



ESCONDIDO FISH & GAME ASSOCIATION

MARCH 2021

MEETINGS

Board Meeting
1st Thursday

6:30 PM - Meeting Hall

General Meeting
2nd Thursday

7:15 PM Meeting Hall

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Linda's Lines

It's Spring! So happy to see things blooming, hear the birds chirping and some of the restrictions loosening! This has been a hard year and we all hope to have a better spring and summer.

It looks like we will be having our 75th anniversary Barbecue in May. Keep 5/16/2021 open to come and enjoy the celebration. Great food, games, and an amazing prize table. We should have a wonderful day and hope you will all be there. Tickets are \$20 until April 15 and \$25 after that. Kids under 12 are \$10. If you have tickets from last year, they are being used this year (no reason to print new). Please let us know if you are coming so we can order enough food.

In other news, we had a landscape protest on 2/21. We protested against messy ranges and made great headway in eradicating the mess at our range. With lots of help, many projects were completed in preparation for the range closure from March 8th through March 15th. At that time we will be mitigating lead, pouring concrete, repairing fences, running additional electrical lines, and lots of other projects. If you are available to help, please let Darrin or myself know. We should have most of these projects done by the close of that week. Thanks to all who have helped get ready for the "Mother of All Projects Lists" (MOAPL).

I hope to see all of you at the March General Meeting. Be sure to check the website before coming up to the range since changes happen all the time.

Take care of yourselves.

Linda



DARRIN'S DOSSIER



☘ One Very Productive Protest

Last month we held a protest against messy ranges and we had a great turnout. During this protest, we removed broken clays, shoveled lots of dirt, excavated and prepped for concrete, assembled and buried conduit, cleaned trash

cans, washed windows, cleaned target frame slots, removed brush and fallen timber, repaired fencing, and, and, ... lots of other stuff. Everyone respected the mask requirements and/or social distancing while tasks were getting done.

I also want to make a point of thanking the Sea Cadets for stepping up and helping out. They use our Campground area to train and drill regularly and when they asked me what they could do to help out, I told them about our scheduled protest. They showed up in force and got stuff done. I was really impressed by their attitude, discipline, and teamwork. They were respectful, pleasant, and hard-working.

As usual, the food was excellent. The sandwiches and soups were tasty and unique. The cupcakes for dessert (Happy birthday, Linda Linaker) were top notch as well. The raffle after lunch was great fun and Ed Migdal did a great job of running that part of the day.

Looking back on how much we accomplished in one day, I am honored to be a part of the Escondido Fish & Game Association. We had many members and guests of all ages pitching in and getting things done. The young people were helping out because their parents did a great job of raising thoughtful, competent, and grateful people. These will be the leaders of the future. They were not born leaders, their families cultivated excellence while leading by example.

General Membership Meeting (3/11/2021)

Because of the winter COVID issues, we have not been able to hold indoor gatherings. We are currently planning to hold a General Membership Meeting with social distancing enforced. If the weather cooperates, we might even consider holding the meeting outside. Keep an eye

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on the web site for details. If we find that it is not feasible to hold the meeting, it will be posted on the web site.

Be a Raffle Donor

Your donations help support our monthly General Meeting Raffle. Our entertainment Chairman is Bud Smith. If you have items you would like to donate to our monthly General meeting raffle, please contact Smoldering Bud at budsmith223@gmail.com. Please consider new or used items in working order. Thanks for your support.

Range Closure (3/8/2021-3/15/2021)

We have contracted with a lead reclamation firm to mitigate the lead from the Trap Ranges and they will need to have the ranges closed for a week to get their equipment in place and process the material. Because the hillside for the Trap Ranges are in the line of sight for all of the Ranges, the Pistol, 100, and 150 Ranges will need to be closed as well during this week. The Meeting Hall, Campground, Archery and Hawk ranges will remain open. If there is bad weather (rain) this could make the closure last longer because the material needs to be mostly dry in order for the equipment to process it properly. Keep an eye on the web site for further details.

