

Newsletter

Land of Legend

Rifle & Pistol Club

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Match Safety

We all feel that we are safe shooters and we all, myself included, have occasional brain fade. Safety rules are designed to provide layers of protection to all of us. That means that if we “screw up” the result is not a tragedy because we have another level to protect us. So bear with me as I review for all of us **some** of the rules we all need to follow in matches

1. Don't handle a gun behind the firing line. Leave it in the case or on the table or rack if that is what is called for in the course of fire. Behind the line is not the place to turn off your red dot, remove the mag, open the action, adjust a sight, or show your buddy your new grips. Each type of match has specific procedures but a great rule of thumb is to not touch your gun until told to do so by the range officer.

2. Listen to the Range Officer or Safety Officer. It is that person's job to determine when it is safe to allow you to handle your gun, load your gun, unload your gun, holster or case your gun, and send target setters down range. If you are so busy talking to a friend, coach, or timer that you don't hear the RO they will not be able to do their job and all of us will not be as safe. The RO can usually be identified as the person with the microphone or the person with a timer standing near you.

3. Watch your muzzle. It is critical that you keep your gun's muzzle pointed down range. In my observations there are specific times when this rule is likely to be broken. When racking the slide on

an auto pistol it is very easy to point the muzzle sideways. Learn to do it with the muzzle downrange. When we turn our bodies to talk to someone we often allow the muzzle to turn with us. Be aware of this tendency and do not allow it to happen. When we are reloading our gun or are dealing with a malfunction we are focusing on that issue and sometimes allow the muzzle to wander. Keeping the muzzle downrange is always our first priority.

4. Keep your finger off the trigger and out of the trigger guard until you are ready to fire. Under no circumstances should you reload, draw, or reholster your gun with your finger in the trigger guard.

This is far from all the safety rules, but it is a start. In future issues I will include other rules as well as general safety rules for non-match range use and shotgun rules. If you have some rules you would like to see included please send them to me.

Election of Officers

This June 14 at 12:30 the club will be holding elections for the 2009/2010 year. If you are interested in running for office let us know. Please try to attend and make your vote count.

Projects and More

Several club members have volunteered time, effort, cash and materials to better our club and the range. These include:

David Shields and Paul Gelfer paid for and built a steel patterning board for shotguns.

Jeff Hanger built and installed a lower door under the left skeet field high house and Paul Gelfer painted it.

Jeff and Rob Ripple extended the tops and re-decked two heavy trailers we pull behind the tractors.

Jeff and Fred Smith installed a new sign for the range at the corner of Rt. 146 and Pleasant Valley Road.

Fred, Jeff, Rob Strohmeyer and myself installed the sign furnished by the Ohio State Parks at the entrance to the range.

Rob has “tuned up “ our old Winchester traps and Doug Schultheis has rewired them.

Amy Mylander has been working on our website.

I am sure I have missed someone who helped out and have likely forgotten entire projects. Any omissions are entirely my fault and unintentional. Thanks to everyone who works to make our club and range better.

Gun Shows

June 13 & 14- Medina

Upcoming Events

June 13- .22 Action Rifle Match

June 14- Bowling Pin Match

June 14- Election of Officers

June 21- .22 Silhouette Match

June 27- IDPA Match (3 pm)

June 28- Steel Match

July 5- Action Rifle Match

July 11- .22 Action Rifle Match

.22 ACTION RIFLE MATCH MAY 9, 2009
CLASSIFIER

	NAME	TOTAL
1	JAY FRITZ	92
2	RICK HUPP	89
3	ROB RIPPLE	87
4	JEFF HANGER	85
5	JOHN SCHUMACHER	81
6	CHRIS RENSI	73
7	BOB MCCLURE	70
8	DALE TAYLOR	69
9	KIETH B	63
10	JIM SWEENEY	62
11	MIKE MCDOWELL	59
12	AMY MYLANDER	59
13	MARK SAPP	57
14	BUTCH MCCORT	55
15	LARRY HOLLAND	52
16	JOHN SHAMP	39

