

## **.22 Rimfire Challenge**

*Ben Edman*

Douglas Ridge is proud to present a new discipline: .22 Rimfire Challenge! Our inaugural event in Oct was a blast and the board has decided we should make this a regular event. To start things off we will be doing quarterly matches with an eye on hosting a sanctioned Ruger Rimfire Challenge match either late 2014 or spring of 2015.

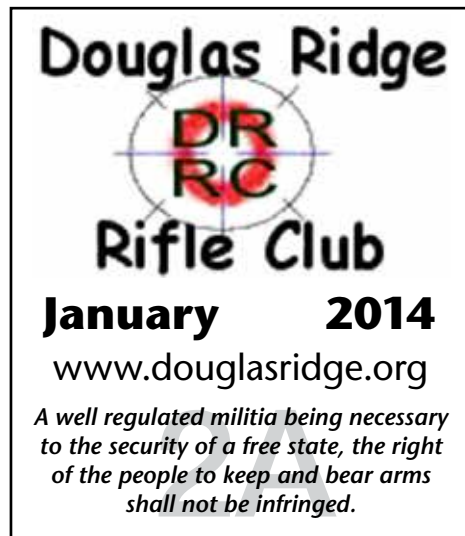
What is .22 Rimfire Challenge? It is an introduction to competitive shooting for speed. You can use anything chambered in .22LR, pistol or rifle. When you come to the line you will have 5-7 static steel targets to shoot at. A coach will explain what targets you are shooting at and give you the command to fire. Shoot at all of your targets as fast as you can. When you hit the last target (known as the stop plate) the timer stops. You get 5 chances to shoot each stage of the competition. Your worst time is tossed out and the rest are added together to make your score. That's all there is to it. No reloading, no holster draws, no move and shoot, no mind games – just fast and fun!

Mark your calendars now for January 25, 9am-4pm. Fees are \$5 per gun for club members or \$7.50 for non members and lunch is included. There are courses of fire for both pistol and rifle. Come on out and give it a try.

## **Wonderful Christmas Party**

*Food and Fun For All  
Nils Bittner Chairman*

The 2013 Christmas party was a big success despite the



freezing weather. The magic Chefs and their helpers produced a memorable Feast. First of all I need to thank all of the people who played a part in putting this event together it is certainly more than one person can handle. We had approximately 170 people attend this year. The raffles raised over \$ 2,000.00 dollars for the Junior fund. I need to thank DRRC and all the other sponsors that gave money or merchandise to make this Christmas party a huge Success. I especially need to thank my loving wife Lisa and everyone else who helped. We would like wish all the DRRC members and their families A Very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I already have huge plans for the party next year. Stay Tuned and be Safe.

## **President's Award**

Our President Hal Halverson recently noted to the Board that there are many people who do things for the Club that never get recognized. He proposed and the Board approved a new "President's Award" to acknowledge some of those people. At the Club Christmas Party on December 7th, Hal

announced the initial recipients of this new award. They are Jim Quinn, Al Lisoski and Michael Jones. A plaque for each gentleman was displayed, and will be given to them. The plaques read:

*"In recognition and appreciation for your outstanding service above and beyond expectations, and for your valuable contribution to the mission and purpose of Douglas Ridge Rifle Club."*

Jim Quinn has been a member for 27 years, joining in 1986. He is a Life member. Jim previously served multiples roles at the Club, and still comes out weekly to help. In naming him as a recipient of the award, Hal noted his constant and steady support of the Club.

Al Lisoski joined the Club in 2001, and is an Oldtime member. As he is also a neighbor, he spends many hours helping watch over the Club. He often lends his pasture as overflow parking

## **Member Passes**

*Charlie McAlister*

DRRC Member Tom Koch passed away Tuesday, December 17, 2013. Born in 1933 Tom was 80 years old and still a regular fixture at our Tuesday workday. A 21 year member of DRRC it was poetic that his passing occurred on his way home from the club last Tuesday after spending some time with the Tuesday work crew. Tom was a life member of the NRA. Tom will be missed. There will be a memorial service for Tom on January 3, 2013 at 3 PM at the Lincoln Memorial Park (11801 SE Mt Scott Blvd).

for events. And he is constantly repairing and maintaining the Club equipment.

Michael Jones is a 20 year member, having joined the Club in 1993, and is an Oldtime member. He served many years on the Board, and as the Chief Range Safety Officer, where he trained ninety-five percent of the Club RSOs. His work in researching and developing the Club Standard Operating Procedures will leave a footprint at the Club for many years to come.

It is the intent that this award will be presented annually to deserving members by the Club President.

