

# Buccaneer Gun Club

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## JULY 2008 NEWSLETTER

### CLUB MEETING

MONDAY, July 14, 2008 - 7:00 P.M. Carolina BBQ Restaurant

### *Upcoming Events*

#### *July 2008*

|      |    |                           |          |
|------|----|---------------------------|----------|
| Sat. | 5  | Big Bore Silhouette Match | 10:00 am |
| Sat. | 12 | Cowboy Action Match       | 9:00 am  |
| Sun. | 13 | Independence Open, Skeet  | 1:00 pm  |
| Mon. | 14 | Club Meeting              | 7:00 pm  |
| Sun. | 26 | Action Pistol Match       | 12:00 pm |
| Sat. | 27 | .22 & Field Pistol        | 10:00 am |

#### *August 2008*

|      |    |                           |          |
|------|----|---------------------------|----------|
| Sat. | 2  | Big Bore Silhouette Match | 10:00 am |
| Sat. | 9  | Cowboy Action Match       | 9:00 am  |
| Sun. | 10 | Summertime Open, Skeet    | 1:00 pm  |
| Mon. | 11 | Club Meeting              | 7:00 pm  |
| Sat. | 16 | Club Workday              | 8:00 am  |
| Sat. | 23 | .22 & Field Pistol        | 10:00 am |
| Sun. | 24 | Action Pistol Match       | 12:00 pm |

### **DELINQUENT SKEET ACCOUNTS:**

Jeff Baker, John Brantley, Ray Daniel, Jay Della Bella

**BUCCANEER GUN CLUB WEB SITE:** [www.buccaneergunclub.org](http://www.buccaneergunclub.org)

**OTHER WEB SITES OF INTEREST:** [www.packing.org](http://www.packing.org); [www.ccowboys.com](http://www.ccowboys.com)

**WE NEED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS:** Please send your e-mail address to the Secretary

(ccaasmfc@cs.com), it is cheaper to send the newsletter that way, plus you will get club notices and For Sale items faster. In addition, I have about 2 dozen e-mail addresses that are now undeliverable, if you used to get your newsletter via e-mail and do not now, please send in your new e-mail address.

## **START OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES** for the June 9, 2008 Meeting:

Meeting convened at 7:00 pm, 18 members present, 2 probationary. VP Jerry Fipps presiding. The May Minutes and Treasurer's report were approved.

**Unfinished and Old Business:** Pres. John Scott appointed a committee to look into changing the clubs Constitution and Bylaws. The committee will meet in the near future.

Please take note of the new speed limit signs posted coming into the club. A neighbor has complained about folks speeding on the road. Please slow down.

### **New Business:**

John Scott's Kubota tractor was stolen from the club sometime late night – early morning June 6-7. The Brunswick Co. Sheriff's Department is investigating.

Club Store – Skeet shooters are the primary users of the Club store at present. Jeff DeSantis, in charge of the Club store, invites all shooters to contact him for any of their reloading or shooting needs. It is there for Club members to use – take advantage of it.

## **END OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES** for the 6/9/2008 Meeting.

## **FROM THE LEGISLATIVE BENCH**

**From The Legislative Bench...** Hope you and yours had a patriotic Independence Day filled with great appreciation of the military... from the blood, sweat, and tears of the American Revolution through today, it is the warriors that protect and maintain our freedom.

The Second Amendment guarantees the right of **INDIVIDUALS** to keep and bear arms... now confirmed by the **U.S. Supreme Court** in the benchmark ruling in the Heller case. Ironically, it was our nation's capital that deprived legal, law-abiding citizens of their Second Amendment rights for over 32 years! This was a decision long overdue... how can any form of government... local, state, or federal... allow and enforce such blatant **tyranny** from within?! Other "laws" and their supporters which deprive firearms rights based on the erroneous "militia concept" in violation of the Constitution/Bill of Rights had better brace for the volleys yet to come... none so deserving of contempt.

