

MEETINGS

Board Meeting 1st Thursday 6:30 PM - Meeting Hall

General Meeting 2nd Thursday 7:15 PM Meeting Hall

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The Presidents' Corner!

****WORK PARTY ON NOVEMBER 28****

This would be the perfect opportunity for some of the new Provisional members to get in their volunteer time. (And a great way for the rest of us to work off some of that Thanksgiving meal we just ate)

New members

Welcome to all of our new members. Your Board of Directors is wishing the best of luck with your membership in our association and looking forward to many years of serving each other to maintain a safe and fun environment. Please plan ahead and get your six hour volunteer time done as soon as possible.

Clubhouse Closure

The clubhouse (Meeting Hall) will be closed to all traffic on November 21. Dave Hood and his crew will be in there stripping and re-waxing the floors. This will take all day and into the evening. If you bring food up to the range be sure to bring a cooler. There will be no access to any of the appliances.

Kiosks

The information boards on the range sign-in/out kiosks are for official range information only. The kiosks are NOT to be used to hang personal messages by the general membership. {That is what the bulletin boards in the clubhouse are for}. The kiosk spaces (Excluding the sign in/out green sheets) are for use by the Board of Directors and the Chief Range Safety Officer only. Their purpose is to keep the membership informed of any changes in schedule, emergency closures, etc. Thank you all for your cooperation in this matter.

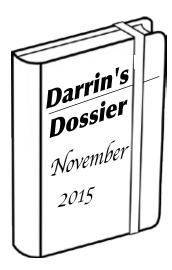
Kudos

To all of our Shoot Chairs. The men and women who come up to the range each and every month (some are here several times a month) to set up, run and clean up after each and every shoot. These folks put in a lot of volunteer hours and hard work. Please join me in saying THANK YOU for all you do. Next time you see one of these people, say thanks.

***Safety Tip- ALWAYS: Firearms pointed in a safe direction; Finger off the trigger until ready to fire; Keep firearms unloaded until ready for use. All simple basics, yet, somehow we seem to forget.

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PLAY SAFE, STAY SAFE



for what we have.

I encourage you all to pause and consider all that we have to be thankful for. I am thankful that we have a strong membership of friendly, intelligent, talented, and passionate people. We have a facility that is well maintained and beautiful because we have members who volunteer to maintain and improve all of the features of the range. We have a team of RSOs, Trapmasters, and Shoot Chairs who volunteer their time to make sure that the range and events run safely and that all who come are welcome and safe. We have a Junior Marksmanship program that has no equal in the region and is run by some awesome volunteers as well as parents that are willing to pitch in. We have it really good here, let's all be thankful for all that we have to share and experience with each other.

Giving Thanks

Most of us consider

Thanksgiving to be the

one day of the year when

we all eat way more than we should. As the name

of the holiday implies, it is much more than that,

it is a time to count our

blessings and be grateful

calories don't count and

Make Time to Attend a General Meeting

Bring a friend to the next General Meeting and one or both of you could win a few bucks. At the last meeting Garth Warner won the \$25 door prize. Had he attended the meeting, Myron Wooley would have won the \$500 Attendance Prize. The next General Meeting is 11/12/2015. If you don't show up, you can't win.

Donor List (10/8/2015)

Thanks to all who donated to the raffle table at the last General Meeting – Bud Smith, Cal

Custom Guns, Ira Bryant, Al Anzalone, J.W. Bailey, Joyce & Frank Alessio, Lonnie Fowler, Eugene Demnianiuk, Ray Bucholz, Rich Sorcinelli, Pamela Tucker, Michael McKinney, Julie and Pendzich.

Range and Meeting Hall Upgrades

We are looking into remodeling and upgrading our very old kitchen. Board member Norm Porst is spearheading this project. We are estimating costs at this point. As always, any time members can help out it helps keep costs down. If you are a professional electrician, drywaller or painter and would like to donate some labor and/or material please contact Norm at nwporst@ gmail.com or 760-271-8016. Speaking of upgrades, we have many new and improved features at the range. A new portable BBQ, new doors on the Meeting hall, freshly painted, new backup power, etc. Please respect and help take care of these things and of course all Association property. After all, this is your range. Lastly, a shout out to all those who have helped on the many projects.