## Christmas Party

*Joe Keller*

Saturday evening December 7th was the date for the annual DRRC Christmas Party. One hundred sixty-five members, family and friends braved the sub-freezing temperatures and gathered at Mountain View Christian Church in Gresham to celebrate the holiday season. Head cook Bryan Goold and his crew of helpers prepared turkey, ham, dressing, potatoes, rolls and gravy for all to enjoy. Many side dishes and desserts were contributed by members. Party Chairman Nils Bittner and his crew had the room festively decorated in red and green table covers, and a multitude of raffle and door prizes were on display.

Club President Hal Halverson opened the festivities with a few remarks, and introduced the Board Members and Discipline Directors present. He also announced a new President's Award. After asking for a moment of silence in honor of our

country's servicemen and women, Hal introduced Wes Hubbard, who said the blessing. Life Members with their families were invited to the head of the buffet line, and everyone quickly got full plates of great food.

After dinner, Nils began awarding the door prizes. First, all the youth present were called forward, and offered a prize choice of an envelope with \$5, a parachute cord bracelet, or a flashlight. Eighteen young people collected their prize. Then Nils started pulling tickets for the rest of the crowd. Eventually everyone got a chance to pick out a prize.

While Nils was awarding door prizes, Sheri and Charlie McAlister were busy selling the last raffle tickets. In all, a new record total of \$2,229 in raffle tickets were sold. Raffle ticket proceeds go into the Junior Fund. The Junior Fund has helped the Club send junior shooters to Camp Perry and the National Junior Olympics events. The raffle ticket buyers put their tickets into various buckets for their hoped for prizes. The first raffle was for a 40" Proscan TV, and the winning ticket was presented by Joanne Logdahl, Larry's wife. A Leupold spotting scope was won by Michael White, Stew's son. Several \$50 gift cards were drawn for, donated by Sellwood Public House, Moen Machinery, The Cheesecake Factory, and two by Sportsman's Warehouse. A Ruger 10/22 Takedown Rifle was drawn for, and Arlo Gatchel was the winner. Then a Ruger Mark III SS Target Pistol was drawn for, and Dyan Kirkpatrick was the lucky member. Finally, all the raffle tickets were dumped in a bucket together, and two

### General Meetings

2014: 01/02, 02/06, 03/06, 04/03, 05/01

### Board Meetings

2014: 01/30, 02/27, 03/27, 04/24, 05/29

## Club Directory

### Officers

President, Hal Halverson .....	503/667-4360
halofit@aol.com	
Vice President, Joe Keller .....	503/760-3454
info@douglasridge.org	
Secretary, Dyan Kirkpatrick .....	503/630-5084
12muddypaws@rconnects.com	
Treasurer, Christine Walters .....	503/668-1095
bandcwalters@aol.com	
Executive Officer, Mark Edwards .....	503/705-5407
xo@douglasridge.org	
Board Member, Roger Roberts .....	503/680-3911
re.roberts@frontier.com	
Board Member, Greg Watson .....	503/663-9363
greg@g-and-s-welding.com	
Board Member, Sue Nilsen .....	503 663-7556
susnil@juno.com	
Board Member, Edd Kohart .....	503/750-3430
ekohart@frontier.com	
Board Member, Bill Slonecker .....	503/666-3761
bslonecker@msn.com	
Board Member, Bill Wood .....	503/784-3551
wrw303@comcast.net	

### Discipline Directors

.22 Rimfire Challenge Steel, Ben Edman .....	503/319-9359
ben.edman.pdx@gmail.com	
Adult Smallbore, Bob Stevens .....	503/661-7370
r.stevens25@frontier.com	
Archery (vacant) .....	
Black Powder, Don Edwards .....	503/830-0506
donledwardsjr@gmail.com	
Black Powder Cartridge, Dave Kendall .....	503/666-8379
dthegkendall@gmail.com	
Service Rifle, Todd Hanson .....	503/704-6102
thanson580@aol.com	
Handgun Silhouette, Greg Watson .....	503/663-9363
greg@g-and-s-welding.com	
High Power, Carl Haggland .....	503/281-2927
highpower@ossa.org	
Hunter's Safety, Larry Warren .....	503/816-7366
Hunter's Sight-In, Mark Edwards .....	503/705-5407
wildbullelk92@gmail.com	
Ladies Night, Paul Meier .....	503/631-8160
Smallbore, Junior, Glen Miller .....	503/799-6641
ggmiller2@gmail.com	
Sporting Clays, Hal Halverson .....	503/667-4360
Three Gun, Markus Wigle .....	503/317-7769
markuspwigle@comcast.net	
Trap, Dick Jennings .....	503/655-5405
USPSA Dan Carpenter .....	503/637-3537
gunrangejunkie@gmail.com	
Youth Shotgun, Dick Jennings .....	503/655-5405

