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

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■ <u>PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE</u>

Dear members;

As you know, the new 150 yard range is almost complete. It is quite a beautiful addition to our wonderful facility. I would like to commend Denny Martin for an extraordinary job in coordinating and completing this ongoing phase of our Range Improvement Project. He has spent countless

hours and days donating his personal time and effort toward this project, at no cost to the association. Denny, we take our hats off to you for your diligent work. As some of you know, on September 11, 2008; prior to the general meeting, we dedicated the new range with Denny firing the "First Shot Downrange" with his .54 cal black powder rifle. Immediately after, Ray Bucholz was the second person, firing a .58 cal "Friendship" black powder rifle. Congratulations gentlemen.

Some important rules of the new 150 yard rifle range. The Board of Directors, keeping "Safety" as its priority has decided the following rules will apply.

1# The 150 yard range will be for rifles only, no pistols allowed.

2# The 15 and 25 yard line will only be utilized for shooting during Association Sanctioned Events. **No casual shooting on the 15 and 25 yard line at anytime.** There are several chained gate areas to the new range area. Do not utilize the gated area. Enter/Exit the new range at the shooting positions only. September 22nd, will begin the demolition and construction of the new pistol range. It is estimated the new construction will take approximately 4 weeks. We realize this will create an inconvenience for the members.

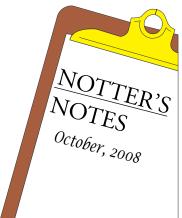
The Board of Directors has approved the Eagle Scout project of installing the cedar fence on the new berm. Jerry Everett will coordinate this project and needs you, the members' assistance installing this fence. This project is scheduled sometime in middle or late October. We need your assistance on **October 18th**, for a scheduled work party. Please come out and help. This is your association.

Once again, it's time to contribute to a most worthy cause, "Toys for Tots". The Toys for Tots will assist the families at Camp Pendleton. Please contact Dave and Dottie at Cal Custom 760-728-5230 for more information.

Last but not least, please check the Association website for daily update as to the situation on the range; regarding what parts of the range will be open or closed during the new construction. We will be installing an answering machine to update the range situation at 760-749-3277.

Remember, we need your assistance on the work parties....Please help

Michael R. Marks



CALL 760-749-3277 FOR RANGE UPDATES

Call the range number to hear updates on Range closures. This is not an answering machine. You will not be able to leave messages, but you will hear the latest on

closures due to construction, lead mining, etc.

CONSTRUCTION ON PISTOL RAMDA UNDERWAY

Replacement of the Ramada for the pistol range is underway. This is estimated to take four weeks. Pistols may be fired on the original rifle range in the meantime. Be sure that your bullets hit in the impact area.

THE NEW 150 YARD RANGE IS NOT OPEN!

The new range will not open for casual shooting until benches are built, firing lanes are marked, etc.

QUARTERLY WORK PARTY ON OCTOBER 18

Bring your rake, week eater, snow shovel (to pick up the wads), etc. for a general range cleanup. Everyone's help is appreciated.

LAST BASIC HANDGUN CLASS BEFORE WINTER HIATUS

The last Basic handgun class for this year will be Oct. 12. Call Jack Bryson for reservations. Basic handgun classes will resume in April 2009. This class is open to non-members and members.

NMC CLASS WILL BE HELD OCTOBER 3

Want to shoot the National Match course? Want to qualify to buy an M-1 Garand? Attend the NMC class to learn the course of fire, how to attain the shooting positions and more. Call Kevin Miller (760.480.7267) to register for the class on Friday, October 3 @ 6PM.

