December 20



#### **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.

## **High Power Shooters**

We had 9 shooters turn out on Sunday, Oct.28 for the Old Soldier's Match. We had great shooting weather, with no rain. And we had some really great shooting from you Old Geezers, I mean Old Soldiers. The course of fire was 30 rounds slow fire from the prone position at 200 yards. We shot two 15 shot strings in 15 minutes each. Out of a possible 300 points, Rod McDonald took 1<sup>st</sup> place with a **293-8X**. 2<sup>nd</sup> place went to Gary Baldwin with a **291-10X**. 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place both scored **289**, but Fran Huntington beat out Gary Thorson by scoring **289-5X** to Gary's **289-3X**. We even had a tie for 8<sup>th</sup> place, with Mark Kozar and Harvey Gertson both scoring **263-3X**. Great shooting, guys!

And what is really impressive is that these scores were obtained with standard issue surplus military rifles with open sights! Rifles represented today included four U.S. Caliber .30 M1 Garands, two U.S. Model of 1917's, one U.S. Model 03A3, one Russian Mosin Nagant 1891 (complete with Soviet army uniform cap), and one British No. 1 Mk 3.

Tom Krugman earned enough points to qualify as our 7<sup>th</sup> CCR&P Distinguished Rifleman for the 2012 High Power Season. Good job, Tom!

Following the Old Soldier Match, we held our Carbine Match. We had 7 shooters stay for the Carbine Match. We organized a Team Match, with the course of fire being:

- Start with two 10-round magazines
- Fire 5 shots at 50 yards from standing
- Drop to kneeling and fire 5 shots at 50 yards
- Drop to prone, change magazines, and fire 10 rounds at 100 yards
- Time goal for the course of fire was 2 minutes
- We ran through the course of fire twice for a total of 40 rounds

With one team having 3 shooters, and the other team having 4, we totaled up the scores and divided by the number of shooters on the team to derive the team scores. The Left Team beat the Right Team by a score of 296 to 276. (and it's a really good thing we had a couple of guys with good math skills).

### **Beginner/Intermediate Pistol Match**

Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> found pistol shooters coming to the Action Pistol Range to a toasty 41 degrees and thank goodness no rain.

The 6 stage 72 shot course of fire was first challenged by the Single Action Shooters at 8:00 AM. It's amazing how much you can warm up your left hand after only 6 shots if you hold on to the barrel when you reload. Frank Bennett showed us all how it was done with a 63, 1<sup>st</sup> place and the turkey. Gary Baldwin was right behind him with a 62, 2<sup>nd</sup> place and the chicken. Larry Lufkin followed with a 61, 3<sup>rd</sup> place and the Cornish game hen (it looked like a turkey egg that had just hatched). Competition was indeed tough in this match despite the frozen hands and fingers.

The Beginner/Intermediate Match saw 18 shooters competing for 8 prizes in 3 classes. The Beginner Class only had 2 shooters so Robert Jones took 1<sup>st</sup> place and the turkey with a 43 (first time shooter), Phil Brady took 2<sup>nd</sup> place and the chicken with a 33. Good job guys. For a first time shooter Robert did very well. I'm also very proud of Phil's score as this was his second time with us and he out shot his first time score by several times. Phil is showing a remarkable growth in gun handling and trigger control as well as sight picture. He attended our free training class this month and went away with a wealth of information and a call to action. Looks like its working. Good job Phil, it's rewarding to see our teachings put to work. It's only up from here! Keep up the good work.

Our Intermediate Class saw Larry Schadt take the turkey and 1<sup>st</sup> place with a 59, Frank Bennett took the chicken and 2<sup>nd</sup> place with a 58, and Theresa Dec took the Cornish game hen and 3<sup>rd</sup> place with a 57. The intermediate class was given 50 seconds to complete each stage.

In the Advanced Class, 4 shooters were given only 40 seconds to complete each stage. Dick Smith showed us all how it was done with a score of 65, 1<sup>st</sup> place and the big bird, Garry Baldwin needed another chicken so his score of 61 secured the bird and 2<sup>nd</sup> place, Larry Lufkin said he was trying to cut down on how much he was eating these days so he was trying to get the Cornish game hen again and he did with a score of 60 and 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

Fun was had by all and a total of 31 guns were used in competition. If you want to learn how to handle and shoot a handgun then this is a good match to participate in. The purpose of this match is three fold:

- 1. To teach beginning shooters the skills they need to shoot safely.
- 2. To give all shooters the opportunity to further their skills to learn how to shoot better.
- 3. To provide a safe environment for those shooters that just want to come out to shoot and have a good time and meet some new friends.

