

President's Corner

Chuck Adams, President

In the weeks ahead there are two important events that will happen:

One, the preparation of our annual budget for 2012-2013 and, Two, the election of club officers and Board members.

Annual Budget: If you are a Discipline Director, member of the Board of Directors or expend money from the club resources you are responsible for a budget. Now is the time to review your activities for this year and anticipate what it is you are going to do differently in the next.

If you have not made any plans for the next year it is time to do so; the club does not improve, attract new members, or grow without setting goals or objectives for the coming year. If you are a shooter in a particular discipline and "wish they would" do something different; now is the time to contact your Discipline Director and make your ideas, needs, whatever known. If you as a club member have an idea for something for the club to do make that known to any of our Board members.

Of course not everything is going to be funded 100% and some activities may be funded at a lower amount in the coming year. Our club treasurer is Randy Flickinger and he will head up the budget committee. That committee will begin meeting in mid March – schedule to be announced. The deadline for submitting your budget request is April 23. It must be turned into the club office or given to Randy. Meeting this deadline is particularly important for the Discipline Directors. Contact Randy if you have questions



about the process.

Budget figures will be finalized during the month of April and are scheduled for presentation to the membership at the May 3 membership meeting. After that meeting the budget will then go to the Board for approval at their May 31st meeting. Upon Board approval the budget will then be presented to the membership at the June 7 membership meeting for adoption for the 2012-13 fiscal year.

Election of club officers; I will have more to say about that in the next newsletter. But let me say this; no club or activity succeeds on wishes or momentum alone. I think we all know of organizations where it seems that

RSO Class Coming Up

Michael Jones, CRSO

There is an NRA Range Safety Officer Class scheduled for Saturday, May 5th from 8 am to 6 pm and another on Saturday June 9th from 8am to 6pm. If you would like to become an RSO AND help out at the club occasionally contact me at jonesc@teleport.com or call 503/315-6820 to get the full information. Pre-registration is required.

the "work" is done by a "few for the many." There are many talented and capable members in DRRC and it is a shame to not have a chance to share that talent with our club. I know most of the excuses. However, I am asking you to set those aside for a few months and take a step forward to help DRRC grow through the sharing of your talents. We'll talk more next month.

I welcome your ideas or suggestions for DRRC; my only "requirement" is that you identify yourself so I can make contact if necessary.

Black Powder Cartridge Rifle (BPCR)

Jim Kendall

Our new discipline Black Powder Cartridge Rifle shooting had our first competitive shoot in February. Although we experienced a minimal turnout, those of us who were present and shot the match had a good time in spite of all the weather could throw at us. We shot at 300, 600 and 800 yards. Scores were less than stellar on account of the weather (that's my story and I'm sticking to it) but we have now established "record high score" for the match and invite all to come out and try to better our scores. Dave Kendall took top honors with Jim Kendall two points behind for second place. So consider the gauntlet as having been thrown down to all comers. Our next scheduled match will be in October but in the meantime BPCR has the exclusive use of long range on the afternoon of the second Tuesday of each month right after our regular Tuesday maintenance.

We usually start shooting for practice at about one o'clock and shoot for the rest of the day. We would like to start some informal competitions on these second Tuesdays where we pick a distance between 300 and 800 or even 1,000 yards and shoot for smallest group. We have awards to give for smallest group so come out and test your skill. Bear in mind that all honest BPCR shooters consider anything closer than 300 yards as knife fighting range and beneath the dignity of a real shooter.

On another note, we have a number of club members who have been attending the Quigley BPCR match in Forsythe, Montana over Father's Day weekend for the past few years and would like to extend an invitation to other shooters to come and join us this year. For information contact Dave Kendall, our discipline director, at 503/666-8379 or any of the BPCR shooters. You can also go to the official Quigley website at www.quigleymatch.com for the full scoop and even some neat pictures of past events. We usually camp out right on the ranch where the match is held so tents, trailers, RVs or teepees are welcome. There are also hotels and motels in town where you might be able to find lodging if you don't wait too long. Come join us and have some REAL shooting fun.

A Few Good Men and Women

Joe Keller

It is April, and our Club fiscal year is coming to an end. One order of business at the end of the year is to prepare for the election of the members of the Board of

Directors, which occurs at the Annual Meeting of the Members on Thursday July 5th. Ideally, we will have a slate of candidates in place so they can be introduced to the membership via the July newsletter. Nominations will also be taken from the floor at the Annual Meeting. So, we need a few good men and women to volunteer to run for the various offices.

The qualification to be an officer is simple; you must be a member in good standing of the Club. You do not need any special talents or shooting experience. You only have to want to help Douglas Ridge Rifle Club continue to provide a quality facility and programs for its members. There are two meetings each month, the General Meeting on the first Thursday, and the Board Meeting on the last Thursday.

