PRESIDENT’S REPORT  
By Steve Martens

As 2017 comes to end we look forward to the 2018 shooting season. We remember the great matches put on by our dedicated match directors. We also remember the shooters who have left the range. We will always remember their dedication to the sport and we hope we can contribute as much as they did. We recently lost Tom Leibold to cancer in Minnesota, he was the Vice President of IHMSA when it was going through some tough times. With some tough decisions and leadership IHMSA came out stronger.

Also late 2017 saw wildfires do major damage to the LASC range in California.

Let's hope they can make the repairs to their exceptional range quickly. If you are in the area I'm sure they would appreciate any help you could provide.

We will soon be going to the 2018 shot show. We will be meeting with reflex sight manufacturers and other silhouette related industries. We will be thanking those manufacturers for their support in 2017 and their continued support in the future.

One more reminder that your dues for 2018 are now due and if you haven’t renewed please do so as soon as possible. You will then receive your 2018 scorecard and the printed copy of the Annual issue of the IHMSA news in mid March. We do a mass mailing in March as this saves the organization money on mailing costs and keeps the membership dues lower.

Have a great new year and shoot often.

Steve

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NOTE TO MATCH DIRECTORS

Please continue to send match results via email to ihmsaheadquarters@gmail.com, but please include the club name or city and state and date of the match in the subject line of the email. This helps to match the emails with the recap reports. If you are able to create the report using the IHMSA match program that would be preferred. Please send sanction fees and recap sheets to IHMSA headquarters as well.

LEFT THE RANGE

Thomas Frank Leibold, 74, passed away Friday December 29, 2017 at his residence of cancer. Son of Dr. Herbert William and Eleanor (Kopushar) Leibold. Older sibling of Richard John Leibold. Tom’s parents and brother are deceased. Tom never married but was very dedicated to his immediate and extended family and friends. Tom is survived by his Aunt Jane Leibold and numerous cousins in Washington, Utah and Illinois.

Tom was a graduate of the University of Minnesota majoring in Aeronautical Engineering and Mechanics. Tom served in the Army during the Vietnam war. Tom was a life member of American Legion Post 577, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 295, and Voiture 838 of the Forty and Eight. Tom had a very successful career in Engineering, heavy equipment sales and insurance sales.

Tom will be greatly missed by his family and friends.
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BIG BORE RECORDS PROGRAM (BBRP)

by Joe Cullison

2017 is over by the time you read this. Another year gone and many great scores posted. It was nice to see six different states posting scores in the records program. Actually there were 7 states but one particular central Northern state seems reluctant to send in their scores. (There is still time before the final report … MN)


Paul Habig (NV) Did some excellent shooting. Paul is one of the best smallbore shooters in the world so it is always a real treat for us to get BBRP scores from him. Paul runs the matches in Las Vegas and as any director can tell you it is tough to get in a gun and nearly impossible to get in 4. Paul did it in grand fashion. He shot a S-29, P-40, U-40 and a R-40 for a 3-gun 109 and a 4-gun 149. Just to make things a little harder Paul used an 8” BF in 41 mag for his standing score. (I think maybe we make him use a 4” 38 special next time)

State totals for 2017 are: OH-12, OR-5, NV-3, CA-3, IN-2, SC-1

Please bring at least one friend or acquaintance to every match. Together, we can keep IHMSA growing.

Please forgive me if I have left anyone out or made any other errors. Send me the information and I will make it right as soon as I can.

Thank you for your support of the BBRP.

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Standing 30+
Joe Cullison (OR) 34(2)
Jim Kesser (OH) 33
Doug Edney (OH) 33
Bill Urbank (OH)31

Unlimited Standing 35+
Joe Kennedy (NV) 39
Joe Cullison (OR) 37
Jim Kesser (OH) 37
Doug Edney (OH) 36
Rich Hawkins (IN) 35**

Standing Agg 60+
Joe Cullison (OR) 70
Doug Edney (OH) 69
Jim Kesser (OH) 67
Rich Hawkins (IN) 60

Presidents 100 Club (3-gun)
Joe Cullison (OR) 114
Jim Kesser (OH) 110
Paul Habig (NV) 109
Melvin Calliham (SC) 108
Bill Urbank (OH)108
Bruce Smith (OH) 106
Eric King (CA) 104
Dan Hagerty (CA) 100

Presidents 140 Club (4-Gun)
Joe Cullison (OR) 152
Paul Habig (NV) 149
Jim Kesser (OH) 145
Eric King (CA) 143(2)
Bill Urbank (OH)143

*Converted from a 60 round match
** Converted from an 80 round match
I was pleasantly surprised at the fully stocked shelves of ammo on a recent trip to the new Bass Pro Shops in Atlantic City, New Jersey. I was staying in the area in Galloway Township, about 10 miles away and I just had to see what struck me as a peculiar place to choose for a store site. Like all Bass Pro shops I’ve visited (Virginia, South Carolina and Florida), this one was a nice place to go and it sure beat the pants off spending time in the outlet shops right across the street this time.

While the photo I had seen in a local newspaper showed what looked like throngs of people on the grand opening of the store, the activity on the day I went was pretty quiet, with perhaps more sales associates than potential customers. As of now, this is the closest Bass Pro shop to where I live (although an even closer one has been announced for future development) and I hope there is sufficient traffic to keep it alive. All the previous shops I visited were along heavily trafficked highways or in more deeply populated areas. With Atlantic City on its current decline and with the shop location not somewhere where a lot of people might casually be passing on an interstate, I wonder what the thought process was on this one. Nevertheless, I do wish it well and I’m sure I’ll be back there since I do have occasion to travel to Galloway Township several times a year.

There was lots of ammo here. With the exception of 22LR, all common and some not so common cartridges and shot shells were in plentiful supply. Of course, there wasn’t everything in every brand, but there never is or has been. With the exception of my specialty IHMSA cartridges that are not being offered by any factory currently, I could have bought something for everything I shoot. There was even a moderately impressive (for a big box store) selection of reloading components.

When I was heavily into fishing years ago, Bass Pro Shops was my go to source for just about anything I couldn’t find in a local bait and tackle shop. I think it may have been my first mail order experience after getting the idea from one of my brothers. I’m talking paper order forms here, pre-internet. I still have lots of unopened stuff that just seemed like a good idea or was a tremendous bargain. When I abruptly gave up most fishing due to its conflict with leisure time for shooting some 20 odd years ago, friends and family were the beneficiaries of most of my stockpiles. Luckily, I still have enough stuff to get me started now that my grandchildren have shown an interest in pulling fish out of the water. However, with a walk-in Bass Pro Shop within driving distance, I can now just toss new items into a real shopping basket instead of an internet cart.

