



# IHMSA NEWS

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

By Steve Martens

Up north here the spring came very late, with snow in April. We had to cancel a match because of wet conditions, but the weather can change very fast in Minnesota and we have had a very nice late spring and our ranges are in great condition now.

Speaking of ranges, spring is the time to assess the condition of your range and targets and get things repaired so the matches go smooth all year long. If your range needs some targets to replace damaged ones we may have a deal for you!!! The free standing big bore targets that were at the Fort Stockton range are now at the OKC gun club in Edmund, Oklahoma. We have a few pallets with 20 targets on them. 5 each of chickens, pigs, turkeys, and rams. They are in very nice shape with little use. They are available on a first come basis. The price is \$750 a pallet. New cost was over \$2500.

We also have many freestanding small bore, field pistol and half scale targets that will be available for purchase at the World Championships in July at OKC. There are also several sets of small bore auto reset targets. A set of these will be available to examine at the World Championships, cost \$350 for a set with air cylinders or they can be easily converted to string reset.

On the subject of the World Championships make your plans to attend the match in mid July. We plan to continue the industry forum and the shooters forum. This will be a great match at a great range.

Have a great summer shooting and bring a friend to the range and get them started shooting silhouettes

Steve



Photo of Southern Hills Silhouette Club in Pringle, South Dakota

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## RULEBOOK CHANGES SINCE THE ISSUANCE OF THE 2016 RULEBOOK.

- On page 11 Section VI: Handguns – A. Production 12; should be changed to read as below:  
 A) Sear engagement surfaces of the hammer and trigger may be smoothed and then rehardened.  
 B) Within the trigger / hammer assembly, springs from any manufacturer may be used to replace original springs, provided they are a catalog item and made specifically for the make of handgun to which they are fitted.
- On page 16; Section IX: Match Procedures; A. Requirements for Match Sanction; 3.  
 Change “IHMSA Editor; 971 Mocho Street, Livermore, CA 94550” to “IHMSA, Inc.; 3061 Sand Hill RD; Bismarck, ND 58503-6437”
- On page 26; Section XII: Practical Hunter Rules; Class Rules; 5. Add the following: Allow artificial support in practical hunter for shooters up to 12th birthday at non-championship matches.
- Rules Addendum:  
 “To allow reflex sights for production, standing, and revolver guns across the board for Seniors (age 60 and over) for a one year trial period starting January 1, 2018. The weight limit of all guns affected by this addendum will be increased by 4 ounces per gun.”

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## THE NEW SILHOUETTER

### What's New?

By Ken Horowitz

(Originally written for July, 2016 but not published)

There is an often used misquote that “Everything that can be invented has been invented” erroneously attributed to Charles Holland Duell in his capacity as Commissioner of the United States Patent and Trademark Office during 1898 to 1901. Until I further researched the matter, I was as guilty as anyone else. Duell’s thinking was apparently the opposite of this in that he purportedly really said something like: “In my opinion, all previous advances in the various lines of invention will appear totally insignificant when compared with those which the present century will witness. I almost wish that I might live my life over again to see the wonders which are at the threshold.” (Whatever happened to flowery speech like that?)

One proposed source of origin of the above misquote erroneously attributed to Duell may come from Henry Ellsworth, a much earlier Commissioner of the United States Patent and Trademark Office in 1843. Ellsworth purportedly said: “The advancement of the arts, from year to year, taxes our credulity and seems to presage the arrival of that period when human improvement must end.”

Over the course of existence of firearms and ammunition as we know them the above two contradictory views could easily be muttered by their proponents. Once the self-contained cartridge came into existence and improved during the first half of the 19th Century, things moved rapidly. By the time the late 19th - early 20th Century rolled around, we had single shots, break open actions, lever guns, bolt actions, semi-automatic and full automatic actions. Smokeless powder had bumped black powder from its monopolistic position. Beyond improvements in materials and manufacturing techniques (including tolerances) we haven’t moved very much despite advertising and promotional hype. The actions are pretty much the same and the firearm goes “bang” after the firing pin hits the primer causing it to ignite the powder and the expanding gasses hurl the bullet through and out the barrel.

On the other hand, improvements to manufacturing have enabled mass production of quality products. When I attended Quality College on behalf of my employer some 20+ years ago, the definition of quality (after an exhausting study and discussion of various viewpoints) came down to “conformity to requirements.” Today, any one of us can, subject to our pocketbook and aesthetic appetite, purchase mass produced firearms that will get the job done. On the one hand, I would argue that they haven’t changed much; on the other hand, the quality and availability are better than ever and have continued to get so. Chalk up one point each for Duell and Ellsworth.

As far as cartridges are concerned, they look pretty much the

same as they did back in the 19th Century. There is still a brass case (or other material such as aluminum, steel or plastic), a load of propellant, a primer and a bullet. Despite the myriad of chamberings and bullets, there is hardly a task performed today that couldn’t be accomplished by the offerings of a hundred years ago. Back then, big game, dangerous game and varmints were all biting the dust with the fodder at hand; LE was still capturing the bad guys; people were defending themselves; war was being waged with catastrophic bloodshed; target shooters were performing amazing gunmanship.

Once again, if anything has improved, it’s the quality and efficiency of manufacturing. Cases are more consistent, bullet symmetry and construction are amazing, powders and primers are more consistent and cleaner burning. Plus, even after absorbing the increases in price over the past few years due to the shortage, in today’s dollars, ammunition and components are markedly less expensive than they were “back in the day.” For example, that 90¢ that I paid for a box of low-end high velocity 22LR ammunition when I started shooting as a teenager would set me back \$6.95 today, adjusted for inflation; that \$3.50 box of shotshells would go for \$27.01 today.

Variety is always nice but claiming to have found something new and innovative is a bit disingenuous when it comes to most offerings these days. It’s akin to the latest food fads; mixing different ingredients wouldn’t give anyone the right to claim invention of sustenance. Neither does shortening or lengthening a cartridge case; changing shoulder angle; reducing or increasing bullet diameter; okay, you get the point.

I didn’t invent the wheel, discover fire, or develop reloading. All of that has been done before and I’m happy to follow others and take advantage of what has been done already. You will not see a 17-50 Horowitz with a tiny bullet in the necked down mouth of a 50 BMG. Besides sounding dangerous and apt to explode, it would serve no purpose other than self-aggrandizement, certainly not my bag.

Some cartridge developments do have more merit than others. On the lower side, I would put all of those “better deer cartridges.” There are so many cartridges that will effectively harvest deer and there no such thing as “deader.” They either work or not if the shot is properly placed and bigger, faster, flatter don’t make up for improper shot placement.

