



# The Firing Line

*Cherry Creek Gun Club News for MAY 2008*

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## **NRA Memberships:**

Did you know that you can renew your NRA membership through the club, or join if you are not already a member? Currently, the NRA is offering \$10 off the one-year membership price for anyone joining through the CCGC website link. The link to the NRA membership site is on the CCGC home page, <http://www.cherrycreekgunclub.org> **-Art Thayer**

## **Looking for a Few (who want to be) Good Shooters:**

We shoot on Thursday evenings. As always, if you know of any young person (male or female, age 8 and up) who would like to try competitive rifle shooting, have them contact Gary Trisdale at 303-367-8733 or at [gtrisdale@earthlink.net](mailto:gtrisdale@earthlink.net). No experienced required and no equipment needed to start. Their parents do not need to be members of Cherry Creek Gun Club.

## **Junior Olympic Shooting Championships**

Once a year, the top juniors in the country are invited to the Olympic Training Center to shoot a head-to-head match to determine the national champions. This year, we had 5 shooters invited, Dustin Chesebro, Megan English, Tim Sherry, Chiara Trisdale and Samantha Trisdale. Our shooters had some amazing performances.

In women's air rifle, Megan ended up in 6<sup>th</sup> place overall and Samantha was 6<sup>th</sup> in her age group. In women's 3-position smallbore, Megan was 5<sup>th</sup> overall and shot the highest score in the 10 shot "finals" round where she passed 3 other shooters; and Samantha was 5<sup>th</sup> in her age group.

In men's air rifle, Dustin was 4<sup>th</sup> overall and shot the highest score in the final round; and Tim Sherry took the Silver medal for his age group. In men's prone, Tim Sherry was 5<sup>th</sup> in his age group. In men's 3-position smallbore, Dustin was 9<sup>th</sup> overall, just missing the 10 shot "finals"; and Tim was 5<sup>th</sup> in his age group.

## **Olympic Trials for Smallbore**

The Olympic Trials for smallbore will be held in May. We plan on taking 5 juniors to this match, including Dustin Chesebro, Megan English, Bobby Oberle Chiara Trisdale and Samantha Trisdale. Everyone has been working hard and is very excited. For the men, everyone is competing for the 1 open slot in each of prone and 3-position. In smallbore, the women are competing for 2 open slots in 3-positions. **-Gary Trisdale**



On March 31, 2008 the Monday Night Pistol League held their annual awards ceremony. Max Harrier, shown above with a big smile, receives his award as “most improved Junior”. Many awards were handed out to those in attendance including the top shooters in each division. Thanks to Marita K. and all her helpers for another very successful year of this pistol competition.

### **CHERRY CREEK GUN CLUB GENERAL MEETING MINUTES April 11, 2008**

1. The meeting was called to order by George Wright at 7:00 PM followed by the pledge to the flag.
2. The minutes to the last general meeting were approved.
3. Correspondence received was a request for a donation to the Whittington Center.
4. Clark Calve is holding four older new membership cards and the cards for tonight’s new members pending their taking the safety course.
5. Denise Henry reported that the newsletter is on schedule.
6. Lee Eihausen reported that the rate of income has slowed.
7. Gary Trisdale said that the Winter League is finished for the season and that they have had their banquet. The juniors have been very busy and are starting their season of matches.
8. Don Eyser said that the next work party is on April 19. He also reported that someone shot a hole in number 20’s control box.