Besides the firearms, ammo and other accoutrements of our sport, Bass Pro Shops is just a fun place to be. Every one I’ve visited has a huge fish tank, and this one was no exception. Trout that make you drool were overshadowed by a sturgeon that kept meandering back and forth in the tank. They even have some oversized chairs in front of the tank if anyone in your party cares to sit a spell while you look around the rest of the store.

The boats are always fun even if not in the market for one. Whether you’re looking at a basic bass boat, ocean capable Boston Whaler type or a pontoon party barge, every one of them impresses. While I’m not into camping, I do like a lot of the cooking hardware for my own backyard deck. The selection of smoking woods is incredible (although I do always come back to basic hickory no matter what other wood I try). I still keep avoiding buying a turkey fryer but the selection was awfully tempting.

My thoughts on the turkey fryer are that tossing something that large into boiling oil is not a good idea. Sure, it needs to be defrosted and gently lowered, but I can just see the spattering and other bad things - call me chicken (or turkey). The more important holdback is that I know how much I’ll like it that we’ll be frying things to excess. Someone had given us a Fry-Baby as an engagement gift. It wasn’t the first thing we used when we got settled, but once the ease of use was there we were having fries and other delicious goodies practically every night. I also gained a ridiculous amount of weight during my first six months of marriage. It’s getting too easy to put it on and too difficult to lose it, so I don’t want to be tempted by having the ease at my fingertips.

Having fried turkey periodically wouldn’t be bad and I’ve offered several friends of ours that I will purchase a turkey fryer for them and they can do the frying and we’ll come over for dinner. No one has taken me up on my offer yet. (I guess we all got Fry-Babies or maybe even a larger Presto product back then.)

Back to shooting stuff at the Atlantic City Bass Pro Shop, there was even a decent selection of firearms, both long gun and handgun. This is especially welcome since the offerings in more general sporting goods stores such as Dick’s and Sports Authority are getting pretty skimpy. There is a Sports Authority in my Township that doesn’t have firearms at all. I’ve yet to find a local Wal-Mart that has any firearms (it makes it more pleasant to visit out-of-area Wal-Marts that do have them). As more dealers disappear, it’s refreshing to have a new presence, even if it’s one that I can only frequent several times a year.

Speaking of new presence, there has been an announcement of a new indoor range just over the Township/County line where I live. While my indoor range shooting is self limited, it is still great news that a new range will be coming soon. Also good news is that it will be attached to a gun shop. While big box stores like Bass Pro Shops are great to have, the personal touch of a local dealer is a becoming a shrinking commodity.

Once I heard about this coming indoor range, I Googled it for
info. Entering the internet abyss, I started following links after learning what I could about the construction plans and status of the new facility. You know how it is; one link leads to another and another and then, much to my surprise, I found a trap club that was open to the public on particular days, a mere 4.18 miles from my house! What? I’ve been living here going on 35 years this coming August and I’m just discovering a new place to shoot?

When I first moved here there was a public range maybe a mile or so as the crow flies. During Fall and Winter when foliage does not absorb any sounds reports of distant guns being fired were regular. That facility, now gone, had a 100 yard rifle range (bench only), 60 feet pistol range (standing only) and a regulation clays area for trap, as I remember, and probably skeet as well. I went there a few times and then stopped because the facility was less than satisfactory and there were some cranky people there. Still, when the range closed I was not happy.

When I discovered a new (for me, that is) trap range so close to me, I was excited. As it turns out, it is in the same township that the new indoor range is planned. It’s down a road I have never had reason to go, off of one that I occasionally drive. It’s a good thing I saw a picture of the entrance because when I visited the range this past Fathers’ Day, I passed it by a car length or two before I saw the sign. Backing up, I proceeded down the one vehicle width road and came to rest at the trap range.

I shot two rounds and was back home in plenty of time to go bowling with the kids, then dinner. The range was plain trap, with up to three trap houses depending on patron traffic, run very well and the people, both running it and the shooters, were nice and they shot safely. That’s my kind of range and my new find had me back there for another couple of rounds the following Wednesday. It will surely have me back there on a regular basis starting this Fall. It’s too hot for me now!

While I’ve been shooting Sporting Clays for a while, it’s been over 9 years since I last shot trap. Both my historical score records and my scores on my two visits can attest to that. I’m way too slow and simply cannot get over the aiming technique(s) of shooting rifles and pistols for so long. By the books I know what to do but I’ll need a lot more practice to become respectable. With such a close trap range, I’ll be able to work on it.

In my youth I was actually pretty good at trap. My favorite for this was my father’s single shot goose gun with a 36” barrel. It was the epitome of ungainly, especially against other more gentlemanly guns on the local public trap range. Even on a bad day I would regularly be in the upper teens to low 20s on score. 23s, 24s and 25s were more typical when I paid attention. Of course I could never shoot doubles with it and that proved less satisfying with one of my father’s several pump guns.

Over the years I’ve shot at just about every sort of trap range, including Spartan throw your own places, cruise ships (although it’s called trap it’s really just a touristy thing for a half dozen or so shots) and nice clubs. Perhaps the poshest place was back in the 1980s when I shot at the Greenbrier Resort in West Virginia. I was staying there and noticed that trap was offered as an activity. I called the front desk and in short order, a limousine (really!) was sent for me. It took me a few miles to a clubhouse on the top of a hill. The traps launched clays across empty air in the direction of spectacular mountain scenery. The trip to this trap range was worth it even if I had not fired a shot. The location was simply spectacular.

Coming fast forward to now, trap is a fun activity and now that it is so convenient for me to go down that newly discovered road to the next town, I’ll give it my best.
STARLINE ROLLS OUT MORE NEW RIFLE CALIBERS: 6.8 SPC AND 7MM-08

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BREAKING THE MOLD

By Russell Plakke

Winter time is upon us, which means cooler weather and time to bring out the casting equipment for another session with the molds. Throughout the years that I have been involved with IHMSA I have met many individuals that cast and shoot lead bullets in competition. The little details on how they perfected their bullets/loads has always fascinated me. There are as many ways to do this as there are casters. Over the last five years or so I have begun to shoot more and more cast bullets in competition, including the Internationals, and have found it to be very rewarding. It is amazing how often a row of cast bullets laid out on your mat prior to the next relay attracts other shooters and starts conversations. Many of these shooters have often wondered if we could put together some sort of a program that helps promote and/or recognize cast bullet shooters and does so on a level playing field regardless of classification or ability.

