



CRC NEWS

COLORADO RIFLE CLUB



May 16, 2019

REMINDER:

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

DON'T MISS THIS:

The 10-year facility plan is outlined on page 4

ANNUAL MEETING FREE MEMBERSHIP WINNER

Would the member who won the free one-year membership at the Annual Meeting please contact Joanna Olsen. We apologize; we cannot find your name ! joannaolsen@outdrs.net

HOW NOT TO LOCK THE GATE



These padlocks have been latched to each other rather than to the chain.

Each padlock needs to latch two segments of the chain, with no lock affecting any other.

Multiple agencies have padlocks and each needs to open the chain.

Thank you for locking the gate. Please do so carefully as to not restrict access to others.

APRIL 14 2019 CRC 2-GUN RIFLE/PISTOL MATCH AND FREE CLINIC

We had a great turn out for the Sunday April 14th 2-Gun Rifle Pistol Match held on the 1000yd High Power Range at Colorado Rifle Club. The weather started out a little brisk but warmed up nicely as the day wore on.

The 2-Gun matches are loosely modeled on the Army's Excellence In Competition Combat match course of fire. All stages use various silhouette type targets at 600yd, 500yd, 300yd, and 200yd. Pistol stages are shot at 25yds. These matches can be shot with any safe weapon and we encourage new shooters to attend the free clinic ahead of live fire. All efforts are made to coach new shooters and get them on target during the sight in period. Feedback has been positive and we were close to full attendance for this match.

We have three more matches scheduled for 2019: one at Buffalo Creek Gun Club on Sep 15th, and two at CRC, November 2nd and December 14th. The December match is a Fund Raiser for the Marine Toys-4-Tots program. If you are interested in attending you can check out all the details the Practiscore sites below. Match Bulletins, Course of Fire, Registration, and previous match results are all available.

Hope to see you on the line. "Load and be Ready!!!"

https://practiscore.com/clubs/buffalo_creek_gun_club

https://practiscore.com/clubs/crc_2_gun

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 17

XTC Team Practice 7a-1p - High Power Range

May 18

ARA .22 Rimfire Club Match - Shuetzen Range

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Steel Challenge - East Range Berms 3-10

May 18-19

Tim Herron Practical Performance Class - East Range Berms 1-2

May 19

[600yd Any-Any Highpower - High Power Range](#)

[CMP John C. Garand Match - Schuetzen Range](#)

HP Handgun Silhouette - Silhouette Range

[Kaser Memorial Silver Trophit Match - Pistol Range](#)

Smallbore League Iron Sights - Smallbore Range

Sporting Clays

May 24

XTC Team Practice 7a-1p - High Power Range

May 24-27

Colorado State Cowboy Silhouette - Silhouette Range

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Sign up to assist at one of these events. This is a great opportunity to meet fellow members and fulfill your work bond.

Date	Event	Contact	# Needed
May 18	ARA .22 rimfire Club Match	Tony Wolf - 303.596.4258	1
May 19	CMP Garand Match	Rob Rathburn - 303.795.1772	1 scorekeeper
May 19	Pistol - Kaiser Memorial 2700 Match	Wayne Harris - 303.431.4009	2
May 19	600yd Any-Any Highpower	Ron Gorski - 720.545.8412	2
May 25,26,27	Lever Action Silhouette	Scott Stephenson - 720,633.5859	8
May 25	Cowboy Action Setup	Bill Hall - 303.366.8827	5
June 1	Vintage Sniper Team Match	Rob Rathburn - 303.795.1772	3
June 1-2	Smallbore Rocky Mountain Regional Prone	Dennis Reul - 303.238.5696	4
June 1-2	Pistol - Eastern Colorado Regional	Wayne Harris - 303.431.4009	2
June 2	BPTRA – High Power Range	Robert Garibay - 303.994.2138	2
June 9	ARA .22 rimfire Club match	Tony Wolf - 303.596.4258	1
June 15	600yd Any-Any Highpower - High Power Range	Ron Gorski - 720.545.8412	2
June 22	Cowboy Action Setup	Bill Hall - 303.366.8827	5
June 23	High Power Long Range	Dennis Casey - 303.912.1528	3
July 7	BPTRA – High Power Range	Robert Garibay - 303.994.2138	2
July 13	600yd Any-Any Highpower	Ron Gorski - 720.545.8412	2
July 13	ARA .22 rimfire Club Match	Tony Wolf - 303.596.4258	1
July 14	AZSA Zoot Shooters	Terry Woodworth - 303.877.4709	5
July 20	Vintage Sniper Team Match	Rob Rathburn - 303.795.1772	3
July 21	Highpower XTC	Jim Monserud - 303.666.5732	2
July 27	Cowboy Action Setup	Bill Hall - 303.366.8827	5
July 27-28	Smallbore 69th Watt Redfield Memorial 3200 Prone	Dennis Reul - 303.238.5696	2
July 27	High Power Rifle Long Range	Dennis Casey - 303.912.1528	3

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 25

600 Yd Benchrest - High Power Range

IDPA - East Range Berms 1-7

MarineCorp League - Schuetzen Range AM

MarineCorp League - Pistol Range PM

Cowboy Action Setup PM- East Range Berms 1-7,100,200

May 26

Cowboy Action - East Range Berms 1-7,100,200

May 31

[CMP Vintage Sniper Clinic & Practice - High Power Range](#)

June 1

[CMP Vintage Sniper Team Match - High Power Range](#)

SB Handgun Silhouette - Silhouette Range

Sporting Clays

USPSA Rifle - East Range Berms 7-12, 100, 200

June 1-2

[Eastern Colorado Regional - Pistol Range](#)

[Rocky Mountain Regional - Smallbore Range](#)

June 2

High Power Rifle Silhouette - Silhouette Range

[BPTRA BlackPowder Target Rifle - High Power Range](#)

APRIL WORK DAYS

We had 20 volunteers on Saturday and 10 on Sunday attend.