While the Ranges are closed, we also plan to complete a number of other projects around the ranges to improve and maintain the infrastructure of the Association. Improvements will be made on the Pistol, Trap, and 100-Yard Ranges that will require trenching for electrical and concrete as well as other structural features. If you are interested in participating in these projects, please contact Chis Cote or myself.

Shoot Chair Wanted

The NRA Precision Pistol event is in need of a Shoot Chair. The person that was running the match has moved out of state so, we need someone to step up and take over the event. If you are interested in the position, please contact Chris Cote, the Chair of the Shoot Chair Committee. Yes, that makes Chris the Shoot-Chair Chair. Oh, the irony.

Left the Range

Michael Marks – This man has been a member for 30 years and a Life Member for much of that time. He served EF&GA as a Shoot Chair, a Director, and as President. His participation as well as his friendly demeanor and smile will be missed by many of us. Please keep him and his family in your thoughts and prayers.

Don Means Jr. passed away recently. He became a member in 2006. Please keep him and his family in your thoughts and prayers.



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JUNIOR CORNER

by Patrick Russ



RULES TO LIVE BY

1. **Treat** every firearm as if it were loaded
2. **Never** point your firearm at anything you don't intend to shoot
3. **Keep** your finger straight and off the trigger until you intend to fire
4. **Know** your target and the surroundings

As promised, we have started the slow process of reopening the Junior Marksmanship Program. February saw the first Junior Trap, and Junior Pistol events in almost a year. It was great to see the kids again. Everyone had a great time and I was really impressed with the level of shooting. As with every event that we do, safety is our number one concern. That being said, all the events did a very in depth safety brief in order to put safety at the front of everyone's minds. But as usual, the Juniors showed us that they hadn't forgotten anything about safety. For many, it was as if they hadn't been gone for over a year.

The Dirty Range Protest was a huge success. Not only did we run out of things to protest, we were able to take care of some maintenance issues as well. Everyone worked hard and did an amazing job. If you have followed the Junior program at all, you know all about our super stars Kestrin "The Hurricane" Walsh and Austin Cote. These two work harder than most adults and always have a great attitude. Now we have two more risings stars, Ryan Walsh (11 yrs old) and Rowan Cote (10 yrs old). These two just happen to be the younger brothers of our two top Junior Coaches. Both of these young men got to work on raking leaves and brush, handing out tools and picking up the endless piles of leaves and trash.

Their work ethic was something to see. They worked hard, never complained and kept looking for more to do. I don't think we all know where they get it. I'd also like to recognize their parents for raising some amazing young adults. In case you didn't know, this is what a future leader looks like. These are the ones who lead by example.

We were also fortunate to have the Sea Cadets with us. Talk about a group of sharp looking, well-mannered, and hardworking young adults. You give them a task and it gets done, period. I needed a hillside raked clean of all the cut grass. I figured that it would take at least two hours to do. They got it done in an hour. They worked as a team, some raked the top of the hill, some raked the middle and others raked the bottom of the hill and made piles that could easily be picked up. Personally, I love to see good teamwork, especially with young adults. After all the hard work, the Sea Cadet Color Guard presented the colors. They did an amazing job, this is coming from someone that loves this stuff. I am very proud to have the Sea Cadets here.

Last, but not least, I would like to thank the Cub Scouts from Pack 640. They showed up, asked "what can we do?" and got it done. It was very motivational to see so many young adults happily working hard for the range.

As many of you have heard, Mike Marks passed away last month. Mike was a big part of the Junior Marksmanship Program. He ran the Junior Archery event and helped with the Junior Rifle for many years. He would always say, "let's do it for the kids". He was a good friend and a fellow Marine. The Junior Program is better because he was a part of it. He will be missed. Semper Fi, Mike. Fair Winds and Following Seas.