To quote from an editorial written in 1959 by the late, great **Senator Jesse Alexander Helms...** a faithful patriot:

***"Compromise, hell! ...If freedom is right and tyranny is wrong, why should those who believe in freedom treat it as if it were a roll of bologna to be bartered a slice at a time?"***

How true it is, Jesse... with this in mind, maintain your sense of urgency to defend the Constitution/Bill of Rights from enemies both **foreign** and **domestic**. The anti-gun crowd will not retreat very far due to the Supreme Court ruling, a narrow 5 – 4 victory, a victory none the less.

Stand proud,

Ron

## **JUNE ACTION PISTOL MATCH**

**JUNE NRA ACTION PISTOL** (Sholar Powell): We had a good turnout for the June match, and although it was interrupted by serious rain, we were able to conclude it by mid-afternoon. Russ Miller from Ft. Bragg Special Forces showed up as a new shooter, and hope to see him back in the future. Our Club has one of the few mechanized Moving Target ranges on the East Coast, and that was the big draw for Russ. The usual suspects, (Jay, Ray, A.J., Roy and Lon) fired a bucket full of guns and we had some real fine scores posted. And the boys decided to set-up the Barricade Event and give that a run as well. Made for tough shooting dealing with the splinters and lead from the Cowboy matches, but they got it done. Come on out and shoot with us in July. Winners in this match included:

| FALLING PLATE MATCH |             |                 |         |
|---------------------|-------------|-----------------|---------|
| Semi-Auto           | High Master | Jay Della Bella | 470/47x |
|                     | Expert      | Ray Campbell    | 440/44x |
|                     | Marksman    | A.J. Parlatore  | 450/45x |
| Revolver            | Marksman    | Roy Daniel      | 340/34x |
| MOVING TARGET MATCH |             |                 |         |
| Semi-Auto           | High Master | Jay Della Bella | 471/30x |
|                     | Expert      | Ray Campbell    | 447/11x |
|                     | Marksman    | A.J. Parlatore  | 396/14x |
| Revolver            | Marksman    | Roy Daniel      | 336/2x  |
| BARRICADE MATCH     |             |                 |         |
| Semi-Auto           | High Master | Jay Della Bella | 473/29x |
|                     | Marksman    | A.J. Parlatore  | 411/18x |

## NEW SKEET LEAGUE STARTING UP

Starting July 8 and running for 5 weeks, the Buccaneer Gun Club will kick off its first Skeet League. Designed for all shooters, this is a 3 person team event with everyone's scores handicapped weekly (roughly similar to golf) so that everyone is competitive. There will be a season ending fun shoot, cookout and awards ceremony. The cost is \$50. Contact the club Secretary - Dick Brame 338-0012 (W) 262-2763 (cell) [ccaasmfc@cs.com](mailto:ccaasmfc@cs.com), or Skeet League Chairman Ron Waidlich 367-9129 (cell) if you are interested.

## JUNE SKEET MATCH RESULTS

Nine brave souls braved the 100 degree heat to shoot some clay targets. While the weather was hot, the shooting was hotter, with Richard Wallace shooting a perfect 50 and Kevin Croom coming within 1 target of shooting his first 25 straight (we were all getting ready to shred his brand new hat!!!) Here are the results:

| Class | Shooter         | Score     |
|-------|-----------------|-----------|
| A:    | Richard Wallace | <b>50</b> |
|       | Dick Brame      | 49        |
|       | John Scott      | 46        |
| B:    | Kevin Croom     | <b>47</b> |
|       | Glen Lamancusa  | 43        |
| C:    | Lewis Carlton   | <b>46</b> |
| D:    | Bill Currie     | <b>45</b> |
| E:    | Frank Langston  | <b>35</b> |
| New:  | Andrea Johnson  | <b>34</b> |

Come out and shoot with us in July, dove season is not far off.

## BUCCANEER RANGE REGULATOR GAZETTE

June 1897

## Headline: Women at Senior Club Discuss Love Life

Dorothy and Edna, two 'senior' widows, are talking.

Dorothy: "That nice Dick Holliday asked me out for a date. I know you went out with him last week, and I wanted to talk with you about him before I give him my answer."