SPEED ROUND

	NAME	BEST 2/3 TIME
1	RICK HUPP	50.91
2	ROB RIPPLE	63.19
3	JEFF HANGER	67.39
4	BOB MCCLURE	71.45
5	DALE TAYLOR	80.64
6	JAY FRITZ	81.36
7	JIM SWEENEY	81.83
8	JOHN SCHUMACHER	82.68
9	CHRIS RENSI	103.12
10	BUTCH MCCORT	103.88
11	MARK SAPP	110.21
12	JOHN SHAMP	117.74
13	LARRY HOLLAND	161.71
14	MIKE MCDOWELL	166.61

MAY 2009 PIN MATCH

PLACE	SHOOTER (STOCK)	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	RUN 4	BEST 3/4
1	RICK HUPP	3.83	3.72	3.46	3.47	10.65
2	FRED SMITH	7.11	7.35	10.85	5.73	20.19
3	LARRY HOLLAND	10.59	8.94	6.00	7.17	22.11
4	PAT MURRAY	5.77	9.98	7.40	NT	23.15
5	JIM CAUDILL	5.90	NT	13.16	5.03	24.09
6	STEVE KURTZ	7.35	13.15	NT	7.31	27.81
7	MARK JORDAN	10.56	5.86	12.22	26.04	28.64
8	DICK VELICAN	17.64	NT	10.36	8.96	36.96
9	JOHN KIMBALL	18.71	22.87	22.53	6.82	48.06
10	JEFF HANGER	NT	14.36	15.99	19.88	50.23
11	DAVID BURROUGHS	19.35	16.81	NT	21.65	57.81
12	ANDREW HYDER	22.13	31.29	21.74	23.65	67.52
13	JOHN SHAMP	30.19	28.79	18.90	34.12	77.88
	AUSTIN MICK	NT	NT	NT	11.69	NT
	TOM SMITH	48.45	NT	NT	NT	NT
	CHRIS GALILEI	NT	25.87	NT	31.29	NT
	JIM FINERAN	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT

PLACE	SHOOTER (OPEN)	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	RUN 4	BEST 3/4
1	RICK HUPP	4.07	3.71	NT	4.88	12.66
2	FRED SMITH	4.67	5.87	3.09	9.23	13.63
3	PAT MURRAY	8.13	4.56	5.51	5.64	15.71
4	JEFF HANGER	14.01	4.05	4.09	NT	22.15
5	JOHN KIMBALL	14.22	4.19	8.13	13.71	26.03
6	MARK JORDAN	6.86	9.87	9.34	10.57	26.07
7	DAVID BURROUGHS	13.54	24.40	10.95	8.75	33.24
8	STEVE KURTZ	10.96	NT	9.70	12.70	33.36
9	JIM FINERAN	11.41	8.61	13.86	17.38	33.88
10	JIM CAUDILL	14.19	12.71	13.81	12.19	38.71
11	LARRY HOLLAND	NT	16.43	6.08	16.93	39.44
12	DICK VELICAN	15.82	11.15	15.82	19.96	42.79
13	JOHN SHAMP	38.05	NT	13.38	16.59	68.02
14	ANDREW HYDER	22.08	23.90	33.54	29.44	75.42
	AUSTIN MICK	NT	NT	NT	29.68	NT
	TOM SMITH	NT	NT	NT	33.78	NT
	CHRIS GALILEI	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT

PLACE	SHOOTER (PINTOPS)	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	RUN 4	BEST 3/4
1	RICK HUPP	4.17	3.65	4.11	3.87	11.63
2	JEFF HANGER	NT	5.41	6.27	5.52	17.20
3	LARRY HOLLAND	7.84	5.25	5.90	NT	18.99
4	PAT MURRAY	9.54	7.20	5.87	6.45	19.52
5	FRED SMITH	5.70	13.00	10.22	5.27	21.19
6	JOHN KIMBALL	8.74	15.96	8.68	5.40	22.82
7	JIM FINERAN	9.49	10.49	9.53	7.84	26.86
8	JIM CAUDILL	8.26	7.86	12.33	11.69	27.81
9	MARK JORDAN	7.93	14.78	8.71	30.42	31.42
10	STEVE KURTZ	9.47	9.22	12.81	NT	31.50
11	AUSTIN MICK	10.16	6.46	NT	15.69	32.31
12	DAVID BURROUGHS	13.28	8.51	20.63	12.28	34.07
13	CHRIS GALILEI	15.13	21.47	11.76	9.67	36.56
14	ANDREW HYDER	15.90	14.71	6.56	26.03	37.17
15	TOM SMITH	31.52	41.59	51.75	25.53	98.64
	DICK VELICAN	24.30	NT	NT	35.01	NT

May 17, 2009 Silhouette Match

PLACE	SHOOTER	Run no. 1	Run no. 2	Total
1	ROB RIPPLE	49	46	95
2	RICK HUPP	39	40	79
3	JAY FRITZ	41	37	78
4	JEFF HANGER	39	38	77
5	STEVE KURTZ	35	37	72
6	TOM SMITH	30	40	70
7	FRED SMITH	31	36	67
8	LARRY HOLLAND	34	30	64
9	AMY MYLANDER	26	24	50
10	ANDY MILLER	21	29	50
11	TROY SKEESE	25	20	45

IDPA MATCH MAY 23, 2009

Shooter	Div	Class	Total Match Score	Total Points Down	Stage number & name	Time 1	Time 2	Time 3	Points Down	Penalty Total	Stage Scores
Jay Fritz	CDP	EX	89.39	21.00	Stage 1	2.83	2.86	2.35	14	0	15.04
					Stage 2	5.32	5.68	5.39	5	3	21.89
					Stage 3	10.06	10.67		2	0	21.73
					Stage 4	30.23			1	0	30.73
Fred Smith	SSP	SS	102.41	19.00	Stage 1	4.78	3.29	4.13	4	0	14.20
					Stage 2	8.88	6.3	6.92	6	0	25.10
					Stage 3	12.66	11.07		9	0	28.23
					Stage 4	32.88			4	0	34.88
Mark Sapp	SSP	NV	103.28	19.00	Stage 1	4.36	3.2	3.45	3	0	12.51
					Stage 2	7.15	7	7.81	3	0	23.46
					Stage 3	12.41	10.31		13	0	29.22
					Stage 4	35.09			6	0	38.09
Larry Holland	SSP	SS	106.36	26.00	Stage 1	3.91	3.54	3.56	9	0	15.51
					Stage 2	6.01	6.15	6.26	10	0	23.42
					Stage 3	12.77	11.68		7	0	27.95
					Stage 4	28.98			21	0	39.48
Rob Strohmeyer	SSP	MM	126.38	33.00	Stage 1	4.46	4.29	2.77	15	0	19.02
					Stage 2	11.37	12.4	7.57	5	0	33.84
					Stage 3	14.86	15.28		13	0	36.64
					Stage 4	27.88			18	0	36.88
John Champ	CDP	MM	136.64	35.00	Stage 1	5.05	5.66	5.19	2	0	16.90
					Stage 2	8.68	8.18	8.41	9	0	29.77
					Stage 3	16.14	14.04		24	0	42.18
					Stage 4	41.79			12	0	47.79
Greg Grissom	SSP	NV	196.20	52.00	Stage 1	5.69	5.7	4.62	3	0	17.51
					Stage 2	9.45	9.5	12.29	7	0	34.74
					Stage 3	20.03	19.13		42	0	60.16
					Stage 4	64.79			38	0	83.79
Gary Grissom	ESP	NV	239.84	107.00	Stage 1	5.08	5.69	5.13	21	0	26.40
					Stage 2	13.78	9.45	10.89	30	0	49.12
					Stage 3	37.46	23.49		56	0	88.95
					Stage 4	68.37			14	0	75.37