JUNIOR PISTOL

2/28/2021

Distinguished Expert

Daysha Halpert 395-20X

Expert

Maria Gonzalez 373-10X

Brayden Stansel 366-10X

Lorena Gonzalez 363-5X

Austin Cote 362-13X

Austin Ellerby 357-6X

Justin Hsu 354-3X

AJ Wagle 344-2X

Vaddin Butler 343-2X

Sharpshooter

Matthew Franco 336-8X

Jared Hsu 336-1X

Kestrin Walsh 333-3X

Marksman

Billy Sheldon 299-0X

Tegan Butler 270-6X

Joey Hsu 268-X1

Promarksman

Shelby Ellerby 245-0X

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EF&GA 75th Anniversary Barbecue (5/16/2021)

This year we will be celebrating our 75th year as an Association. If it all goes according to plan, we should be through the worst of the pandemic and we should be able to congregate outdoors again. As usual, we will have the usual participation events like Black Powder, Archery, Tomahawk Throwing, 22 Rifles, Trap, and lots of other fun activities. This family-friendly event always has fantastic food. Yes, Bekker's is catering again this year so the food will be excellent as usual. There will also be lots of raffles, drawings, and silent auction items. Tickets are available now. You can mail the form in to the PO Box with a check for the appropriate amount and the clerk will send out the tickets. Tickets will be \$20.00 until April 15th, then \$25.00 up to the day of the event.

ESCONDIDO FISH AND GAME ASSOCIATION 2020 BBQ ORDER FORM

Sunday May 16th

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

Phone Number () _____

Number of adult tickets _____ X \$25 each (\$20 each before April 15th)

Number of child tickets _____ X \$10 each
(12 years old & under)

Number of Rifle Drawing Tickets _____ X \$1.00 each. Total _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED _____ (Checks payable to EF&GA)

Mail check & form to: EF&GA C/O Neil Pisk, P. O. Box 460506, Escondido, CA 92046



TRAP CORNER



Trap Rules

There are many rules that we follow for many reasons. Just like rules of the road while driving a car, there are rules of Trap. Also like rules of the road, some of the rules are for safety and others are for etiquette. Both categories of rules make the sport of Trap flow well without interruptions or injuries. If someone is violating a safety rule, it needs to be corrected immediately to prevent injury. Rules of etiquette can usually wait and be handled away from an audience in a more polite and patient manner. If someone needs to be reminded of an etiquette rule, there is no need to be angry or loud, especially while people are holding firearms (a recipe for disaster). Below are some basic rules that we all need to be reminded of once in a while.

Safety



- ❗ Treat every firearm as though it is loaded. Never point a firearm at a human, even if it is unloaded.
- ❗ On the firing line, always keep your gun pointed downrange unless you have a pump or semiauto, then it is pointed downrange or up in the air.
- ❗ Do not lean over each time to pick a shell out of a box on the ground. Have your shells where you can get to them without stooping. (i.e. a pouch, pocket or vest)
- ❗ Don't pick up your hulls from the ground while shooting. Wait until after the game is finished and your gun is in the rack.
- ❗ If a delay occurs, make your gun safe (unloaded with an empty chamber) and if need be, put your gun in the rack.
- ❗ Load only one shell at a time except in Doubles or 5-Stand.
- ❗ Never have a loaded gun when your feet are moving (walking for any reason) with your action open and empty. With a pump or semi-auto the muzzle must be pointed up.
- ❗ When the range is cold, all guns stay in the rack. No handling of firearms for any reason while people are downrange.