HUNTER EDUCATION CANCELED FOR OCTOBER

There will be no Hunter Education class in October. There will be a class November 8th & 9th. Hunter Ed is open to the public as well as EF&GA members.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

The following became members in Aug. & Sept. Welcome to the Association! August 08; Paul & Amy Walker, Brett Hoye, Michael Tombrinck, William Nordberg, Gary Schultz, Francisco Alcantar, James Nicholson, Richard & Suzanne Ernau, Joseph Olbinski, Paul Herigstad, David & Jacob Van Horn, Edward Richards, Nelson Jones, James McCarthy, Sanford Terrell, and Ron Gonsalves. September 08; Adam Saks, Rachel Harr, John Johnston, Richard Smerud, Gerald & Louana Chapple, Mark Chambers, Tim Leen, Frank Fest, Ken Lusher, Maurice Tschorsnig, William Williams, Richard Cherkin, and Harold Phillips.

THANKS TO THE SEPTEMBER MEETING DONORS

Cal Customs, Auditory Assistants, J. W. Bailey, Leonard Hodges, Kevin Miller, Lonnie

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Items For the November Bulletin Due <u>Monday, October 20th</u>

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

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More Notter's Notes

Fowler, Neil Pisk, Cal. Fish & Game, Gene Demnianiuk, Bud Smith, Jim Rolfes, Chuck Daugherty, Lynn Reynolds, Frank & Joyce Alessio, Rod Shackleford, Mike Hinton, Kenneith & Dorothy Notter, Kurt Nelson, and Ed Migdal all donated to the drawing.

IT PAYS TO ATTEND THE GENERAL MEETING

Craig Rogers won the twenty-five dollar attendance prize. He plans to buy toys for "Toys 4 Tots" with his winnings. Ralph Sulla of Escondido was called for the hundred dollar attendance prize, but he wasn't present.

"TOYS 4 TOTS"

It is that time of year. For several years we have collected toys & money (used to buy toys) for Military families. Dave & Dottie Ransberger chair this annual event. Bring unwrapped toys or money to the October or November meeting.

AIR PISTOL PRACTICE IS BACK

EF&GA will hold air pistol practice on the first, third & fourth Tuesday (check the calendar) of the month. This is a very good and inexpensive way to improve your pistol shooting.

HUNTING REPORT

Mike Lange is back from another successful African trip. Here is his recap of the hunt. "I took this Buffalo while hunting along the

Zambezi River in Mozambique, about 30 Miles from where it empties into the Indian Ocean. I have never experienced swamp hunting for a Buff. I am not sure that I ever want to again! Swamp water up to your %&# leaches, mosquitoes galore, boots stuck in the muddy bottom and visibility point blank in spots....We jumped this buff at 15 yards along with two of his friends... exciting to say the least. I used my Ruger #1 in 375 H&H and put him down with one shot. This was only the second 'one shot kill' I have made on a Buff. of the five that I have taken. Usually much lead is expended.. My son Jeff and I were together on this hunt. Jeff was the photographer. The picture shows the entire entourage that accompanies you into the swamp. When you get one down, you bone it out and carry it out....sometimes many trips.. I also hunted in Namibia for a few plains game; Gemsbock, Eland, and Kudu." (Look elsewhere for the picture).

Frank Alessio, his grandson – Wayne Harrison , Kenneith Notter and assorted others hunted Dove In the Imperial Valley opening day. Storms for the previous few days had driven many of the birds out of the area. A good time was had by all, although no limits were taken. Everyone wants to know where Frank was when the bird cleaning started.





PHOTO OPS



Mike Lange, his entourage, and the buffalo he shot in Africa.



Frank Alessio, Wayne Harrison, & Kenneith Notter with first Dove of the day.

