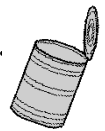




# The Plinker



## 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.*

## CCR&P Shooters Participate in the 2014 Vermont Winter Postal League

Last year, before our buddy Tom Krugman moved to California, CCR&P fielded an indoor smallbore rifle team to participate in the 2013 Vermont Winter Postal League. This year, we didn't have enough shooters to form a team. But no problem! Tom put together half a team at his new gun club in Modesto, CA. Four of us from CCR&P joined Tom's team as the "North Modesto" squad.

There were 16 teams, and 86 shooters participating in the league, mostly from the Northeast U.S. Each week, we emailed our scores in to the league director in Plattsburg, New York. The league ran for 10 weeks. The course of fire was .22 rimfire on the 50 foot indoor range; 10 rounds prone position, 10 rounds sitting, 10 rounds kneeling, and 10 rounds standing, all slow fire. Total possible 400 points for each match.

"Modesto" took 7<sup>th</sup> place out of 16 teams, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the Western Division. Apparently, they consider western New York and Pennsylvania to be "out west".

Out of 86 shooters, our individual average scores for the league were:

58<sup>th</sup> place – Joe Jauquet, 362.78 -- Kimber 82G with scope

64<sup>th</sup> place – Gary Thorson, 354.80 -- AR-15 (A2) - .22LR upper with open sights

70<sup>th</sup> place – Bruce Fockler, 342.75 -- Sporter bolt rifle with scope

71<sup>st</sup> place – Tom Krugman, 341.90 -- Anschutz with open target sights

77<sup>th</sup> place – Jeff Young, 328.50\* -- Multiple Anschutz rifles with multiple different scopes

\*not too shabby considering Jeff spent more time swapping scopes and sighting in than he did shooting for scores.

We have a little work to do to catch up with the league winner who shot a 10 match average score of 397.1! But our CCR&P shooters are fairly evenly matched, and we had FUN! And that's what it's all about.

We shoot indoor .22 rimfire rifle practice on the indoor range every Wednesday night at 7:00 PM. Go park your chair at Cabelas about 5:00 AM on ammo delivery day, score some .22LR, and come out and join us.

## Beginner/Intermediate Handgun Match

Friday the 11<sup>th</sup> was a great day for setting up a match as the sun was out at 9:00 AM and it was beginning to get warmer by the hour. We were totally done by 10:30 AM and that included the "Walk & Shoot" (Run & Gun) in Bay 1. Those of us that were running the match the next day went ahead and shot through so we didn't have to wear our gear all day Saturday. I can't remember the last time I shot a match out there in my tee shirt. Weather conditions that we usually only dream about.

Match day, Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> was also just as good a day for shooting a match. The Up/Down Set Up Crew had all of the paper targets back in place and ready to go at 7:30 AM and Ida Eardley was already registering shooters for Single Action.

We got started on Single Action a little late (8:10 AM) but had 5 hungry bragging rights shooters take on the course. The course of fire included 2 B-27 targets, a Redfield sight in target, 2 Texas Stars with 2 "No Shoot" plates blocking one of the lower target plates, and 3 plate racks each with 2 "No Shoot" plates partially blocking 2 hidden targets underneath the racks, for a total of 50 shots. Hitting any of the "no shoot" plates cost you a minus 2 points for each hit. I think I can still hear some kind of foul language or cattle call when a couple of those "No Shoots" fell. The final results for single action were as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Dick Smith	48
2 <sup>nd</sup> Tom Eardley	44
3 <sup>rd</sup> Ken Brocx	42

The April Match provided us with 5 new shooters that shot our match for the first time; Andy, Seth, and Michael Niemer (father and sons), David Martin, and Chuck Grim.

Thanks guys for giving us a try, and I already know that you all had a good time (because I asked).

After the Safety Meeting was over and a stage explanation was done on the 4 stages consisting of 8 shots each, we all took a tour down the Walk & Shoot course of 18 shots as I explained how it was to be engaged (you know, where you get rid of the: can I do this, why can't I do that, what if I, suppose I, have you thought about, how about, you didn't say I couldn't). Read the course of fire, shoot the stage accordingly! And by the way, each miss is a 10 second time penalty on your time if you didn't incur any other Safety violations during the run.