On the other hand, in our own sporting sub-segment, the need for a sufficiently weighted bullet that would be flat enough to topple our Big Bore steel targets without unduly beating up the shooter with recoil spawned a group of cartridges that truly did fill a void. Various somewhat concurrent efforts led to development of several cartridges, all of which do an adequate job. While my favorites are the 7mm BR and 7mm TCU, I’d be hard pressed to argue that any of the others wouldn’t do as well. Even between my two favorites, either will do. I like each for what I would consider subjective reasons and if the other had never been



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developed I imagine I could be just as happy.

We all have our likes and dislikes. These need not necessarily be founded on anything more than a whim. But being forthright, no one needs to claim that something is better if in fact it is just simply different. From my perspective, for some time now there has been sufficient variety of cartridges; yet, I welcome anything additional that makes a sport shooter happy. I guess I can be in both the Duell and Ellsworth camps at the same time.

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## AIR PISTOL RECORDS PROGRAM

By Glenn Tullius

Hello fellow IHMSA shooters! My name is Glenn Tullius, and thanks to John Richards, who somehow convinced me he was overworked and underpaid, I accepted the Air Pistol Records program librarian. I live and work in SE Minnesota, and shoot IHMSA regularly with JR, el Presidente' Steve Martens, and a host of other nefarious types at our wonderful MN clubs in Oakdale and Minnetonka. Per my contact info in the News, please submit any possible new Record submissions to me.

## REFLEX/RED DOTS FOR PRODUCTION CLASS-AIR PISTOL

By Glenn Tullius

As soon as I heard about the one year trial period, I started a search for a red dot sight to use on my Crosman 1701P gun, that I quit shooting, as well as my Small Bore, and Big Bore Production guns. Since "old age disease" set in a few years ago, I had totally quit shooting iron sights. I had tried everything everybody else had, to no avail. I began my search for a red dot, with a few requirements. To shoot AP indoors, it was going to have to be a very small dot, clear definition, variable size, and some sort of click windage/elevation adjustment knobs. Although I had a budget, I was open minded to cost, as I really missed shooting those classes in all my Production guns. I first ruled out Reflex style sights, as I saw no reasonable way to consistently repeat often, windage and elevation adjustments, with those tiny screws. After a thorough Internet search, and a few "box stores" in the area, I settled on a Ultra Dot HD. The UD's are very well respected and popular in various shooting disciplines. It comes with a 2.5 MOA red dot on the low end, and is variable in size, but be advised, for old eyes, it does get fuzzy with a increase in size. The windage/elevation knobs have decent clicks, but are a bit coarse at 1/2 moa per click.

I have a 30 foot setup for air pistol silhouette in my basement, so I mounted it, and began to sight in. I was pleased with the adjustment knobs, that worked just fine and repeated, but as I mentioned, are a little to coarse. Much to my surprised was how small the dot was, when I turned it way down. It was easily seen on the black chickens, and more importantly, didn't cover the entire chicken! We're off to the races now! So what were my results you may ask? The last match I shot with iron sights in Production was a miserable 23, and that's when I quit. Back in the day, I could shoot 28-35 for reference. My first AP match last fall I shot a 37, the second a 38, followed by two 39's! I was thrilled, and knew that 40x40 was only a matter of time. Well, the timing was perfect, as three of us tied with perfect's at the State Match. In the ensuing shootoff's I finished third, and this is where the red dot is at a disadvantage....the 2.5 moa dot will cover the 1/2 and 1/4 size targets, pigs and chickens at the Ram line, 18 yards away...THAT'S HALF AND QUARTER SIZE! By being able to see the silhouette on "top of your iron

sight post" the iron sighters will always have the advantage, but hey, I hit four of ten! Not only did I shoot Production, but just for fun, I shot a Standing entry, and a Unlimited Any Sight Standing class as well, all with the same gun, and had a great time! I absolutely loved it, and hope IHMSA accepts this as a viable alternative. Look around at the matches folks, the average age is NOT going down, that is a fact. Since the snow has finally melted here in MN, and I can get outside, I will begin to investigate the opportunity to shoot a red dot for SB and BB classes, and in bright sunshine, this could be prove to be difficult. With non-magnification, somewhat fuzzy dot, coarse sights, and in most instances, to large a dot for shoot-offs, how could they possibly be a perceived as a big advantage? For Air Pistol, the answer is they are not, in my opinion, but at least with a red dot, my 350 mile drive to shoot only two entries, is now five or six, and a lot more fun. I had considered quitting IHMSA all together.

Just think about this, If accepted, I, one person, will be shooting at least three more entries per match, all season. Isn't that what we want to happen, and need to survive? I rest my case your honor!

Shoot safe, shoot often!

Glenn

**MATCH RESULTS**

March 3, 2018

**REGION 2****GEORGIA**

Cherokee Gun Club  
Gainesville, GA  
Ron Dixon  
February 3, 2018

We got the group together for the first time in 2018 on February 3. It was good to see our friends again after a short winter layoff. I would say it was a cold day but folks from other area who know what cold is would only scoff. But let me say that if you arrived at the match with a drink containing ice you left the same way. Perhaps the cold and fear of catching the flu kept our attendance down, but those who came had a great time.

Eleven shooters sis escape their climate controlled interiors to try their hand at shooting the tiny steel targets. Only one shooter, Mathew Nash, managed to not hit gravel with any of his bullets in his Unlimited Any Sight entry. He might have been shivering enough that that shot that should have missed actually hit. At any rate Mathew shot his first 40X40! Atta boy Mr. Nash! Melvin Calliham hit 30X40 in Field Pistol Production, and Robert Walker hit 29X40 in Smallbore Standing. Excellent shooting gents!

We can only hope that March will provide a warmer day until then y'all stay warm and dry.  
Ron Dixon

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| S-INT   | Robert Walker   | BF  | 29 |
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|            |             |     |    |
|------------|-------------|-----|----|
| UASFSA-AAA | Larry Davis | T/C | 31 |
|------------|-------------|-----|----|

**Field Pistol**

|        |                 |        |    |
|--------|-----------------|--------|----|
| P-INT  | Melvin Calliham | BF 22H | 30 |
| P-AAA  | Jonathan Moore  | S&W 32 | 25 |
| PAS-AA | Jonathan Moore  | S&W 45 | 18 |

Cherokee Gun Club  
Gainesville, GA  
Ron Dixon

At our March match we had many blessings. The first was the weather it was a great day. The second was seeing all our friends again, and the third was having Randy Fussell come by for a short visit. Randy has been dealing with some health battles of late, and it was great to see he was feeling good enough to make the drive from the mountains to spend a little time with us. Perhaps he soon will feel the gun in his hand and get to hear the ring of the steel.

