

January

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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.

Beginner/Intermediate Match

December 8th was a great day for a handgun match on the Action Pistol Range. We had 22 shooters that braved the lower 40's temperatures to shoot 45 guns in our annual 72 shot Christmas prize match.

Once again Dick Smith was the top man in Single Action with a score of 68. Tom Eardley was 2nd with a 66, Gary Baldwin and Teresa Dec tied for 3rd with a score of 63. The shoot off was won by Gary Baldwin.

The Beginner Class was won by Robert Jones with a 66 (his 2nd match with us). Patricia Gonzalez in her first match took 2nd place with a 48. Ron Greaves took 3rd with a 36, Tyler Jacobson took 4th with a 35, Bill Brush took 5th with a 34, and Phil Brady took 6th with a 25. Good job to all of you beginning shooters as you only go up from here.

The Intermediate Class was won by Linda Hildebrand with a score of 67. Toni Mitchell was 2nd with a 66, Teresa Dec was 3rd with a 58, Ida Eardley was 4th with a 57, Tom Eardley and Ken Horton tied for 5th with a score of 53 (there was no shoot off because everything was put away).

The Advanced Class was won By Larry Lufkin with a score of 69. Larry Schadt was 2nd with a 67, and Gerold Trusty was 3rd with a 58 (but left before prizes were handed out)

All in all it was a good match with excellent weather (being outside) and we all had a good time. To all of you that help make this match as fun as it is and the help you put in setting it up and putting it away as well as all of the shooters that support the match, I wish you all the best in a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mark your schedule for January 12 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 cannot take walk ins because of class size.
Ron Lohman rons1ab2@aol.com

Indoor Range Work Party an Overwhelming Success

By Tom Krugman, Indoor Range Director

A heart felt THANK YOU goes out to the almost 40 people, an equal mix of adults and junior shooters who descended on the Indoor Range on a recent wet and windy Sunday morning for what turned out to be a highly productive work party that exceeded all expectations. Every project envisioned and some not were completed by early afternoon in an example of "working together makes things happen." Sand in bullet traps was dug out and replaced with ballistic rubber, sand splatter from under and between bullet traps was removed, old inefficient light fixtures above the firing line which had previously been replaced with high efficiency lighting were removed, the classroom and Indoor Range were treated to a thorough "corner to corner" cleaning, accumulated trash and debris was removed from the loft, and the list goes on. One enterprising and motivated parent cleaned viewing windows, both rest rooms and the kitchen...how's that for dedication?

Tumwater and Black Hills Rifle Teams and The Capitol City Juniors were well represented. Juniors demonstrated their commitment to the future of shooting sports by recognizing their responsibility to maintain the facility they have been given the privilege of using to hone their skills. Adults, both shooters and parents, sacrificed their backs by moving in excess of 3,000 pounds of sand to improve the shooting experience for all who use the Range. And the final touch was a dressing of the range with American flags and flags recognizing members of the Armed Services.

Shooters who have used the range since the Work Party's efforts report cleaner air, one of the primary goals of replacing sand in the traps. Next up is pressure washing the floor to remove accumulated, ground in dust. Upgrading the Range is a work in progress which began this past Spring that will continue, thanks to the efforts of Club volunteers.

Puget Sound Free Trappers' December Shoot Report

Weather and circumstances combined to create an abbreviated shooting program this month. On Saturday, December 1st, nine waterproof participants came to a rifle-only match to compete for prizes in the annual "Brown Bag Aggregate." This shoot was conducted by Boosway Tim Sampson who yielded participation in the event to see that the match went well. Aggregate winners for club-donated brown bag blanket prizes were; 1st - Mike Nesbitt, 2nd - Rowland Zoller, 3rd - Adam Sampson 4th - Don Kerr, 5th - Kent Dunn, 6th - Bob DeLisle, 7th - BO Brown, 8th - David Geerearts, and 9th - David Barber. Thanks to Tim for managing the event, to Dennis Boos who assisted as Range Safety Officer, to Will Ulry for assistance in setup and Reliable Tony for heat and coffee.

Even though the scores for pistol and trade gun shooting were not used or turned in, a number of the shooters did use guns other than their rifles just for the fun of it. This made way for a shorter series of gongs and clangers to be put up with the pistols using two of the trade gun gongs. Trade gunners had their usual number of shots (9) with only four shooters using the smoothbores on the paper target, three gongs, and the three flying clays. Bob DeLisle made two very spectacular hits on clay birds with his 24 gauge, shattering those two targets into tiny fragments.

This shorter than usual shoot was completed with the awards and range clean up completed by about 11:30.

Bob Gietz 360-273-7862

November CMP High Power Match

We had a good turnout for the November CMP Match with 9 high power shooters, and 7 shooters participating in our .22 rimfire *rapid-fire-silhouette* match. David Brooks joined us once again, driving all the way down from Everett, and competing in his first Service Rifle match. Dave posted a very respectable first time score, shooting 394-1X. And he also nailed two of our 100 yard milk cartons! Dave frequents several ranges up north, and he had kind words to pass to us about how impressed he was with CCR&P. Thanks for coming down, Dave. We look forward to seeing you next time.

