Diablo Rod & Gun Club

August 2012 Newsletter and Events Schedule

FUN SHOOT A GREAT SUCCESS

IT WAS FUN AND EXCITING FOR ALL AGES Chaired by Dennis Winslow



















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SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING EVENTS

August 2012

| AUG 18 SAT | SPORTING CLAYS Carson Valley Sporting Clays, Gardenville, NV | | | | | | |
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| | LOW POWER RIFLE - COWBOY LEVER ACTION SILHOUETTES | | MP RANGE | | | | |
| AUG 19 SUN | SPORTING CLAYS Battle Born, Carson City, NV | 10: 00 AM | | | | | |
| AUG 19 SUN | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | | |
| | PISTOL CARTRIDGE SILHOUETTES | 1:00 PM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| | FIELD TARGET AIRGUN | ? | AP RANGE | | | | |
| AUG 21 TUE | CLUB SOCIAL | 5:30 PM | Club house | | | | |
| AUG 25 SAT | MEMBERS OPEN | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| MUSKETEERS | S | 1:00 PM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| AUG 26 SUN | HIGHPOWER RIFLE SILHOUETTES | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| | MUSKETEER SHOTGUN. NRA Qualification ShootUSI Skeet Field | 3: 30 PM—5 | :00 PM | | | | |
| | ACTION PISTOL - MULTI GUN MATCH Registration | 7:45 AM—8:30 | AM AP Range | | | | |
| September 2012 | | | | | | | |
| SEP 01 SAT | SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTES | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| SEP 02 SUN | MEMBERS OPEN | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| | AIRGUN SILHOUETTES | | | | | | |
| SEP 06 THU | CLUB MEETING | | | | | | |
| SEP 08 SAT | DIABLO CENTERFIRE SHOOT | | MP RANGE | | | | |
| | MUSKETEERS | | MP RANGE | | | | |
| SEP 09 SUN | DIABLO INTERNATIONAL PISTOL State Championship | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| SEP 15 SAT | BUCKSKINNERS | 9:00 AM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| | SMALLBORE COWBOY RIFLE SILHOUETTES | 1:00 PM | MP RANGE | | | | |
| SEPT 14, 15 & | 16 NORCAL CHAMPIONSHIP—Stockton | | | | | | |
| SEP 16 SUN | BAYPOINT-CONCORD. | 9:00 AM | | | | | |
| | MUSKETEERS | 1:00 PM | MP RANGE | | | | |
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PLEASE NOTE: 2012 Silhouette Matches Schedule Changes

Diablo sponsors 10 sanctioned NRA Silhouette Events on the USI Multi Purpose Range. Most are held on a regular schedule. As an example: Smallbore Rifle is monthly on the 1st sat at 9am. Air Gun is monthly, but at 1300 on the 1st Sun. Some are Bi Monthly like Small Bore Hunter (odd month) on either the 3rd sat or sun at 1300 and Pistol Cartridge Cowboy at 1300 on the alternative 3rd sat or sun (even month). One match, the Long Range Pistol – Low Power Rifle is even months at 9am. High Power Rifle Silhouettes is the 4th Sun on even months at 9am.

ACTIVITY INFORMATION

RIFLE AND PISTOL: You need 30 rounds for a match. Shooting is by squads. Firearms must be sighted in already. The cost is \$6.00 per event. The events are scoped rifle, scoped pistol, iron sight rifle, and iron sight pistol. Shooting is done from 3 positions with a minimum of 10 rounds offhand (standing) and a maximum of 10 rounds prone. To be eligible for awards at the end of the year you must shoot in at least three matches of the five matches during 2012. FFI Dennis Winslow (510) 652-3319 or dmwinslow@aol.com.

