



CRC NEWS

COLORADO RIFLE CLUB



January 2021

CANCELLED

The Annual Match Director's meeting has been canceled due to the current health order. We may try to reschedule in March if conditions improve.

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The Annual Membership meeting scheduled for February 27, 2021 has also been canceled. This was a very hard decision to make but it is due to the current corona virus health orders.

REMINDER:

Always check the [Event Schedule](#) for Activities Before Going to the Range!

IMPROPER USE OF OUR RANGE

Article by Bob McAlice

On Saturday Jan. 2nd an uncaring member stapled his paper targets directly to the tire rubber gong hang straps on the Silhouette Range. This is the third time this has happened in the last six months. Both straps received multiple hits from rifle bullets. The paper targets were carelessly left behind and discovered early Sunday morning the 3rd.

This unacceptable act shows a clear disrespect of CRC property, little regard of established range rules and no common sense.

It takes time and much effort to keep the targets up hanging and in good condition. Making rubber straps from car tires is a lot of work. These straps are expected to get damaged from normal bullet pass throughs, but deliberate bullet hits greatly reduce the time between replacement straps. Few if anyone would take the initiative to replace a broken strap. Many times gongs are found where they dropped from broken straps.

Due to very high maintenance, CRC does not provide paper target frames on the silhouette range. If you must shoot at paper targets on the metallic silhouette range, do what other members do. BRING YOUR OWN PORTABLE PAPER TARGET FRAME. Reminder, all paper target frames must be placed directly in front of the berm. Do not duct tape paper targets to the steel gongs. Clean up any mess you may create.



Photo from Wes Underwood

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FALL WORK DAYS

Article from Dave Paananen

We had a lower than average turnout for the fall work bond weekend: 20 on Saturday and 6 on Sunday. The weather was nice both days.

Due to the lower than normal attendance we only got the highest priority activities done. Some of them are:

- The usual target frame production. Pistol frames and Schutzen frames.
- Mounted a smoke detector in each bedroom of the ranch house and a smoke plus carbon monoxide detector in the kitchen.
- Repaired asphalt shingles on the HP 1000 yd firing line, and Schutzen range firing line.
- Reinforced the angle supports on the East Range large sunshade with bolts, and tacked down the flapping roof on the East range stat building.
- R&R'd the target holder pipes on the East Range, as well as took a pass to clean up the worst of the trash in the shooting lanes.
- Demolished Al's RV. It has a substantial and strong frame. I think it would be a good trailer for hauling heavy steel.
- Scott Schomer fabricated metal holders for the gas and diesel nozzles on the tanks.
- Installed a shelf in the Smallbore target shed
- Made a dozen bench rest stools
- Put up signs around the fence perimeter.
- Installed a gate at 112th.
- Installed toilet seat paper cover dispensers at 10 outhouse locations
- Wayne Harris, Bret Barnes, and Doug Maxwell did a number of things at the pistol range
- Bob McAlice and Bill Stark did a number of things at the Silhouette range
- Steve Kingcade did a number of things at the 3D archery range.

Dave Wolfe making modifications on the Shuetzen range for target stands used during steel dogs competitions.

Photo from Mike McAvoy



NOTICES

2021 Dues

The CRC Annual Dues notices will be emailed to all members in January. This is part of a larger project that includes updating our membership database and moving it into secure storage. We now offer members the option of paying online by credit card in addition to mailing a check. There has been a small dues increase for 2021: Individual \$100, Family \$125. Work Bond remains one day of work or \$100, and the application / initiation remains \$150.

2021 Events Schedule is posted

The Schedule of Events for 2021 has been posted on the website. If you are looking for an opportunity to fulfill your 2021 work bond, 'Volunteers Needed' is now a part of the events calendar and will be completed sometime in February. Match programs, and match results will also be linked on the Events Calendar.

Silhouette Range Directorship changes hands

The Ranger Director position for the Silhouette range has transitioned from Bill Stark to Bob McAlice. Both Bill and Bob have done a tremendous amount of work on the range over the last two decades. We thank Bill for his many years of dedicated service to the club. Going forward, the Silhouette Range remains in great hands with Bob.

East Range Directorship and Board of Directors change

Steve Fowler retired and moved out of state at the end of 2020. Steve was the East Range Director as well as a member of the Board Of Directors. We thank Steve for his many years of service to the club. Bill Hall is the new East Range Director. Bill was also appointed by the Board to fulfill the remainder of Steve's term as a Director.



Found: License Plate

This license plate was found on the road near the Smallbore range on January 13. It has been wired to the welcome sign.

THANK YOU FIRE DEPARTMENTS!

Many thanks to the Byers and Strasberg fire departments for restringing the High Power flagpole!



Photos by Eron Ahmer

ADS FOR MEMBERS FROM MEMBERS

Ads are provided as a courtesy to members. Members are expected to comply with all State and Federal laws. To place an ad in an upcoming newsletter email Sherri @ sherri@mavcom.com

FOR SALE

Match AR15 \$900
Krieger Barrel 1:8 (282 rounds through it)
Accuracy Intl Round front post
1/4 Min rear sights
Rock River two stage Trigger
Weighted stock - Free Float Upper

I also have a 22lr 20" upper
With two 10 rd mags for \$400
I used it for indoor winter leagues and practice at indoor ranges, shoots great.

4 - 500 count boxes of Sierra 77G Match kings new still wrapped up. \$95 Each.

If any one is interested Please contact me by Email ap762@comcast.net , and we can arrange to meet up. I am located in Berthoud, CO. Nothing is wrong with either of these items, I am just cleaning out the safe of what I do not shoot anymore.

Andrew Perry—ap762@comcast.net

FOR SALE

TOP TO BOTTOM:

TASCO silver rifle scope, 3-9x40 - \$40.00 / Amazon's price \$64.99

TASCO black rifle scope, Pronghorn, 3-9x40 - \$40.00 / Amazon's price \$64.99

BARSKA Varmint rifle scope, 6-24x42, AO, \$50.00 / Amazon's price \$79.99

NIKON P223, matte, 3x32 BDC Carbine rifle scope - 150.00 / Amazon's price \$189.00

Also included with the Nikon Carbine scope is a (2) piece Nikon P Series scope mount for Picatinny rails

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