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<u>DEADLINES</u>

Items For the December Bulletin Due <u>Tuesday November, 17th</u>

Any and all requests for items to appear in the monthly bulletin should be routed through

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BLACK POWDER 9/27/2015

Pistol Craig Rogers.....5 Revolver Alan Chmielewski9 Richard Sorcinelli.....9 Garth Warner6 **Rifle Open Class** Garth Warner9 Alan Chmielewski6 **Rifle Primitive Class** Brad Speer.....7 Ren Everett.....0 **Rifle Cartridge Class** Joe Jelinek7 Tim Morrow6

ESCONDIDO BANDIDOS

10/3/2015

Match Winner
Bonnie Macfarlane (Junior Girl)127.03
Elder Statesman
Buck Garrett147.44
Senior

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Freddie T. Freeloader153.25
49er
Ramblen Man160.95
Lady Senior Paddy Wack269.07
Senior Duelist
Tejon Buckaroo

Clean Match Winners: Buck Garrett, Eeyore, Yul Lose

COMBAT MATCH

10/3/2015

Revolver	
Brian Lamb	1
Eric Jamois	1
Geoff Orchin	1
Semi-Auto	1
Terry Curry 126.63	1
Brian Lamb128.25	
Eric Jamois134.18	1
Shotgun	
Brian Lamb	I
Darrin Eaton	
Ben Hall	1

MUZZLE LOADER CONGRESS

10/4/2015

Flint Rifle

ATCH

Tom Arendell	163-2x
Neil Pisk	105
Brad Speer	92

Percussion Rifle

Neil Pisk	140
Garth Warner	.132-1x
Bud Smith	121

Rifle Categorical Awards

Masters Class	
Tom Arendell1	163-2x

Expert Class Garth Warner132-1x

Sharpshooter Class Neil Pisk......140

Marksman Class David Raichel.....114-1x

Pistol

Tom Arendell	183-3x
Garth Warner	172-2x
Ren Everett	166-1x

Pistol Categorical Awards

Expert Class Tom Arendell183-3x
Sharpshooter Class Garth Warner172-2x
Marksman Class Craig Rogers155-3x
Tradegun Tom Arendell
Guejito Longrifle Award