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9. Lee Ormiston said that Colorado SB 49 has been postponed (killed). There are 119 gun related bills in congress. H1022 is bad; members should write their congressmen. There is a link to a listing of pending bills via the web site.
  10. Bill Collins reported that the web site is running but members can't yet log in. Bill asked members to give input for changes or additions. Bill thanked Joe Lema for all of his work and help.
  11. Glen Walls said that a janitor is needed for August. Glen said that a thieving member stole some garbage bags.
  12. George Wright said that Lee Eihausen has put up green boxes in the ranges with various lengths of target sticks in them. Now, no one has an excuse for not placing their target at the proper height to keep from shooting into the overhead or the floor. After you use them, please put them back in the green boxes.
  13. Don Shearer said that flights to the NRA Annual Meeting has been scheduled with Frontier.
  14. George Wright said that the April 2700 pistol match has been moved to May 3.
  15. George Wright asked that all newsletter input be sent to him.
  16. Curt Lackey is working on organizing a bullseye seminar.
  17. George Wright read the applications for membership. Each applicant talked of their interest in the club and all were accepted into the club by unanimous vote. The new members are: Marvin Goldberg, Neil Hutton, Ronald Olsen, Andrew DeMammos, Lee Schoenike, Alvin Taylor, Steve Parsons, Christopher Sabin, Daniel Igoe, Matthew and Amy Hall, Jerry Moellering, Matthew Arnold, and Tom Sweetser. All will be taking the safety course.
  18. George Wright said that a list of nine volunteers will be helping to keep the Pistol Winter League going next season.
  19. Curt Lackey said that the work party for working on the A/C units will be on April 26.
  20. The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 PM.

### **CHERRY CREEK GUN CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING April 25, 2008**

Attendees: Eihausen, Collins, Towne, Calve, Bierbach, Wright, Dr. Henry, Orminston, Thayer, Trisdale, Shearer, Eysler, Lackey and several interested members.

1. The meeting was called to order by George Wright at 7:02 PM followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the U. S. of A.
2. The minutes to the last board meeting were approved as published.
3. Correspondence received was a thank you letter from the Whittington Center for a recent donation.
4. Clark Calve is now holding one new member's entry card pending the new member taking the safety course.

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5. Denise Henry said “thank you” for all the help with the newsletter.
  6. Gary Trisdale said that the Juniors are doing well and that he would have an article in the newsletter.
  7. Lee Eihausen said that the treasury is OK.
  8. Bill Collins a log in feature is being added to the web site and that he is adding links. Joe Lima has been a big help with the web site.
  9. Lee Ormiston said that Colorado has done nothing with firearm issues (ED: fortunately). The Colorado legislature will end their current session the first week in May. There has been no changes to pending bills in the Congress. Again Lee asked members to send letters to their congressmen concerning scary bills. A question concerning SB 2577 was raised and discussed. This bill is titled “Gun Show Background Check Act of 2008”. A related bill, HR 96, was also discussed.
  10. Don Eyser reported obtaining the replacement rail for the target supports. The next work party will be May 17.
  11. Don Shearer said that this would be the last board meeting before the NRA annual meeting.
  12. George Wright said that a work party for the A/C and heating systems would be tomorrow. George asked that the emergency lights be changed out at the next work party.
  13. George Wright said that there are 8 to 10 new member applications pending.
  14. The next 2700 match will be on May 3.
  15. George Wright appointed a committee to review the tube qualification course. Those on the committee are Don Shearer, Art Thayer, and Bill Bierbach.
  16. The board discussed a suggested fund raiser of buying monogrammed hats for sale to members. Since history has shown that this type effort is not cost effective, the suggested was defeated by an unanimous vote.
  17. The board discussed the “US Concealed Carry Association”.
  18. Gary Trisdale commented on the article in the Denver Post about the para-olympics.
  19. George said that the club cannot accept new member applications without knowing the applicants social security number. The number is needed to do the back ground check.
  20. The meeting was adjourned at 7:37 PM.

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2008 WORK PARTY SCHEDULE 2008

DATES

May 17<sup>th</sup>

June 21<sup>st</sup>

July 19<sup>th</sup>

August 16<sup>th</sup>

September 20<sup>th</sup>

October 18<sup>th</sup>

November 15<sup>th</sup>

December 20<sup>th</sup> LAST CHANCE

Check Clubroom Bulletin Board in the EAST RANGE or Newsletter for changes.