Etiquette

- ❗ The Association wants shoots to start on time. It can't be done unless we get help with setup. Instead of standing around waiting to sign up for a squad, ask if there is something that needs to be done!
- ❗ Be Ready when your squad is called and when it is your turn to shoot in the squad.
- ❗ Take your used hulls home (don't throw them in the trash or recycling on the range)
- ❗ Do not raise your gun until after the shooter before you has fired.
- ❗ Do not close your action until after the shooter before you has fired.
- ❗ Remain at your post until the 5th shooter has fired their 5th shot at that post, then move to the next position when the scorekeeper gives the command to rotate.
- ❗ When moving from position 5 to position 1, always turn to your RIGHT so that you don't bump guns with the shooter coming from position 4 and so that you don't muzzle the shooters on the line.
- ❗ If you are the first shooter, don't fire until all squad members are in position after each change of position.
- ❗ Stand facing the traps until the last shooter has fired their last shot, then you may leave the trap field.
- ❗ Do not let ejected shells from your gun hit or annoy other shooters.
- ❗ Do not unnecessarily talk when you are on the firing line.
- ❗ When you are not on the firing line, keep your voice down when you are around the score keeper's tower and other squads that are shooting, if you must talk please do it off of the trap pads.
- ❗ Time your shooting to establish a rhythm in the squad. Call in a loud voice so there is no confusion for scorekeeper/ puller.
- ❗ Be a sportsman at all times, be sure your competitors get what is due, don't be a target claimer.
- ❗ Do not pick up another person's gun from the gun rack and handle it without asking. Shooters are usually willing to let others look at their guns, if you respectfully request permission first.

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TRAP STRAIGHTS

1/19/2021

Bob Hoag.....	25
Mike Talmadge.....	25
Rich Davis.....	75

1/26/2021

Randy Gompper.....	25 x 2
Roger Moynihan.....	25
Rich Davis.....	75
Bob Petrachek.....	25
Mark Eller.....	25

1/30/2021

Rich Davis.....	75, 25
Roger Moynihan.....	25
Clyde Ewin.....	25

2/2/2021

Mike Talmadge.....	25
Rich Davis.....	100
Randy Gompper.....	25
Bill McNeese.....	25
Roger Moynihan.....	25
Alan Salvi.....	25

2/6/2021

Rich Davis.....	25
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2/9/2021

Randy Gompper.....	25
David Kaiser.....	25
Rich Davis.....	50, 25
Roger Moynihan.....	25
John Taliaferro.....	25
George Plante.....	25

2/13/2021

Rich Davis.....	50, 25
Don Hudson.....	50
Mike Talmadge.....	25

2/16/2021

Mike Halberstadt.....	25
Roger Moynihan.....	50, 75
Danny Godinho.....	25

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Please submit requests for classified ads via email to newsletter@escondidofishandgame.com and be sure to double-check for spelling and grammar errors.

Members Only are allowed to submit Classified advertisements. Your Membership Number must be included with any advertisement request so that we can properly vet the submission before it is published. The Membership Number will NOT appear in the advertisement. Your Membership Number is on your membership badge on the same side as your photo.

No Illegal Transactions may be advertised in this newsletter. It is now illegal to sell ammunition in California without either going through an FFL or a licensed ammunition reseller. EF&GA cannot facilitate any illegal commerce of a state regulated commodity. This is also why firearm sales should include a phrase similar to Buyer pays DROS when advertising the sale of a firearm.

It may sound obvious but requests for classifieds are frequently received with not enough information to be useful to a reader.

There are 5 main components of a classified ad:

Category – Most classifieds fall into one of 3 categories, 'For Sale', 'Wanted', or 'Lost & Found'.

Subject/Title – This will appear in bold in the advertisement. This should be short (2 or 3 words) and concise.

Description – This is the body of the advertisement and can be a few sentences but not more than a paragraph. Abbreviations appear cryptic and are not recommended unless they are well known acronyms.

Price – A specific dollar amount as well as qualifiers give the reader important information. For example, "\$600 or Best Offer, Buyer pays DROS, Will consider trades"

Contact Info – This should be a name AND a phone number (including area code) and/or an e-mail address.