May 24, 2009 Steel Match

SHOOTER	ZIG ZAG	SUPER X	5 TO GO	TOTAL RECALL	GUN USED	TOTAL
JIM SWEENEY	26.23	14.12	19.50	13.53	OR	73.38
JAY FRITZ	24.58	16.50	46.03	14.93	SA	102.04
LARRY HOLLAND (.22)	44.20	16.22	18.77	14.35	".22"	93.54
FRED SMITH	20.73	16.28	18.64	14.73	OR	70.38
RICK HUPP	10.00	10.60	12.52	10.20	OA	43.32
MARK SAPP	19.74	18.08	29.42	19.40	SA	86.64
DONNA KNISLEY (22)	26.61	21.26	48.70	17.12	".22"	113.69
ROGER MORALES	16.60	15.98	19.23	14.09	OR	65.90
ROB RIPPLE	33.38	18.63	23.82	17.37	SR	93.20

Shooters are arranged in the order they shot the match. A direct comparison of scores is difficult since some shot .22s while most shot centerfire, some shot iron sights while others used optics, some drew from holsters while others shot from low ready, and some shot autos while others shot revolvers.

Youth Silhouette Match June 6, 2009

Nicole Sherry	Sandbags	67 out of 80
Ashton Bay	Sandbags	60 out of 80
Dakota Holland	Sandbags	45 out of 80
Kaden Bay	Sandbags	45 out of 80
Caleb Holland	Sandbags	42 out of 80
Stormi Eppley	Offhand	20 out of 40

Hostages						
	Time	Points	H/F	%		
Rick Hupp	28.40	140	4.93	100		
Dennis Lawrence	29.53	130	4.40	83		
Mark Sapp	44.76	140	3.13	63		
J. Fritz	46.55	130	2.79	57		
Cris Rensi	47.34	130	2.75	56		
Doug Schultheis	60.06	130	2.16	44		
Jack Strong	64.99	120	1.83	37		
Larry Holland	115.41	120	1.04	21		
Jeff Lemert	161.12	130	0.81	16		
Rob Strohmeier .22	62.17	130	2.09	42		
2-2-2						
	Time	%				
J. Fritz	27.68	100				
Dennis Lawrence	29.81	93				
Rick Hupp	39.36	70				
Mark Sapp	39.67	70				
Doug Schultheis	65.07	43				
Jack Strong	70.19	39				
Jeff Lemert	94.10	29				
Cris Rensi	107.20	26				
Larry Holland	128.05	22				
Rob Strohmeier .22	70.30	39				
5-5-5						
	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	=3	%	
Rick Hupp	6.29	4.99	6.79	18.07	100	
J. Fritz	5.64	7.70	5.99	19.33	93	
Jack Strong	7.34	6.96	11.46	25.76	70	
Mark Sapp	10.10	6.94	9.78	26.82	67	
Dennis Lawrence	8.29	16.19	6.53	31.01	58	
Cris Rensi	8.38	14.61	17.43	40.42	45	
Doug Schultheis	9.86	19.48	11.65	40.99	44	
Larry Holland	19.08	22.93	32.57	74.58	24	
Jeff Lemert	42.30	38.70	N/T	N/T	0	
Rob Strohmeier .22	10.33	5.87	12.96	29.16	62	
	%					
MATCH TOTAL						
Rick Hupp	90					
J. Fritz	83					
Dennis Lawrence	78					
Mark Sapp	67					
Jack Strong	49					
Doug Schultheis	44					
Cris Rensi	42					
Larry Holland	22					
Jeff Lemert	15					
Rob Strohmeier .22	48					