NRA PRECISION PISTOL 10/11/2015

Three Guns

Jon Eulette	2591-81X
Greg Walloch	
Dave Arney	2427-41X

Two Guns

Jim Corcoran	1492-19X
Pat Clarkson	1474-17X
Eran Fuchs	1386-09X

SMALL BORE SILHOUETTE

RESULTS

10/11/2015

1st Jim McKim	14/40
Mark Greenlee	12/40
Chris Johnson	12/40

AIR PISTOL SILHOUETTE 10/13/2015

Jim McKim	
Bill Townsend	
Tony Luna	

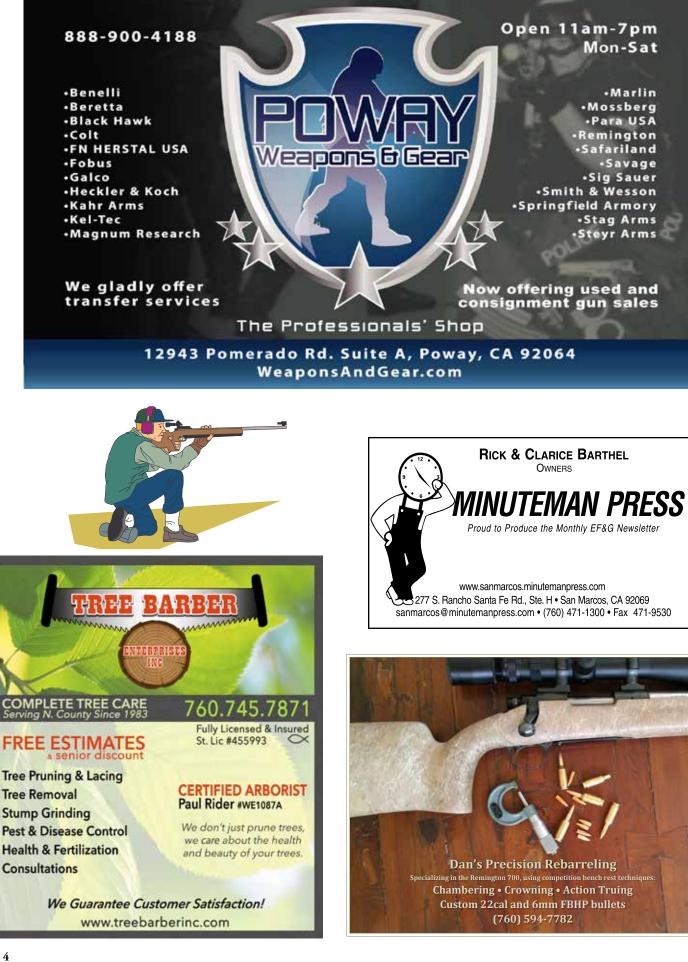
SMALLBORE RIFLE 10/17/2015

50 yards 4-position

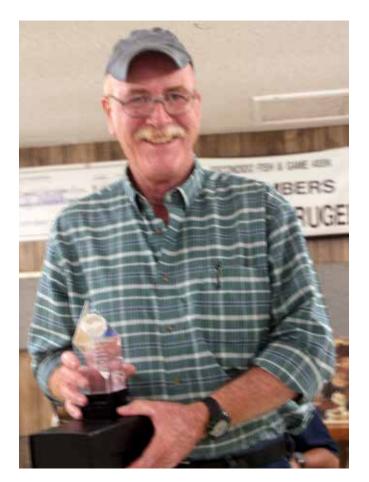
Mark Greenlee	362-09X
Mark Drambrowski	346-03X
Jim McKim	345-03X

TRAP STRAIGHTS SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2015

m	9/12 -James Gordon, Roger Moynihan,
A	**James Gordon -50 Straight**, ***Mark
m	Eller -75 Straight X 2***
A	9/16 -Dan Pescar, Tim Thalmayer, JB Singh
m	9/19 -*** Mark Eller -75 Straight***
Å	9/22 -Rich Davis, Joe Cortopassi, **Rich
m.	Davis Sr. X 2**, ****JB Singh -100
A	Straight****
A.	9/23 -*Jeff French -1st 25 STRAIGHT
h.	-SHOT HIS HAT!!*, **Steve Sparks and
A	Kyle Alberts -25 Straight at 5 Stand**,
A.	***Mark Eller -75 Straight***
A	9/26 -Darrin Eaton
	9/29 -***Rich Davis Sr75 Straight***
A	9/30 -Jim Vampola
	10/6 -Rich Davis
A	10/7 -JB Singh, Jason Kroepel
	10/10 -****JB Singh -100 Straight****
A	10/13 -**Freddie Corley- 50 Straight**
	10/14 -Darrin Eaton, Bob Vampola
A	10/17 -JB Sing X 2 (at 27 yds.), **Mark Eller -50 Straight**
	Congratulations to these trap shooters for
A	their success!
	then success:
16	



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Black Diamond Award Winner

Black Diamond Top Gun Black Powder rifle class winner Garth Warner (above) takes home the Diamond trophy and some magnificent buffalo art work by Kale Sims called "When The Dance Ends". Black Diamond Awards are open to everyone. If you own a black powder rifle or revolver and you would like to keep the spirit alive join us and you might become our next Diamond winner. Call Denny Martin, Tom Arenendell or Ray Bucholz for shoot information.

Reclaimed Shot for Sale

The lead miners have completed the work on the hill at the South side of the Trap Range and we now have plenty of reclaimed shot for sale. We mine the lead not only to recycle the product but also to be good stewards of the land that we use. Contact Dan Dorman or any Trapmaster for more information.

Turkey & Pot Shoot (11/21/2015)

No, we do not encourage people to smoke pot and shoot at live turkeys. This annual event is always a lot of great family-friendly fun. The shoot will take place starting at 9:00 AM and will continue until the turkeys are all gone. Compete to win a frozen turkey or stuffing from 3 different disciplines – 16-yard trap, 25-yard handicap, and 27-yard wobble. Tickets are \$5 per round or 5 tickets for \$20. The Pot shoot starts at 4:00 PM.

Cracker Shoot (Monthly, First Thursday)

This match is a fun and interesting competition where we shoot at Ritz crackers from 50 yards using .22 rimfire rifles. Each shooter takes turns attempting to decimate the crackers as they sway in the wind and the other shooters give each other a hard time. To make it more interesting we have been known to go to smaller targets like Cheeze-Its and Lifesavers (yes, at 50 yards using .22

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RANGEMASTER SOUND OFF

By: Tim Geiser – CRSO • crsoTim@aol.com

have mentioned it before and will probably do it again in the future as a constant reminder about the potential problems that come about from handling lead. It is not something that should be swept aside because lead can affect all of us. However, in all honesty my primary concern is with our youngsters. More often than not they shoot .22 cal ammunition which frequently uses straight lead bullets. The good news is that there is little need for concern if everyone uses good hygiene such as washing their hands after shooting and before eating.