March 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>7</p> <p>7:00am - 11:00am Muzzle Loading Rifle - [150 - Members & IG]</p> <p>8:00am - 10:00am National Match Course - [100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>10:00am - 12:00pm issued Military Rifle - [100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>10:00am - 3:00pm Traditional Archery - [Campground - Members & IG]</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1:00pm - 7:00pm Closed for Maintenance - [Trap/100]</p>	<p>2</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>3</p> <p>5:00pm - 9:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>4</p> <p>12:00pm - 4:00pm Cracker Shoot - [100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>6:30pm - 9:30pm Board Meeting - [Meeting Hall - Members & IG]</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <p>7:00am - 1:00pm Combat Match - [Pistol/Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>8:00am - 2:00pm Cowboy Action - [150 - Members & IG]</p> <p>2:00pm - 9:00pm Trap Shoot - [Trap - Members & IG]</p> <p>3:00pm - 7:00pm Pot Shoot - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>
<p>8</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [CANCELED]</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p> <p>5:00pm - 9:00pm Trap and Shotgun Games - [CANCELED]</p> 	<p>11</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p> <p>12:00pm - 4:00pm Precision .22 Rifle - [CANCELED]</p> <p>7:15pm - 9:00pm General Membership Meeting - [Meeting Hall]</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p> <p>Sea Cadets - [Campground - Members & IG]</p> <p>7:30am - 5:00pm Hunter Ed - [CANCELED]</p> <p>2:00pm - 9:00pm Trap Shoot - [CANCELED]</p> <p>5:00pm - 9:00pm Junior Trap - [CANCELED]</p>	

<p>14 Daylight Savings Time Begins</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p> <p>Sea Cadets - [Campground - Members & IG]</p> <p>7:00am - 2:00pm NRA Precision Pistol - [CANCELED]</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm 22 Rifle Silhouette - [CANCELED]</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Closed for Maintenance - [ALL RANGES CLOSED]</p>	<p>16</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>17 Saint Patrick's Day</p> <p>5:00pm - 9:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p> 	<p>18</p> <p>12:00pm - 4:00pm Center Fire Poker Shoot - [150 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> <p>7:30am - 3:00pm Basic Rifle Class - [Meeting Hall - Members & IG]</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm AR-15 Match - [150 - Members & IG]</p> <p>8:00am - 11:00am Smallbore Rifle - [100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>3:00pm - 7:00pm Pot Shoot - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>4:00pm - 9:00pm Trap Shoot - [Trap - Members & IG]</p>
<p>21</p> <p>7:00am - 4:00pm Junior Rifle - [CANCELED]</p> <p>8:00am - 1:00pm NRA Shotgun Class - [Meeting Hall - Members & IG]</p> <p>1:00pm - 4:00pm NRA Shotgun Class - [Trap - Members & IG]</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>24</p> <p>7:00am - 2:00pm Safari Park Security - [100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>8:00am - 11:00am NRA Pistol Class - [Meeting Hall - Members & IG]</p> <p>5:00pm - 9:00pm Trap and Shotgun Games - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>25</p> <p>12:00pm - 4:00pm .22 Poker Shoot - [100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p> <p>8:00am - 2:00pm Rim fire Benchrest - [150 - Members & IG]</p> <p>3:00pm - 7:00pm Pot Shoot - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p> <p>4:00pm - 9:00pm Trap Shoot - [Trap - Members & IG]</p>
<p>28</p> <p>7:00am - 2:00pm Black Powder Silhouette - [150 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> <p>8:00am - 12:00pm Trap and 5-Stand - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>	<p>31</p> <p>5:00pm - 9:00pm Trap and Shotgun Games - [Trap/100 - Members & IG]</p>			





MATCH RESULTS



SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTE

1/10/2021

Jim McKim	20/40
Larry Stainbrook	19/40
Rob Davis.....	16/40
Bill Townsend.....	15/40

RIMFIRE BENCHREST

1/23/2021



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Andrea Rotheram	2262.50
William Getz.....	2187.50

Unlimited Class

Harold Itchkawich.....	2150.00
Rocky Shadden.....	1687.50
Bill Townsend.....	1396.25
John LaFata.....	1383.75

