

Cascade League 2011

The Cascade High Power League is conducted early each year for the purpose of training those who are interested in trying the High Power Rifle discipline. This series of matches is conducted at various area ranges and fired at increasing distances.

Experienced High Power competitors participate in the matches, but only for the purpose of demonstrating how it is done. These competitors' primary role is coaching the less experienced shooters.

The fifth of this year's five Cascade League High Power matches was held April 9th at Douglas Ridge Rifle Club. Twenty-two shooters and coaches participated in the 800 aggregate match fired at 200, 300, and 600 yards.

Awards are given to Unclassified shooters, Marksmen, and Sharpshooters. This days' awards went to; George Swint, 1st Sharpshooter, Amy Glenn, 2nd Sharpshooter and 1st Woman, and John Trembath, 1st Marksman. The Unclassified winners were; Staff Breed, Steve Shupe, and Tracy Daves, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, respectively.

Medals are presented in each of the categories for the season aggregate. Participants have to have fired a minimum of 3 of the matches to be eligible for medals. Sharpshooter awards were: George Swint, gold, Amy Glenn, silver, and Lydia Cartwright, bronze. Amy and Lydia were also the gold and silver winners in the Woman's category. John Trembath won the gold Marksman medal. Tracy Daves received the Unclassified gold medal. Tracy also received the Dee Threlkeld Trophy. This trophy is presented to the "Outstanding New Shooter of the Cascade League" each year.

Previous matches were held at Estacada Rod & Gun Club, Douglas Ridge Rifle Club, Tri-County Gun Club, and Clark Rifles Club. The league would like to thank the clubs that provided their facilities, and the competitors who coached.

For those wishing to try Highpower shooting, this league provides a great opportunity. If you are interested in participating next year, look for the 2012 Cascade League events on the Highpower Schedule under "Highpower" on the Oregon State Shooting Association web page at OSSA.org in early 2012.

Cook's Books Part 2

Charlie McAlister

We had quite a few members show up



at the May general meeting to peruse and purchase a few of the books Mark Cook donated to the club. We will be bringing out even more for the June general meeting that will be for sale. There will be many books on guns, gun history, reloading and other topics. The books will be available to review and purchase between 6 PM and 7 PM prior to our June 2nd General Meeting.

Columbia Willamette Rifle League

Joe Keller

The Columbia-Willamette Rifle League completed the 2010-11 season with an awards banquet on April 9th. The Esco team shooting out of Douglas Ridge Rifle Club took second place overall in Division A, the top classification, with a final match points total of 48.5 wins and 11.5 losses. The league champions were the Wolves from Tri-County Gun Club, who won 58.5 and lost 1.5 points in their matches.

In individual Esco / DRRC team results, Bob Stevens, captain of the Esco team and DRRC Adult Smallbore Discipline Director, was recognized as 5th place individual shooter with an average match score of 396.00, out of 400 possible. Glen Miller was among those recognized for achieving a 400 aggregate score at a match this year. Glen and Desera Frenress were recognized for shooting perfect 100 scores in the Standing position, each achieving it once. Ryan Jacobs was recognized as Most Improved in the Sharpshooter classification, and Ryan moved up from Sharpshooter to Expert. Ryan was the 2nd Place Intermediate Junior shooter (ages 15-17). Spencer Jacobs was 2nd Place Sub-Junior (age 14 & under), and he moved from Marksman to Sharpshooter classification. Spencer and Ryan both got their start and continue to participate in the DRRC Junior Smallbore

program.

The Columbia Willamette Rifle League has been shooting since 1935, and shoots 4-Position Smallbore. Pre-season shooting will begin next November. Check the DRRC calendar in the Fall and come out if you are interested in participating next season.

Annual Workday Thanks

Ron Carey

To each of you who came to the annual workday with all your vim and vigor, skills, tools and energy, thank you, for a great job done well. We were able to get a lot of work done with the help of Mother Nature.

To those of you who worked on the Judd Road project—Great Job! You got the entry cleared, the temporary steel stakes driven on the north property line along with lots of the brush cut and stacked. Thanks, again.

There were teams working all over the range doing weed eating, filling stump holes, picking up tree limbs, painting exterior trim on buildings, painting the inside of the shotgun club house and inside walls of the indoor range, reconstructing the 100 yd. targets and the targets at the lower pits, carpenter work at the Ag building, hauling brush to the burn pile, plus a few other projects. The one thing we did not get done was spraying for weeds because it was too wet from the earlier rains.

