



The Firing Line

Cherry Creek Gun Club News for October, 2005

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First Match of the Season

-Gary Trisdale

On October 22nd, the juniors competed in their first match of the winter season. This was a Preliminary Tryout (PTO) held at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs. The match included 3 Olympians and current national team members. Men and women competed separately, except in the prone event.

We had 6 juniors (4 women and 2 men) compete in the air rifle event. In the women's events, Samantha Trisdale was 3rd overall with a 385 (out of a possible 400), Chiara Trisdale was 5th with a 374, Ryann McGough was 6th with a 372 and Megan English was 7th with a 370. At the end of the 10 shot final, Chiara and Ryann traded places. In the men's events, Tim Sherry was 6th with a 523 (out of 600) and Conlan McGough was 7th with a 515.

In smallbore prone, we had 3 juniors shooting, 1 man and 2 women. Megan was 7th with a 577 (out of a possible 600), Ryann was 9th with a 567 and Conlan was 10th with a 550.

In smallbore 3-position, we had 3 juniors shooting, all of them women. Megan was 4th with a 555 (out of 600), Samantha was 5th with a 552 and Chiara was 6th with a 500.

I want to give you an idea about how challenging the smallbore events are. The targets are set at a distance of 50 meters, the 10 ring is only .4 inches in diameter and rifle scopes are not allowed (only peep sights). With this challenge, we have juniors who are capable of consistently shooting strings of 90+ in standing.

I have a correction from the September newsletter. Under the heading 2005 Junior 3-P Junior Olympics, I should have pointed out that Scott Franz received the Silver medal in his age group and Kayla Franz tied with Samantha Trisdale for the Bronze Medal in their age

group. Kayla just missed the Bronze medal in the tie breaking procedure.

We shoot on Thursday evenings. As always, if you know of any young person (male or female) who would like to try competitive rifle shooting, have them contact Gary Trisdale at 303-367-8733 or at gtrisdale@earthlink.net. No experienced required and no equipment needed to start.

Janitorial Program Change

- Bill Bierbach

It's been difficult getting members to sign up as janitors for the last six months of this year. Consequently, it was decided at the September Board of Directors (BOD) meeting to offer fifty dollars a month to the Juniors Small Bore Program in exchange for a commitment to clean the facility each Thursday evening after their scheduled practice session. Gary Trisdale spoke with the kids and their parents. They agreed to that arrangement. The money will be used by them to help offset the expenses related to travel, etc. Therefore, I'll be needing only one adult each month to take care of the cleaning chores on Sunday evenings or Mondays. I have members scheduled for the rest of 2005 & will give those that helped me out earlier this year first shot at the doing it again next year.

I'd like to thank the members that have been participating in the janitorial program over the recent years for contributing their time and effort. Whether they did it for the cash refund or just to contribute something to help the Club remain the fine facility that it is, the BOD is grateful. And I'd like to acknowledge those that offered to help out on short notice if a scheduling problem were to arise. I had to take one or two people up on that during the year and their being available made my life easier.

Many thanks!

GUN SHOWS

November 12 & 13 Wasatch Lincoln Barn
Grand Junction Bill Bryan

November 12 & 13 ETS Douglas County
Fairgrounds Castle Rock

November 19 & 20 Crossroads Holiday Inn
@ I-70 & Chambers Denver Michael Torres

December 03 & 04 Tanner Merchandise Mart
I-25 & 58th Ave Denver Michael Torres

December 10 & 11 Wasatch Adams County
Fairgrounds Brighton Joel Gossett

December 10 & 11 ETS Colorado State
Fairgrounds Pueblo

December 17 & 18 Wasatch Larimer County
Fairgrounds Loveland Joel Gossett

To confirm show dates, contact the promoter or
visit the promoter's web site.

CHERRY CREEK GUN CLUB General Meeting

October 14, 2005, 7:30 PM at the club house.

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Don Shearer.

2. Board Member Reports:

(a) Bill Bierbach gave a report on the Boy Scout program. The Scout Program has promised to have full attendance at each months Scout Night.

(b) Clark Calvé is holding 2 Cards.

(c) Volunteers are needed for the Saturday morning Work Parties.

(d) Don Shearer and George Wright highlighted some of the events surrounding the Accidental Discharge and Self Inflicted wound. There were many safety violations that lead to this incident. The member was suspended for 9 months.