COWBOY ACTION

2/6/2021

Cattle Baroness

Misty Rose.....	289.66
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Cowboy

Moe T Vader	130.34
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Cowgirl

Diamondback Dree	189.18
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Elder Statesman

Smith Mountain.....	286.61
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Forty-Niner

Double Diamond	176.70
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Gunfighter

Trainwreck.....	136.39
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Super Super Senior

Stubby Pete.....	251.05
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Note: Double Diamond "smoked"
Diamondback Dree



COMBAT MATCH

2/6/2021

Revolver

Brian Lamb.....	147.47
Eric Jamois.....	212.62
Greg Houch	234.51
Gary Doyle.....	283.07
Mike Viggianelli.....	406.85

SemiAuto

Lou Paz	103.41
John Corcoran	108.3
Eric Jamois.....	120.44
Brian Lamb.....	122.15
Edward Rhay	124.89

NATIONAL MATCH COURSE

2/7/2021

Lorena Gonzalez.....	465-6X
Larry Bailey	439-6X
Guillermo Gonzalez.....	408-6X
Mark Littrell.....	376-1X
Samuel Littrell	282-2X

AS-ISSUED MILITARY RIFLE

2/7/2021

Larry Bailey	262-1X
Robert Walsh.....	250-4X
Jim McKim	244-1X
Erik Olson	243-1X
Mark Littrell.....	230-3X
Rob Davis.....	224-0X
Samuel Littrell	216-3X
Alex Luz-Olson	127-0X

22 PRECISION RIFLE

2/11/2021



Small Target

Harold Itchkawich.....	1750.0
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Large Target

John Ayles.....	1847.5
Jim Bauer.....	1617.5
Mike Monroe.....	1615.0
Al Anzelone	1050.0
Rich Hall.....	1010.0
Steve Richman.....	791.7
Jim Jensen.....	733.3



SMALLBORE RIFLE

2/20/2021

50-Yard 4-Position

Fred Guse.....	355-7X
Sharilyn Farrel	349-6X
Michelle Fan.....	327-3X
Larry Bailey	327-2X
Mark Greenlee	323-1X
Mark Dambkowski	310-3X
Jim McKim	310-2X

100-Yard Prone

Sharilyn Farrel	382-12X
Michelle Fan.....	368-8X
Fred Guse.....	368-3X
Mark Greenlee	366-5X
Jim McKim	361-3X

AR-15 STEEL MATCH

2/20/2021



Miki Cirkovic	279.14
Ahmet Hadzirus	281.34
Michael Swan	321.16
Francisco Macias	321.93
Eric Jamois	382.45
Luke Ferguson	396.94
Russell Ewig	419.04
Gary Fukuda	419.88
Jason Gerhold	431.14
Ralph Walno	453.66
Kenny Shepherd	457.93
Troy Goswick	470.87
Darrin Eaton	482.56
Greg Webb	495.94
Eric Rankin	507.25
Eddie Vayes	517.21
John Lafata	546.58
Jonathan Dales	558.41
Stacy James	622.48
Jim Shelton	627.97
Shawn Combs	647.44
Dave Bales	659.31
Robert Braver	664.95
Chris Hillesheim	680.65
Eric McLeod	728.85
Fuzz Zellaerz	772.71
Rand Nelson	840.37
Josh Rogers	880.56



BLACK POWDER NEWS

by Garth Warner

Left the Range: I regret to announce the passing of Mike Marks. Mike passed on Wednesday February 17th. Many of you will know Mike as our acting Safety Officer for the Silhouette shoots. Mike was also an EF&GA board member, a long time member of SPAR, (Society of Primitive American Rifleman), and chair for Small Bore Rifle. The list of his activities in support of the EF&GA and shooting sports is a long one. He will be sorely missed.

Covid-19 Update: Effective immediately, we are back to members and invited guests for our BP shoots. The same guidelines for table spacing, social distancing, and temp/health checks are still in effect.