Seventeen shooters came out to try their hand with the targets. And while no one managed to get through an entire round without splatting the gravel; several made a valid attempt. Richard Slaton came from Alabama to miss only one ram with his Unlimited gun. And in Unlimited Any Sight three shooters finished only two targets short. Amy Terry missed two turkeys and Clint Johnson and Matthew Nash both missed a ram and a turkey. And due to reverse animal count the get the beaten by a girl pin.

We try to have a lot of fun while we are shooting but we need your help. If you are a precision oriented person or have a desire to be, come on by and spend a little time with us, and we will try to infect you with our game. Next match here will be the first Saturday in April. Hopefully we will see you then.

**Small Bore**

|         |                   |       |    |
|---------|-------------------|-------|----|
| P-INT   | Richard Slaton    |       | 37 |
| P-A     | Stephen Kuehl     | T/C   | 7  |
| R-INT   | Melvin Calliham   | FA    | 34 |
| S-INT   | Robert Walker     | BF    | 25 |
| S-AAA   | Ron Dixon         | T/C   | 27 |
| S-AA    | Stephen Kuehl     | T/C   | 23 |
| U-INT   | Robert Walker     | ANS   | 36 |
| U-AAA   | Richard Slaton    | ANS   | 39 |
| U-AA    | Jonathan Moore    | ANS   | 36 |
| U-A     | Stephen Kuehl     | T/C   | 23 |
| UAS-INT | Richard Pickering | XL    | 34 |
| UAS-AAA | Amy Terry         | Ruger | 38 |
| UAS-AA  | Bruce R. Barrett  | T/C   | 25 |

**Fifth Scale**

|           |                |     |    |
|-----------|----------------|-----|----|
| UFS-AA    | Richard Slaton | ANS | 32 |
| UASFSA-AA | Jonathan Moore | ANS | 36 |

**Field Pistol**

|        |                 |         |    |
|--------|-----------------|---------|----|
| P-INT  | Melvin Calliham | BF      | 31 |
| P-AAA  | Jonathan Moore  | S&W     | 25 |
| P-AA   | Kurt Terry      | S&W 357 | 16 |
| P-A    | Clint Johnson   | T/C 30  | 19 |
| PAS-AA | Bruce R Barrett | T/C 22  | 24 |
| PAS-A  | Mike Dunn       | S&W 44  | 20 |
| PAS-B  | Lisa Godwin     | T/C 22H | 8  |

Cherokee Gun Club  
Gainesville, GA  
Ron Dixon  
April 7, 2018

For those shooters who listened to the weather man and decided that it was too nasty to come out and play, you missed a good day to shoot. For the baker's dozen who were there I think we had a pretty good time. And several shooters had a great day.

Jonathan Moore had a stand out day as he shot a 40X40 in Unlimited Any Sight one fifth scale! This has been accomplished by several others in several places but it was a first for Mr. Moore and for Cherokee Gun Club. Others have come close but never completed the task; congratulations Jonathan! And his spotter, Kurt Terry, also had a good day shooting his personal best in Field Pistol Production with a 26X40. Mike Davis shot a 39X40 in Production Smallbore and a 26X40 in Smallbore Standing, both great scores!

Next month we will do it again. We will be hosting the Georgia State Smallbore and Field Pistol Championship. Shooting will be for three days beginning on May 3 and continuing until May 5th. Come on by and spend some time with us.

#### Small Bore

|         |                |       |    |
|---------|----------------|-------|----|
| P-INT   | Robert Walker  | BF    | 39 |
| P-AAA   | Kenneth Hale   | T/C   | 35 |
| P-A     | Stephen Kuehl  | T/C   | 35 |
| R-INT   | Robert Walker  | FA    | 33 |
| S-INT   | Robert Walker  | BF    | 24 |
| S-AAA   | Mike Davis     | T/C   | 26 |
| S-AA    | Kenneth Hale   | T/C   | 22 |
| U-AAA   | Kenneth Hale   | ANS   | 37 |
| U-AA    | Jonathan Moore | ANS   | 36 |
| U-A     | Stephen Kuehl  | ANS   | 26 |
| UAS-AAA | Matthew Nash   | BF    | 38 |
| UAS-AA  | Lisa Godwin    | Ruger | 21 |

#### Fifth Scale

|           |                |     |    |
|-----------|----------------|-----|----|
| UASFS-AAA | Jonathan Moore | ANS | 40 |
|-----------|----------------|-----|----|

#### Field Pistol

|         |                |           |    |
|---------|----------------|-----------|----|
| P-INT   | Ron Dixon      | T/C 30-20 | 29 |
| P-AAA   | Jonathan Moore | S&W 32    | 24 |
| P-AA    | Kurt Terry     | S&W 357   | 26 |
| PAS-AAA | Ron Dixon      | T/C 22H   | 31 |
| PAS-A   | Mark Dunn      | S&W 44mag | 18 |

## Kentucky

Anderson County  
Lawrenceburg, KY  
03/04/2018  
Small Bore

|         |                  |     |    |
|---------|------------------|-----|----|
| P-INT   | Will Curlin      | T/C | 39 |
| U-INT   | Greg Rhineheimer | T/C | 21 |
| UAS-INT | Greg Rhineheimer | T/C | 39 |
| US-AA   | Ted Malone       | T/C | 16 |
| US-A    | Steve Rafferty   | T/C | 17 |

Anderson County  
Lawrenceburg, KY  
04/08/2018

Well weather was not cooperating this month, cold and windy must have kept everyone away. I hope to see everyone for our May match.

#### Big Bore

|         |                  |          |    |
|---------|------------------|----------|----|
| S-INT   | Ted Malone       | T/C 7TCU | 17 |
| UAS-AAA | Greg Rhineheimer | T/C      | 33 |

#### Small Bore

|         |                  |       |    |
|---------|------------------|-------|----|
| S-AA    | Ted Malone       | T/C   | 12 |
| UAS-INT | Greg Rhineheimer | T/C   | 38 |
| UAS-AA  | David Bemis      | Ruger | 23 |

## LOUISIANA

Ascension Silhouette  
Gonzales, LA  
Charlie Braud  
February 4, 2018

As is often the case here in south Louisiana, the weather dampened our match for February ... with "dampened" being the operative word. Rain delayed the start of the match and the range was a nasty, soupy mess; but we got it done. In Smallbore today the only entries we had were in the UAS category. In the International class Philip Braud posted his usual 40X40. Robert Stevens had a good day in UAS/AAA with a score of 38/40 and Carey Templet managed a 32/40 from AA class. In Practical Hunter Ellis Sisk scored a 39/40 with a Freedom Arms revolver, missing only the last ram. The highlight of the day was also in Practical Hunter 22LR category when father and son duo of Cliff Johnson Sr. & Jr. each fired a 40X40, using the same Ruger Charger. The ensuing shootoff went three rounds and Cliff Sr. prevailed. In PHSC Philip Braud shot a 40X40 and Carey Templet managed a 39X40 having missed the last ram. Each used a TC Contender in 22 Hornet.

