

# Newsletter

# Land of Legend

# Rifle & Pistol Club

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## **Tuesday Night Skeet Results**

The Tuesday Night Skeet League held its banquet November 14<sup>th</sup>. The top three finishers were.....drum roll please....

3<sup>rd</sup> place Fred Smith, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Gene Sanor, and 1<sup>st</sup> place Jim Nelson. The entire listing is below with each shooter's average.

## **Scheduling Meeting**

The scheduling meeting was very productive, and a draft copy of the 2007 events is attached. Some additional fun matches are likely to be added and it is not too late to contact Fred Smith if you have some other suggestions.

You will notice we have increased the number of Steel Matches and Action Rifle Matches as they were reasonably well attended this past year. Written descriptions of these matches will be available in the next few months to entice even more shooters.

We have also planned at least 2 Youth .22 Matches. The exact format for these matches is still being discussed but in general they will be .22 rifle matches for young people under the age of 18. The club plans to provide the ammo for all participants and rifles for those who need them. Get the word out to young people you know because they are the future of our sport.

Also note that the IDPA matches will be starting at 3:00 while the range is still open to the public. This is an intentional effort to expose more people

to the matches and hopefully recruit more shooters. Time will tell.

## **Interior Decorating**

A few months ago Fred Smith and I had the opportunity to visit one of great interior decorators of the country, at least in our minds. You probably will not see Rick Hupp on the cover of Better Homes and Gardens or Architectural Digest, but just maybe on Guns and Ammo or Handloader.

Most of us know Rick as the terror of bowling pin shooting. At our last match, the fastest table in Open Class by another shooter was 3.86 seconds. Rick's slowest table was 2.94 seconds. I am pretty sure he has done this before.

I am also sure that he isn't shooting factory ammo or reloads put together with a Lee Loader. This level of shooting takes quality equipment, quality loads, and tons of practice. That being said, Rick's new reloading bench may still be over the top.

Words cannot adequately describe it, but I will try. (Check out the pictures for the best effect.) The bench covers most of two interior walls of a large basement room. There appears to be over 20 to 25 feet of benchtop. (as I remember, Rick can confirm.) It is topped with oak flooring that makes it as solid as a rock. There is enough storage below the bench in drawers and behind doors that I was afraid to let my wife see the pictures because she would have me remodeling our kitchen. Along the back edge of the benchtop is a boxed in

section containing some storage and outlets for compressed air. Everyone spills some powder on his or her presses sometime, but Rick can just snap in a hose and just blow away the powder. (The compressor is located in another room for quiet reloading.) A pull out drawer holds "many" specialty dies while several tool heads complete with dies and powder measures sit conveniently on the rear shelf. I believe I counted 5 presses and sizers mounted on the bench at one time with room for plenty more. There is of course excellent lighting from numerous overhead lights. Overall the bench, or more accurately, the reloading room is something most of us can only dream of.

## **Upcoming Events**

December 10 Bowling Pin Match  
December 10 Dillon closes for the season  
TBA Executive Committee Mtg.

NOVEMBER 12 PIN MATCH

<b>STOCK CLASS</b>	<b>RUN 1</b>	<b>RUN 2</b>	<b>RUN 3</b>	<b>RUN 4</b>	<b>BEST 3/4</b>
1 Rick Hupp	4.02	5.49	NT	<b>3.59</b>	13.10
2 Pat Murray	4.52	5.42	4.54	4.26	13.32
3 Fred Smith	9.85	7.15	6.13	7.48	20.76
4 Steve Kurtz	NT	9.16	5.71	8.72	23.59
5 Jeff Tytus	6.47	19.55	6.85	10.57	23.89
6 Jim Sweeney	5.42	NT	10.04	9.60	25.06
7 John Davis	9.12	10.33	5.87	NT	25.32
8 Roger Morales	11.15	8.93	28.03	6.24	26.32
9 Jim Caudill	6.59	14.26	15.44	6.10	26.95
10 John Shamp	11.74	25.95	14.29	11.25	37.28
11 Dick Velican	7.13	22.11	8.50	25.42	37.74
12 Harlan Howard	15.54	24.64	NT	8.14	48.32
13 Liz Davis	NT	32.02	46.37	43.78	122.17
14 Larry Holland	NT	22.53	11.35	NT	NT
14 Austin Mick*	NT	8.72	NT	36.91	NT
14 Tom Noone	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT

<b>OPEN CLASS</b>	<b>RUN 1</b>	<b>RUN 2</b>	<b>RUN 3</b>	<b>RUN 4</b>	<b>BEST 3/4</b>
1 Rick Hupp	2.94	2.75	2.61	<b>2.55</b>	7.91
2 Pat Murray	3.86	4.82	4.89	4.75	13.43
3 Dick Velican	6.00	6.49	4.23	3.95	14.18
4 Roger Morales	6.16	4.76	9.06	4.55	15.47
5 Jim Caudill	6.82	5.30	4.56	11.28	16.68
6 Larry Holland	NT	5.04	6.52	5.49	17.05
7 Fred Smith	13.07	3.96	4.23	9.67	17.86
8 Jim Sweeney	9.21	6.29	7.10	4.70	18.09
9 John Davis	7.16	5.11	7.15	12.21	19.42
10 Jeff Tytus	9.53	5.42	20.03	6.99	21.94
11 Harlan Howard	21.72	6.47	5.10	11.36	22.93
12 Steve Kurtz	20.22	7.15	10.66	7.50	25.31
13 Liz Davis	13.15	30.01	NT	13.25	56.41
14 John Shamp	6.34	37.03	13.61	36.56	56.51
15 Tom Noone	NT	NT	21.25	27.30	NT
15 Austin Mick*	8.94	10.54	9.13	26.14	28.61

<b>PIN TOPS</b>	<b>RUN 1</b>	<b>RUN 2</b>	<b>RUN 3</b>	<b>RUN 4</b>	<b>BEST 3/4</b>
1 Rick Hupp	NT	<b>4.87</b>	7.96	4.14	16.97
2 Larry Holland	6.29	6.18	5.32	8.37	17.79
3 Pat Murray	7.09	6.66	6.90	8.52	20.65
4 Steve Kurtz	5.65	10.37	6.38	9.24	21.27
5 Jim Caudill	8.18	7.15	6.00	10.05	21.33
6 Jim Sweeney	4.93	8.37	8.60	10.99	21.90
7 Liz Davis	7.83	8.11	6.98	9.29	22.92
8 Fred Smith	8.12	8.98	7.21	8.70	24.03
9 Austin Mick	6.04	36.68	7.44	12.45	25.93
10 Roger Morales	8.45	8.80	13.32	9.28	26.53
11 John Davis	14.78	21.33	18.04	6.19	39.01
12 Dick Velican	NT	14.02	7.48	22.23	43.73
13 Harlan Howard	10.96	22.89	10.77	NT	44.62
14 Jeff Tytus	33.14	NT	10.78	12.22	56.14