The start of my cast bullet shooting was kicked off by a local shooter named Bob. Bob is a highly accomplished cast bullet shooter out of Colorado, particularly with his revolver. He encouraged me to try some 30 caliber silhouette bullets he had casted. Starting out as a joke, I developed a load for a 32 H&R barrel I had lying around. Now it is my production gun and load. Recoil is light, and my spotter (and wife) loves the way they mark on the target. She is not too crazy about the rainbow trajectory and how long it takes the rams to go down though, but it works surprisingly well. Since then I have converted numerous guns over to cast bullet loads and have not looked back.

This year, 2018, IHMSA will be hosting a cast bullet “fun” competition to provide a spotlight for those that shoot cast bullets within our organization. Match directors, do not fear, we shooters will be responsible for score submittals and it is on an honor system so there will not even be a need for retuning score cards to the shooters. For full details see the official competition write up on the following page. To participate, you do not have to cast your own but the score must be shot with all cast bullets. In an attempt to provide balance between those who shoot in the winter and those who shoot in the summer months, the competition year will be from March through November. Handicaps are provided to allow for all levels of shooters to be competitive in this event. May not be perfect but it is a start and we can improve upon it next year after we see how it goes.

Would love to hear from all you casters on how your loads are doing and how you have made them better. I also hope to see you at the Internationals this year shooting those casted gems! I’ll be there, look me up. Man I love this game!

Thanks and good luck,
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Key factors to accomplish with competition:

• Increased interest in IHMSA
• Recognize and facilitate a segment of our sport in a broader sense
• Promote sportsmanship and fair competition on a level playing field regardless of shooters current ability
• Increase knowledge level of cast bullet value for use in competition
• Be safe and have fun
• Match directors are not responsible for submitting cast bullet scores for this competition, the shooter will be responsible for doing so as described below.

General competition boundaries:

• To be eligible, competitive scores must be shot at a sanctioned IHMSA match between Mar 1 – Nov 31 of competition year by an IHMSA member in good standing.
• Bullets must be of a cast bullet design and have no jacketing with the exception of gas checks. No rim fire or air pellets allowed as a cast bullet
• All IHMSA rules apply to the competition as set forth within the current rule book or have been adopted by the board in recent decisions
• Keep it simple

Competition:

• Two competitive categories.
  o Category 1 -Scoped, includes the following:
    * UAS/UASHS/PH/FPAS/US
  o Category 2 - Traditional, includes the following:
    * U/UHS/P/R/S/FP
• Top four scores after addition of handicap shot by individual with cast bullets for the year will be aggregated for each category (Scope & Traditional) to determine that individual’s final score.
• Scores will be sent to frstchckn@outlook.com by the shooter for tabulation along with category (i.e. UAS, PAS, etc…) and classification (AA, AAA, INT, etc…) no later than December 31, 2018.
• Scores can be from the same discipline or from different ones within the same category and will be adjusted to a 40 round match as needed.
• Handicap is based on shooters current classification in the category in which the shooter obtained the score. Handicapped scores will be rounded down to the first whole number. The following will be the handicap multipliers.
  o P/R/UHS/US/FPAS
    * <AA = Score X 135%
    * AAA = Score X 110%
    * INT = Score X 100%
  o U/UAS/UASHS
    * <AA = Score X 110%
    * AAA = Score X 105%
    * INT = Score X 100%
  o PH
    * <AA = Score X 160%
    * AAA = Score X 110%
    * INT = Score X 100%
  o FP/S
    * <AA = Score X 180%
    * AAA = Score X 140%
    * INT = Score X 115%
• Example: Shooter is a class AA in FPAS and shoots a 27. Shooter would be handicapped as follows: 27 X 135% = 36.45: After rounding down a score of 36 will be awarded to the shooter.
• If a tie at the end of the competition exists, winner will be selected through a random drawing.
• Prize awarded will be one year membership to the Cast Bullet Association for each category (Scoped and Traditional).
• Write up of the top scoring shooters in the IHMSA news (may also submit to CBA) and will include load data as possible.
SIERRA INTRODUCES NEW 6.5MM 107 GR TIPPED MATCHKING BULLET

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Sierra Bullets is proud to announce another addition to our popular Tipped MatchKing® line. In 2014, Sierra Bullets crowned the MatchKing® with an acetal resin tip that lowers the drag by improving the ballistic coefficient. We continue to expand this extremely popular line by adding another 6.5mm option in 107 gr.

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The new 6.5mm 107 grain Tipped MatchKing® bullets will be available in boxes of 500 bullets (#7407C) with a suggested retail of $205.07 per box and boxes of 100 bullet (#7407) with a suggested retail of $41.79 per box.

6.5 Grendel Load Data:

6.5 Creedmoor Load Data:
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SIERRA BULLETS 300 AAC BLACKOUT
LOAD DATA

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Test Specifications/Components
Firearm Used: Universal Receiver
Barrel Length: 16"
Twist: 1-8"
Case: Hornady
Trim-to Length: 1.363"
Primer: Winchester WSR

Remarks:
The 300 AAC Blackout (300 BLK, or 7.62x35mm) was created by Advanced Armament Corp. and Remington in order to provide the military with a way to shoot .30 caliber bullets from the M4 platform with only a barrel change. It has since become popular for a wide range of uses including hunting and home defense.

The cartridge shares case-head dimensions and body taper with the .223 Remington. Not only does this allow for compatibility with existing magazines and bolts, but it allows reloaders to form their own brass from cut-down 5.56mm or .223 cases – ensuring brass supply even in the event of a shortage of factory brass.

The 300 AAC Blackout is a similar concept to previous wildcats, such as the 30-221 and 300 Fireball, as well as the proprietary 300 Whisper®, except that 300 BLK was the first to be a SAAMI approved cartridge and any company is free to make firearms or ammunition.

300 AAC Blackout is also finding use with hunters, who may not have been able to legally hunt with .223 in their state, and who prefer .30 caliber bullets for medium-sized game. It provides similar effectiveness to the 7.62×39 or the slightly more powerful 30-30 cartridges except works in the more up-to-date AR15 platform. Effective range for hunting is about 100-150 yards.
MATCH RESULTS

REGION TWO

Florida
Seminole County Gun & Archery
Geneva, FL
By Bill Hyde
November 11, 2017

Despite rapidly changing Florida weather, managed to get in a good day shooting. First rain, then sunny, then more rain and wind didn’t stop SCGAA’s hardy group from having a match. Hopefully we’ll have better weather as the season continues. As a bonus, Hope H provided a light lunch for all.

