



Diablo Rod & Gun Club

November 2013 Newsletter and Events Schedule

CONGRATULATIONS GOES TO QUINCY WINSHIP

Quincy Winship is 18 and a senior at Clayton Valley Charter High School where she is a member of the Public Service Academy. Quincy competes on the CVCHS Varsity water polo team and the Varsity lacrosse team as well as a member of the CVCHS Trap team. She is a scholar athlete and a member of the California Scholastic Federation. In addition to school activities she is also involved in the Civil Air Patrol which is a US Air Force Auxiliary youth program where she has earned the rank of Chief Master Sergeant.

She plans to attend a college with an Air Force ROTC Program and is hoping to earn a clay target scholarship and pursue her love of the sport on a college team. Last summer Quincy competed with the Diablo Marksman Skeet Team in the US Open Youth Clay Shooting Championships in Las Vegas and earned Third place in individual skeet competition and won 2nd place in the team skeet division.



Quincy grew up for 10 years aboard our family sailboat in Central and South America. While in Panama the US Navy SEAL's used a nearby military base to conduct jungle warfare training. They took her under their wing, teaching her survival skills and also teaching her how to safely operate and shoot a variety of firearms. She was 10 years old and the Navy SEAL's professionalism, high moral character and esprit de corps left a lasting impression on her. When we returned to the United States four years ago, our family joined the Diablo Rod and Gun Club in Concord where Quincy became involved in their Youth "Musketeer" Program.

This month Quincy was awarded the Triple Distinguished Expert Award from the National Rifle Association of America. To achieve the highest rating in the NRA's Marksmanship Qualification Program, Quincy had to qualify as a Distinguished Expert in all three firearm disciplines; rifle, pistol and shot gun. Quincy is the first member of the Diablo Rod and Gun Club to achieve this level of expertise and only the 122nd person in the United States to earn this award.

Dear Board Members,

Our family would like to thank you for presenting Quincy Winship with her NRA Triple Distinguished Expert Award at the last board meeting.

Thank you again for your support.

Kindest Regards,

Bruce Winship

SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING EVENTS

November 2013

NOV 16 SAT	MUSKETEERS.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	MEMBERS OPEN.....	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
NOV 17 SUN	BUCKSKINNERS 9:00 AM	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	SMALLBORE COWBOY RIFLE SILHOUETTES	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
NOV 19 TUE	CLUB SOCIAL.....	Gather and help set up at 5:15 eat at 5:45 PM Club House	
NOV 23 SAT	COWBOY LEVER ACTION SILHOUETTES (AND LOW POWER RIFLE).....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
NOV 24 SUN	BAYPOINT-CONCORD	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	BENCHREST.....	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
	ACTION PISTOL..... IDPA match	Registration 7:45AM- 8:30 AM AP RANGE	
NOV 30 SAT	DIABLO M1 GARAND.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	MILITARY-CMP MATCH	12:00 NOON	MP RANGE

December 2013

DEC 01 SUN	MEMBERS OPEN	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	AIRGUN SILHOUETTES	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
DEC 5 THU	MONTHLY CLUB MEETING.....	7:30PM at the Club House	
DEC 07 SAT	SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTES.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	CONCORD	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
	ACTION PISTOL ORIENTATION.....	registration promptly 8:00AM AP RANGE	
	KNIFE CLUB (FUN DAY).....	Impalement Range..... 10:00 AM—1:00PM	
DEC 08 SUN	BRENTWOOD-WALNUT CREEK.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	MEMBERS OPEN	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
	ACTION PISTOL.....USPSA style match.....	Registration 7:45AM- 8:30 AM AP RANGE	
DEC 14 SAT	MEMBERS OPEN.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	MUSKETEERS.....	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
DEC 15 SUN	BUCKSKINNERS.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	PISTOL CARTRIDGE SILHOUETTES.....	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
DEC 21 SAT	MEMBERS OPEN.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	MUSKETEERS.....	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
DEC 22 SUN	HIGHPOWER RIFLE SILHOUETTES.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	BENCHREST.....	1:00 PM	MP RANGE
	ACTION PISTOL.....Multi Gun match	Registration 7:45AM- 8:30 AM AP RANGE	
DEC 28 SAT	DIABLO M1 GARAND.....	9:00 AM	MP RANGE
	MILITARY MATCH-CMP.....	12:00 NOON	MP RANGE
DEC 29 SUN	AIRGUN FUN DAY		