I'd like to mention how much I appreciate the help I get from the shooters at my matches. Our situation is different from most IHMSA clubs. We use our local Sheriff's Office shooting range. On match day we have to bring in our targets and stands and set everything up for the match. At the end of the day we have to pick everything up and remove it from the facility. When you add the fact that we often have to physically carry all of this downrange by hand you can begin to understand the work

involved. I can't begin to adequately express the gratitude I have for the help that I get from our shooters each month. Thank you all very much.

#### Small Bore

UAS-INT Philip Braud Ruger Charger 40  
 UAS-AAA Robert Stevens Ruger Charger 38  
 UAS-AA Carey Templet Ruger Charger 32

#### Practical Hunter

PH22-INT Cliff Johnson Sr. Ruger Charger 40(NM)  
 PH22-INT Cliff Johnson Jr. Ruger Charger 40(NM)  
 PH22-AAA Ellis Sisk FA 39  
 PHS-INT Philip Braud T/C 22Hornet 40  
 PHS-INT Carey Templet Ruger Charger 39  
 (NM = Non-Member)

## SOUTH CAROLINA

Black Creek Gun Club  
 Patrick, SC  
 Donald Camus  
 February 10, 2018

It was an unusually warm February day for the match. I started out wearing a hoodie and ended up in my shirt sleeves. We had 8 IHMSA members (including 1 Junior) who shot 13 guns.

After shooting a conventional gun for FP-US, I tried my hand shooting my old Buffalo Remington BP Revolver that I purchased about 30 years ago from Cabela's for \$125, if memory serves. Conventional BR revolver loading consists of pouring the powder, pressing the ball and greasing the chambers. Unfortunately, when FFF black powder is used, only 15 to 20 pounds can be fired before the cylinder pretty much locks up. So, to speed up loading and reduce the sooting, I use Pyrodex Pellets (30 grains for 44 caliber) and patch wads under the balls. So, the sequence became Pyrodex Pellets, wad (and compress), and ball. The best way that I found was to have a loading station behind the line to load the cylinder, then move to the line and at the command to load, the caps are applied to each loaded chamber. This practice is consistent with other BP revolver competitions. Since the Buffalo model has a 12" barrel, it is considered an Unlimited gun, so I decided to use it for PH-SC (standing). Since this was the first time I used Pyrodex, I did not have good sight settings but ended up getting 14 targets (6 CH, 6P, 2T & 1 Ram). I was surprised at the accuracy of the gun and really had a great time shooting it.

Special thanks to everyone who came out and worked on the range to make it look so good and to shoot the match. Shooting steel is better with friends.

#### Field Pistol

P-AAA Taylor Byrum T/C 22H 17

PAS-AAA Donald Camus Rug 22 28  
 PAS-AA Henry Auman BF 30-20 12  
 PAS-B Jeffrey Smith Rug 22lr 11

#### Small Bore

P-AA Larry Elrod BNG 23  
 P-A James Bullis T/C 20  
 U-AA Marty Cato ANS 22  
 UAS-INT Marty Cato ANS 32  
 UAS-AAA Jeffrey Smith SAV 38  
 UAS-AA Larry Elrod Rug 29

#### Practical Hunter

PHSC-AAA Donald Camus Rem 44 14  
 PH22-AA Eryn Auman ANS 34

Black Creek Gun Club  
 Patrick, SC  
 Donald Camus  
 March 10, 2018

The overcast morning brightened into partial sun by the afternoon but the wind also picked up. There were 8 shooters who entered 14 scores including 1 Junior shooter. More work was done on the rails and berms: so, the range looked even better than in February and the targets stood out well against the fresh sandy clay. Thanks to everyone who did the work and for coming out to make this a really nice match.

Shooting steel is better with friends.

#### Big Bore

R-A Larry Elrod FA 44mag 21  
 UAS-AAA Larry Elrod T/C 7tcu 37  
 UAS-AA Donald Baker T/C 30-30 29

#### Half Scale

UASHS-AA Marty Cato XP 221FB 22

#### Field Pistol

PAS-AA Henry Auman BF 30-20 22

#### Small Bore

P-AA Larry Elrod BNG 25  
 P-A James Bullis T/C 13  
 S-AAA Donald Camus Colt/Kim 15  
 U-A Jeffrey Morris 17  
 US-A Henry Auman BF 15

#### Practical Hunter

PH22-AAA Eryn Auman ANS 30

**REGION 3****Indiana**

Linden Conservation Club  
Romney, IN  
Perry E. Brown  
01/07/2018

## Air Pistol

|           |                        |          |      |     |
|-----------|------------------------|----------|------|-----|
| P-INT     | Dave Wood              | Crossman | 37+6 |     |
| P-AA      | Perry Brown            | Crossman | 31   |     |
| U-INT     | Mike Slusher           | IZH      | 31   |     |
| U-AAA     | Dave Wood              | Crossman | 39+5 |     |
| U-AA      | Perry Brown            | IZH      | 30   |     |
| S-INT     | Dave Wood              | Crossman | 25   |     |
| S-B       | Jim Heath              | Crossman | 3    |     |
| US-B      | Jim Heath              | Crossman | 1    |     |
| USIS-AAA  | Mike Slusher           | IZH      | 26   |     |
| UAS-INT   | Perry Brown            | IZH      | 40+5 |     |
| High-Agg. | Perry Brown/ Dave Wood |          |      | 101 |

Linden Conservation Club  
Romney, IN  
Perry E. Brown  
01/07/2018

## Air Pistol

|          |              |          |      |  |
|----------|--------------|----------|------|--|
| P-INT    | Dave Wood    | Crossman | 37+6 |  |
| S-INT    | Mike Slusher | Crossman | 28   |  |
| S-B      | Jim Heath    | Crossman | 3    |  |
| U-AAA    | Dave Wood    | IZH      | 39   |  |
| U-AA     | Perry Brown  | IZH      | 32   |  |
| US-INT   | Mike Slusher | IZH      | 28   |  |
| US-AA    | Perry Brown  | IZH      | 29   |  |
| US-A     | Jim Heath    | Crossman | 5    |  |
| UAS-INT  | Perry Brown  | IZH      | 37   |  |
| UAS-AA   | Joe Tesmer   | Crossman | 34   |  |
| USIS-AAA | Mike Slusher | IZH      | 29   |  |