Big Bore
U-AA Tim D 25
Field Pistol
FPAS-AAA Tim D 19
FPAS-B Hope H 10
Small Bore
UAS-AAA Bill H 36

Seminole County Gun & Archery
Geneva, FL
BY Bill Hyde
December 12, 2017

49 degrees and rain all AM. I think we’re snake bit on weather. Sept cancelled due to hurricane. Rain in Oct and now more rain in Dec. Hope and I try to promote the matches within the club and at other silhouette events. I send out 2 emails a month to my list, but just too many other more “exciting” events, like action pistol I think. We do get help from Tom and Don, but it’s a lot of work for not much return. Sorry to sound down, but it really is getting tough to keep going.

Field Pistol
Hope H FPAS-A 8
Small Bore
Bill H UAS-AA 35

Kentucky

Northern KY Straight Shooters Assn
Crittenden, KY
By Penny Wichman
June 25, 2017

Big Bore
U-INT Barry Whitford MAB 6.5BR 40+6
UAS-AAA Larry Egan XP 243 37
US-AAA Richard Baird BF 270Max 30
Half Scale
PAS-INT Richard Baird TC 22Hornet 32
Field Pistol
PAS-INT Richard Baird TC 22Hornet 32
Small Bore
UAS-AAA Larry Egan ANS 32

Northern KY Straight Shooters Assn
Crittenden, KY
By Penny Wichman
July 8, 2017

Big Bore
U-INT Tom Wood SAV 708 40+7
UAS-AAA Larry Egan XP6.5 37
US-AAA Richard Baird BF 270Max 32
Half Scale
UASHS-INT Richard Baird XP 22Hornet 39
Field Pistol
PAS-INT Richard Baird TC 22Hornet 32
Small Bore
UAS-AAA Larry Egan ANS 32

Northern KY Straight Shooters Assn
Crittenden, KY
By Penny Wichman
July 30, 2017

Big Bore
U-INT Barry Whitford MAB 6.5BR 40+6
UAS-AAA Larry Egan XP 243 37
US-AAA Richard Baird BF 270Max 30
Half Scale
PAS-INT Richard Baird TC 22Hornet 32
Field Pistol
PAS-INT Richard Baird TC 22Hornet 32
Small Bore
UAS-INT Walt Sweet TC 40+4
UAS-AAA Larry Egan ANS 39

Northern KY Straight Shooters Assn
Crittenden, KY
By Penny Wichman
August 12, 2017

Big Bore
U-INT Walt Sweet REM 7 28
UAS-AAA Larry Egan REM 6.5 39
Half Scale
UASHS-INT Walt Sweet TC 6X47 32+7
Small Bore
UAS-INT Walt Sweet TC 38
UAS-AAA Larry Egan ANS 33
Anderson County Sportsman Club
Lawrenceburg, KY
By David Bemis
August 6, 2017

Big Bore
UAS-INT Ricky Foster TC 7TCU 39
UAS-AAA Greg Rhineheimer TC 79TCU 36
US-A Steve Beck-Montgomery TC 357Mag 22

Half Scale
UASHS-AAA Ricky Foster TC 223 26

Field Pistol
PAS-AAA Steve Rafferty TC 22Hornet 13
PAS-AA David Bemis TC 22Hornet 14
PAS-A Greg Rhineheimer TC 357 8

Small Bore
P-INT Will Cur?in 368
R-AAA David Bemis FA 29
U-AAA David Bemis ANS 34
UAS-INT Greg Rhineheimer TC 38
Ricky Foster TC 29
UAS-AA Steve Beck-Montgomery TC 26 Re-Entry
Steve Beck-Montgomery TC 21
US-A Steve Rafferty TC 12

Greg Parsons TC 12

Region Three
Indiana

Wildcat Valley Rifle and Pistol Club

Big Bore
P-INT David Bemis MOA 7BR 34

Field Pistol
P-AAA David Bemis TC 22Hornet 26
PAS-AAA David Bemis TC 22Hornet 21

Small Bore
P-INT Will Currin TC 32
P-AA David Bemis FA 17
U-INT Will Currin TC 38
UAS-INT Greg Rhineheimer TC 40
UAS-AA Greg Rhineheimer TC 32
US-A Greg Rhineheimer Drulov 7

Fifth Scale
Greg Parsons TC 12

Indiana

Logan Handgun Association
Bellefontaine, OH
10-28-2017
By Steve Powell

This was our last match of the year and despite the temperature only peaking to the low 40s we did have about 20 entries for the day. Everyone must have been working hard to end the year with a good score because we did have 3 perfect scores fired in various classes. Bob Ochs shot a 40 and only the little ones in big bore iron sight unlimited and Lynn Shultz had a 40 and 8 in big bore UAS. In small bore Gordon Lash came close to a 50 with a 40 and 9 in UAS, great shooting in tuff conditions guys! We start shooting again in March of 2018 so get all your gun modifications and reloading done for next season. Till then, have a safe and healthy winter and we will see you in the spring. Safe shooting, Steve

Big Bore

P-INT Bruce Smith TC357MagCB 30
P-AA       Steve Beck-Montgomery  TC6.5TCU         24
S-INT      Jim Kesser                       TC300W           33
U-INT      Bob Ochs                         XP7BR           40/5
US-AAA     Richard Baird                   BF270Max         28
UAS-INT     Lvn Shultz                     SAV 260Rem       40/8
Half Scale
UASHS-INT  Richard Baird                   XP 221Fireball     36
Field Pistol
P-AAA       Bob Ochs   TC22 Hornet          21
PAS-AAA     Brian Evans   TC22Hornet         28
Small Bore
S-INT       Bill Urbank   TC           24
U-INT       Gordon Lash  ANS            35
US-AAA      Gordon Lash  TC            17
UAS-INT     Gordon Lash  ANS          40/9
Michigan

Barry Co. Cons. Club
Hastings, MI
8/26,27/2017

Two 40’s this weekend one by Jim Wiita in .22 UAS-AAA & one by Steve Soya in UASFS-INT (plus 10 shoot-offs). Steve also shot a nice 38 in .22 R-INT. Gary Kondek shot a nice 38 in .22 R-INT. Dee Wolters fired a nice 25 in FP P-AAA. Ed Nowak-Licari shot a top of class 22 in FP-P-AAA. Larry, Steve, Jeff