MATCH RESULTS

BLACK POWDER

August 24, 2008 21 shooters **PISTOL**

1. Lon Smith12	2
2. Elwanda Hannah10)
3. Joe Jelinek)

RIFLE

Open Class:		
1. Tim Morrow	17	
2. Lon Smith	12	

Primitive Class:

1. Tom Arendal12
2. Denny Martin10
3. Jeff Blankinship10

IDPA

August 23
Stock Service pistol
David Clark
Custom Defensive Pistol David Rex
Enhanced Service Pistol
J. W. Bailey

HI POWER RIFLE

September 13, 2008

4-position match

1	
Bill Lambert	.364-6x
Wayne Palmer	.355-5x
David Premetz	.343-7x
Don VanMeter	.343-5x
George Lackerdos	.269-3x
Jon Prentice	.262-1x
Andy Bonk	dnf

Prone match

David Premetz	400-40x
Wayne Palmer	400-23x
Bill Lambert	385-9x
George Lackerdos	384-14x
Andy Bonk	383-7x

NMC MATCH

SEPTEMBER 7

Tom Morris	478-13X
Billy Lambert	477 -11X
Rick Nhan	476-10X
Jim Trevellyen	474-17X
Larry Bailey	466-7X
Peter Morris	450-3X
Scott Freedman	446-7X
Scott Minturn	441-7X
Scott Minturn	
	435-2X
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JOHN C. GARAND

Kurt Nelson	279-2X
T. J. Minturn (Jr.)	259-1X
Jim Minturn (Jr.)	253-3X
Billy Lambert	247-2X
Brad Butzbach	98-1X

COMBAT SHOOT

September 6, 2008

30 SHOOTERS

Revolver

1.	"Saint" Santa Maria	.134.83
2.	Bill Laird	.185.14
3.	Don Arney	.261.49

Semi Automatic

1.	Eric Jamois	109.41
2.	Vern Kleist	125.69
3.	Eric Thannum	149.96

Honorable mention to Olivier Jamois, eight years old, for completing the match.

TRAP STRAIGHTS

WOW! A special Congrats to Tom Delisle on shooting 250 Straight on 9-13-2008. Way to shoot Tommy!!!!!

Congratulations to:

Nick Ort	iz 1st 25 Straight on 8-23-2008
Jeff Pitt	1st 25 Straight on 8-27-2008

8-23-2008	
Ken Ticzon25	
8-30-2008	

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Tom Delisle	 75

9-2-2008

Tim Osuna	50
Fred Corley	50
Bob Nation	25x2
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Bob Schoenfield	25
Bud Smith	25

9-6-2008

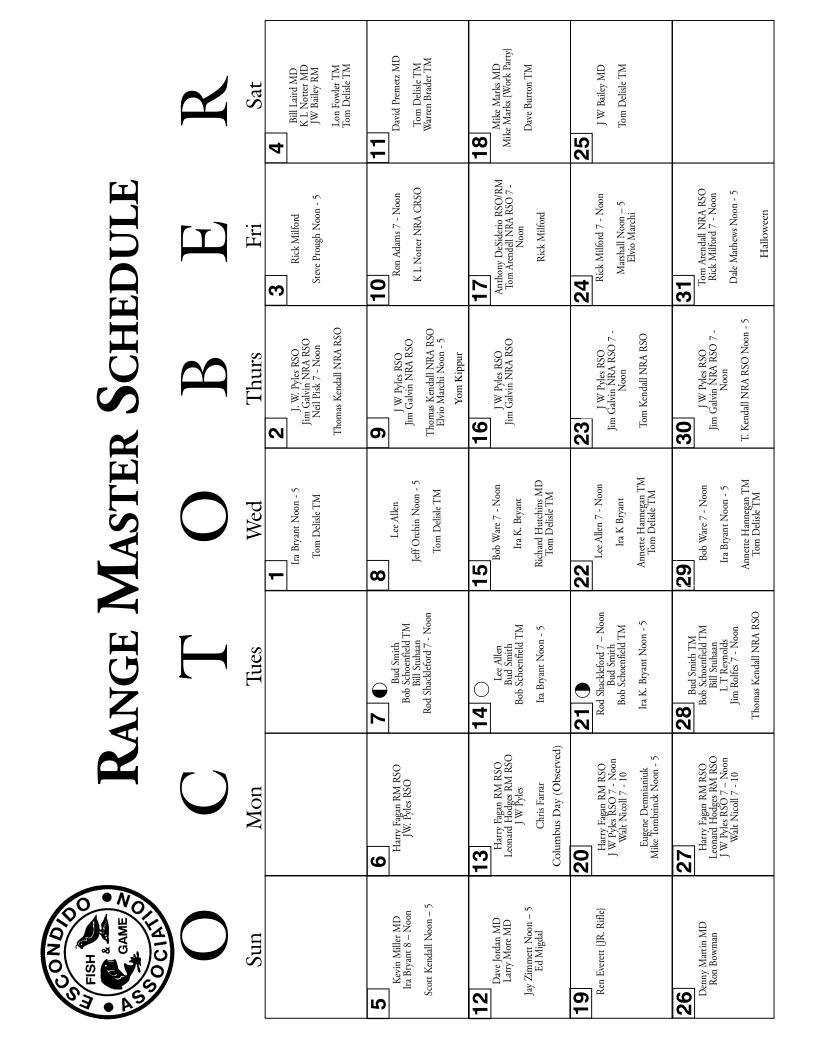
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Bob Schoenfield	50
Fred Corley	25x2
Bob Nation	25