Shooting Tip: If you have trouble making your handgun bullets go where you think they should be going, I recently read about an interesting exercise that may help. Assuming that you are using a semi-automatic on the range load a magazine, insert it into the gun and close the slide or rack the slide to load the first round. Next remove the magazine, aim at the target and fire the round. As soon as you come back on target aim and pull the trigger again. Since there is now no round in the chamber you will be able to easily detect whether you stay on target and be able to tell if you stayed on target or flinched. Sometimes you may need to adjust your trigger pull also. Follow the same procedure for one or two magazines. It may help in diagnosing the problem.

Each new member receives a copy of our range rules and regulations and is tested on their knowledge after we conduct a safety walk through the range. Unfortunately this has not always been the case and many of our long time members may well never have received the same treatment. I wish to correct that issue at soon as possible. So here is my offer: Any member who would like to see a current copy of our range rules, both **Safety and Administrative Rules**, can simply email me and request an electronic copy. Your faithful CRSO will be on it like white on rice. Truth be told, this is my attempt to make the job of our RSOs a bit easier. The more people working from the same knowledge base the better as far as I am concerned. Many of our rules have been worked out through years of experience and at times they may need to be changed or refined. Please review and comment as you see fit. The Board of Directors, and I, are always willing to accept input from the membership. Even if a particular issue does not get changed you can at least get clarification as to why it exists.

Last, but not least this column was originally designed as a forum for the membership to sound off also. It isn't just a way for me to yak about things you have no interest in. I am always looking for subject matter to expound upon.

P.S. If you left a pair of prescription glasses on the range in a black plastic case they are being held in the RSO lost and found.

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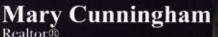
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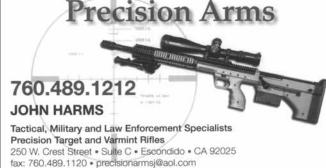
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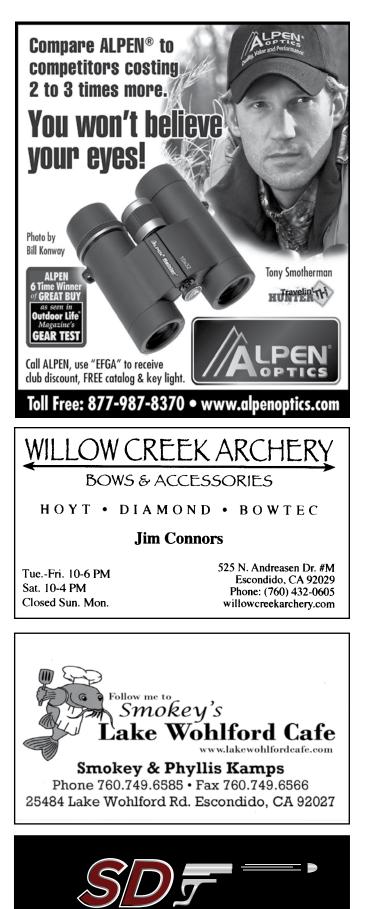