Mark your schedule for December 8th for the next Beginner Match and we will see you at the Action Pistol Range. Remember, our matches are usually 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.

If you would like to join us in our training class on the first Saturday of the month please contact me by email to get signed up as I normally can not take walk ins because of class size.

rons1ab2@aol.com Ron Lohman

#### **Triscadecaphobia Strikes Out!**

Three on a match is reputed to be unlucky, and thirteen for a match must fall into the same category, right? But the Free Trappers went against the odds and with thirteen shooters present, with the exception of one minor incident to be mentioned separately our shooters' luck held out quite well. We can say that particularly for the weather which totally defied the forecast of wind and rain and was calm, mild and cloudy. At least part of the credit goes to those present who pitched in with a will to set up and take down the range. Also recognition to non-shooting Tom Brown and Reliable Tony who aided scoring during the event. Reliable Tony and Kent Dunn also ran the Flyer portion of the match aiding in getting scores in order.

Mike Nesbitt experienced a premature ignition while loading, which resulted in a good scare, a powder measure blown out of his hand and some burned and tingling fingers when a fresh charge was placed in a recently fired rifle. We all caution about only using a separate measure to load powder into the bore but this was the first occasion where such wisdom was borne out. Fifty grains was dramatic enough to convince any aware of the circumstances to never, ever even think about the consequences of a full horn getting similarly activated.

For the luck shoot events, Mike Nesbitt had better luck and took the gopher head trophy with a dead center 10X. Don Kerr nailed the One-card luck shoot with a mystery Queen. Individual event rewarded by dinner components were: Pistol; 1st--Mike Nesbitt, 2nd--Will Ulry and 3rd--Bob Delisle, Rifle; 1st--Steve Andrews, 2nd--Don Kerr and 3rd--Adam Sampson. Steve and Don both had lower shooting scores but won out over Adam based on primitive clothing bonus points. Trade Gun; 1st--Tom Witt, 2nd--Adam Sampson, 3rd--Will Ulry. All thirteen shooters were recognized in the Aggregate furnished by the Free Trappers and this included new shooter David Barber as a guest of Mike Nesbitt. Top ten in the Aggregate; 1st--Mike Nesbitt, 2nd--Don Kerr, 3rd--Adam Sampson, 4th--Will Ulry, 5th--Bob DeLisle, 6th--Doug Simpson, 7th--Steve Andrews, 8th--Tom Witt, 9th-- Frank Ponceroff, 10th--Kent Dunn 11th BO--Brown 12th--David Geeraerts & 13th--David Barber.

The brief Free Trappers meeting had several actions including:

- 1 Recognition of a memorial contribution from Connie Robertson in memory of Jim.
- 2 Decision to use the memorial to obtain a transport trailer for range equipment
- 3 Decision to proceed with revised shooting shelves for the back of the range with Tom & Will to propose a design at the December Shoot
- 4. Further recruiting of trail guides for the range during Rain-Dee-Voo
- 5 Confirmation of the April Spring Hunt date for April 13th with Tom Witt as Range Master and 20 scouts already signed up.

Bob Gietz 360-273-7862

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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)

(<u>GUESTS:</u> Members may bring their spouses and children under the age of 18 years old <u>as guests</u> 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.

# December 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

A volunteer is needed to do the stat work for the BB Gun shoot. Call Will Ulry at 360-701-8105.

Range Safety Officers needed Several RSOs are needed to help with the high school 22 league. If you can volunteer, please call Jeff Young, 360-753-3514.

Match Directors, Board members, and those in charge of each range are invited to list in the Plinker their up-coming volunteer needs by calling John Wicklund, 360-438-5971. He will compile and up-date the list each month.

#### "You'll Shoot Your Eye Out BB Gun Tournament"

December 16th will be our 4th annual BB Gun Shoot. It will start at 1:30 with registration in the club house. We had over 70 shooters last year. It is a blast. We have multiple targets and lots of winners. Everyone wins at the shoot. There is no preregistration sign up at the club. We are looking for volunteers. We set the range up on Saturday the 15th. We need RSO"s for the match the more the better. We need a minimum of 6. We need hotdog fixers, target scorers and people in registration. All of these items are assessment eligible for time at the club. Come one come all. Give us a call. We also need prize donations.

John Mickel 491-0714 Harvey Gertson 352-7669 Will Ulry 701-8105

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