APPAREL/MERCHANDISE: Diablo Rod & Gun Club Attire is available for purchase from T. J. Houchins or any Officer or Director at the Club House (when they are there). Sweatshirts, T-shirts, Hats (2 colors), Club Patches (2 sizes, to sew on jackets, shirts, jackets, or whatever), Polo Shirts, and (if they're in stock) Hooded & Zippered Sweatshirts are available for reasonable prices. There are also some items available in XXL and XXXL sizes. There are several styles of club hats available. Sterling buckles and other items with the Diablo logo are also available. FFI – tjhouchins@comcast.net

RIMFIRE & CENTERFIRE METALLIC SILHOUETTE/BENCHREST: Silhouette matches are for rifles and pistols, at silhouette targets, Offhand or Varmint Class, (no slings or jackets). It costs \$7 and you need 60 rounds for a match. Sign-in for matches (except Airgun) begins at 9:00 AM; shooting starts at 9:30 AM. No .50 cal. rifles allowed except at .50 cal. Shoots. FFI: John Labash (925) 709-9199.

DIABLO SOCIAL: The next Social will be on Tuesday, August 21 - 5:30 p.m. The Club will provide the finger foods and drinks, including sodas, beer, wine, and spirits. Diablo members, family, and guests are invited to come by, grab a snack, a drink, and visit with other club members. Socials are always on the third Tuesday of the month. FFI call Mark Hadox (925) 813-2535.

AIRGUN SILHOUETTE:

We shoot Air Pistol and Air Rifle Silhouette on the first Sunday of the month on our USI Multi Purpose Range at 13:00. Expert marksmen will find NRA Air Rifle Silhouette a challenge; shooting at $1/10^{th}$ scale silhouettes of a chicken, pig, turkey and ram with air rifles offhand at 20, 30, 36 and 45 yards respectively. Most shooters, even novices will typically knock down enough targets to feel like a youngster in a shooting gallery shooting Air Pistol Silhouette and our DR&G Short-Range Air Rifle Silhouette $1/10^{th}$ scale targets of a chicken, pig, turkey and ram at 10, 12.5, 15 and 18 yards respectively. We shoot 3 classes of NRA Air Rifle Silhouette; Open, Target, and Sporter, 2 classes of NRA Air Pistol Silhouette; Standing and Open Sight Standing, 3 classes of IH-MSA Air Pistol Silhouette; Standing, Unlimited Standing, and Unlimited Standing Iron Sight and 4 of our own DR&G Airgun games; Short-Range Air Rifle (SAR), Long-Range Air Pistol (LAP), Varmint Air Pistol (VAP) and Varmint Air Rifle (VAR) silhouette. Juniors can shoot all matches with rifles and pistols supported on our shooting benches. Cost for our match is \$7.00 per day, juniors shoot free. We usually have a POTLUCK BBQ with grilled hotdogs, mild link sausages, and/or Boomer's famous grilled hamburgers with all the fixing's at the conclusion of the match. Contact michaelaber@hotmail.com or 707.315.9796 for more information.

August 5, 2012 AIRGUN SILHOUETTE MATCH RESULTS:

IHMSA Air Pistol Unlimited Standing: Mike Aber 24/40 IHMSA Air Pistol Unlimited Standing Iron Sight: Paul Alexander 32/40 NRA Outdoor Air Pistol Standing: Don Buenting 29/40 NRA Outdoor Air Pistol Open Sight Standing: George Meamber 22/40 NRA Outdoor Open Air Rifle: George Meamber 20/40 NRA Outdoor Sporter Air Rifle: James Frazier 25/40 DR&G Sporter Class Short-Range Air Rifle: Pat Radler 26/40 Open Class Varmint Air Rifle: Jim Whittlesey 40/40

REMINDER: Our September 2nd match is cancelled. Our next Airgun Silhouette Match is Sunday October 7th at 1300.

ACTION PISTOL: Next activity August 26 Multi-gun match Registration 7:45—8:30 am Those wanting to participate in Action Pistol activities are required to take the orientation class first, that is on the first Saturday of the month Chris Payne is our Orientation Class Coordinator and has the full schedule for the year. He is the one to contact for a class slot and initial information. He can be contacted at class@diabloactionpistol.com. We also have some information cards available for those who are interested.