Big Bore
P-INT Larry Clark  BF 7INT-R 38
P-AA Gary Kondek  TC 357 27
S-AAA Dee Wolters  TC 357 18
S-A Terry Luplow  SW 357 11
Half Scale
UASHS-INT Steve Soya  XP100 6BR 37
Field Pistol
P-INT Jeff Hunt SPRFLD 45ACP 18
P-AAA Dee Wolters  TC 32-20 25
P-AA Ed Nowak-Licari  Colt 38SPL 22
PAS-INT Ron Springsteen  TC 32H&R 27
PAS-AAA Dennis Nelson  TC 22Hornet 29
Small Bore
P-AAA Gary Kondek  TC 30
R-INT Steve Soya  FA 38
R-AA Jim Wiita  RUG 15
U-INT Steve Soya  ANS 38
U-AAA Gary Kondek  TC 38
UAS-INT Chris Hackett  BRN 35
UAS-AAA Jim Wiita  TC 40
US-INT Ron Springsteen  TC 23
US-AA Dee Wolters  TC 22
US-B Ralph Gady  RUG 6
Fifth Scale
UASFS-INT Steve Soya  ANS 40
UASFS-AAA Dennis Nelson  ANS 37

USFS-AAA Chris Hackett BRN 28

Pennsylvania

Wilkes B. Rifle Pistol
Hunlock Creek, PA
By Rae Murslund
August 27, 2017

Big Bore
R-AAA  Frell Sielch  SR  DW  17
UAS-INT Fred Sivilich JR  REM 35
UAS-AAA Fred Sivilich  REM 7BB  24
US-AAA  Prt Smlh  WIC  7BR  35
Small Bore
P-INT  Vyne Buston  TC 35
R-INT  Wayne Buslur  FA 36
S-INT  Wyne Bustw  TC 34
U-INT  Umne Bostw  ANS 36
Walhes B. Refle Bsed
Hunlock Creek, PA
September 27, 2017
By Rae Marsland

Big Bore
P-INT Fred Sivilich  BR 7US 22
P-AAA Pas Smith  TC 7TCU 36
U-AAA Pat Smith  Wichita  7BR 37
U-AA  Dhwn Camus  TC 3030 33
Small Bore
P-INT Wyne Bostin  TC 38
R-INT Wyre Bostw  FA 35
S-INT Wybe Bostow  TC 35
U-INT Wayne Boslou  ANS 39
US-AA Shwn Camuc  ANS 34

REGION FOUR

Kansas

Rawlins County Sportsman Assn
Atwood, Kansas
By Tom Carroll
April 9,2017

BIG BORE
UAS-INT Allan Pritchard  REM 7BR 38
UAS-INT James Mooney  TC 7TCU 38
R-INT Tom Carroll   FA 357  24
HALF SCALE
UASHS-INT Tim Colgan  REM 6TCU 40
UASHS-AAA Jeffery Bell 6BR 29
FIELD PISTOL
P-AA Garland Baker  DW 357 8
SMALL BORE
UAS-INT Jeffrey Bell ANS 40
UAS-INT Ron Kruback REM 39
R-A Jeffrey Bell FA 23
U-AA Ron Kruback ANS 24
P-A Ron Kruback TC 24
P-A Jeffrey Bell FA 19
P-B Garland Baker TC 6
FIFTH SCALE
UFAS-INT Tim Colgan ANS 38
ULTRA 500
Allan Pritchard REM 7BR 21
Tom Carroll REM 7TCU 18
James Mooney 11

Rawlins Co Sportsman Assn
Atwood, KS
By Tom Carroll
May 14, 2017

BIG BORE
UAS-INT James Mooney TC 7TCU 40
UAS-INT James Mooney TC 7TCU 37 re-entry
R-AAA Allan Pritchard FA 44 39
P-AA Tim Colgan TC 7TCU 20
Half Scale
UASHS-INT Tim Colgan REM 35
FIELD PISTOL
P-AA Linda Lanning Merril 270Ren 19
SMALL BORE
UAS-INT Ron Kruback REM 37
UAS-INT Jim Mooney TC 39
R-A Ron Kruback RUG 22
P-AA Ron Kruback ANS 32
S-A Bill Lanning RUG 11
FIFTH SCALE
UFAS-INT Tim Colgan ANS 39
UFAS-INT Allan Pritchard TC 32
UFS-AA Linda Lanning ANS 34
ULTRA 500
Tim Colgan wichita 308 22

Rawlins Co Sportsman Assn
Atwood, KS
By Tom Carroll
June 11, 2017

BIG BORE
UAS-INT Allan Pritchard REM 7BR 39
UAS-INT Tim Colgan REM 6.8 spc 39
UAS-INT Allan Pritchard TC 38
U-INT Russell Plakke 7BR 37
P-B Garland Baker DW 357 2
P-AA Tim Colgan TC 7TCU 26
HALF SCALE
UASHS-INT Tim Colgan REM 6TCU 36
UASHS-AAA Linda Lanning wichita 7PPC 40
FIELD PISTOL
PAS-AAA Russell Plakke TC 32H&R 31
P-AA Linda Lanning merrill 270Ren 22
P-AA Russell Plakke TC 32H&R 20
SMALL BORE
UAS-INT Ron Kruback REM 37
U-INT Russell Plakke ANS 40
P-AA Ron Kruback TC 26
P-C Garland Baker TC 6
FIFTH SCALE
UFAS-INT Tim Colgan ANS 25

Rawlins Co Sportsman Assn
Atwood, KS
By Tom Carroll
July 9, 2017

BIG BORE
UAS-INT Tim Colgan REM 36
UAS-AAA Curtis Larshus TC 6.8 36
R-AA James Mooney FA 357 26
P-AA James Mooney FA 357 25
HALF SCALE
UASHS-INT Tim Colgan REM 38
FIELD PISTOL
PAS-AAA Allan Pritchard TC 270Ren 32
P-AA Linda Lanning Merril 270Ren 21
SMALL BORE
UAS-INT Curtis Larshus TC 39
U-AAA Linda Lanning ANS 36
S-AA Bill Lanning TC 8
FIFTH SCALE
UFSAS-AA Linda Lanning ANS 32
UFS-A Ron Kruback ANS 29