Linden Conservation Club  
Romney, IN  
Perry E. Brown  
03/05/2018

## Air Pistol

|        |              |          |    |  |
|--------|--------------|----------|----|--|
| P-AA   | Perry Brown  | Crossman | 28 |  |
| S-AAA  | Mike Slusher | Crossman | 25 |  |
| S-B    | Jim Heath    | Crossman | 5  |  |
| U-INT  | Rich Hawkins | IZH      | 34 |  |
| U-AA   | Perry Brown  | IZH      | 28 |  |
| US-INT | Rich Hawkins | IZH      | 30 |  |
| US-A   | Jim Heath    | Crossman | 5  |  |

|          |              |          |      |
|----------|--------------|----------|------|
| UAS-INT  | Rich Hawkins | IZH      | 40+4 |
| UAS-AA   | Joe Tesmer   | Crossman | 24   |
| USIS-AAA | Mike Slusher | IZH      | 28   |

Linden Conservation Club  
Romney, IN  
Perry E. Brown  
03/05/2018

## Air Pistol

|           |              |          |      |
|-----------|--------------|----------|------|
| P-INT     | David Wood   | Crossman | 39   |
| P-AA      | Perry Brown  | Crossman | 17   |
| S-INT     | David Wood   | Crossman | 29   |
| S-A       | James Heath  | Crossman | 6    |
| U-INT     | Rich Hawkins | IZH      | 33   |
| U-AAA     | David Wood   | IZH      | 37+7 |
| U-AA      | Perry Brown  | IZH      | 35+4 |
| UAS-INT   | Perry Brown  | IZH      | 36   |
| UAS-AA    | Joe Tesmer   | Crossman | DNF  |
| US-INT    | Rich Hawkins | IZH      | 34   |
| UA-A      | James Heath  | Crossman | 5    |
| USIS-AAA  | David Wood   | IZH      | 27   |
| High-Agg. | Dave Wood    |          | 132  |

**REGION 4****TEXAS**

## CTSA

New Braunfels, TX  
Terry Batts  
02/10/18 – 02/11/18

The 2 day match that became 1 day describes our first match of the year. I had several dedicated, itchy finger shooters calling with suggestions on Thursday evening. Based on the loss of target setters this weekend due to a family matter and the weather prediction for Sunday, it was decided to shoot BB swingers both days and set the rest ourselves. The Saturday weather turned out better than expected (69F high), while Sunday morning was worse than predicted (34F/25F wind chill). Since no one showed up to shoot Sunday, we started picking up and locking everything down about 0845. Thanks to Joe, Buddy, John & Steve for making short work of the range teardown.

As for Saturday, we had 19 guns go on the line plus a few Lever Action guns. The highlights were the 2 shoot offs we had in 22 UAS-Int (40s) and PH-Int (39s). Chickens were set at 100 yards. The first shoot off (22 UAS-Int) featured John (Grandpa) Weaver vs. Jacob (Grandson) Weaver. Grandpa Weaver won 4 – 2. The second shoot-off (PH –Int) was between (Grandmas) Teresa Coleman and Robin Weaver. Teresa missed her first target and got the next 4 while Robin nailed her first 3 targets and lost her last 2 targets. Teresa won 4 – 3 this time and their rivalry

continues. We also had 3 other 40s shot and 6 – 39s shot.

Hopefully next month the weather will be better and our target setters will be back.

#### Big Bore

|         |                 |           |    |
|---------|-----------------|-----------|----|
| R-INT   | Terry Batts     | FA 41 M   | 3  |
| R-AA    | Gerald Morrison | Ruger 44  | 22 |
| U-INT   | Steve Jones     | T/C 25-35 | 39 |
| UAS-INT | Steve Jones     | T/C 300W  | 39 |
| UAS-AAA | Gerald Morrison | XP        | 39 |

#### Half Scale

|           |              |            |    |
|-----------|--------------|------------|----|
| UASHS-INT | Terry Batts  | XP 6tcu    | 35 |
|           | Buddy Rhoads | XP 250 Sav | 31 |

#### Small Bore

|         |                |     |      |
|---------|----------------|-----|------|
| R-INT   | Joe Coleman    | FA  | 22   |
| S-AAA   | David Chalfant | T/C | 15   |
| U-INT   | John Weaver    | ANS | 40   |
| UAS-INT | John Weaver    | ANS | 40+4 |
| UAS-AAA | Jacob Weaver   | ANS | 40+2 |
| UAS-AA  | Joe Coleman    | FA  | 35   |

#### Fifth Scale

|          |              |     |    |
|----------|--------------|-----|----|
| UFS-INT  | John Weaver  | ANS | 35 |
| UASF-INT | John Weaver  | ANS | 39 |
| UASF-AA  | Jacob Weaver | ANS | 34 |

#### Field Pistol

|         |              |         |    |
|---------|--------------|---------|----|
| PAS-INT | Robin Weaver | T/C 22H | 32 |
|---------|--------------|---------|----|

#### Practical Hunter

|          |                |     |      |
|----------|----------------|-----|------|
| PH22-INT | Teresa Coleman | ANS | 39+4 |
| PH22-AAA | Robin Weaver   | T/C | 39+3 |

#### CTSA

New Braunfels, TX  
Terry Batts  
03/10/18 – 03/11/18

Spring is almost here, but not quite. We had a good turnout with 46 guns going down the line and a few CLA guns alongside. Saturday was a nice 89F high with a gentle wind from the south (behind the targets). Sunday morning was around 66F and it got a little cooler as the day went on. The wind was around 10 mph from the north and only got stronger. After the first relay we clamped the BB Rams and shot Turkey swingers. Eventually, we had to clamp the 22 Rams and Turkeys. I think everyone still enjoyed themselves. Only three 40s were shot over the 2 days – John Weaver (UHSAS), Robin Weaver (PH22), and Teresa Coleman (PHSC). There were numerous 37s–39s, but no weeh.

Joe & Teresa brought Anders (grandson) out again to entertain us. He is almost 4 and learning to use tools (hammers, hoes,

sticks and rocks) to make things fit his image of how they ought to be. We grilled as usual on Saturday evening and thanks to the Weavers we got to eat in their travel trailer again. We had to bring in lawn chairs to accommodate everyone. Soon, though, we should be able to eat at the tables outside until the heat comes on.