(e) Members need to make sure that the \$5.00 Guest Fee is paid for each Guest. Members caught not paying the Guest Fees will have their Card Key Access turned off.

(f) It is time for members, who want to run for the Board of Directors, to have their name submitted to George Wright. You need to have your name submitted and be at the November General Meeting on November 11th.

3. New Business:

(a) Don Shearer read the applications from ten applicants. The applicants spoke of their experience shooting and their interest in the club; their sponsors spoke of their experience shooting with the applicants and the applicants' safety habits. A motion to accept the new members was made and passed. The new members are Gary Simpson, Richard Sedlar, Jose Micheri, Charles Tucker, Steven Wilson, Mark Biere, Paul Shepardson, Dan Odd, Greg Achenbach, and Christopher Phillips; the un-sponsored members needing to complete the safety course with Clark Calvé are Gary Simpson, Richard Sedlar, Charles Tucker, Mark Biere, Paul Shepardson, Dan Odd, Greg Achenbach, and Christopher Phillips.

(b) Dates for Work Parties are November 19st and December 17th.

(c) The November Board Meeting will be moved to Friday, December 2nd, due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

4. The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM

CHERRY CREEK GUN CLUB Board of Directors Meeting

October 28, 2005, 7:30 PM at the club house.

Attending: Shearer, Bierbach, Calvé, Collins, Eyser, Johnston, Ormiston, Pritchett, Thrush, Trisdale, and Wright

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Pres. Don Shearer.

2. The minutes from September's Meetings were approved as published in the newsletter.

3. Board Reports:

(a) George Wright gave the Board an update of the status of the New Exhaust Fans for the hand gun ranges. The club is installing 5 new additional exhaust fans on each of the ranges. The new fans will help move the smoke and particulates down range and out of the ranges. The new fans are being installed in November, and will automatically turn on when the range lights are turned on.

(b) Bill Bierbach reported that we had 22 Scouts shoot in last weeks Scout Program.

(c) George Wright reported that new Members will need to come to the Board Meeting starting in December, for January's new Members.

(d) Gary Trisdale has requested the following dates for Junior Matches in 2006: January 14, 15 February 4, 5 April 8, 9 and May 6. Both ranges will be used by the Matches from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM on these days.

(e) Don Eyser has replaced all the Lights in the range using work parties.

(f) Lee Ormiston reported that the Club has added some additional insurance for the club.

4. Old Business: None.

5. New Business:

(a) Don Shearer made a motion to make some changes to the wording in the new Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws. The Board decided to review the Articles and Bylaws to insure that they are current and up to date.

(b) A motion was made to nominate George Wright and Don Shearer as Life Members. The Board voted both as Life Members.

6. The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 PM.

FINAL LAUGH

Diary Of A Deer Hunter

1:00 AM: Alarm clock rings.

2:00 AM: Hunting partners arrive, drag you out of bed.

2:30 AM: Throw everything except kitchen sink into pickup.

3:00 AM: Leave for deep woods.

3:15 AM: Drive back home to pick up gun.

3:30 AM: Drive like crazy to get to the woods before daylight.

4:00 AM: Set up camp. Forgot the stupid tent.

4:30 AM: Head for the woods.

6:05 AM: See eight deer.

6:06 AM: Take aim and squeeze trigger.

6:07 AM: CLICK.

6:08 AM: Load gun while watching deer go over hill.

8:00 AM: Head back to camp.

9:00 AM: Still looking for camp.

10:00 AM: Realize that you don't know where camp is.

NOON : Fire gun for help---eat wild berries.

2:15 PM: Run out of bullets---eight deer come back.

2:20 PM: Strange feeling in stomach.

2:30 PM: Realize that you ate poison berries.

2:45 PM: Rescued.

2:55 PM: Rushed to hospital to have stomach pumped, throw up instead.

3:15 PM: Arrive back at camp.

3:30 PM: Leave camp to kill deer.

4:00 PM: Return to camp for bullets.

4:01 PM: Load gun---leave camp again.

5:00 PM: Empty gun on bug that is bugging you.

6:00 PM: Arrive at camp -- see deer grazing.

6:01 PM: Load gun.

6:02 PM: Fire gun.

6:03 PM: One dead pickup.

6:05 PM: Hunting partners arrive in camp dragging deer.