Thanks, to all the staff members who helped with signing in and checking out members' time, worked in the field, those who fixed lunch and the cleanup crew.

It was nice seeing all of you and I hope to see you again soon. Enjoy the club and use the range often. Thank you, again for your help.

CMP Director To Retire

Charlie McAlister, CMP Director

I only wish it was to retire from having to work for a living but that is not the case, at least not yet. But it is time for me to step back and take a few irons out of the fire at DRRC. After several years of assisting with CMP (Civilian Marksmanship Program) and then taking over as director after Marvin Booth's death in 2007 it is time for me to turn the CMP reigns over to someone else. We have a strong core group for CMP who provide a lot of help and support and will continue to do so for a new director. I am not just walking away I will finish out this calendar year or help a new person step in sooner and will be available to provide

training and support prior to taking over and after as needed. I would hate to see this discipline wither away as it has grown from matches of 6-12 shooters to over 30 shooters. I really hope there is a member out there that is interested and will rise to the occasion. Here is an idea of the duties and responsibilities of the CMP director.

There are 5 matches a year, three are 100 yard fixed distance matches and two are cross course matches shooting from 200, 300, and 600 yards. We are shooting service rifles in original configuration iron sights only, primarily the M1 Garand. These are not sanctioned matches and while we do follow the basic CMP rules they are more like matches for fun and training. We get a lot of shooters new

to CMP and as part of the discipline we proved a class the evening prior to the match covering the use and operation of the M1 Garand rifle, match structure and procedures, scoring, safety and more. As director I taught the classes (with help from several regular shooters) and I also acted as RO for all the matches, though as of late one shooter is learning to RO to assist at matches. Classes are on Friday evening and matches on Saturday. As director you would also need to prepare and submit an annual budget (very easy) and purchase supplies and ammo for CMP matches (also very easy) and provide match score summaries to shooters and send match reports to CMP. You would also provide match

dates to the executive officer for inclusion on the calendar, and be responsible for the proper use and security of all club owned equipment and supplies used at matches. That is the basics in a nutshell and I am willing to sit down with anyone interested to provide more detail to what this commitment would mean. There are several regular CMP shooters who assist with much of this and I am sure they would continue to do so.

While I need a new leader for CMP I would still be around to help and

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Black Powder Cartridge

Dave Kendall

April 12th was the 2nd Tuesday of the month, and was the BPC Discipline Range Day. We had decided to invite as many Black Powder Cartridge shooters as we could, to participate in a long-range match that afternoon, after the work day. Jim Kendall and I, (brother Dave) were there a little early to set up the pull down target butts in the pits. The flyer we sent out called for a 30 round match, with 10 rounds at each of three distances: 300 yd, 600 yd, and 800 yd. Just to spice things up a little we had decided to shoot 5 from cross sticks and 5 offhand at each yardage. We had made up target faces with shapes and sizes similar to the ones used at the Quigley Shoot in Forsyth, Montana.

Since this was our first attempt at an actual competition, things went slower than we would have liked, but everyone enjoyed the competition and the weather was perfect. In the end, we decided not to shoot offhand at the 800 yd position. Then to make things more interesting, none of us knew exactly where the 800 yd berm is located, so we lined up at the furthest one to shoot the lower pit area, (850, 900 yd ?). No one knew for sure.

In the end, Tyrrel Williams tied with another fellow, Earl Stanton, with 19 hits out of 30. but Tyrrel had more "bulls" than this other fellow, and broke the tie. Third place went to our fine Black Powder director, Steve Irving with 15 hits. All in all, even with the slow pace, false starts and late finish at the long distance berm, everyone enjoyed the "match" and were enthusiastic about the next one.

We are considering one more similar match the 2nd Tuesday of May, but have not finalized that yet. Many of our shooters are getting ready for the trip to Montana in June to shoot the Quigley Match at Al Lee's Steer Ranch in Forsyth and most of us take 200 rounds of ammo to this affair. So we may not want to use up our newly loaded ammo, except to "sight-in" at the longer yardage. Ever since we began planning to hold competition matches for BPCR here at DRRC, we have gotten a lot of interest from some great shooters who want to come and compete. Among these shooters is Frank Burke of Tri City Rifle Club in Sherwood (he is discipline director at Tri City for CMP and several other matches and a fine competitor) also, believe it or not, if we get our act together, Dave Gullo of Buffalo Arms in Idaho, said he would come (perhaps with a team of shooters) and attend our match. I can't think of a finer example of BPCR shooting to grace our club.

We need to do everything we can to make this happen, this summer if possible.

