



HCRPC News



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FROM THE PRESIDENT

The new year gives us a time to reflect on the past and look forward to the future. We have accomplished a few projects at the range but we are far from our goal. Keep in mind that we desperately need your help in completing the range and making it as safe as possible. With all the construction underway we appreciate your patience when shooting is not available along with your willingness to help when necessary. I can't emphasize enough the fact that you need to be aware of when the range is open for use. Call the RO if necessary and make sure we're open for use. Along those same lines, we can't thank Mike O'Neal and Jud Park enough for their work in scheduling RO work at the range.

We have yet another new project about to take place at the range. The entire front of the firing line will be concrete to replace the old rubber which we had in the past. After a period of research and discussion about replacing the rubber with asphalt or concrete, we have elected to use concrete based on price and durability. You might notice that all our construction methods are for the long term, making sure of the long

lasting effect it will have for the range. I'd like to use the term permanency. All these projects are of a permanent nature and will eliminate most maintenance in the future.

The Board addressed a range violation last month and with serious consequences to the violator. Just keep in mind that the RO on duty has full authority over the range and his directions and decisions must be respected in every situation.

There will be a Hunter education class held January 21st and 22nd at the range by Rodger Ball and Herb Reynolds. This is another great opportunity for the New Year to get those who require it off to a good start. We are also discussing the famous "Sight-In" days which are held in October. It is very possible that this will change into a single day event due to attendance, range availability and RO scheduling.

Have a Happy New Year and enjoy the holidays.

Be safe and have fun on the range,
Greg

JUNIOR RIFLE CLUB

Richard L. Curbello - Match Director

DECEMBER MATCH RESULTS

MATCH WINNER	KARLA A.	348
1ST SHARPSHOOTER	HAYDEN R.	314
2ND SHARPSHOOTER	GIDEON K.	310

NRA AWARDS:

ARIEL H.	PRO-MARKSMAN
ARIEL H.	MARKSMAN
ARIEL H.	MARKSMAN 1ST

Spread the word about our Junior Rifle Program as it benefits each and everyone. It teaches firearms safety and marksmanship. The Junior Rifle Program is open all boys and girls from the age of eleven (11) to eighteen (18). The Club provides the rifles, targets and instruction free of charge. We have instituted a change to the Junior Rifle Program in that we no longer provide free ammunition. We now charge \$2.00 per box of ammunition to help control cost to the club.

If there are any questions, please contact me at you convenience.

Richard Curbello: 817.614.6566 or Tom Anderson: 817.337.6812

GENERAL NEWS

Thanks to: John Wilde, Jim Ankle and Roy Hudson for providing the door prizes for the December meeting. And a special thanks to an anonymous doner for the two hams.

Special thanks to John Wilde for his very special Christmas gifts to all the members of the Board.

HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS

Rodger Ball and Herb Reynolds will be offering a Hunter Education Class at the HCRPC on Saturday, January 21, 2012 from 8:30 AM till 5:00 PM and Sunday, January 22, 2012 from 1:00 PM till 5:00 PM. This is a traditional 2 day class. You do not have to be a member of the HCRPC to attend. A \$15.00 fee is required by TPWD. For more information call Rodger Ball: 817-540-4388.

FROM THE CLUB INSTRUCTOR

Ed Benyon

Please Note: All CHL classes limited to 12 students.

If interested call Ed. Benyon: 817-571-2318

or e-mail: erbenyon@verizon.net

JANUARY CHL CLASS SCHEDULE

CHL Initial/Renewal Day One

Saturday 28 January: Class: 1000 - 1800

(Classroom reserved 0900 - 1900)

CHL Initial/Renewal Day Two

Sunday 29 January: Class: 1000 - 1800

(Classroom reserved 0900 - 1900)

CHL Range: 1130 - 1330

FROM THE EDITOR

As you can see our newsletter is small this month so we have room for something extrta. In order to give our members a bit of a challenge I have made silhouettes of several of the rifles that are used in our CMP Matches. Participants in the matches probably won't have much trouble figuring out what rifles are represented, however, some of our other members may have to do some research to come up with the names of the rifles to match the silhouettes. Have fun and Happy New Year!



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