



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.

Old West Centerfires

By Jerry Mayo

Our top shooter for the day was Dick Elliott with his Ballard Highwall in .40/65 firing a 196-9X. This included his 99-6X at 100 yards. That's some mighty fine shooting, Dick. In second place was Ken Kurfurst with a score of 195-4X. Ken used his '78 Sharps Borchardt in .45/90. Third was Allen Cunniff posting a 185-4X with his '74 C. Sharps Arms in .40/65 shooting paper patch bullets. In fourth place here comes "Loco" Jeff Ritter, with another score of 185-4X, using his Rem. Rolling Block .45/90. Jeff lost the tiebreaker to Allen by having the lower score at the longer distance. Rounding out the top five was Curt Lokovsek. Curt scored 183-2X with his '74 Sharps .45/90.

Bob DeLisle was sixth with a 182-3X. Bob was using his '74 Pedersoli Sharps .45/70 firing paper patch bullets. In seventh place, just one X behind Bob, was Mike Moran firing a 182-2X using his '74 C. Sharps Arms .45/70. In eighth place was Mike Holeman posting a 176-X with his '74 C. Sharps Arms .45/70. Next was Mike Nesbitt in ninth place shooting a '74 by C. Sharps Arms in .50/70. Mike posted a score of 175-2X. Closing out the top 10 is Phil Webie. Phil fired his '74 Sharps in .45/70 scoring a 168-X.

In eleventh place was Tom Witt. Tom scored 164-X with a '74 Sharps .45/70. Then in twelfth place was me, Jerry Mayo. I used my '74 by C. Sharps Arms in .45/70 to score a solid 161-X. Thirteenth went to Dan Johnson and his '85 Highwall in .44/40 with a 124. And finishing in fourteenth was Jim Haeckel with his '74 Pedersoli Sharps in .45/70. Jim scored 114.

For the after-match this month we brought out the Old West revolvers again. As always, the revolver must fire black powder with lead bullets and preferably be of a style and caliber specific to the Old West period. For a twist, we put away the ten-and-one-half-inches square target with the three-and-one-quarter-inch ten-ring placed at 10 yards, which we are so familiar with, and replaced it with our 100-yard rifle target. This target measures fourteen inches square but only has a two-inch 10 ring. To add to the fun, we hung this target at 25 yards. This match has just one winner, and winner takes all. The winner this time was Allen Cunniff with a score of 84-2X shooting his .45 Colt. Good shooting, Allen.

There will not be an Old West Centerfires match in October. Our next match will be the 2024 Aggregate final held on 16 November, 2024 when the yearly aggregate champion will be awarded. Keep an eye on the Black Powder News' "Doin's Yet to Come" for upcoming black powder events. Also, check the CCRP calendar at ccrpclub.org for this and other shooting opportunities.

The most important Club Shoot The BB gun shoot!

The BB Gun shoot is the only Family activity we have in the club. This is the 16th year of the BB Gun Shoot. I literally have several families that return each year for the shoot. This year it is 1 December. The shoot runs from 2:00 till 6:00. It is a family activity. So junior to Grama can join in. Grama actually won it last year. You will shoot 60 rounds of copper BB"s from a Daisy Red Ryder. You will be fed hot dogs and hot chocolate. Coffee is always on hand. The cost is being worked out as we speak. Donations are being accepted. There will be prizes for everyone. We generally give away 6 Daisys each year plus many other items. We are asking for volunteers. A couple are needed in the kitchen, registration needs two. To assist and oversee the shooting several are needed to keep an eye on the shooters to help more than anything. We need an RSO to run the range.

Give me a call.

Will

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Hunters Sight In

Hunter Sight In will be on October 5, 6, 12, and 13. It is from 9:00 to 3:00. We will need a minimum of 6 assistants a day to run 4 benches and a ticket taker plus RSO's. You only need to have your current RSO card for running the Range. We could use some small donations for targets and hamburger purchases. I am taking volunteers now. I will keep track of the volunteer list and update as needs come.

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Opening

Barry, Thom and I would like to give Harry a big Thank You. Harry has done the major part of our routine and extra maintenance on our club equipment for several years. Harry is retiring from the task. With that to get this done we need a volunteer to accomplish this work. Please contact one of us if you are willing.

Will

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September's Lever Gun Match

By Tom Witt

Ten shooters showed up around 9:00 am with their lever guns of various calibers. In this match we shoot lever action rifles in (primarily) revolver calibers, loaded with black powder and cast or swaged lead bullets. The most popular rifles used for these matches are the copies of the Model 1866 and 1873 Winchesters. A couple of Model 1892 rifles were present at this particular match, one, a replica in .38-40 and the other, an original, in .32-20. All other shooters used .44-40s.

We started the festivities off with real lever-gunning. The targets were 5 gongs and shooting was done from the offhand position, using our rifles with loaded magazines. Two shots were taken at each of the gongs, for ten shots, and shooters had just 60 seconds to complete those ten shots. Allen Cunniff and I hit all ten shots for a score of 100 points each. Mike Nesbitt, Mike Holeman and Jerry Johnson only missed one for a score of 90 points each. That was some good shooting and those 60 second go by faster than you might think! Mike Nesbitt finished his ten shots with just two seconds to spare.