The fog didn't lift until about 10:30, obscuring the 200 yard line. So we decided to shoot our .22 rimfire silhouette match first. Rod McDonald was on a mission today, setting out to break the 1 minute mark in the match. We had 10 targets each at 25 and 50 yards, and 5 pigs at 75 yards. You shoot as fast as you can against the clock to knock down all 25 targets. We run through the course twice, and take the fastest time for score. Rod's first run was 1 minute, and 1 second! Close, but no cigar. Rod was motivated now, and on his second run he cleaned house with a time of **48 seconds** to take 1st place in the match. Rod better watch out, or we'll put him in the Gary Baldwin single-shot category next time.

Once the fog lifted, we got on with the Service Rifle match. Visibility was still a challenge, changing from clouds to sunshine. Gary Baldwin had a minor malfunction, with the trigger in his M1A disassembling itself. But not giving up, Gary nailed a 100 yard milk carton with his .22 rimfire. Tony Miner took high scores in the Prone Slow Fire stage, and the Prone Rapid Fire stage, with 189-4X and 95-2X respectively. Fran Huntington took the Rapid Sitting stage with 97-3X. Gary Thorson's Wednesday night indoor practice is paying off, with Gary taking the Standing Slow Fire stage with a 94-3X. Tony took the match win with a 466-8X.

If you want some good position practice shooting, come out to the indoor range on Wednesday nights at 7:00 PM. We shoot .22 rimfires from position at 50 feet. We shoot four 15-minute stages. It's great practice, with no fog, no rain, and no darkness.

Indoor Air Gun Matches at CCR&P

There are two types of indoor air rifle matches at CCR&P.

There is Air Rifle Benchrest which is shot from a bench rest at targets 50 feet away. The course of fire is four targets of 25 record shots. Time for each target is 20 minutes. Match is a total of 100 record shots plus any sighters. Shooters compete in two classes; Air rifles that are spring powered (SPR) or by compressed air [precharged pneumatic (PCP) which includes single stroke pneumatic (SSP)].

The other Air Rifle match is a Field Target match which is also shot indoors at 50 feet. The targets are similar to silhouette shooting but have a hole varying in size in which the shooter has to shoot through to trigger a lever the causes the silhouette to fall down. The match is 40 shots for score. The shooters shoot twice at 20 targets. There are two classes; Field Target which is shot from a sitting position and Hunter Field Target where the shooter can use support sticks/cross sticks and sit on a stool.

These events are designed to give air rifle shooters the opportunity to test both the accuracy of their equipment and their individual skills in a friendly, competitive atmosphere away from the outside weather conditions. These events are generally held once a month on Saturdays from October through March. Check the Club's calendar and come on out and give it a try. For information about these events contact Harvey Gertson at rabbit65@comcast.net or 360-352-7669

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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.

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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | 1 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams | 2 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery 4 Position League | 3 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 4 (C)1900-2100 Exec Com mtg | 5 (I)0900-1500 Air Rifle Field Target (B)0900-1500 Black Powder Shoot (T)0900-1300 Beginner Pistol Training |
| 6 | 7 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League | 8 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 9 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery 4 Position League | 10 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 11 (T) 1300-1500 Beginner/Intermediate Pistol League Setup | 12 (T)0800-1400 Beginner/Intermediate Pistol League |
| 13 | 14 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League | 15 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 16 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C)1800-2200 Cowboy Action Business Meeting (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery 4 Position League | 17 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 18 (A)1300-1800 Wooley Booger Work Party | 19 (C,I)0700-1700 WA Air Rifle Championship (A)0600-1800 Wooley Booger 3-D (T) 1300-2000 Action Pistol Setup |
| 20 (M)0700-1600 Small Bore Rifle & Hunting Rifle-Silhouette (C,I)0700-1700 WA Air Rifle Championship (A)0600-1800 Wooley Booger 3-D (T)0800-1500Action Pistol Match | 21 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League | 22 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 23 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery 4 Position League | 24 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 25 (T)1400-2000 CAS setup | 26 (T)0800-1700 CAS Match (B,M)0900-1400 Prep. for Rain Dee Voo (I)0900-1500 Air Rifle Benchrest (C)1000-1300 New Mbr Orient. |
| 27 (T)0800-1300 CAS Orient. Bay 2 (H)0800-1300 Cmp Match (H)1300-1500 22cal Silhouette Rifle Match | 28 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League | 29 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | 30 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1900-2100 Small Bore Gallery 4 Position League | 31 (C,I)1400-1700Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice | | |

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

PREPARATION FOR RAIN DE VOO

Help is needed to prepare the club for Rain De Voo. The work party is Saturday, January 28, 0900-1400. Fallen limbs and debris need to be cleaned out of trails, so please bring appropriate tools.

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.

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