Shooters at the April 12 match: Steve Irving, Jack Regele, Tyrrel Williams, Jerry Volk, Jim Kendall, Dave Kendall, and Earl Stanton

Here are the scores:

Name	300yd X - OH	600yd X - OH	800yd X - only	Total Hits / Bulls
Tyrrell Williams	5-X (sticks) 3	5-X (sticks) 0	6-X (sticks)	19-9 Bulls
Earl Stanton	5-X (sticks) 4	4-X (sticks) 2	4-X (sticks)	1-3 Bulls
Steve Irving	4-X (sticks) 1	3-X (sticks) 1	6-X (sticks)	15-4 Bulls
Dave Kendall	5-X (sticks) 2	4-X (sticks) 1	1-X (sticks)	13-4 Bulls
Jerry Volk	4-X (sticks) 1	5-X (sticks) 2	0 (had to leave early)	13-3 Bulls
Jim Kendall	5-X (sticks) 2	4-X (sticks) 0	1-X (sticks)	12-1 Bulls
Jack Regele	1-X (sticks) 1	3-X (sticks) 0	1-X (sticks)	6-0 Bulls

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June 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Calendar Codes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trap Trap Range • TH Trap House • SC Sporting Clays Range • LE Law Enforcement (training) • NRA . . . NRA Classes • TSB Tactical Shotgun Bay </div>		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Calendar Codes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CH/Ind Clubhouse & Indoor Range • Arch Archery Range • 100/200 100/200 Yard Range • Silh Silhouette Range • LR Long Range </div>		<p>9:00 am - 6:00 pm Nikon Shoot (LR) 8am-9am (CH/Ind)</p> <p>7:00 pm - 9:00 pm General Meeting</p>		<p>9:00 am - 4:00 pm USPSA(Silh)</p>
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<p>9:00 am - 3:00 pm Handgun Silhouette (Silh)</p> <p>9:30 am - 1:00 pm Trap @ Sandy Gun Club</p> <p>1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Jr Shotgun @ Sandy Gun Club</p> <p>1:00 pm - 3:30 pm New Member Orientation (CH/Ind)</p> <p>4:30 pm - 8:00 pm Jr Smallbore (Silh)</p>	<p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Beginner Pistol (CH/Ind)</p>	<p>8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges closed for maintenance</p> <p>4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Trap @ Sandy Gun Club</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Hunters Ed Self Study (CH/Ind)</p>	<p>Newsletter Submissions Due</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies' Night (Silh)</p>	<p>Long Range Day 8am-1pm 800-1000yd 1pm-Sunset 300-600yd</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Hunters Ed Self Study (CH/Ind)</p>		<p>8:00 am - 8:00 pm Oregon Sniper Challenge (All Ranges)</p>
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
<p>Father's Day</p> <p>Scouts (Shared 100yd)</p> <p>9:00 am - 5:00 pm 3 Gun (Silh)</p> <p>9:30 am - 1:00 pm Trap @ Sandy Gun Club</p> <p>1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Jr Shotgun @ Sandy Gun Club</p> <p>4:30 pm - 8:00 pm Jr Smallbore (Silh)</p>	<p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Beginner Pistol (CH/Ind)</p>	<p>8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges closed for maintenance</p> <p>4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Trap @ Sandy Gun Club</p>	<p>8:00 am - 5:00 pm LE: PPB SERT (Silh)</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies' Night (Silh)</p>	<p>Long Range Day 8am-1pm 800-1000yd 1pm-Sunset 300-600yd</p>	<p>5:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Smallbore (Ind/Ch)</p>	<p>7:30 am - 9:00 pm HiPower 800Agg@2/3/600yd NTIT State Practice</p>
26	27	28	29	30		
<p>9:00 am - 5:00 pm Hi Power Long Range Palma+20 (1000yd) NRA Approved (CH/Ind in AM/PM)</p> <p>1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Jr Shotgun @ Sandy Gun Club</p> <p>4:30 pm - 8:00 pm Jr Smallbore (Silh)</p>	<p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Beginner Pistol (CH/Ind)</p>	<p>8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges closed for maintenance</p> <p>4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Trap @ Sandy Gun Club</p>		<p>Long Range Day 8am-1pm 300-600yd 1pm-Sunset 800-1000yd</p> <p>7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Board Meeting</p>		

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support and who knows, I might even start shooting CMP matches again (if my wife promises not to beat me every time). If you are interested in taking over as CMP director or know of someone who would be, please contact me at webmaster@douglasridge.org or call 503/351-8360.

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