6:06 PM: Repress desire to shoot hunting partners.

6:07 PM: Fall into fire.

6:10 PM: Change clothing, throw burned ones in fire.

6:15 PM: Take pickup, leave hunting partners and deer in camp.

6:25 PM: Pickup boils over due to hole shot in block.

6:26 PM: Start walking.

6:30 PM: Stumble and fall, drop gun in mud.

6:35 PM: Meet bear.

6:36 PM: Take aim.

6:37 PM: Fire gun, blow up barrel that's plugged with mud.

6:38 PM: Mess pants.

6:39 PM: Climb tree.

11:00 PM: Bear leaves. Wrap gun around tree.

Midnight: Home at last. Fall on knees thanking Maker.

Next day: Watch football game on TV, slowly tearing up hunting license into small pieces, place in envelope, and mail to Game Warden

2005 Duties and Responsibilities

<i>President:</i>	Don Shearer	<i>Locker Administrator:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Vice President:</i>	George Wright	<i>Maintenance Coordinator:</i>	Don Eyser,
<i>Secretary:</i>	Dave Pritchett	Curt Lackey (HVAC), Warren Johnston (Assist)	
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Lee Ormiston	<i>Membership Coordinator:</i>	Dave Epps,
<i>Boy Scout Program Coordinator:</i>	Bill Bierbach		George Wright
<i>Budget Committee:</i>	Lee Ormiston, Bill Collins,	<i>New Member Indoctrination:</i>	Clark Calvé
	Don Shearer	<i>Newsletter Editor:</i>	Sarah Center, LeRoy Ellis
<i>Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP):</i>	Gary Trisdale	<i>Pin Shooters Chairman:</i>	Joe Edwards
<i>Corby /Video Manager:</i>	Dave Epps, George Wright	<i>Pistol League:</i>	Marita Keeling
<i>Guest Fee Manager:</i>	Joe Edwards	<i>Pop Machine Manager:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Handicap Program Coordinator:</i>	George Wright	<i>Safety Course Administrator:</i>	Clark Calvé
<i>Historian:</i>	Fred Crowle	<i>Sergeant at Arms:</i>	George Wright
<i>Janitorial Coordinator:</i>	Bill Bierbach		& Clark Calvé
<i>Juniors Small Bore:</i>	Dennis Fluman, Gary Trisdale	<i>Senior Small Bore:</i>	Gary Trisdale
<i>Legal Adviser:</i>	Tom Thrush	<i>Telephone Message Administrator:</i>	Jim Bailey
<i>Legislative Coordinator:</i>	Lee Ormiston, Bill Collins	<i>Tube Custodians & Instructor:</i>	George Wright,
			Dave Pritchett

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Work Party Schedule (by last name)

3rd Saturday (subject to change), 8:00AM- Noon.

Contact: Don Eyser

Format: Date and initial of your last name

-November 11th Christmas is coming!

Ongoing Events

Mondays, 3:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Tuesdays, 5:30 PM- 9:00 PM
Wednesdays, 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM
3rd Tuesday, 6:00 PM- 9:00 PM
2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 6:00 PM- 9:00 PM
Thursdays, 5:00 PM- 10:00 PM
2nd Friday, 7:30 PM-9:00 PM
3rd Friday, 6:30 PM- 10:00 PM
3rd Friday, 7:00 PM- 10:00 PM
Last Friday, 7:30 PM- 9:00 PM
Sunday after BOD meeting, 5:00 PM
Various Saturdays or Sundays

Winter Bullseye League Starting October 10th – March 27th, 2006
Action Shooting (Pins), Handgun (west range)
Winter Smallbore, September 14th – March 29th, 2006
Action Shooting (Pins), Handgun Matches
Action Shooting, Rifle (west range)
Juniors Rifle Practice (both ranges)
CCGC General Meeting (meeting room)
Tube Qualification
Boy Scouts
CCGC BOD Meeting (meeting room)
Newsletter publication deadline
2700 Matches, 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM (east range):-2005-
Sept. 24, Oct. 29, Nov. 26, Dec. 17 -2006- Jan. 28, Feb. 25,
Mar. 25, Apr. 29.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
November, 2005		1 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 5:30PM - 9:00PM West Range	2 <u>Winter Smallbore</u> 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM	3 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM - 10PM BOTH Ranges	4	5
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