March 7th Muzzle Loading Bullseye Contest: This will be a Long Range Rifle contest. One target at 50 yards, one target at 100 yds. 13 shots at each target and your best 10 count. Contact Patrick Watson for details. Safety briefing at 07:45. Contest starts at 08:00.

March 7th Traditional Archery Contest: This will be a modified American Round course. Contact David Premetz for details. Contest starts at 10:00 ish, (after the rifle shoot)

March 28th Muzzle Loading Silhouette Contest: This will be a Mid-Range contest with targets at 75, 100, and 125 yards. Contact Garth Warner for details. Pistol starts at 08:30, rifle starts at 10:00. (Due to the extensive setup, early arrivals, and/or volunteers are encouraged)

Jan 24th ML Silhouette Contest: Super Short Range - Targets at 25, 50 and 75 yards. (Cold, Partly Cloudy following rain from the previous night). Note that two people shot a "possible" on this event. Ren Everett did it again, (yawn), and Brian Kowalski did it for the first time. Congratulations to both.

MUZZLE LOADING SILHOUETTE

1/24/2021

Super Short Course

Revolver

Erik Olson6

Alex Luz-Olson5

Open Rifle

Brian Kowalski..... 18*

Dan Hannah..... 17

Kaz Lewak..... 16

Master Rifle

Ren Everett 18*

Tom Arendell..... 16

Cartridge Rifle

Erick Olson..... 13

* Perfect Score

In Loving Memory of Michael Marks

On February 17, 2021 our Association lost a good friend.

Mike Marks was called home to heaven.

Mike was a member since 1991, and a life member for many years.

He served on the Board of Directors several terms as well as serving as President.

Mike ran the Junior Archery Program, Smallbore Rifle, Precision Rifle and other events.

He shot in the Olympics and was an internationally ranked rifle shooter, traveling around the world to participate in events.

His smile and willingness to help wherever he could will be greatly missed.

Semper Fi, Mike. Until we meet again, may God hold you in the Palm of His hand.



Mike Marks enjoying time with his friends at a SPAR event throwing a tomahawk.

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TRAINING CENTRAL

NRA Basic Shotgun Class - March 21st, 2021 Sunday 8am-5pm

Location: Escondido Fish and Game Association, 16525 Guejito Rd, Escondido CA



Jay Zimmett
NRA Certified Instructor
Pistol, Rifle, Shotgun, Home Defense, and Range Safety
858-735-2354
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Class Description: This class covers firearm safety and basic skills of Shotgunning. It is also designed to train the student the proper skills required to hit a moving target. The NRA Certified Shotgun Course teaches stance, gun ready position, swing to target, trigger pull, and follow through. The class consists of classroom exercises and hands-on instruction including live fire exercise through which students will learn and demonstrate safe and proper shotgun shooting procedures and technique. Hands on range time will include techniques required for shooting moving targets-(Trap). Upon successful class completion students will receive the NRA Basic Shotgun Certificate. Classes are limited to 12 Students and a deposit is required to secure registration.

To reserve your spot call or email:

Bud Smith 858-922-6489 budsmith223@gmail.com

Dave Premetz 760-489-1082 slixgunr@yahoo.com or register online through the NRA at www.nra.org

Bud Smith: Chief Range Safety Officer/ Range Safety Officer, **Certified NRA Instructor:** Certified Muzzleloading Rifle, Muzzleloading Pistol, Muzzleloading Shotgun, Refuse to be a Victim, Basic Rifle, Pistol and Shotgun.

David Premetz: NRA Training Counselor/Chief Range Safety Officer/Certified Instructor for Rifle, Pistol, Shotgun, Range Safety Officer, Personal Protection, Home Firearm Safety.

California Department of Fish & Game - Certified Hunter Education Instructor.

International Bow Hunter Education Federation - Certified Bow Hunter Instructor.

NRA Blended Pistol Class

This course is geared towards those who are new to pistol shooting, or those familiar with handguns but desiring structured training on the fundamentals.