M 1 GARAND & MILITARY RIFLE: Every 5th Saturday of each month M4—M16 carbine. Other carbines welcome. Next shoot September 29th 3 matches shooting all day. Contact Bob at (925) 348-2608 Email R.E.frost44mag@astound.net

SKEET:: Rod Guyette (925) 934-9455

AIR GUN FIELD TARGET: Next activity August 19th This outdoor event uses "sporter-type" air rifles **and pistols** shooting at small game falling silhouette targets with a trip plate. The cost to shoot is \$5 and classifications include Pre-Charged, Spring-Piston, and possibly Offhand. FFI call Kevin Yee.

IMPALEMENT ARTS: The "Impalement Arts" is the art throwing knifes, tomahawks, cleavers, screwdrivers, shovels and various implements. There are throwing knives and tomahawks available as loaners if you don't have your own. If you would like to learn this craft, come down to the throwing range. The Impalement range is well lighted and we will be open during USI Business Hours. Bullwhip snapping and boomerang tossing are now part of the activities. we have expanded our repertoire to include some of the cowboy arts such as trick roping, handgun spinning, fast draw ,and of course whip cracking. We have also added some circus artsjuggling, baton handling and fire eating----no kiddin'. There is some instructional material available on this stuff. Anyone interested in the impalement arts contact John to verify instruction and orientation times at: John Labash(925) 709-9199.

Results of 8/11 American Knife Throwers Association Event

Knife EventTomahawk EventConcord Sportsmens Hawkathon1 Todd Oates1 Tom O'brian1 John Labash2 Tom O'brian2 Todd Oates2 Tom O'brian3 John Labash3 John Labash3 Todd Oates

SPORTING CLAYS: Cost to shoot, approximately \$35.00, club fees at each place. Junior's fees are paid by Diablo Rod and Gun Club. No need to register ahead of time. Just come on down for some fun. Learn from more experienced shooters in a casual environment . HOA = \$50 and 4 Lewis Class Prizes = \$30 (must belong to a USI Club to win) The Poker continues. Next event Friday, August 17th 9 am Carson Valley Sporting Clays, Gardnerville, NV. We will join with the Side X Side Shoot, but you don't have to shoot a Side X Side, they allow all to shoot, includes lunch. Sunday Aug. 19 10 am Battle Born, Carson City. NV This is a new course near Carson City. For more info. Contact Daniel at (925) 335-9193 or email Citori28guage@aol.com

YOUTH PROMOTIONS: Youth shooters are the future of our sport. Children and Grandchildren of Diablo members, who are between the ages of 8 and 18, may participate in Youth Rifle & Pistol, and Shotgun activities. Rifle & Pistol use .22 cal. rimfire only and shoot at the Multi-Purpose Range. Ammunition is supplied at the rifle events. Some loaner rifles are available, but the shooters should provide their own firearms and parents should help out. During the shoots, a responsible adult, OTHER THAN the range officers, must supervise youth shooters. FFI – Ken Rogers. Shotgun events are at the Skeet Fields and shooters need their own shotguns. FFI – Rod Guyette (934-9455).

Diablo Rod & Gun Club

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COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

| Youth Promotions: | Ken Rogers | | Membership: | Matt Pendergast | 726-4321 |
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| Webmaster | Rod Guyette (Shotgun) webmasterdrgc@gmail.c | 934-9455 om | Trophy Awds: | Robert Frost Brian O'Neal OPEN | 348-2608 |
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| USI RIFLE & PISTO | OL RANGE | 676-1963 | | | |

B.O.D. MEETING: AS CALLED FOR, IN THE CLUBHOUSE

CLUB MEETING: THURSDAY, September 6, 2012 - 7:30PM

FOR 2012 RANGE DATES
PLEASE VISIT THE
WEBSITE
diablorodandgun.com

All telephone numbers are Area Code 925 unless otherwise noted



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Please submit any articles, letters, schedules, activities, and photos to Ellison Dunlap At westcoastarts@aol.com

2012 KNIFE AND TOMAHAWK TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE DIABLO/CONCORD SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

SEPTEMBER 30 SUN. IKTHOF FORMAT NOVEMBER 17 SAT. AKTA FORMAT

UNITED SPORTSMEN, INC. IMPALEMENT RANGE 9:30 DEMOS FUN THROWS COMPETITION

5.00 LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

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