#### Big Bore

|         |                 |             |    |
|---------|-----------------|-------------|----|
| P-INT   | John Weaver     | BF 330-221R | 39 |
| P-B     | Leon Oehler     | T/C 7Tcu    | 32 |
| R-INT   | Gary Bridges    | FA 44mag    | 34 |
| R-A     | Lance Burrow    | Ruger 44m   | 15 |
| S-INT   | John Weaver     | MOA 7BR     | 23 |
| U-INT   | Buddy Rhoads    | XP 7BR      | 39 |
| UAS-AAA | Gerald Morrison | XP          | 39 |
| UAS-AA  | David Brown     | T/C 7tcu    | 29 |

#### Half Scale

|           |             |         |    |
|-----------|-------------|---------|----|
| UHS-INT   | John Weaver | XP 22BR | 27 |
| UASHS-INT | John Weaver | XP      | 40 |
| UASHS-AAA | David Brown | T/C     | 35 |
| UASHS-AA  | Steve Jones | T/C 256 | 28 |

#### Small Bore

|         |                |        |    |
|---------|----------------|--------|----|
| P-INT   | John Weaver    | T/C 22 | 39 |
| P-AA    | David Brown    | T/C 22 | 22 |
| R-INT   | Joe Coleman    | FA 22  | 30 |
| R-AA    | Frank Davis    | FA 22  | 22 |
| S-INT   | John Weaver    | T/C 22 | 23 |
| U-INT   | Joe Coleman    | ANS    | 36 |
| U-AAA   | Frank Davis    | ANS    | 31 |
| UAS-INT | Teresa Coleman | ANS    | 38 |
| UAS-AA  | Darice Rhoads  | Ruger  | 33 |
| US-AAA  | Robin Weaver   | T/C 22 | 17 |

#### Practical Hunter

|          |                |        |    |
|----------|----------------|--------|----|
| PH22-INT | Robin Weaver   | T/C 22 | 40 |
| PHS-INT  | Teresa Coleman | T/C 22 | 38 |

## REGION 5

### MINNESOTA

Minnesota Winter Air League  
Ramsey, MN  
Dan Harder  
03/03/2018  
Air State Championship

Saturday 03/03/18 was the Minnesota IHMSA Air Gun State



Championship of the winter of 2017-2018. There were shoot-offs in Unlimited and UAS. The targets for UAS were three ½ scale chickens and two ¼ scale chickens at the ram distance. Ken won that shoot off with 9 of 10 targets. Steve was second with 8 targets, Dan got 7 targets and Glenn got 4 targets. Steve won the Unlimited shoot-offs with 8 out of 10 targets. Glenn got 6 targets and Dan got 3 targets. Steve also won 3 gun aggregate and made the “100 Club” with 110 targets. Glenn Tullius also made the “100 Club” with 100 targets. John Richards won all three standing categories, the Standing Aggregate and made the standing “60 Club” with a score of 70.

We have two accumulative awards for the winter’s competition. They are the “Max Steel” and “King of 40’s”. The Max Steel is a total of targets scored for all the matches up to State. Steve won Max Steel with 1030 targets for the winter. Mike was a close second with 1025 targets. The King of 40’s is for the most 40X40 scores shot during the season. Dan won King of 40’s shooting 18 40X40 scores this winter.

#### AIR PISTOL

|          |                |           |      |
|----------|----------------|-----------|------|
| P-INT    | Steve Martens  | Crossman  | 40   |
| P-AAA    | Mike Dougherty | Crossman  | 36   |
| S-INT    | John Richards  | Crossman  | 33   |
| S-AAA    | Glenn Tullius  | Crossman  | 21   |
| S-AA     | Dave Morris    | Dasiy 747 | 26   |
| U-INT    | Steve Martens  | Steyr     | 40+8 |
| U-AA     | Mike Dougherty | Steyr     | 39   |
| UAS-INT  | Ken LaCroix    | Morini    | 40+9 |
| UAS-AAA  | Mike Dougherty | Steyr     | 39   |
| US-INT   | John Richards  | IZH       | 37   |
| US-AA    | Dave Morris    | IZH       | 28   |
| USIS-INT | John Richards  | Pardini   | 32   |
| USIS-AA  | Dave Morris    | Crossman  | 25   |

#### N4

|             |               |       |    |
|-------------|---------------|-------|----|
| ½ Scale UAS | Steve Martens | Steyr | 40 |
|-------------|---------------|-------|----|

#### High Senior

|         |             |    |
|---------|-------------|----|
| P-INT   | Dan Harder  | 39 |
| S-AA    | Dave Morris | 26 |
| U-INT   | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| UAS-INT | Ken LaCroix | 40 |
| US-AA   | Dave Morris | 28 |
| USIS-AA | Dave Morris | 25 |

#### 3 Gun Aggregate

|               |     |
|---------------|-----|
| Steve Martens | 110 |
|---------------|-----|

#### Standing Aggregate

|               |    |
|---------------|----|
| John Richards | 70 |
|---------------|----|

#### Minnesota Winter Air League

Ramsey, MN

Dan Harder

01/06/2018

#### Air Pistol

|          |                |          |      |
|----------|----------------|----------|------|
| P-INT    | Steve Martens  | Crossman | 40+8 |
| U-INT    | Steve Martens  | Steyr    | 40   |
| S-INT    | Steve Martens  | Crossman | 35   |
| USIS-INT | Mike Dougherty | IZH      | 22   |

#### N2

|           |               |       |    |
|-----------|---------------|-------|----|
| ½ scale U | Steve Martens | Steyr | 37 |
|-----------|---------------|-------|----|

#### N4

|             |             |        |    |
|-------------|-------------|--------|----|
| ½ Scale UAS | Ken LaCroix | Morini | 40 |
|-------------|-------------|--------|----|

#### High Senior

|         |             |    |
|---------|-------------|----|
| P-INT   | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| U-INT   | Dan Harder  | 38 |
| UAS-INT | Ken LaCroix | 40 |

#### 3 Gun Aggregates

|               |     |
|---------------|-----|
| Steve Martens | 115 |
|---------------|-----|

#### Standing Aggregates

|                |    |
|----------------|----|
| Mike Dougherty | 47 |
|----------------|----|