This version consists of two Phases: Phase I is self-paced, on-line instruction through the NRA website; Phase II is the actual range portion following the completion of your on-line training. You will need to register & complete the Phase I portion prior to conducting the Phase II hands-on range portion.

Class Schedule – Phase II (8 am – 1 pm)

- March 24
- April 14
- June 23
- August 25
- October 19
- December 15

Please contact Dave Premetz, Jay Zimmett or sign up at the NRA training website.



Kenton Smith
(Bud)



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RANGEMASTER SOUND OFF

by Jay Zimmett



I compete in professional shooting sports that have strict safety requirements. They are put there to insure that the shooters and spectators are safe. Everyone probably agrees that is a good idea.

Well, our range has the same safety requirements and a lot of you are not safe and would get DQ (disqualified) at a supervised shooting event. Maybe even asked not to come back again!

My persuasion is Cowboy Action with SASS (Single Action Shooting Society). All sanctioned clubs follow the SASS rule book and safety rules. You know that any SASS sanctioned event at any club is run the same way. The Bandidos are SASS sanctioned.

Any shooting range has the same basic rules you should expect to follow anywhere. Learn range etiquette, learn the range specific rules. Lead by example!

When we are running a Cowboy shoot, we have a loading table, the COF (course of fire) and the unloading table. The loading and unloading tables are on the firing line with firearms pointed downrange. At the unloading table, there

is an Unloading Officer to verify that your firearms are indeed, cleared and empty.

At our range, we would like you to take your firearm to the line to uncase and case, not behind the firing line. You are the Unloading Officer to make sure your firearms are clear and safe for transport.

In our sport there are four firearms used: two cowboy pistols, a rifle, and a shotgun. There is also movement from position A to B and sometimes C. The RSO with the timer is there to "safely assist" the shooter through the course of fire and to stop them if they are doing something half-witted or unsafe. Once the beep goes off, the stress of keeping that many firearms in play, hitting the targets in the correct sequence can cause "brain-farts" and having someone at arms length can stop a train wreck.

At our range for casual shooting you are the RSO and need to ensure you are safe not only for yourself but for the other shooters around you! We are not always there to yell and correct you before you shot something besides the target...

Even with the best intentions things "happen" -

I believe pain is a good teaching aide... In our competitions if you do something ill-advised you get penalized. I was at an annual match in Yuma a few weeks ago running the timer as the RSO with a good shooter.

Beep goes off, shooters moves to position A and shoots his Pistols, moves to position B and picks up Rifle. Levers his rifle and shoots off a round or 2 and then I hear a "thump" on the wooden boardwalk (we had a wooden store front facade with windows and doorway). I look down and see one of his Pistols on the ground. I have him stop shooting as he was now done with that stage. A dropped unloaded firearm gets you a stage DQ (disqualification) and his match was now done as that puts you towards the bottom of your category standings. Painful event.

At our range, a safety incident may get you a visit to the Board of Directors to explain why you were unsafe and possibly endangered others. Our penalties are also DQ's such as suspension or revocation of your membership.

Please pay attention to your firearms handling and to others around you. If you see others that are being unsafe, please do not shrug it off. Either confront them or get some information and let me know.

Cold Range:

- Blue Blinking Lights **ON**
- **DO NOT** handle Firearms & Equipment
- Handle Targets
- Sweep up brass behind the Yellow and in front of the Red line

OK TO GO DOWN RANGE

Hot Range:

- Blue Blinking Lights **OFF**
- Handle Firearms & Equipment
- OK to Load/Unload Vehicle
- Sweep up brass behind Red line

DO NOT GO DOWN RANGE

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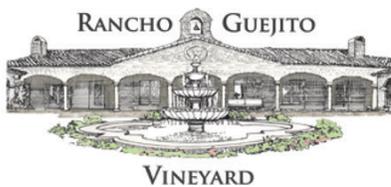
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