Projects may be available that can be completed at times other than those listed

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## **2008 Duties and Responsibilities:**

<i>President:</i>	George Wright	<i>Maintenance Coordinator:</i>	Don Eyser
<i>Vice President:</i>	Don Shearer	<i>HVAC:</i>	Curt Lackey
<i>Secretary:</i>	Chuck Towne	<i>Membership Coordinator:</i>	George Wright & Bill Bierbach
<i>Treasurer:</i>	Lee Eihausen	<i>New Member Indoctrination:</i>	Clark Calve
<i>Newsletter Editors:</i>	George/Denise Henry	<i>2700 Pistol Matches:</i>	David Goodlette
<i>Pin Shooters Chairman:</i>	Joe Edwards	<i>Website Manager</i>	Bill Collins
<i>Budget Committee:</i>	Don Shearer, Lee Ormiston, & Lee Eihausen	<i>2700 Pistol Matches:</i>	David Goodlette
<i>Civilian Marksmanship Program:</i>	Gary Trisdale	<i>Monday Night Pistol League:</i>	Marita Keeling
<i>Linear/Video Manage:</i>	George Wright & Bill Collins	<i>Pop Machine Manager:</i>	Clark Calve
<i>Guest Fee Manager:</i>	Lee Eihausen	<i>Safety Course Administrator:</i>	Clark Calve
<i>Historian:</i>	Fred Crowle	<i>Sargent at Arms:</i>	Don Shearer & Clark Calve
<i>Janitorial Coordinator:</i>	Glenn Walls	<i>Senior Small Bore:</i>	Gary Trisdale
<i>Junior Small Bore:</i>	Gary Trisdale & Dennis Fluman	<i>Telephone Message Administrator:</i>	Bill Collins
<i>Collegiate Advisor</i>	George Wright	<i>Tube Qualification Instructors:</i>	Art Thayer
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## **Ongoing Events:**

Mondays, 3:00PM-10:00PM  
Tuesdays, 6:00PM-10:00PM  
Wednesdays, 5:00 PM –8:00 PM  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, 6:00 PM- 9:00 PM  
Thursdays, 5:00 PM- 10:00 PM  
2<sup>nd</sup> Friday, 7:00PM-9:00 PM  
3<sup>rd</sup> Friday, 6:30 PM  
Last Friday, 7:00 PM- 9:00 PM  
Last Saturday, 8:00 AM-5:00 PM  
**Sunday after BOD meeting, 5:00 PM**

Winter Bullseye League, BOTH RANGES  
Action Shooting (Pins), Handgun (west range)  
Juniors Smallbore Practice, (East Range)  
Action Shooting (Pins), Handgun Matches  
Juniors Rifle Practice (both ranges)  
CCGC General Meeting (meeting room)  
Rifle Tube Qualification  
CCGC BOD Meeting (meeting room)  
2700 SHOOT (**Last Shoot May 3, 2008**)  
**Newsletter publication deadline**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
MAY 2008				1 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM- 10PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	2	3 <b>2700 SHOOT</b> 7:00AM-6:00PM <b>BOTH RANGES</b>
4	5	6 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM - 10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	7 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM –8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	8 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM - 10PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	9 <b>General Meeting</b> <b>Meeting Room</b> 7:00PM-9:00PM	10
11	12	13 <u>Match Night</u> <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM - 10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	14 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM – 8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	15 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM - 10PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	16 <b>Tube Qualification</b> <b>6:30PM</b>	17 <b>WORK PARTY</b> <b>8:00AM-12:00PM</b>
18	19	20 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM -10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	21 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM – 8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	22 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM - 10PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	23	24
25	26 <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>	27 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM - 10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	28 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM – 8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	29 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM – 10PM <b>BOTH RANGES</b>	30 <b>BOD Meeting</b> <b>Meeting Room</b> 7:00PM-9:00PM	31

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
JUNE 2008 1	2	3 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM-10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	4 Juniors Practice 5:00PM – 8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	5 Juniors Practice 5:00PM-10:00PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	6	7
8	9	10 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM - 10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	11 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM- 8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	12 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM - 10PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	13 <b>General Meeting</b> 7:00PM-9:00PM <b>Meeting Room</b>	14
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22	23	24 <u>Action – Handgun</u> 6:00PM -10:00PM <b>West Range</b>	25 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM – 8:00PM <b>East Range</b>	26 <u>Juniors Practice</u> 5:00PM - 10PM <b>BOTH Ranges</b>	27 <b>BOD MEETING</b> <b>Meeting Room</b> 7:00PM-9:00PM	28
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# **Cherry Creek Club News**

General Members Meeting:

Friday, MAY 9, 7:00 PM