#### Minnesota Winter Air League

Ramsey, MN

Dan Harder

01/20/2018

#### Air Pistol

|         |                |          |       |
|---------|----------------|----------|-------|
| P-INT   | Dan Harder     | Crossman | 40    |
| P-AAA   | Glenn Tullius  | Crossman | 39    |
| U-INT   | Dan Harder     | Crossman | 40    |
| S-INT   | Steve Martens  | Crossman | 33    |
| S-AA    | Dave Morris    | Daisy    | 16    |
| US-INT  | Mike Dougherty | IZH      | 23    |
| US-AA   | Dave Morris    | IZH      | 26    |
| UAS-INT | Steve Martens  | Steyr    | 40+16 |

#### N4

|             |             |        |    |
|-------------|-------------|--------|----|
| ½ Scale UAS | Ken LaCroix | Morini | 40 |
|-------------|-------------|--------|----|

#### High Senior

|         |             |    |
|---------|-------------|----|
| P-INT   | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| S-AA    | Dave Morris | 16 |
| U-INT   | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| UAS-INT | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| US-AA   | Dave Morris | 26 |

|               |           |    |
|---------------|-----------|----|
| Standing-Agg. | Dougherty | 44 |
|---------------|-----------|----|

## Minnesota Winter Air League

Ramsey, MN

Dan Harder

02/03/2018

Air Pistol

|          |                |           |       |
|----------|----------------|-----------|-------|
| P-INT    | Dan Harder     | Crossman  | 40    |
| P-AAA    | Glenn Tullius  | Crossman  | 39    |
| U-INT    | Dan Harder     | Crossman  | 40    |
| S-INT    | Mike Dougherty | Daisy 747 | 22    |
| S-AA     | Dave Morris    | Crossman  | 22    |
| US-INT   | Steve Martens  | Crossman  | 26    |
| US-AA    | Dave Morris    | Crossman  | 23    |
| USIS-INT | Steve Martens  | IZH       | 26    |
| UAS-INT  | Steve Martens  | MG-1      | 40+14 |

N4

½ Scale UAS Glenn Tullius Steyr 38

High Senior

|         |             |    |
|---------|-------------|----|
| P-INT   | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| S-AA    | Dave Morris | 22 |
| U-INT   | Dan Harder  | 40 |
| UAS-INT | Ken LaCroix | 40 |
| US-AA   | Dave Morris | 23 |

Standing-Agg. Dave Morris 45

## Minnesota Winter Air League

Ramsey, MN

Dan Harder

02/17/2018

AIR PISTOL

|         |                |           |       |
|---------|----------------|-----------|-------|
| P-INT   | Steve Martens  | Crossman  | 40    |
| P-AAA   | Mike Dougherty | Daisy     | 33    |
| U-INT   | Steve Martens  | Steyr     | 40    |
| S-INT   | Steve Martens  | Crossman  | 31    |
| S-AA    | Dave Morris    | Daisy 747 | 26    |
| US-INT  | Mike Dougherty | IZH       | 27    |
| US-AAA  | Dave Morris    | IZH       | 24    |
| US-A    | Dave Morris    | Crossman  | 17    |
| USIS-A  | Dave Morris    | Crossman  | 26    |
| UAS-INT | Ken LaCroix    | Morini    | 40+23 |

N2

½ Scale U Steve Martens 26

N4

½ Scale UAS Steve Martens 40+5

High Senior

|         |             |    |
|---------|-------------|----|
| S-AA    | Dave Morris | 26 |
| UAS-INT | Ken LaCroix | 40 |
| US-AAA  | Dave Morris | 24 |
| USIS-A  | Dave Morris | 26 |

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 3 Gun Aggregate |     |
| Steve Martens   | 111 |

|                    |    |
|--------------------|----|
| Standing Aggregate |    |
| Dave Morris        | 52 |

**REGION 6****ARIZONA**

Cochise Gun Club

Tombstone, AZ

Steven Quast

January 13, 2018

Small Bore

11 shooters came out today and we had a great time. The wind was strong enough we could blame all our misses on it. Bob King is trying out the rule for over 60, Red Dot sight in iron sight category. We will see what happens. I might even give it a try. Thanks for coming out fellas.

|         |               |     |    |
|---------|---------------|-----|----|
| S-AAA   | Steve Quast   | BRN | 12 |
| S-AA    | Bob King      | S&W | 18 |
| UAS-AAA | Kiren Curtiss | T/C | 25 |

Field Pistol

3 shooters in PAS-AA and Robert took the honors outshooting his dad and Jack. The wind just kept blowing harder all day. Thanks for coming down from Tucson to shoot with us.

If anyone is free the 4th Sunday Tony is conducting the Tucson match out at the Three Points Range.

|      |            |     |   |
|------|------------|-----|---|
| P-AA | Joe Hummel | T/C | 7 |
|------|------------|-----|---|

Cochise Gun Club

Tombstone, AZ

Steven Quast

January 13, 2018

Happy New Year!!! You all should think of making a trip out to Arizona for some January Shooting. Sunshine and hardly a breeze. New shooter Lionel came out and tied for 1st in A Standing. Shot well with a lot of 1st round hits. We just need to get him to slow down and take a breath between each animal. He had a good time and it was a pleasure talking with him. Joe had a good day and took top honors in AA Standing. See you all next month.

|            |             |     |    |
|------------|-------------|-----|----|
| Small Bore |             |     |    |
| S-AAA      | Steve Quast | BRN | 23 |

S-AA Joe Hummel T/C 19  
 S-A Lionel Valluzzo Ruger 9  
 UAS-AAA Kiren Curtiss ANS 28  
 US-AAA Roger Wysong T/C 30  
 US-B Bob King S&W 20

## Field Pistol

P-AAA Steve Quast BRN 20  
 P-AA Joe Hummel T/C 15

## Cochise Gun Club

Tombstone, AZ

Steven Quast

February 10, 2018

Big Bore made some noise and Rusty and Jack got their fair share of critters despite the wind. 3 months of perfect weather and today we had Mr. wind come back for the day. Thanks for helping put the targets away fellas!