We had 12 Beginning Shooters in this match and the results are as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Toni Mitchell	42
2 <sup>nd</sup> Seth Niemer	37
3 <sup>rd</sup> Jason Pearl	35

Good job guys as I had no reports of any major gun handling violations. Once we get you more comfortable with the magazine coming out of the gun when you are ready and the new magazine going into the gun correctly, we can focus more on your shooting and hitting more targets. Don't give up as we all started where you are right now and it will only get better from here.

We had 6 Intermediate Shooters this month and their results are as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Tom Eardley	41
2 <sup>nd</sup> Ken Brocx	40
3 <sup>rd</sup> Frank Bennett	40

We had 10 Advanced Shooters for this month's match and their results are as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Dave Chalfant	45
2 <sup>nd</sup> Larry Schadt	45
3 <sup>rd</sup> Dick Smith	44

Good job guys, no much room for error up here.

All in all, the weather was fantastic; we shot a total of 39 guns and put 1950 rounds down range safely. I think I can say we all had a great time, a few laughs at those @&#!\* No Shoot plates that were taken out with those bent barrel guns

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(couldn't be the shooters) and the comments that were made when the plates fell. If you're looking for a place to come out and have a good time on the second Saturday of the month, give us a try, you won't be disappointed.

**Mark your schedule for May 10th for the next Beginner/Intermediate 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 9 mm 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 Ron by email to get signed up as he normally cannot take walk-ins because of class size. You can contact Ron Lohman at rons1ab2@aol.com.

## High Power Shooters

Sunday, April 13 was our season opener for the M1 Garand Matches, which will be held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month from April through September. We had 8 shooters turn out for the match, with one new shooter, Jason Tolle. Welcome Jason!

Gary Thorson won the match with 376-9X, as well as shooting the high score in all four stages. This gave Gary 8 points and put him over the 20 point qualifying score to become the first CCR&P Distinguished Rifleman for the 2014 season. Gary shot a CMP Service Grade Springfield Armory M1 Garand, manufactured in 1955, and used Greek surplus HXP M2 ball ammo. Never underestimate a surplus rifle, surplus ammo, and a surplus shooter.

We gave medals to the top 4 shooters in the match. Second place was Fran Huntington 362-3X, followed by Tony Miner 357-5X, and Gary Baldwin 312-1X.

Concurrent with the M1 Garand Match we ran the Bolt Action Rifle match at 100 yards. We had 4 shooters in the bolt match. Bolt match winner was Fran Huntington shooting a Remington Model 1903-A1 for 333-2X. In a close second place was new shooter Jason Tolle shooting a .300 Winchester Magnum for 329-7X. Ouch!

After the match we had 4 shooters stay around for the Sniper Challenge. Gary Thorson won the pot hitting 4 out of 5 on the 6-inch gong at 200 yards. Tony Miner scored 3 hits with his M1 Garand and open sights! Nice shooting Tony!

## Old West Centerfires

Bob Gietz

Taking advantage of a vacancy on the range schedule, the "Sharps shooters" gathered at the Black Powder Range on April 5th to compete and continue accumulating scores towards the seasonal aggregate.. The course of fire included 20 rounds from the "buffalo guns;" 10 shots at 50 yards, 10 shots at 100 yards as permitted by the limits of the Black Powder Range. Shooting environment was benefitted by Will Ulry's "Shooter Station Numbers" and the innovation worked well as all the participants wound up with all their own shots on their own targets. Non-shooters who were assisting on the range were Reliable Tony for coffee pot & fire duties plus Scott Isom who assisted in clearing arms on the firing line. Weather was essentially benevolent and the stove fire chiefly served to ensure hot coffee.

Shooting skills are definitely on the rise as scoring the higher targets was largely a matter of counting the few out of the ten-ring and making a best approximation of the division of "tens" and "ten-x's." Allen Cunniff scored a very impressive 199 out of the possible 200 points, with 15 X's! Mike Nesbitt brought his score up while using his .50/70 in a match for the first time. All shooters did well and the point spread in the scores is rather tight.

Aggregate prizes were provided by C Sharps Arms through Mike Nesbitt for the top four places and were a variety of Sharps-themed prints and C Sharps Arms coffee cup. In addition, club provided Meat prizes went to the top three shooters. More Sharps shooting comes in June.