Our next target was a paper buffalo posted at 50 yards. Unlike the gongs we were allowed to shoot from the sitting position while using cross-sticks. Bob Delisle had the highest score with 86 points. I was only 3 points behind with a score on 83. Mike Holeman had a great score on 80 to round out the top three at 50 yards. There could have been some higher scores but too many shooters held just a little low or a bit too high, but they still had fantastic groups.

After the buffalo, we rapped things up with a standard bullseye target posted at 75 yards. Jerry Mayo had the high score (again) with a 95-XX!! He was followed by Allen Cunniff with an almost as good score of 93-XX, and coming in third was Dan Johnson with a score of 92-XX. Phil Wiebe sacrificed himself and shot someone else's target. That's a great way to help another guy out, Phil.

Shooter	Gongs	50 Yards	75 Yards	Total	Shotgun
Allen Cunniff	100	74	93 XX	267 XX	8
Tom Witt	100	83	77	260	0
Jerry Johnson	90	77	89 X	256 X	-
Bob Delisle	80	86	89 X	255 X	5
Mike Nesbitt	90	79	83	252	4
Mike Holeman	90	80	82	252	-
Dan Johnson	50	76	92 XX	218 XX	3
Jerry Mayo	80	34	95 XX	209 XX	4
Phill Wiebe	80	71	0	151	-
Loco Jeff Ritter	0	56	82 X	138 X	-
Ralph Birmingham	40	0	0	40	-

Our after-match was done with shotguns, at flying clays. Ten "birds" with ten shots was our goal. Allen Cunniff won the after-match by hitting 8 out of 10 flying "birds."

A good time was had by all. We will be looking forward to next month! Here's hopin' to see you in October.

September CMP/NRA Service Rifle Match

On Sunday, Sept. 22 we held the CMP/NRA format Service Rifle Match. As with all our high-power rifle matches, this is a 50 round match as follows:

- 10 rounds slow fire standing in 10 minutes
- 10 rounds rapid fire sitting in 60 seconds
- 10 rounds rapid fire prone in 70 seconds
- 20 rounds slow fire prone in 20 minutes

The difference for the Service Rifle Match is that we use different sized targets. We use the NRA 200 yard military target for standing and sitting, a reduced 300 yard target for rapid fire prone, and a reduced 600 yard target for slow fire prone.

The match winner was Tom Schuettke with the high score of 479-17X. Tom was also the high score in all 4 stages. Tom was shooting an AR-15 with 20 inch barrel and open sights. Great shooting, Tom!

TGT	NAME	RIFLE TYPE	Standing Slow Fire	Sitting Rapid Fire	Prone Rapid Fire	Prone Slow Fire	TOTAL	Match Place
1	Gary Baldwin	M1A w/scope	66	69	81	140-1X	356-1X	4
2	Nicholas Parker	U.S. Rifle Model of 1917	30	63	42	5	140	5
3	Gary Thorson	AR-15 open sights	83-1X	91	85-1X	172-2X	431-4X	2
4	Tom Schuettke	AR-15 open sights	92-2X	99-3X	96-4X	192-8X	479-17X	1
5	Ken Horton	AR-15 open sights	76	87	82-1X	129-1X	374-2X	3

We had four shooters in the Gong Challenge, which consists of shooting 10 gongs spaced from 50 to 200 yards on the clock. Each miss is a 10 second penalty. We had some pretty close times. Tom Schuettke won by a mere 4 seconds over Nicholas Parker.

	Rifle	Time	Penalties	Total Time
Tom Schuettke	AR-15 Service Rifle	1:03	3 X 10 = 30	1:33
Nicholas Parker	AR-15 M4 Carbine	1:07	3 X 10 = 30	1:37
Gary Thorson	AR-15 Service Rifle	1:13	3 X 10 = 30	1:43
Ken Horton	AR-15 Service Rifle	1:26	5 X 10 = 50	2:16

We also had some pretty close scores in the Carbine Match. For this match we used an NRA 25 yard pistol target placed out any 50 yards. The course of fire was 5 shots standing, 5 shots kneeling, and 10 shots prone, all in a time limit of one minute. Hits in the black were 1 point, hits in the white were zero. We ran the course twice for a total of 40 rounds. Tom Schuettke was the winner with 33 hits in the black out of 40 shots.

Carbine Match	Carbine Type	1st String	2nd String	Total	Match Place
Gary Baldwin	SKS	7	11	18	4
Nicholas Parker	AR-15 M4 Carbine	13	12	25	3
Gary Thorson	M1 Carbine	13	17	30	2
Tom Schuettke	Ruger Mini-14	19	14	33	1
Ken Horton	Ruger 10/22	4	12	16	5

SPECIAL THANKS to Ken Horton and Tom Schuettke who stayed after the match to install new roofing on the target shed at the 200 yard line.