## Big Bore

S-AA Rusty Jackson Ruger 44 16  
 U-A Jack Jarvis T/C 30-30win 21

## Cochise Gun Club

Tombstone, AZ

Steven Quast

March 10, 2018

## Big Bore

U-AAA Steve Quast XP-100 7BR 38  
 U-A Jack Jarvis T/C 30-30win 22  
 UAS-INT Kieran Curtiss XP 7BE 40

## Small Bore

S-A Steve Manigault T/C 9  
 UAS-AAA Kieran Curtiss T/C 31  
 US-A Bob King S&W 10

## Field Pistol

PAS-AAA Roger Wysong T/C22H 25

## Air Pistol

US-AAA Mike McGuire IZH 28  
 USIS-AA Mike McGuire IZH 13

## Phoenix IHMSA

Phoenix, AZ

Zach Groves

01/21/2018

## Big Bore

UAS-INT Dale Mays RPM 7TCU 38  
 US-AA Dale Mays MR/LE 357 23

## Small Bore

US-AA Monica Malmgren Ruger 18

## Field Pistol

P-AA Monica Malmgren Ruger 44 20

**CALIFORNIA**

## Sierra Pistol Club

Fresno, CA

Larry Fobes

04/08/2018

## Big Bore

P-INT Eric King T/C 7TCU 40  
 P-A Marvin Wahl T/C 357mag 9  
 R-INT Eric King FA 357 35  
 R-B Marvin Wahl DW 357max 5  
 S-INT Eric King T/C 300w 24  
 S-A Marvin Wahl T/C 357 11  
 U-INT Jerry Ray XP 6.5X34 40  
 U-B Marvin Wahl T/C 30/30 6  
 UAS-INT Jerry Ray XP 6.5X39 32

**REGION 7****OREGON**

## COSSA

Bend, OR

Dave Semich

01/07/2018

## Big Bore

S-B Chuck Hart T/C 300 Wisp 4  
 UAS-AA Steve Dunbar T/C 357 14

## Small Bore

R-INT Joe Cullison FA 37  
 S-INT Joe Cullions T/C 25  
 S-A Chuck Hart Ruger 4  
 UAS-INT Dave Semich T/C 39  
 UAS-AAA Dan Butala T/C 38  
 UAS-AA Steve Dunbar Savage 22

## Field Pistol

PAS-AAA Dave Hansen FA 357 27

## COSSA

Bend, OR

Dave Semich

02/04/2018

## Big Bore

P-INT Joe Cullison T/C 7TCU 39  
 R-INT Joe Cullison T/C 300 Wisp 30  
 UAS-INT Dave Semich T/C 7tcu 40  
 UAS-AAA Chuck Hart XP 7BR 35

## Small Bore

R-AA Rich Blanchette S&W 21  
 UAS-INT Dave Semich T/C 40

## Field Pistol

P-A Steve Dunbar Ruger 32HR 15  
 PAS-AAA Dwayne Hansen FA 357 27  
 PAS-AA Rich Blanchette T/C 22H 22

**WASHINGTON**

Paul Bunyan Rifle Club  
 Puyallup, WA  
 Bret Stuntebeck  
 02/03/2018

We put 22 entries across the line this month. Temperatures were in the high 40's when I arrived. It was overcast but dry most of the match. Towards the end of the match we got some light rain. On to the results of the match. Two 40's this month. I posted UHSAS-Int, 40 followed Vince Leete with an UHSAS-AA, 35. I posted an U-Int, 40. Richard Nicol posted and U-AAA, 28. Eric Davis posted an U-AA, 29. In Production Richard Nicol posted a P-AAA, 27 edging out Steve Bishop's P-AAA, 24. In Revolver Steve Bishop posted a R-AAA, 33. Followed by Eric Davis with a R-A 20 and Chris Butenko with a R-B, 15. Chris is relatively new to this sport so a 15 for his first outing is pretty good. I managed an US-AAA, 26 followed by John Charlton with an US-B, 10.

In smallbore Joe Cullison posted a P-Int, 34 followed by Vince Leete posted a P-AAA, 28. Joe Cullison also posted a R-Int, 35 and a S-Int, 29. Ron Craig posted a US-A, 21. On the Field Pistol side Vince Leete posted a PAS-aa, 27. Ron Craig posted a PAS-A, 15. Chris Butenko posted a P-A, 15 shooting a Dan Wesson 357mag revolver. Again not bad for a first time out.

Our new target setters did a fantastic job. Thanks to all who came out to shoot the match and also to those who stayed to help pick up targets after the match. Until next time shoot straight and be safe.

## Big Bore

P-AAA Richard Nicol T/C 7TCU 27  
 R-INT  
 R-AAA Steve Bishop FA 44mag 33

R-A Eric Davis Ruger 44mag 20  
 R-B Chris Butenko (NRA) 44mag 15  
 R-C Jonathon Charlton (NRA)44mag 5  
 U-INT Bret Stuntebeck 6.5BR 40  
 U-AAA Richard Nicol T/C 6.8SPC 28  
 U-A Eric Davis XP-100 7BR 29  
 US-AAA Bret Stuntebeck T/C 7tcu 26  
 US-B Jonathon Charlton (NRA) 7tcu 10

## Half Scale

UASHS-INT Bret Stuntebeck XP 40  
 UASHS-AA Vince Leete XP 35

## Field Pistol

P-A Chris Butenko (NRA) DW 357 15  
 PAS-AAA Chris Leete T/C 22 H 27  
 PAS-AA Ron Craig T/C 22 H 15

## Small Bore

P-INT Joe Cullison T/C 34  
 P-AAA Vincent Leete T/C 28  
 R-INT Joe Cullison FA 35  
 S-INT Joe Cullison T/C 29  
 US-A Ron Craig T/C 21  
 High-Agg. Joe Cullison 98

**REGION 8****COLORADO**

Colorado Rifle Club  
 Byers, CO  
 Russell Plakke  
 03/25/2018

Great day for a shoot. First time we have not been snowed out in March, one good thing about a drought. Thanks for Tom and Tim for coming out from Kansas to shoot with us. Weather was cool in the morning with winds in the afternoon. Even so, Tim shot great with a 40 in big bore and Grover, now 92, shot a 38 in high winds on SB. Amazing, Bob brought home a great score in BB revolver with cast bullets that will be entered into the IHMSA cast bullet competition. Had a good showing of shooters for this early in the year. Look forward to seeing you all again at the next match on Saturday 4/7/18 at Byers. Russ and Syrena

## Big Bore

P-AA Tim Colgan T/C 7tcu 20  
 R-INT Bob Smith? FA44 35  
 U-INT Russell Plakke T/C 76BR 39  
 UAS-INT Tim Colgan XP 6.8spc 40

## Half Scale

UASHS-INT Tim Colgan XP 6tcu 38

## Small Bore

P-AA Torry Batts Ruger MkII 11

R-INT Bob Smith FA 22 35

R-AA Mark Thraikill CW 22 12

U-AAA Mark Thraikill ANS 29

U-A Torry Batts Ruger MkII 22

UAS-INT Joanna Schott ANS 39

## Bordello

Auto Ron Schott Kimber 45 21

Revolver Ron Schott S&W 357 25







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