Results, in order of Aggregate Score were:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rifle &amp; Caliber</u>	<u>50yd</u>	<u>100 y</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>PrevTotal</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Allen Cunniff	'74 Shiloh Sharps 45-90	100-8X	99-7X	199-15X	193-3X
2 <sup>nd</sup> Mike Nesbitt	'74 C. Sharps 50-70	96-2X	98-3X	194-5X	161-2X
3 <sup>rd</sup> Will Ulry	'74 Shiloh Sharps 45-70	89	93X	182X	148-3X
4 <sup>th</sup> Bob DeLisle	Pedersoli Sharps 45-70	87-2X	91X	178-3X	
5 <sup>th</sup> Kent Dunn	Pedersoli Sharps 45-70	82	94-3X	176-3X	179-3X
6 <sup>th</sup> Don Kerr	1878 Lyman Sharps 45-70	83	89	172	165X

For the record accumulated scores from those at the February but not present today (total scores only) are provided for accumulation of record for the season

Ron Folty	'74 C. Sharps 45-70	178x
Adam Sampson	'74 C. Sharps 50-70	175xx
John Weger	'74 C. Sharps 50-70	182xxx
Fran Huntington	Springfield Trap door 45-70	135

## Welcome to our "Spring Hunt"

By Bob Gietz

The good weather lived up to its advance billing for Spring Hunt 2014. This annual event was held on Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, this year at the Capital City Rifle and Pistol Club, near Littlerock, Washington and our weather really had its best foot forward. The 27 Boy Scouts from Troops 300, 317, 319 & 9310 of the Timberline District, Pacific Harbors Council of BSA were not only ready and prepared to participate for the event but two troops came a day early and camped overnight to be 'rarin' to go' at the day's start on Saturday morning. "Spring Hunt," in the vernacular of the mountain men was the return to the beaver streams at the start of the year to harvest the heavier winter pelts before going to the rendezvous that were held in the summers. There were no beaver to be trapped this year but the Scouts did have the chance to compete in some of the traditional trappers skills. The Puget Sound Free Trappers combined with the Capitol City Bowmen hosted the competition of the skills involved with Archery, Tomahawk Throwing and Muzzle-loading Rifle shooting. Attendance at Spring Hunt 2014 was comprised of seventeen scouts from Troop 300, three from Troop 317, three from Troop 319 and four boys from Troop 9310.

Three groups of boys were organized to stage through the separate events. The Washington State Muzzleloaders Association provided medals for the top three scorers in each category as well as a grant for shooting components and prizes. Cabela's of Lacey, Washington made a fine donation to the aggregate prizes for the Scouts and Kyle Sotelo provided .50 caliber cast round balls for all of the shooting.

Event winners were: Aggregate; 1<sup>st</sup>-David Lee, Troop 317, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Bradley Brown, Troop 9310, 3<sup>rd</sup>- Noah Corwin, Troop 300. Archery winners were; 1<sup>st</sup>-Bradley Brown, Troop 9310, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Tiel Huseby, Troop 317, 3<sup>rd</sup>-Noah Corwin, Troop 300. Tomahawk Throwing prizes went to; 1<sup>st</sup>-Ian Simons, Troop 300, 2<sup>nd</sup>-David Lee, Troop 317, and 3<sup>rd</sup>-Bradley Brown, Troop 9310. Rifle awards went to; 1<sup>st</sup>-David Lee, Troop 317, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Sawyer Burbee, Troop 300 and 3<sup>rd</sup>-John Roach, Troop 319. WSMA "Pilgrim" awards (for first time shooters at a Black Powder event) went to nine of the Boy Scouts.

Each shooting group also received individual prizes for selection by each of the competitors.

Support and conduct of the event would not be possible without the work of the Puget Sound Free Trappers and Capitol City Bowmen. Early birds on Friday afternoon; Don Kerr, Mike Nesbitt, Tony Yaklich, Kent Dunn, Frank Ponceroff, Will Ulry and Scott Isom ensured that targets and facilities were ready in ship shape for this event. Key people responsible for the activities were; Tom Witt (Black Powder Range Director for CCRP who coordinated Scout signup and scheduling), Range Master Craig Brown, Tim Sampson (CCRP Boosway for 2015 in charge of the Tomahawk Throw) and Bob Jamison heading up the Archery instruction and competition. Archery equipment came from the Washington State Archery Association National Archery in Schools program. Don Kerr, in full traditional attire, demonstrated flintlock rifle shooting for each of the shooting relays. Don managed quite a skillful shot at 100 yards, hitting the pork chop target about the size of an adult raccoon. Additional workers assisting for each range were: Archery, Mike Nesbitt, Tomahawk; Dave Perry and Frank Ponceroff. The Free Trappers brigade manning the rifle range included: Loaders; John Vladeff, Don Freelove and Doug Simpson while line coaches Derek and Kyle Sotelo, Allen Cunniff, Rowland Zoller, Tom Brown Will Ulry, Nelson Freelove and Scott Isom supervised the actual shooting and provided the personal equipment.