### Others

Chief Environmental Officer, Stan Pate .....	503/652-9931
onekmeters@msn.com	
Chief Range Safety Officer, Mike Holder .....	503/970-6347
crso@douglasridge.org	
Long Range Planning Chair, Chuck Adams .....	503/658-2955
Project Coordinator, Ron Carey .....	503/668-4212
Public Relations Director, Bill Mattes .....	503/351-4224
mattes@cascadeaccess.com	
Newsletter Editor, Bruce Hanson .....	503/631-2998
bruceh@ccgmail.net	
Scout Coordinator, Arlo Gatchel .....	503/771-0540
gatchels@yahoo.com	
Range Host, Terry and Mitzi Bennett .....	503/637-6161
Gun Show Booth Coordinator, Dan Day .....	503/695-2679
gamshara@cascadeaccess.com	
Webmaster, Charlie McAlister .....	503/351-8360
webmaster@douglasridge.org	
Club House .....	503/637-3131

# January 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b> New Year's Day <i>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Night (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>2</b> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Long Range Day 8am 12pm 300yd/600yd 1pm 4pm 800yd/1000)  <i>7:00 pm - 9:00 pm General Meeting (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>3</b> <i>4:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>4</b> <i>9:00 am - 4:00 pm USPSA (Silh/TSB/DR)</i>
<b>Calendar Codes</b> • Trap Trap Range • TH Trap House • SC Sporting Clays Range • LE Law Enforcement (training) • NRA . . . NRA Classes • TSB Tactical Shotgun Bay	<b>Calendar Codes</b> • CH/Ind Clubhouse & Indoor Range • Arch Archery Range • 100/200 100/200 Yard Range • Silh Silhouette Range • LR Long Range					
<b>5</b> 10:00 am - 1:30 pm Trap At Sandy gun Club	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges Closed For Maintenance  <i>4:00 pm - 8:00 pm JR Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Long Range Day 8am 12pm(800yd/1000yd) 1pm 4pm 300yd/800yd)	<b>10</b> <i>4:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>11</b> 8:00 am - 10:00 am Orientation Setup (CH/Ind)  <i>10:00 am - 1:00 pm Orientation (CH/Ind)</i>
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> <i>6:00 pm - 10:00 pm First Aid Training</i>	<b>14</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges Closed For Maintenance  <i>1:00 pm - 5:00 pm Black Powder Cartage (300yd-800yd)</i>  <i>4:00 pm - 8:00 pm JR Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>15</b> <i>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Night (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>16</b> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Long Range Day 8am 12pm 300yd/600yd) 1pm 4pm 800yd/1000)	<b>17</b> <i>4:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>18</b> <i>9:00 am - 2:00 pm Black Powder Muzzel loader( Silh/TSB)</i>
<b>19</b> 10:00 am - 1:30 pm Trap At Sandy Gun Club	<b>20</b> Martin Luther King Day	<b>21</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges Closed For Maintenance  <i>4:00 pm - 8:00 pm JR Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Long Range Day 8am 12pm (800yd/1000yd) 1pm 4pm ( 300yd/800yd)	<b>24</b> <i>4:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>25</b> <i>8:00 am - 6:00 pm Cascade Firearms Training C.F.T. NRA Basic Pistol class (Ch/Ind)</i>  <i>9:00 am - 4:00 pm .22cal. Rim Fire Challenge (Shil)</i>
<b>26</b> <i>8:00 am - 12:00 pm First Aid Training</i>  <i>9:00 am - 5:00 pm 3 Gun (Silh/TSB/DR)</i>  <i>1:00 pm - 5:00 pm First Aid Training</i>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm All Ranges Closed For Maintenance  <i>4:00 pm - 8:00 pm JR Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>29</b> <i>6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Ladies Night (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>30</b> 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Long Range Day 8am 12pm 300yd/600yd) 1pm 4pm 800yd/1000)  <i>7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Board Meeting (Ch/Ind)</i>	<b>31</b> <i>4:00 pm - 10:00 pm Adult Small Bore (Ch/Ind)</i>	

# Douglas Ridge Rifle Club

PO Box 307 • Boring, OR 97009

Affiliations:



C5459



Formerly DCM



more were drawn. Wes Hubbard won a set of Igloo coolers. And Bob Gordon was the winner of a portable shooting bench.

The evening concluded, and people pitched in to clean up and put away all the tables and chairs. Final holiday wishes were

exchanged, and then everyone headed out into the cold night to go home.

## Aerial View Of DRRC Range Configuration

