sunday 8AM till 2PM  
Take down Blacksmith Sunday 2PM for 2 hours  
Clubhouse final cleanup Sunday 3 PM for 3 hours

To get more details and sign up contact the Boosway, BO Brown, 360-482-3469 (rmcsret94@centurytel.net) or the Segundo, Rowland Zoller, 360-350-2896

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