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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.

## May 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> (C) 1900-2100 Exec Com mtg (C,I) 1900-2100 CCB Spring League	<b>3</b> (B)0900-1500 Black Powder Shoot (M) 0700-1600 Rimfire Benchrest USRA IR 50/50 unlimited (T)1000-1400 Beginner Pistol Training
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> (C,I)1700-2100 Smallbore Rifle Silhouette	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> (C,I) 1900-2100 CCB Spring League (T) 1300-1500 Beginner/Intermediate Pistol League Setup	<b>10</b> (T)0800-1400 Beginner/ Intermediate Pistol League
<b>11</b> MOTHER'S DAY (H) 0800-1300 M1 Garand Match & Bolt Action Match	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> (C,I)1700-2100 Smallbore Rifle Silhouette (CCB Clubhouse) 1900-2100 New MBR Orient	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> (C,I)1830-2100 Hunter Ed	<b>17</b> (C,I,B,M)0700-1800 Hunter Ed (T) 1300-2000 Action Pistol Setup
<b>18</b> (M)0700-1600 Small Bore Silhouette (T)0800- 1500Action Pistol Match	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> (C,I)1700-2100 Smallbore Rifle Silhouette	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> (C,I,T,H,P) 1200-2000 CAS Little Big Match	<b>24</b> (C,I,T,H,P) 0800-2000 CAS Little Big Match (M) 0700-1600 Rimfire Benchrest USRA IR 50/50
<b>25</b> (C,I,T) 0800- 2000 CAS Little Big Match (H)0800-1300 Cmp Match (H)1300-1500 Carbine Match	<b>26</b> MEMORIAL DAY	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> (C,I)1700-2100 Smallbore Rifle Silhouette	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> (C,I) 1900-2100 CCB Spring League	<b>31</b> (C,I,H,P) 1100-1500 Multiple Fire Arm Safety Class

RANGE KEY: A=Archery; B=Black Powder; C=Clubhouse; H=Hi-Power; I=Indoor; M=Multipurpose; P=Pistol Sidebay T=Action Pistol  
CCB=Capital City Bowmen Clubhouse

## IR 50/50 UNLIMITED

On April 5, 2014, the Club had its first IR 50/50 Unlimited Match. We had 7 regular shooters and 2 beginners. Newcomers, Gentry Taylor (Club Member) and Roy Deal (Centralia) shot their first match. We have what's called A Class and B Class.

A Class Unlimited 1

B Class Unlimited 1

A Class Unlimited 2

B Class Unlimited 2

1 <sup>st</sup>	Bob Greenman	248-14x		1 <sup>st</sup>	Gentry Taylor	229-1x
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Chuck Hilderbrant	248-13x		2 <sup>nd</sup>	Roy Deal	224-7x
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jim Jensen	247-15x				

A Class Unlimited 3

B Class Unlimited 3

1 <sup>st</sup>	Larry Balestra	249-18x		1 <sup>st</sup>	Roy Deal	233-5x
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jim Jensen	248-12x		2 <sup>nd</sup>	Gentry Taylor	230-2x
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Chuck Hilderbrant	247-11x				

A Class 3 Gun Agg

B Class 3 Gun Agg

1 <sup>st</sup>	Chuck Hilderbrant	743-35x		1 <sup>st</sup>	Gentry Taylor	685-5x
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Larry Balestra	740-50x		2 <sup>nd</sup>	Roy Deal	672-14x
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jim Jensen	738-37x				

The next match is **Saturday, May 3**. Come out and join us. You will probably have a really good time and learn a lot. Especially, what wind does to a 22 bullet. For information contact Larry Balestra at (360) 943-8057.

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