



# 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.*

## RAIN-DEE-VOO 2008 WINS THE WEATHER LOTTERY

First chance in 2008 for the western Washington buckskinners to hit the roudy trail was just south of Littlerock, where the Puget Sound Free Trappers of Capitol City Rifle and Pistol Club hosted their annual event. Starting at noon on Friday February 15<sup>th</sup>, Boosway Tom Brown opened the gates for a dry, cool session. Fair weather and cool nights greeted the 100 registrants, comprised of 11 under 12's, 3 juniors, 11 women and 75 men. 32 campers won the weather gamble and had at least bearable weather conditions. Over a dozen traders welcomed the patrons including a number of visitors from the community.

The full-size competitors had a range of typical events: Rifle, Trade Gun, Pistol, Knife & 'hawk and Archery trails. John Vladeff headed the shooting trails while Tim Sampson ran the Knife & Hawk event. Capable helpers: Jim Robertson, Bo Brown, Bob Parr, Chris Miller, Ralph Buckingham, Allen Cuniff, Tony Yaklich along with visitors Rich Pogue, Dave Perry, Lee & Jenifer McInerney and some others whose names may have escaped kept the trails working. Aggregate scores could combine either archery or Knife & 'hawk with the Rifle trail. Will Ulry and the Capitol Bowmen managed the Archery event. Will and Glenn Sutt handled the Under 12 shooting events. Off the trail had the Ray Baker blacksmith exhibition along with the Trader's fair as well as the Club House kitchen to help pass the time. The WSMA held their annual meeting Saturday afternoon. Saturday evening gathered all comers to the Pot Luck which had Roast turkey provided by the Free Trappers to complement the results of the Dutch Oven competition. Segundo Steve Andrews was in charge of the evening's events in addition to Trade chief. Trader's Auction and Poker Tournament filled out the agenda. Lots of folks pitched in to get the details taken care of which included some of the "guests" as well as the hard-working Free Trappers. Shooting concluded with novelty events at noon Sunday with a stake shoot, Grub shoot and a Squirrel Gun match run by Bob Quick of the Green River Mountain men.

End result was the aggregate blanket and awards. WSMA's grant to the event provided special awards for Junior and Under 12 shooters as well as the muzzle loading rifle for the one shot buffalo hunt prize. WSMA Pilgrim medals also went to those attending a black powder event for the first time.

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### Rain Dee Voo

Doug Simpson and J.K Johnson at registration and statistics yielded the results for recognition of the top individuals:

Top Under 12	Carter Cruse
One-Shot winner	Zack Petty
Top Junior	Benton Crow
Top Knife & Hawk	Clark Sherwood
Top Pistol	Boyd Phillips
Top Trade Gun	Glenn Sutt
Top Percussion	Clark Sherwood
Top Flint Rifle	Bob DeLisle
Top Archery	Bob DeLisle
Top Mountain Man	Bob DeLisle
Top Mountain Woman	Leslie Crow

It may not be unprecedented but certainly unusual that Bob DeLisle posted maximum scores on both components of the Aggregate as well as maximum points for primitive attire and shooter's meeting credit!

The rifle winner was not present and will be contacted thru his Kelso address.

The Free Trappers thank all those who came and enjoyed the event. On President's Day weekend in February 2009, Boosway BO Brown and crew will welcome you again.

## Beginner/Intermediate Match

Ten shooters showed up for a breezy February match. We avoided the rain and were introduced to another new feature of a walk and shoot stage held in Bay 1. Shooters started on one mat and walked to a second mat where they shot six steel plates with the weak hand. The shooter then reloaded, walked to a second mat and engaged six more steel plates with the strong hand. Finally, the shooter reloaded, walked to the third mat and engaged six plates on a plate rack. Shooters were required to dispose of all plates at each stage before moving to the next. The three stages in Bay 2 were standard paper targets and bowling pins.

We will be introducing new features in future matches so that we provide different levels of difficulty to each level of beginner, intermediate, advanced. This match is intended to teach beginning shooters how to shoot without requiring them to demonstrate shooting skills they have not learned. The match also needs to provide increasing levels of difficulty for intermediate and advanced shooters.

With this in mind, stages will be set up so that beginning shooters will not be timed as will be the intermediate and advanced shooters. Also, beginners will usually be given shorter distances to shoot than intermediate and advanced shooters. Finally, whenever barricades are used beginning shooters will shoot from separate mats, and when stages require strong and weak hand shooting, beginners will use a two-handed grip. These changes will provide the more advanced shooters with more difficulty while ensuring that safety is maintained for all shooters. Beginners will be given the opportunity to learn and become comfortable with the basics before advancing to the more difficult shooting skills.