**UNITED SPORTSMEN INC. IMPALEMENT ARTS RANGE
SANCTIONED COMPETITIONS**

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 16 9:30 AM IKTHOF

Lunch will be available for \$5.00

for more information please contact Andre Lepage at andre.lepage@sbcglobal.net

USI RULES
Do not pick
up lead
for your
safety

**THERE WILL BE NO SOCIAL
IN DECEMBER**

**Next Social
January 21, 2014**

AIR GUN: (Indoor)

will be starting up in

January 2014

Shoots are held on the

second and fourth Friday nights

Contact: Ken Rogers 925-831-1037.

2013 World Skeet Championships

Long time Diablo member Richard Fukatsu was awarded the 2012 Robert Nesbit award at the hall of fame dinner during this years world skeet championships. The Robert Nesbit award is a Veteran's concurrent award (70-79 age bracket) for high overall average in all four gauges combined with a 97.26% success rate. Also during this years world championships he won the Veteran's doubles class and finished 3rd in 20 gauge. He and his good friend Jim Humphreys dominated the two man team Veterans class by winning every gauge except 20 gauge were they place 2nd.

Richard Fukatsu



The Diablo Rod and Gun Club made donations of

\$500.00 to Wreaths Across America

\$500.00 to Loaves & Fishes

\$250.00 to Diabetic Youth Foundation

Pistol Cartridge Silhouette Results

For 10/19/2013

Match Director: Mike Elliott

We had 8 shooters participate on this beautiful Saturday afternoon. Two of the shooters were new silhouette shooters to our match, Brian Mathews and Michael Whitehead. Hope to see you two at the shoot again.

This is a 40 shot competition shooting at steel silhouettes placed 100, 75, 50 and 40 meters away. All but two shooter was shooting Cowboy Rifles, off-hand with iron sights. Two shooters were shooting a scoped pistol. You should try this competition some time. The silhouettes are large and it's very amusing.

AAA Class (regularly shoots 29 -34)
Don Buenting: (Scoped Pistol): 27/40

AA Class (regularly shoots 22-28)
Kevin Newton: (Cowboy Rifle) 24/40

A Class (regularly shoots 15-21)
David Kieselbach (Cowboy Rifle) 23/40
Byron Montague (Cowboy Rifle) 15/40
Mike Elliott (Cowboy Rifle) 10/40

B Class (regularly shoots 0-14)
Brian Mathews (Cowboy Rifle) 20/40
Michael Whitehead (Cowboy Rifle) 20/40
Hank Roll (Scoped Pistol) 18/40

We all had a lot of laughs and a great time. Come out to this Pistol Cartridge Silhouette shoot with any straight walled pistol cartridge gun you have, pistol or rifle and try the fun!!!

High Power Silhouette Results

10/27/2013

Match Director: Dennis Winslow

This is the Real Deal Original Off-Hand Silhouette Shoot. It is a 40 round match with high powered rifles shooting at small steel targets 200 yards away. Come out and try it or come out and watch.

Off Hand Shooters

AA Class (Shoots 20-25)

Brian Kelly 20/40 - Great Shooting Brian!

Dennis Winslow 10/40

A Class (Shoots 13-19)

B Class (Shoots 0-12)

Kevin Newton 16/40

Will Rogers 13/40

George Meamber 6/40

Varmint Shooters (Off the Bench)

Jeff Atchison 40/40 - 100% Great Shooting!!!

Will Rogers 19/40

George Meamber 17/40

ACTION PISTOL CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

November 7, 2013

Since last month we've had three activities at the Action Pistol Range

- 13 Oct. - USPSA style match 91 New shooters
- 27 Oct. - MultiGun style match style match 22 shooters
- 2 Nov. - Orientation Class 9 new shooters

Between now and our next meeting there are two activities on the schedule

- 10 Nov. USPSA style match Reg. 7:45 –8:30 am
- 24 Nov. IDPA Match Reg.7:45 –8:30 am

for more info please see "Activity Information" on page 4 or
contact:

Jim Endress: 925-482-4480
or j-endress@comcast.net.

Rimfire silhouettes 11/ 02/13

We got out a more complete distribution on the Rimfire Silhouette Match reminder email this time, and several first time competitors participated Welcome, Guys!