SEPTEMBER M1 GARAND MATCH

It doesn't get much closer than this. 1st place 445-3X, 2nd place 444-4X. What a way to end the 2024 M1 Garand Match season.

We only had 4 shooters show up for the season finale of the M1 Garand Match. But it was a great day shooting those 80 year old battle rifles. Here are the scores:

TG T	NAME	RIFLE TYPE	Stand- ing Slow Fire	Sit- ting Rapid Fire	Pron e Rap- id Fire	Pron e Slow Fire	TOTAL	Matc h Plac e
1	Gary Baldwin	U.S. Rifle Cal. .30 M1	33-1X	57- 1X	78- 1X	180- 2X	348-5X	4
2	Nicholas Par- ker	AR-15 M4 Car- bine w/scope	55	81	83	189- 2X	408-2X	3
3	Gary Thorson	U.S. Rifle Cal. .30 M1	88-2X	79	90	188- 1X	445-3X	1
4	Tom Schuettke	U.S. Rifle Cal. .30 M1	87-1X	79	88	190- 3X	444-4X	2

Three of us shot the Gong Challenge. Gary Thorson won the pot.

	Time	Misses X 10 Second Penalty	Total Time	Place
Gary Thorson	1:11	1 X 10 = 10	1:21	1
Tom Schuettke	0:51	4 X 10 = 40	1:31	2
Nicholas Parker	1:10	5 X 10 = 50	2:00	3

We finished off with the .22 Rapid Fire Silhouette Match.

	.22 Rapid Fire Silhouette	Rifle Type	Blue	Yel- low	Fast- est	Place
	Gary Baldwin	Ruger 10/22	4:49	3:55	3:55	4
	Nicholas Parker	Ruger 10/22	5:18	2:07	2:07	3
	Gary Thorson	Ruger 10/22	1:44	1:48	1:44	1
	Tom Schuettke	Ruger 10/22	1:48	2:05	1:48	2

.22 Rifle Silhouette

Club: (CCRP / Littlerock): <http://ccrpclub.org/>

Remaining **Dates:** 2024 Smallbore Silhouette Schedule (The 3rd Sunday of the Month (Apr-Oct))

Oct 20

Times:

Sight-In / Practice / Sign-Up - 9am

Match Begins - 9:30am (Normally, done around 12pm)

Location: Multi-Purpose Range / Blue Building

Address: 14318 Littlerock Rd SW, Rochester, WA 98579

Gates: Main Gate will be open. Range Gate will be open.

Match Director/Questions: Mike Coleman, (206)890-9359, engine44@pm.me

Fee: \$15/2 Matches (Standard, Hunter, Lever)

Course of Fire:

2-3 Relays to be run (depending on attendance)

2 5-shot strings at each animal/distance, per Relay.

Chickens	40m
Pigs	60m
Turkeys	77m
Rams	100m

Rifles: Standard Rifle, Hunter Rifle, Lever Action Rifle (separate targets)

Ammo: .22 LR (standard and high velocity OK - No hyper-velocity/stingers)

Match: 40-shots per Rifle

Firing for score follows standard NRA Silhouette rules (shooting off-hand, no supports/bench/ etc).

Firing for fun, practice or just to try out the range is encouraged. Bring whatever .22 rifle you have and have a good time.

Details: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Metallic_silhouette_shooting

Safety: Please bring eyes, ears and open-bolt indicators.

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MEMBERSHIP DUES RATES Dues and Renewal policies

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 (taxes are additional)**, collected at the time of the orientation classes are:

Annual dues **\$80.00** for the first member of each household and **\$45.00** 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**.

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.)

October

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	2	3 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	4	5 Air Rifle Indoor Field Target (IR) Black Powder Monthly Shoots (BP) (H) Hunter Sight-in
6 Range Safety Officer Class (CH,IR) (H) Hunter Sight-in	7 Monday Night .22 Pistol League (IR, CH)	8 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	9 New Member Orientation (CH)	10 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	11 Air Rifle Bench Rest Practice (IR) Beginner/Intermediate Pistol Match Setup (AP)	12 Lever Gun Match (BP) (H) Hunter Sight-in Beginner/Intermediate Pistol Match (AP)
13 (H) Hunter Sight-in	14 Monday Night .22 Pistol League (IR, CH)	15 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C) Board of Directors Meeting (CH)	16	17 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	18	19 Air Rifle Bench Rest (IR)
20 2024 Silhouette Rifle Matches (MP)	21 Monday Night .22 Pistol League (IR, CH)	22 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	23	24 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	25	26
27 Old Soldier Rifle Match	28 Monday Night .22 Pistol League Practice (IR, CH)	29 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)	30 Open Trail (BP)	31 Capitol City Junior Rifle Club Practice (I,C)		

RANGE KEY: A=Archery; AP=Action Pistol; BP=Black Powder; CG=Campground;
CH=Club House; HP=High Power; IR=Indoor Range;
K=Kitchen; MP=Multi Purpose; SP=Pistol Side Bay