Larry Lufkin  
Co-Director

## Shadow? I don't see no stinking shadow!

Punksatawney Phil would have had to be nuts to come out of his hole for the Free Trappers Shoot here, today. Not only were there no shadows to be seen but nearly a dozen and a half free trappers were blazing away at lots of ground hog and gopher critters, to boot. 16 shooters signed up for the monthly shoot and this included some new first time shooters as well. One of the new shooters, Allen Cuniff swept the luck shoot and had a straight flush on the poker cards to boot. Match prizes appropriate to the date and event (Sausage items "Ground Hog", to be sure) were awarded to individuals as follows: Pistolero Mike Nesbitt in 1st place, Will Ulry 2nd and John Vladeff 3rd. Rifle prizes went to Mike Nesbitt, 1st place, Bob DeLisle 2nd and Tim Sampson 3rd. Trade Gun winners were Tom Witt, 1st, Mike Nesbitt, 2nd and Bob DeLisle third. 11 shooters contributed blanket prizes for the aggregate with top five being: Mike Nesbitt 1st, Bob DeLisle, 2nd, Steve Andrews 3rd, Tim Sampson, 4th and 5th Will Ulry. Thanks to all who pitched in to help the match run smoothly particularly Jim Robertson and Tony Yaklich who were there on the spot for early set up and to J K Johnson for assistance with range officiating and scoring. Following the monthly match the crew adjourned to the club house and completed cleanup of the entry, kitchen and club room in preparation for Rain- Dee Voo.

## Cowboy Action

Setup on Friday afternoon was cold. We're very fortunate and thankful to have such wonderful people show up to help.

Yep, Saturday morning was cold too, and we had snow in the forecast. There was already plenty of ice. Would you believe we still had 29 shooters? They came with their warm hats, heavy socks and every type of wool garment you can imagine. Some were asking where you could purchase a good capote. Those folks were pointed in the direction of Rain-dee-voo. I even saw a set of six-guns wearing socks.

We had a great turnout and congratulations to Jess Ducky and Rick O'Shea for shooting clean matches; even in a snowstorm. Fortunately, the white rabbit had been shot many times before the heavy snow flew. It became a mite difficult to see later in the day.

If you are interested in joining Cowboy Action or have any questions, please contact Montana Slim at [regulators@zhonka.net](mailto:regulators@zhonka.net).

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<b>BOARD OF DIRECTORS</b>		<u>Hunter's Education:</u>		<b>Match Directors</b>	<u>Beg Intermediate Centerfire Pistol</u>
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REMEMBER.....CCRP grants Assessment card waivers for hardships.  
Just send a written request to the Executive Committee,  
P.O. Box 994, Olympia, WA 98507

#### **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.)

*To join CCR&P, or any membership questions, please contact Rich Montecucco, at (360) 866-1880.*

### **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.

# March 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<b>1</b> (B)0900-1400 Black Powder Shoot (M)0800-1600 Rimfire Benchrest (A)0800-1300 Airgun Field Target
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	<b>4</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>5</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1900-2200 Blue Face League	<b>6</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>7</b> (C)1900-2100 BOD Mtg	<b>8</b> (C) 1000-1300 New Mbr Orient. (T)0800-1400 Beginner/ Intermediate Pistol League
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	<b>11</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>12</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1900-2200 Blue Face League	<b>13</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> (T)1300-2000 Action Pistol Setup (I)1000-1400 Air Rifle Benchrest
<b>16</b> (T)0800-1500 Action Pistol Match (M)0800-1600 Small Bore Rifle Silhouette Match	<b>17</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (I) 1800-2100 Monday Night Pistol League	<b>18</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>19</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1900-2200 Blue Face League	<b>20</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>21</b> (T) 1400-2000 CAS setup	<b>22</b> (T) 0800-1700 CAS Match (C,I,B,M)0700-1800 Hunter Ed
<b>23</b> EASTER SUNDAY (T) 0800-1300 CAS Orient. Bay 2 (H) 0800-1600 Cmp Match	<b>24</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams	<b>25</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>26</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1900-2200 Blue Face League	<b>27</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams (C,I)1700-2000 CCJR Practice	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> (C,I) 1430-1630 Tumwater School Dist. Rifle Teams					

RANGE KEY: A=Archery; B=Black Powder; C=Clubhouse; H=Hi-Power; I=Indoor; M=Multipurpose; T=Action Pistol

## **Your fellow CCRP member needs you!**

I am a club member who is disabled by Parkinson's. I can still shoot, but the doc has taken away my driver's license. I need someone to drive me to the range for a sum of money to be agreed upon.

Call me at (360) 943-3589.

Sincerely,  
Bill Kirby

## **Keep your eye on your email**

Darrell has been sending GOAL updates on a regular basis. The GOAL updates contain facts and editorial comment on firearms related issues in the Legislature. This is your chance to be involved. It can make a difference.

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