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Range Code: *1 - Pistol Range Closed 2* - Rifle Range Closed 3* - Trap Range Closed 4* - Archery Range Closed 5* - All Ranges Closed 6* - Closed at RM Discretion



RANGEMASTER SOUNDOFF

By Kenton "Bud" Smith

Members and Range Officers,

#1 on my list is to thank all the Range Officers for everything they do to keep our range safe for everyone. They are the individuals that keep this range running. So members, the next time you are at the range say hello, shake hands, introduce yourself and present your EF&GA ID and picture ID with your other hand. It's easy.

It has been an exciting month at EF&GA with all the buzz and excitement with the near completion of our new 150 yard Long Rifle Range. It's great to see so many volunteers lending a hand and getting involved. When you see Denny, slap him on the back and thank him for all he has done. Don't forget Frank and Kenneith, they are also on the team.

Speaking of getting involved- We had 7 new members step forward and sign up for Range Office Duty with a commitment to pull full shifts, sign up in advance and commit to 60+ hours a year. We are moving in the right direction but don't stop recruiting. We need 100 + Range Officers to keep this range safe for our members, so we are short about 50.

The pistol range rebuild should be completed in late October but always check the web site for current info. We have added an information machine when you call the range in the attempt to keep all members informed on range closures. The machine is provided for information only so you will not be able to leave a message.

I have a few safety points that I would like to review:

- All uncovered firearms must be transported in the muzzle-up position
- Avoid cross firing. We have numbered the old rifle range with corresponding numbers at 15-25-50-75 and 100. Please shoot in your lane.
- Incident reports must be written by a Range Master when there is property damage, personal injury or a situation where a member refuses to follow direction resulting in a safety violation.
- Casual trap shooters may shoot trap on #2 trap pad with the approval of the RSO but may only load a maximum of Two (2) rounds. No Exceptions.
- Always wear eye and ear protection while on the line.
- <u>If your gun is NOT REGISTERED and on the Ban list please leave it home.</u> We have many police officers and agents using our range. Do not place yourself or your Association in an awkward situation you may regret.

I am recruiting a Range Safety Officer Training team. The purpose of this team will be to train new RMs and to give reviews to those that need a refresher course. When a new member volunteers for RM duty he or she will be placed with one of the Training Officers for a day of ON THE JOB TRAINING before taking on the duties solo. The Range Training members work specific days and most work three to four times a month but that is not a requirement. If you are interested in joining the training team please call me. My goal is to have a training officer pulling a shift every day including the weekends. The ultimate goal is to have all Range Masters qualified as trainers.

Range Master for the month of August is Harry Fagan- 39 shifts this year. THANKS HARRY.

Remember, it's all about ATTITUDE!

Regards, Bud

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NMC	
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Mike Marks	
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