Rawlins Co Sportsman Assn
Atwood, KS
By Tom Carroll
August 13, 2017

BIG BORE
UAS-INT Allan Pritchard TC 6.8 39
HALF SCALE
UASHS Linda Lanning Wichita 7ppc 32
FIELD PISTOL
PAS-A Bill Lanning TC 32-20 15
SMALL BORE
UAS-INT Allan Pritchard TC 40
UAS-INT Curtis Larshus TC 39
US-A Bill Lanning Victor 7
FIFTH SCALE
UFSAS Curtis larshus TC 38
Rawlins Co Sportsman Assn  
Atwood, KS  
By Tom Carroll  
September 10, 2017

**BIG BORE**  
UAS-INT Tim Colgan REM 6.8spe 40+2  
HALF SCALE  
UASHS-INT Tim Colgan REM 6TCU 40+10  
SMALL BORE  
UAS-INT Ron Kruback REM 40  
UAS-INT Allan Pritchard TC 39  
R-AAA Allan Pritchard FA 36  
P-AA Ron Kruback TC 29  
P-AA Linda Lanning BRN 11

**FIFTH SCALE**  
UFSAS-INT Tim Colgan ANS 39  
UFSAS-AAA Linda Lanning ANS 30

**WOWCC**  
Williamsburg, Kansas  
By Chris Dunlap  
October 1, 2017

Bob Doherty only shot two 40’s today. He won SCPH and UAS. Larry Jackson got second in SCPH and Fred got third. Margaret Curry beat husband Bob in FP PAS by two. Congrats Margaret. See everyone at our last match of the year in November, it’s our Chili Feed after the Match.

**Field Pistol**  
PAS-INT Bob Curry TC 32-20 27  
PAS-AAA Margaret Curry TC 22Hornet 29  
Small Bore  
P-B Andy Lye TC 19  
R-INT Chris Dunlap FA 35  
R-A Dennis Powers FA 30  
S-INT Bob Curry Merrill 20  
S-AA Margaret Curry TC 19  
U-INT Chris Dunlap TC 37  
UAS-INT Bob Doherty ANS 40/9  
UAS-AA Dale Terhune TC 34  
Fifth Scale  
UASFS-INT Chris Dunlap ANS 37/6  
UASFS-AAA Bob Doherty ANS 36/5  
Practical Hunter  
PHSC-INT Bob Doherty TC 22 Hornet 40/10  
PHSC-AAA Dennis Powers TC 22 Hornet 36  
PH22-INT Larry Jackson 40/8  
PH22-AAA Dale Terhune TC 35

**TRI COUNTY ROD & GUN CLUB**  
LINWOOD, KS  
OCT. 8, 2017  
BY BOB CURRY  
The Coveted Rex Cup was once again on the line at Tri County. The excitement was palpable. Expectations ran high as expert shooters from Kansas and Missouri lined up to vie for the famed trophy. When the last target had expired, the scores were carefully tallied. Bob Curry, Rob Dunlap, and Larry Jackson each garnered a Coveted Rex Point. But it was to no avail, as the exultant Bob Doherty captured an unprecedented three for yet another year as the Rex laureate. Once again, Margaret and I wish to thank all who participated this year, and especially those who have been so supportive when it came time to do the prep work and run the line. You know who you are, and so do we. We hope to see you back next season. Try to recruit at least one new person to come and shoot steel with us.

**NEW MEXICO**

**Hobbs Steel Hunters**  
Hobbs, NM  
September 23, 2017  
By David Stanfield

Big Bore  
S-INT Russell Gould TC 32-20 16  
U-INT David Stanfield REM 308 32  
Field Pistol  
PAS-INT Russ Gould TC 32-20 30  
PAS-AAA David Stanfield TC 22Hornet 23

**REGION SIX**

**Arizona**
Cochise Gun Club
Tombstone, AZ
Oct 14, 2017
BY Steve Quast

Big Bore is starting to get lots of attention with 6 shooters this month. Ron Cox has brought out another shooter this month. Glad to meet Gary Ciminski. Jack Jarvis is shooting straight and took top honors with his 30-30 in Unlimited.

Big Bore
P-B Gary Ciminski TC 16
S-AA Joe Hummel TC 44mag 8
S-A Shane Baxter TC 44mag 1
U-A Jack Jarvis TC 30-30 26
US-AA Roger Wysong TC 7TCU 19
Just Mike vs Roger today in field pistol. Mike won.

Field Pistol
PAS-AAA Mike McGuire TC 22Hornet 26
Perfect weather and another new shooter this month. Glad to meet Gary Ciminski after he had a long break from shooting with IHMSA. Shane was back with Joe for a second month. I think the IHMSA bug has bit him. Steve Manigault broke the tie in Standing A class with a 3 to 1 ram count. Good shooting Steve. Thanks for all the help putting animals away fellas.

Small Bore
S-AAA Steven Quast BRN 21
S-AA Bill Robbins TC 11
S-A Steven Manigault TC 9
US-AAA Mike McGuire TC 28

In Big Bore Kieran did it again shooting a perfect 40. Way to go! Ron and Jack tied in Unlimited. We gave it to Ron for his 3 to 1 Ram count. Jack shot all 10 of those chickens in FP. I think he has a future in this spot. SB, Perfect weather and another new shooter this month. Steven Hamlin came out and gave a good show knocking down 15 critters. I thought my24 was good in AAA but Roger had a great 27 to take it. He shot 6 turkeys. Thanks for all the help putting animals away fellas.

Big Bore
U-A Ron Cox TC 30-30 16
UAS-INT Kieran Curtiss XP100 7BR 40
US-AA Roger Wysong TC 7TCU 13
Field Pistol
P-AA Rusty Jackson RUG 22LR 16
PAS-AA Jack Jarvis TC 22Hornet 24
Small Bore
S-AAA Roger Wysong TC 27
S-AA Rusty Jackson RUG 16

S-A Steven Hamlin RUG 15

Nevada

DESERT SPORTSMANS’ RIFLE AND PISTOL CLUB
Las Vegas NV
article by Paul Habig
October 15, 2017
Big Bore Match

The Sin City Silhouette Shooters put on our own version of the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly this month in BB. The Ugly was a standing score I’ve been forbidden to discuss The bad was Debi Wright and Joe Donnelly both struggling with their guns. The good was Sue Redhead shooting a personal best with her Revolver and Joe Kennedy shooting an amazing US-39. Joe hadn’t been out to shoot BB in 8 years and wasn’t sure about his sight settings at all but he had me to help him thru it. Actually, if he had listened to me he would have shot a 40(long story). Shhhhh,I know you want to know, the Ugly was Joe K’s standing score but after an 8 year lay off you’ve got to give him a break.