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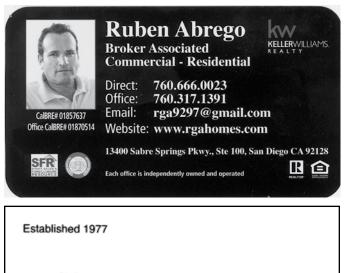
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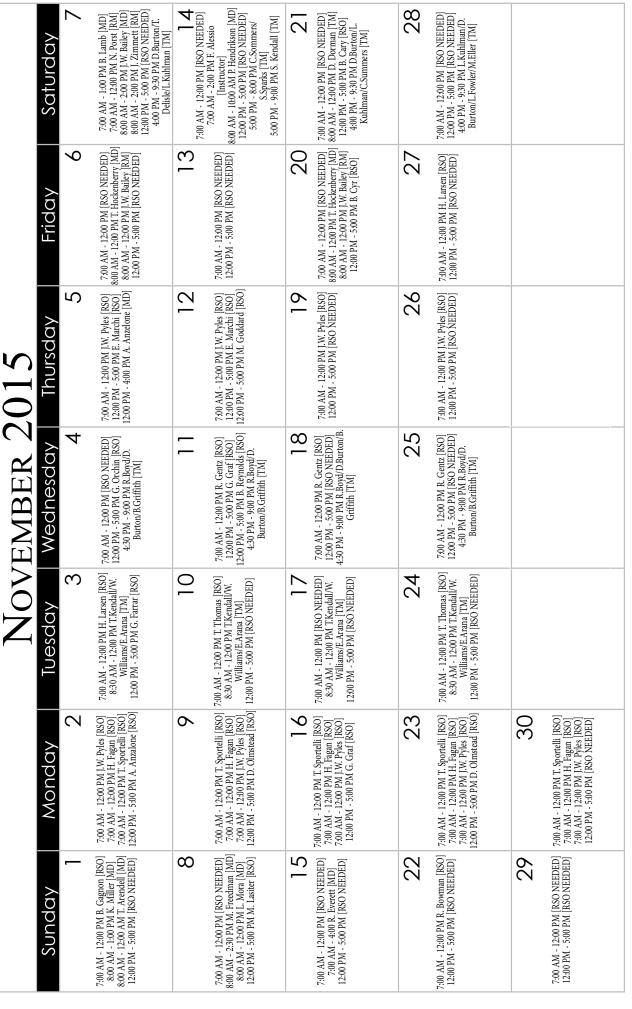
EF&GA RANGE CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 2015

Saturday	7:00 A) (*1 *2 (*1 *2 8:00 A) Shoot (Shoot ((setup 4:00 Pl) (setup	Primitive Riflemen (Campground) 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM Bow Hunter Ed (Mtg. Hall) 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM Hi-Power Match (*2) 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM Junior Trap (*2 *3) (setup at 3:30 PM) 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM Trap Practice (*2)	21 8:00 AM - 11:00 Smallbore Rifle (*4) 8:00 AM - 4:00 Turkey Shoot (*2 *3) 4:00 PM - 9:30 PM) (setup at 3:30 PM)	28 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM WORK PARTY ALL RANGES CLOSED (*6) 4:00 PM - 9:30 PM) Trap/Pot (*2 *3) (setup at 3:30 PM)	
Friday	6 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Cowboy Practice (*4) (setup at 7:00 AM)	13	200 AM - 12:00 PM Cowboy Practice (*4) (setup at 7:00 AM)	27	
Thursday	$\underbrace{ \begin{array}{c} \\ 12:00 \text{ PM} - 4:00 \text{ PM Cracker Shoot} \\ (*2 "7) \\ (*2 "7) \\ \textbf{BOARD} \\ \textbf{BOARD} \\ \textbf{6:30 PM} \\ \textbf{6:30 PM} \end{array} } $	12 GENERAL MEETING 7:15 PM	19 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Safety Walk- Throughs (*6)	26	
Wednesday	4 .30 PM - 9:00 PM Trap/5-stand (*2 *3)	1 1 4:30 PM - 9:00 PM Trap/Trap Doubles (*2 *3)	18 (*2 *3) - 9:00 PM Trap/5-stand	25 4:30 PM - 9:00 PM Trap/5-stand (*2 *3)	
Tuesday	3 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Trap/5-stand (*2 *3) 7:00 PM Air Pistol Practice (Mtg Hall)	10 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Trap/5-stand (*2 *3) 7:00 PM Air Pistol Silhouette (Mtg Hall)	17 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Trap/5-stand (*2 *3) 7:00 PM Air Pistol Practice (Mtg Hall)	24 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Trap/5-stand (*2 * 3) 7:00 PM Air Pistol Practice (Mtg Hall)	
Monday	2	6	16	23	30
Sunday	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM National Match Course (*2 *3) 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM Muzzle Loading Benchrest (*4) 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Basic Handgun (Mig. Hall) 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (*1) 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Traditional Archery (Campground)	8:00 AM - 2:30 PM NRA Precision Pistol (*1) 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM 22 Rifle Silhouette (*2)	15 Primitive Riflemen (Campground) 7:00 AM - 4:00 Junior Rifle (*4, Mtg. Hall)	22 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM Black Powder Midrange (*4)	29

Range Code: *1 - Pistol Range Closed *2 - Rifle Range (100 yard) Closed *3 - Trap Range Closed *4 - Rifle Range (150 yard) Closed *5 - Archery Range Closed *6 - All Ranges Closed *7 - Shared Range

RANGE MASTER SCHEDULE



RSO – Range Safety Officer CRSO – Chief Range Safety Officer MD – Match Director RM – RSO associated with a match TM – Trap Master

SHOOT CHAIRS

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FOR SALE

Smith & Wesson Model 17-4, aka K-22, six shot, 6" barrel, stock wood S&W grips, \$650 OBO. Very, very nice condition. Senior owned, K-D Gunsmithing trigger job with receipts. Buyer to pay DROS fees & etc.