I'm having some trouble deciphering some signatures, so pardon any misinterpretations.

Results: (all scores / 60 possible)

Varmint Class

Mike Elliott 58
Tom Jobe 51
Joe Blaha 50
Phil Anderson 50
Ron Greenwell 50
Bob Price 47
Cass Boihua 42
Pat Radler 38
Vern Lemke 36
Bobby Lee 30
RL Washburn 30

Hunter Class

AAA Al Bolla 34
AA Erick Ko 29
A Kevin Newton 22
B Chaz 16
Joe Martinson, Phil Anderson 12
Yoshi Obi 10

We are working to upgrade our reminder email lists, but don't wait- mark your calendars for the next Rimfire Silhouette Match. It will be Sat., Dec. 7. Set up 0815, hot for practice 0830, Hot for record 0930.
See you there, Mike, RSO

ACTIVITY INFORMATION

ACTION PISTOL: Please check the schedule on page 2 for our next activities. The cost to shoot is \$15. Results of all shoots are posted on the Action Pistol web page,. Sign-in for all matches begins at 7:45 AM and closes at 8:30 AM. In order to maintain safety in these gun sports ,all Action Pistol shooters, including Juniors, age 12 to 18, who want to participate in the action pistol activities **must complete the Orientation Course**. The next Orientation Class is on Nov. 2, 2013. The fee for these classes is \$15, plus \$15 for the match. Christopher Payne is our Orientation Class Coordinator and has the full class schedule for the year. He's the one to contact for the class slot and initial information. He can be contacted at Class@DiabloActionPistol.com. We also have some information cards available for those who are interestedClasses are held on the first Saturday of each month. at the Hunter Education Building, next to the Action Pistol Range. FFI–Diablo Action Pistol: Jim Endress: 925-482-4480 or j-endress@comcast.net.

AIR GUN FIELD TARGET: held on the third Sunday of the month we shoot Air Rifle Field Target (and Air Pistol) at the Action Pistol Course at 09:00. We shoot "knock down" type targets at ranges from 10-55 yards. The matches follow standard AAFTA rules and classes. We foster a collegial type of shooting environment where one can learn and develop skills at their own pace. Airguns vary from inexpensive \$150 spring guns to full blown Anschutz match rifles. Airguns for this sport are limited to 20fpe of energy. Protective eye wear is required. Cost for the match is \$5.00 per day, juniors shoot free. We usually have a POTLUCK BBQ with grilled hotdogs or mild link sausages for lunch. At the conclusion of the FT match we host an open shooting session or pistol match. FFI New chairperson Doug Burke at dougburke@sbcglobal.net

AIR GUN: (Indoor) Shoots are held on the **second and fourth Friday nights** each month from January through May. All shooting is done offhand (standing) at paper targets so some shooting experience is required. All shoots are held in the clubhouse and there are Club guns available for shooters who don't have their own. Juniors (ages 8 to 18) shoot free, but those over 16 shoot in the adult classifications. Competition is by classification (shooting against other shooters in your class) except for the high overall scores. Everyone who shoots at least six matches has a chance to win something. Initiation Fee is \$5.00 and \$2.50 for each match. Sign-up starts at 6:30 PM and shooting starts at 7:00 PM. FFI Ken Rogers :925-831-1037.

AIRGUN, RIMFIRE & CENTERFIRE METALLIC SILHOUETTE: 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. **Smallbore Rife held 1st Sat. of each month at 9 am; High Power Rifle 4th Sun. on even months at 9am; Air Gun 1st Sun. of each month at 1pm; Smallbore Cowboy Rifle 3rd Sat.or Sun. of odd months 1 pm; Pistol Cartridge 3rd Sat. or Sun of even months at 1 pm; Low-power Rifle/Cowboy lever – Action odd months.** FFI - Email Kevin Newton at knewton@newtonandcompany.com

APPAREL/MERCHANDISE: Diablo Rod & Gun Club Attire is available for purchase from 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.