The following offices will be filled by election this year: President, Secretary, Executive Officer, and three Directors. Chuck Adams is our current Interim President, appointed to complete the term when Eric Severson resigned due to job relocation. The duties of the President are to preside at all meetings, appoint committees as needed, and perform such duties as usually pertain to the office.

Joe Keller is the current Secretary. The duties of the Secretary are to conduct official correspondence, make notifications of meetings, keep a record of meetings, and file the Annual Report with the State.

Mark Edwards is the current Executive Officer. The XO duties are to schedule activities, matches and events, and maintain the Club Calendar.

"Tyranny, like hell, is not easily conquered; yet we have this consolation with us, that the harder the conflict, the more glorious the triumph."

Thomas Paine

General Meetings

2012: 05/03, 06/07, 07/05, 08/02

Board Meetings

2012: 05/31, 06/28, 07/26, 08/30

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Palm Sunday</p> <p>00 am - 3:00 pm andgun Silhouette (Silh)</p> <p>30 pm - 8:00 pm 2 smallbore (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p> <p>8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges closed for maintenance</p>	<p>4</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Night (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>5 Holy Thursday</p> <p>8:00 am - 5:00 pm Long Range Day 8am-1pm 800-1000yd 1pm-Sunset 300-600yd</p> <p>7:00 pm - 9:00 pm General Meeting (CH/Ind)</p>	<p>6 Good Friday</p> <p>5:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>7</p> <p>8:00 am - 7:00 pm RSO Class (Ch/Ind)</p> <p>9:00 am - 4:00 pm USPSA (Silh)</p>
<p>Easter Sunday</p> <p>ewsletter Submissions Due</p>	<p>9</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Beginner Pistol (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>10</p> <p>8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges closed for maintenance</p> <p>1:00 pm - 6:00 pm Black Powder Cartridge (300-800yd)</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p>8:00 am - 5:00 pm Long Range Day 8am-1pm 300-600yd 1pm-Sunset 800-1000yd</p>	<p>13</p> <p>7:00 pm - 10:00 pm Boy Scouts (Ch/Ind/Arch) Campout</p>	<p>14</p> <p>12:30 am - 5:30 pm Pistol Class (Ch/Ind)</p> <p>8:00 am - 11:00 am Boy Scouts (ch/archery)</p> <p>9:00 am - 2:00 pm Black Powder Muzzle Loader (Silh)</p>
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<p>Earth Day</p> <p>00 am - 5:00 pm Gun (Silh)</p> <p>30 pm - 8:00 pm 2 smallbore (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>23</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Beginner Pistol (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>24</p> <p>8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges closed for maintenance</p>	<p>25</p> <p>8:00 am - 10:00 am L.E. PPB Serf (Ch/Ind)</p> <p>8:00 am - 5:00 pm L.E. PPB Serf (LR)</p>	<p>26</p> <p>8:00 am - 5:00 pm Long Range Day 8am-1pm 300-600yd 1pm-Sunset 800-1000yd</p> <p>7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Board Meeting (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p> <p>7:30 am - 8:45 am H i Power (Ch/Ind)</p> <p>9:00 am - 8:00 pm H i Power (LR 200/300/600)</p>
<p>30 am - 8:45 am i Power (Ch/Ind)</p> <p>00 am - 5:00 pm i Power 800 agg. (LR 200/600yd)</p> <p>30 pm - 8:00 pm 2 smallbore (Ch/Ind)</p>	<p>30</p> <p>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Beginner Pistol (Ch/Ind)</p>					

Calendar Codes		Calendar Codes	
• Trap	Trap Range	• CH/Ind	Clubhouse & Indoor Range
• TH	Trap House	• Arch	Archery Range
• SC	Sporting Clays Range	• 100/200	100/200 Yard Range
• LE	Law Enforcement (training)	• Silh	Silhouette Range
• NRA . . .	NRA Classes	• LR	Long Range
• TSB	Tactical Shotgun Bay		

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Jack Regele, Greg Watson and Bob Gordon are the current Directors whose offices will be open. The duties of a Director are to serve on the Board, participate on committees as appointed, and participate in the management of the Club.

If you think you might have an interest in serving, or want to know more about being an Officer, contact any of the current Board members to discuss it. If you wish to run for an office, please notify Chuck Adams of your interest.



Still, if you will not fight for the right when you can easily win without bloodshed; if you will not fight when your victory will be sure and not too costly; you may come to the moment when you will have to fight with all the odds against you and only a precarious chance of survival. There may even be a worse case. You may have to fight when there is no hope of victory, because it is better to perish than live as slaves.

Winston Churchill