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Italy includes 45 rounds of ammo. \$450

100 rounds of .30 cal M1 Ammo in unopened boxes. \$65 Contact Dan Hecko 760-432-6938 Cell 760-594-1380

Colt Python 357 revolver,4" barrel, Blue Finish--original owner with box, Perfect condition....\$3,500. Buyer to pay DROS fees,etc. Contact Robert Bauersfeld - 858-755-2423 or bigtunabob@cox.net.

Ammunition - Remington 40 S&W hollow point, ten boxes; .38 Super 1500 hundred rounds; 22short. 1911 grips; pistol & rifle cases, scopes. Contact Claude 760-274-5699

Stripped AR-15 upper receiver This is not a complete AR upper, it is just the stripped upper receiver. It is a forged flat top upper, machined from T6 7075 aluminum. It is also hard coat anodized. Asking \$55. Contact Andrew at 760-405-4670 or at andrewmiller846@gmail.com

Reloading Items - 4 lb jug of Accurate Arms #9 powder \$100. Winchester Large Pistol(WLP) primers. \$30.00 per 1,000. Hornady case trimmer with pilots \$25.00 Contact Ian Muth at 850-418-4994

WANTED

1911, 45 ACP, 5 inch pistol. Preferably a Remington R1. Contact Lou, 760-533-3095 or kalena1953 @yahoo.com

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rimfire). This match is open to members and guests of members and the cost is \$5 per shooter.

Al asked me to pass along some of his thoughts about the Cracker Shoot. He went high-tech and handed it to me hand-written in pencil (his stone tablet and chisel are out for repair this week).

I would like to thank the gentlemen (?) and others who help me run the shoot. They provide lots of laughs and help with set up and target changing (this is the only shoot that provides snacks) The guys are too many to name – but thank you for all your constant help. I really appreciate all your help. -Al Anzalone, Cracker Shoot Chairman

The event is held from Noon – 4:00 PM on the first Thursday of each month. For more information contact :

Al Anzalone at 760-757-0122.

NRA Black Powder Muzzleloading Pistol & Rifle Class (11/08/2015)

This class is an NRA/NMLRA Certified Basic Muzzleloading Pistol AND Rifle Class. Students will learn the basic fundamentals of handling Black Powder as well as the safe handling and use of Muzzleloading Pistols and Rifles to include Flintlock and Percussion (Caplock). The session will consist of classroom and range time (hands on shooting). Students will also learn cleaning procedures and will clean the firearms we shoot. All guns, powder and equipment will be provided. Upon successful class completion students will receive the Basic Muzzleloading Certificate. You may bring your own Muzzleloading firearm if you prefer. Classes are limited to 10 students. The class will be held from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

in the Meeting Hall. A \$25.00 deposit is required to reserve your spot. Please send your deposit check to Bud Smith at 13143 Woodmont Place, Poway Ca, 92064. For additional information please contact Bud Smith 858-922-6489 buckshotbud@cox. net or Neil Pisk 760-781-1289 npisk@ escondidofiahandgame.com

Holiday "Joy" Drive

Please remember the families of our deployed Service Personnel and bring a new, unwrapped toy to meetings in November and December. Also if you bring a toy to trap or pot shooting you will get one free round of trap. This will be going on until the December general meeting. Thank you all for your generous donations. For additional information, contact Linda Linaker at 760-638-0573.

Excellent Service

Frank Alessio is well known around EF&GA. He teaches Hunter Ed, NRA Instructor classes, Boy Scout Merit Badges, Junior Trap, Archery, and a bunch of other courses. He is a past president of EF&GA and a Life Member. He is also an allaround swell guy. Frank went to the effort of contacting me because he had one of our newsletter advertisers do some work at his house and he felt strongly enough about the service that he wanted to make it public.

I want to thank Paul Rider and his company Tree Barber for the excellent work his crew did cutting down a very large tree in my back yard, they were courteous and professional on a 98 degree day.

- Frank Alessio

The Tree Barber advertisement is **on page 4** of this newsletter. It's refreshing to hear positive news about a local business.