Shoot Well, Take Care

Big Bore
R-INT Paul Habig FA 41mag 39CB
R-B Sue Redhead Rug 44mag 21
P-INT Paul Habig BF 7US 40
S-INT Paul Habig BF 357 25CB
US-INT Joe Kennedy TC 7TCU 39
UAS-AAA Debi Wright REM 7BR 32

DESERT SPORTMANS’ RIFLE AND PISTOL CLUB
LAS VEGAS NV
article by Paul Habig
October 22, 2017
Small Bore/Field Pistol Match

It was another small turn out for the Sin City Silhouette Shooters. Joe Kennedy couldn’t recapture his US magic from BB Sunday and after another sub par standing score says he won’t shoot open sights til he gets new lenses. You can’t hit what you can’t see. Been there, done that. Debi Wright had it going her way til she got to the rams and she just couldn’t find ‘em. Art Cheshire made the long drive in from Logandale, shot 3 guns and seemed to have a pretty good time when that damn Charger worked right, which wasn’t often. He did shoot a personal best in standing though, so it wasn’t a total waste. Shoot Well, Take Care

Small Bore
S-INT Joe Kennedy TC 23
S-B Art Cheshire Rug 10
P-INT Paul Habig BF 38
P-B Art Cheshire Rug 6
R-INT Paul Habig FA 40
U-INT Paul Habig Ans 40
It was another small turn out for the Sin City Silhouette Shooters with only Gary and Joe Donnelly to keep me company on my birthday. Joe struggled again with his Revolver and didn’t have time for another gun this month. Gary and I “cheat” together all the time and he does so much better on those days, and then his old eyes fog out on match day. One of these days he’s going to get it all together, I’m sure. Even if he isn’t. Shoot Well, Take Care

Big Bore
S-INT Paul Habig BF 41mag 29CB
P-INT Paul Habig BF 7US 40
R-INT Paul Habig FA 41mag 40CB
R-A Joe Donnelly Rug 44mag 19
U-INT Paul Habig BF 6.5US 40
U-AA Gary DeCoster TC 30-30 28
UAS-INT Paul Habig BF 6.5US 40

Desert Sportsman Rifle and Pistol Club
Las Vegas, NV
Nov 19, 2017 Big Bore
article by Paul Habig

With Kate moving to AZ and Art and Gary being unable to stay healthy the Sin City Silhouette Shooters keep having small turn outs. Gary did make it thru one gun today but couldn’t get thru a 2nd. Joe has stopped shooting open sights til he gets new lenses but he did shoot 2 scoped guns. That helped. Debi took my advice and changed her ammo but didn’t come out and “cheat” with me to get it dialed in so she only shot a UAS 38. Next time Debi? I don’t normally talk about my shooting but I shot a 33 standing with 9 turkeys and I’M TELLING EVERYBODY!!!!!! Sorry about that. I think the last time I hit 9 turkeys I shot a 27. What? How? Never mind. Our next SB match is on Christmas eve so I’d like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a wonderful Happy New Year. Shoot Well, Take Care

Field Pistol
PAS-INT Joe Kennedy TC 32H&R 32
Small Bore
S-INT Paul Habig BF 33
R-INT Paul Habig FA 40
P-INT Paul Habig BF 38
U-INT Paul Habig Ans 40
U-AA Gary DeCoster TC 23
US-INT Joe Kennedy TC 33
UAS-AAA Debi Wright BRN 38
Fifth Scale Paul Habig Ans 40

REGION SEVEN
California
Sierra Pistol Club
Fresno, CA
By Larry Forbes
SB-September 17, 2017
BB-October 7-8, 2017

Big Bore
P-INT Daniel Haggerty TC 357SM 37
Eric King TC 7TCU 39
Jerry Ray BF 7US 39
R-INT Daniel Haggerty FA 44 36
Eric King FA 357 39
S-INT Eric King TC 300W 26
U-INT Eric King XP 308 39
Jerry Ray XP 6.5x39 40/2
Jim Harris XP 6.5BR 39
U-AAA Thomas Braun XP 708 31
US-B Steve Peck XP 7BR 12
UAS-INT Steve Peck XP 7BR 38
Half Scale
UHS-INT Eric King XP 22PPC 36
Jerry Ray XP 6.5x39 39
Jim Harris XP 22PPC 32
UASHS-INT Jerry Ray XP 6.5Gren. 40/5
Jim Harris XP 22PPC 38
UASHS-AA Steve Peck XP 7BR 29
Small Bore
P-INT Harry Sharp TC 35
Eric King TC 37
Daniel Hagerty FA 33
R-INT Harry Sharp 37
Daniel Hagerty FA 34
R-C Marvin Wahl 7
S-INT Eric King TC 24
S-AA Daniel Hagerty TC 14
S-A Marvin Wahl TC 8

Practical Hunter
PH22-A Art Cheshire Rug 23
Fifth Scale
UASFS-INT Paul Habig Ans 40
Field Pistol
P-INT Paul Habig BF 22H 32
PAS-INT Paul Habig RPM 22H 32
NOVEMBER IS A VERY SPECIAL MATCH IN THAT WE CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING AND VETERANS DAY AT OUR SATURDAY NIGHT MEAL. WE HAD A DELICIOUS MEAL, AND I WANT TO THANK ALL THE CHEFS AND BOTTLE WASHERS. WE ATE TURKEY WITH HAM AND ALL THE FIXENS. IT WAS A REAL FEAST!!! IF YOU DID NOT MAKE IT TO DINNER, IT WAS FANTASTIC AND YOUR LOSS. WE HAVE QUITE A FEW VETS IN OUR CLUB. WE HONOR ALL VETS. WE CANNOT THANK YOU ENOUGH FOR YOUR SERVICE. IT IS A PLEASURE BEING AROUND THESE GUYS, AND SHOOTING WITH THEM. IT WAS GOOD TO SEE THE OUT OF TOWN FRIENDS SHOW UP TO MINGLE, DINE AND SHOOT WITH US. WE HAD PLenty OF GUNS SHOT. AL MIYAMOTO SHOT HIS FIRST EVER 40x40. THIS WAS SHOT IN SMALL BORE UAS. He told me it took him 20 years to do, I hope this is just the beginning with many more to come. ERIC KING posted a 39 IN½ SIZE WITH ALL 5 SHOOT-OFF TARGETS. THIS MAKES HIM OUR MATCH WINNER FOR BIG BORE. VAL SHAYER posted 2-40s IN PRACTICAL HUNTER, JERRY NAPIER a 40 IN SMALL BORE UAS, HULAN MATTHIES A 40 IN BIG BORE UAS, AND STEVE HOWARD got 40 SMALL BORE UAS ON A RERUN. GREAT SHOOTING!!!