BENCHREST: Diablo Rod & Gun Club's monthly Benchrest Match is held every 4th Sunday at the 200yd Multi-Purpose Range. Sign in begins at 1pm, followed immediately by a Safety Briefing before we begin shooting. Scoped Centerfire shooters compete at 200yds and Open-Sight Centerfire at 100yds. Scoped Rimfire shooters compete at 100yds and Open-Sight Rimfire at 50yds. Awards are given for 1st place in each of the four classes. This is a "Score" match, not a Smallest Group contest, so any accurate gun is welcome. This is a Bench match (no Prone) with shots fired from the bench using a mechanical-rest, bipod or sand bags. Bring your own sandbags. You are welcome to use your own Wind Flags, if you have them. The Rimfire match(es) takes place first, then the Centerfire match(es). Bring two rifles and shoot both. Shooters have 30 minutes to fire FOUR 5-shot groups and can fire an unlimited number of Sighters shots during the firing period. Bring enough rounds for 20 Record Shots and sufficient Sighter shots; around 30 to 50 total.

IMPORTANT! If your rifle scope cannot make out your bullet holes on targets at 100 and 200 yards, bring a spotting scope that can. Open-sighted shooters will, of course, require a spotting scope. Cost is \$5 per rifle, per Relay. This is a low-key, non-registered match. Shooting is supposed to be fun - and that's the main goal. Scores & awards will be announced immediately following the match, which should finish by 3:00/3:30. Spectators are welcome, just need to have eye and ear protection. FFI-Bob Ariana at bob.ariana@comcast.net or 925-216-4688.

DIABLO SOCIAL: The next Social will be on **Tuesday, November 19 - Gather and help set up at 5:15 eat at 5:45 PM. NO SOCIAL IN DECEMBER.** 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 Ellison Dunlap (510) 465-3699

IMPALEMENT ARTS: The "Impalement Arts" is the art throwing knives, 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 arts-juggling , baton handling and fire eating----no kiddin'. There is some instructional material available on this stuff. Anyone interested in the impalement arts contact **The new Impalement chairman - Andre Lepage** at andre.lepage@sbcglobal.net

M 1 GARAND & MILITARY RIFLE: M4—M16 carbine. Other carbines welcome. Contact Bob at (925) 348-2608
Email R.E.frost44mag@astound.net

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 2013. FFI Dennis Winslow (510) 652-3319 or dmwinslow@aol.com

SKEET: FFI - Rod Guyette (925) 934-9455

SPORTING CLAYS: Finished for the year. Cost to shoot is approximately \$25.00, 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) For more information contact Daniel at (925) 335-9193 or email

TROPHY AWARDS: Jackets are awarded to those who catch the biggest fish and bag the biggest critters. Weigh fish (& measure the length and girth) at any bait shop or store. Make a note of where the fish was measured, with the phone number and name of a witness for verification, along with a picture. Contact Glenn or Barbara to get the birds and antlers measured at the clubhouse. Always take pictures of you and your critter and bring them in to share with the other hunters and fishermen (& women). The categories for 2012 are: Coast Deer (Early Season, Calif), Late Season Inland Deer, Calif., Pheasant, Trout, Turkey, Elk, Pig, Duck Wing, Steel Head, Large Mouth Bass. Awards are given for all categories. Juniors are the future of all outdoor sporting activities, so get 'em out to learn about the great outdoors. Runners up will now get jackets. FFI call Glenn or Barbara Ashworth (925) 395-6647 or email longbeardfun@yahoo.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. Shotgun events are at the Skeet Fields and shooters need their own shotguns. FFI – Rod Guyette (934-9455).

IMPORTANT CLUB MEETING

Thursday, Dec 5 - 7:30 pm

at the Club House

Voting on By Law changes

BE THERE

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF DIABLO ROD & GUN CLUB

President:	Bart McGlothin	(925) 405-5871
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Dec. Newsletter Deadline—December 7, 2013

Please submit any articles, letters, schedules, activities,
and photos to

Ellison Dunlap At westcoastarts@aol.com

*If you have any information about the passing or the serious illness of a Diablo Rod & Gun Club Member please contact Sunshine Chairperson, Rose Henry at:
510-219-8148 or e-mail revlover45acp@gmail.com.*



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NEW IMPROVED RANGE IS OPEN
COME TAKE A LOOK!

please no broad head arrows or crossbows

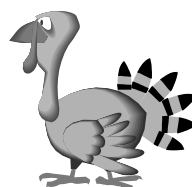
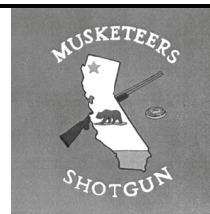
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