This was enough to get a good supply of target frames made, make 3 redwood tables for the East Range, and general cleanup of the East Range, HP range, 3D Archery Range, and Pistol Range. We installed electrical usage fee collection boxes by the RV camping sites. We also did preventive maintenance and repairs on some of the equipment.

We started to remove another of the old fencelines remaining on the property, but were set back by a late Sunday thunderstorm and a not-so-friendly rattlesnake. A couple of crews were out repairing fences and removing trees that have fallen on the fence.

A free firewood metal stand was made. The idea for the firewood stand is that much of our waste from old target frames would be better used by members heating their homes, than hauling the wood to the landfill. Thanks to Pete Jend for the suggestion. (Please do not use the wood to start campfires on the range.)

2019 ROAD GRADING PROGRAM AND OTHER UPCOMING DIRT WORK

The CRC 2018 Road Grading Project was completed on about the first week of May 2018.

During the last two weeks of April 2018, we received approximately half of our annual rainfall thus seriously delaying our roadwork and increasing costs. Last year we laid some 1679 tons of roadbase or 58 semitruck loads of material.

This year we plan on placing some 1700 ton of roadbase on the East Range's roadways. We will be utilizing a contractor from Strasburg for our road grading work. Due to the late moisture and the snow storms we received this year we have scheduled our work for just after Memorial Day (weather permitting) for about a two-week period.

We have also contracted with Conrad Holland to reshape our East Range berms due to wind and rain erosion like the work he had conducted back in 2016. Conrad will also conduct grading work on the 500- and 600-yard lines of the High Power Range. All work will be conducted during the week with minimal work conducted on the weekend.

Be sure and check the website for the update on our Road Project's schedule. We will be closing the long lines of the High Power Range for several days during this work.

Contact Wayne Harris at wwharris@q.com if you have any questions or concerns.

Get all the news and photos at
<http://crici.org/>

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 6-9

[Remembering The Brave Memorial Match - High Power Range](#)

June 8

ARA .22 Rimfire Club Match - Shuetzen Range

Lever Action Silhouette - Silhouette Range

USPSA Pistol Super Classifier- East Range Berms 1-8

June 9

Cowboy Action Shooting Clinic - East Range Berms 1-7,200

Smallbore League Any Sights - Smallbore Range

Smallbore Rifle Silhouette - Silhouette Range

June 14

XTC Team Practice 7a-1p - High Power Range

June 15

New Member Orientation - 10:00am - Smallbore Range

[600yd Any-Any Highpower - High Power Range](#)

[CMP Carbine Match - Schuetzen Range](#)

Steel Challenge - East Range Berms 1-8

June 15-16

Appleseed Project - Silhouette Range

June 16

Sporting Clays

June 21

XTC Team Practice 7a-1p - High Power Range

REMEMBERING THE BRAVE MIDWESTERN ARMED FORCES MEMORIAL MATCH: JUNE 7-9

Please get your entries in right away ! Click on the event in the Event Calendar on CRCI.org for details.

Organizers of this three day match, sponsored by the Rembering the Brave Organization, have requested help from CRC members with cooking, in the pits and on the firing line.

If you can help (and fulfill your annual workbond) contact Dave Jennings at djennings@att.net or 303-324-1697.



TEN-YEAR FACILITY PLAN: CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION

A Conditional Use Permit (CUP) is a zoning overlay which allows us to keep our A-3 agricultural zoning and tax rate but allows us to construct improvement such as shooting ranges and Club Houses.

The first CUP was obtained in 1988 for our original 1440-acre facility to be utilized as a shooting range. The second amendment was conducted in 1995 for the RV park and Sporting Clays Range and the third amendment in 2006 was for the implementation of the East Range. We have prepared a detailed site plan with existing and proposed conditions, CUP written explanations, variance requests and detailed reports expanding upon our requested uses. The Conceptual Review Meeting has been completed and Development Review Team comments from the county agencies have been received. We are now ready to submit for the official CUP along with the required public meetings, Planning Commission meeting, and County Commissioners meetings.

The fourth amendment to our CUP, which will take from 12 to 14 months to process, will be for the ten-year master plan for our facility. We propose to:

- expand the East Range toward Rector Leader Road,
- construct a long-range rifle range (one mile),
- expand RV facilities and uses, and
- the installation of a Club House and maintenance buildings.

The Club House and RV dump station will be the phase one projects. Hopefully they will both be completed in 2020 after the CUP is approved in early 2020. We anticipate the structure to be some 40' X 70' and have heated showers and restroom facility, a meeting room, a small kitchen, cot sleeping areas and large concrete patios. The CUP requires only general locations and general design parameters and the final details will be reviewed with the submission of plans for building permits.

We currently have a four-person committee for the Club house consisting of Board of Director members. If anyone with building or architectural experience would like to join our group, please contact Wayne Harris at wwharris@q.com for more information.