BIG BORE
P-INT Wm Booker TC 7TCU 35
  Val Shaver XL 7MER 35
R-AA Al Roberts FA 357MAG 27

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Washington
Paul Bunyan Rifle Club
Puyallup, Washington
Bret Stuntebeck, Match Director
August 5, 2017
We put 15 entries across the line this month. This was our first match of the year that we didn’t have to fire up the wood stove. Temperatures were in the 70’s a perfect day for shooting steel. On to the results of the match. No 40’s this month. Vince Leete posted an U-AAA, 37 followed closely by Richard Nicol with a U-AAA, 35. Steve Bishop posted a nice R-AAA, 34 followed by a P-AAA, 33 both shot with his FA. Joe Stumpf posted a respectable UASHS-AA, 33. I managed a pair of 27’s in UHS-AAA and US-AAA. In Small bore Vince Leete posted a P-AAA, 22. Joe Stumpf posted a UAS-AAA, 35. On the Field Pistol side Vince Leete posted a PAS-AAA, 28 eking me out by one target to my PAS-AAA, 27. Joe Stumpf posted a PAS-AA, 23. I ended up with a P-AAA, 19. Our target setters did a fantastic job getting our targets set. 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.
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IHMSA NEWS

Big Bore
P-AAA Steve Bishop FA 44mag 33
R-AAA Steve Bishop FA 44mag 34
U-AAA Vincent Leete XP-100 6.5TCU 37
US- AAA Bret Stuntebeck TC 7TCU 27

Field Pistol
P-AAA Bret Stuntebeck TC 22Hornet 19
PAS- AAA Vincent Leete TC 22Hornet 28
PAS- AA Joe Stumpf TC 22Hornet 23

Half Scale
UASHS-AA Joe Stumpf XP-100 7Int 33
UHS- AAA Bret Stuntebeck XP-100 6TCU 27

Small Bore
P-AAA Vincent Leete TC 22
UAS- AAA Joe Stumpf TC 35

Paul Bunyan Rifle Club
Puyallup, WA
By Bret Stuntebeck
November 4, 2017

We put 16 entries across the line this month. Last month was our first match of the year that we didn’t have to fire up the wood stove, well it was back to the ole wood stove for this match. Temperatures were in the low 30’s when I arrived and probably peaked in the high 30’s for the day. On to the results of the match. Only one 40’s this month shot by myself in U-Int followed by Richard Nicol with a U-AAA37. Steve Bishop posted a P-AAA, 26 edging out Richard Nicol’s P-AAA, 21. I managed a R-Int 37. Joe Stumpf edged out Vince Leete in UHSAS. Both posted a UHSAS-AA but Joe out rammed Vince. In Small bore Ron Craig posted a US-unc, 19 starting him out in A class. Vince Leete posted a very nice UAS-Int, 39 letting just one ram get away. Steve Bishop posted a UAS-AA, 26. Vince Leete posted a P-AAA, 22. Joe Stumpf posted a UAS-AA, 35. On the Field Pistol side Vince Leete posted a very nice PAS-AAA, 32. Joe Stumpf posted a PAS-AA, 21. Ron Craig posted a PAS-B, 21 which will move him into A class for the next match. Our target setters did a fantastic job getting our targets set. 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.

REGION EIGHT

Nebraska

IZZAK WALTON
Lincoln Nebraska
October 15th 2017
By Chuck Pfitzer

Big Bore
S-AAA Daryl Growcock TC 300BO 20
US-AA Daryl Growcock TC 270K 29
US-A Rick Lodl TC 300Whisper 20
UAS-AA Randy TeSelle TC 7TCU 29

Half Scale
UASHS-AA Chuck Pfitzer TC 222Rem 38

Field Pistol
PAS-AAA Daryl Growcock TC 270Ren 35
PAS-AA Rick Lodl TC 270Ren 23
P-AA Dale Pester RUG 41Mag 19

Small Bore
R-A Chuck Pfitzer RUG 23
R-A Ed Mundorf FA 8
U-AAA Ben Wilson ANS 10
U-AAA Ed Mundorf ANS 16
U-AAA Elaine Wilson ANS 4
U-AAA Chuck Pfitzer TC 17
US-A Rick Lodl TC 22

Practical Hunter
PHSC-AAA Chuck Pfitzer Colt 357Mag 27

HOLDREGE SILHOUETTE CLUB
HOLDREGE, NE
JAMES MOONEY, Match Director
October 29, 2017

Big Bore
P- AA TIM COLGAN TC 7TCU 27
R-AAA Allan Pritchard FA 44 29
S-AAA Tom Carroll TC 7TCU 15
UAS-INT TIM COLGAN XP 6.8SPC 40/6

Half Scale
UASHS-INT TIM COLGAN XP 6TCU 40/5
UASHS-AAA RON TESELLE TC 221FIREBALL 33

Field Pistol
P- AA LINDA LANNING MERRILL 270REN 15
P- A BILL LANNING DW 32H&R 7
PAS-AA  Tom Carroll  OW 32MAG  19  
Small Bore  
P-AA RON KRUBACK TC  26  
R-A RON KRUBACK RUG  11  
S-AAA Tom Carroll RUG  21  
S-A BILL LANNING TC  2  
U-AA RON KRUBACK ANS  38  
UAS-AAA Dan Ward TC  26  
Fifth Scale  
UASFS-INT TIM COLGAN ANS  39  
UASFS-AA LINDA LANNING ANS  17  
Practical Hunter  
PTSC RON TESELLE TC 22HORNET  40  
PTLC RON TESELLE FA 44MAG  35  
Bordello  
BORDELLO Tom Carroll RUG  

**South Dakota**

Southern Hills Silhouette Club  
Pringle, SD  
Richard Pattison, Match Director  
October 7, 2017  
Big Bore  
P-AAA Neil Allen FA 357  34  
R-AAA Neil Allen FA 357  39  
Small Bore  
UAS-INT James Hammond SAV  36  
Fifth Scale  
UASFS-AAA James Hammond SAV  22