Edna: "Well, I'll tell you. He shows up at my ranch punctually at 7 P.M., dressed like such a gentleman in a fine suit, and he brings me such beautiful flowers! Then he takes me downstairs, and what's there but a shiny black carriage. Then he takes me out to the Long Branch for dinner... a marvelous dinner... steak, champagne, apple pie for desert, and after-dinner drinks.

Then we go see a show. Let me tell you, Dorothy, I enjoyed it so much I could have just died from pleasure! So then we are coming back to my ranch and he turns into an ANIMAL. Completely crazy, he tears off my expensive new dress and has his way with me two times!"

Dorothy: "Goodness gracious!... so you are telling me I shouldn't go out with him?"

Edna: "No, no, no... I'm just saying, wear an old dress."

Scores at the June match went like this.....Looks like Dorothy and Edna's man (Dick Holliday) still has some left.....

| Cowboy/Cowgirl Alias  | Category                 | Match Total | Category Winner           |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| Dick W. Holliday      | Senior                   | 165.73      | Top Gun                   |
| Saloon Keeper         | Silver Senior            | 173.85      | Silver Senior Winner      |
| Wanted                | Senior                   | 178.91      | Senior Winner             |
| Kearney Kid           | 49er                     | 194.50      | 49er Winner               |
| Tiger kid             | Senior                   | 195.63      |                           |
| Dutch                 | Senior                   | 198.80      |                           |
| Dodge City Dude       | Elder Statesman          | 226.90      | Elder Statesman Winner    |
| Hot Lead Heather      | Ladies Traditional       | 227.70      | Lady Traditional Winner   |
| Bullseye Mike         | 49er                     | 230.38      |                           |
| Paddi MacGarrett**    | Traditional              | 230.53      | Traditional Winner        |
| Shady Shyster         | Senior                   | 239.07      |                           |
| Little Mix            | Traditional              | 246.75      |                           |
| Roberdel              | Silver Senior            | 253.88      |                           |
| Silver Dollar Sonny** | Senior Dualist           | 255.37      | Senior Dualist Winner     |
| Billy Byrd            | Senior                   | 257.57      |                           |
| Idaho Spud            | Elder Statesman          | 280.34      |                           |
| Kid Jallao            | 49er                     | 281.65      |                           |
| Pearl                 | Ladies Dualist           | 282.20      | Lady Dualist Winner       |
| The Barber            | Elder Statesman          | 297.24      |                           |
| Killer Karl           | 49er                     | 298.97      |                           |
| Jefro                 | Black Powder Gun Fighter | 302.77      | Blk Pdwr Gun Fghtr Winner |
| Henry Hawk            | Modern                   | 303.57      | Modern Winner             |
| Paco Blackie          | Silver Senior            | 311.50      |                           |
| Hogleg                | Silver Senior            | 355.83      |                           |
| Silverado             | 49er                     | 424.01      |                           |
| Wampee Kid            | Senior                   | 1232.28     | Stage DQ                  |

\*\* Clean Match

Be with us on the second Saturday in July when we'll be at it again.....In the meantime don't forget to "Take a kid shooting".....Respectfully submitted.....Ned Bluntline

## BUCCANEER SPURS COWBOY FAST DRAW

The Buccaneer Spurs held their monthly CFD match on June 28th. There were 9 shooters ( 4 regulars were busy elsewhere ). It was doubly hot due to the temperature and the fierce competition. But, we do shoot in the shade! There was a real Sheriff in town, his first time at CFD. Welcome to KID CARSON! Also welcome to a visitor from Raleigh, Bob Marshall aka Marshall Bob, he also did the pictures.

The results are:

1. WANTED
2. BULLSEYE MIKE
3. JEFRO
4. SECRET SQUIRREL
5. TALL PINES KID
6. KID JALLAIO
7. IDAHO SPUD
8. MARSHALL BOB
9. KID CARSON

Coming soon: Town Folk Alley on Saturday/Sunday at the range where you get to try Cowboy Fast Draw in a non competitive setting. All equipment and instruction will be provided.

Jerry Fipps aka WANTED

**\*\* WHEN YOU USE THE CLUB, PLEASE LEAVE IT IN BETTER SHAPE THAN YOU FOUND IT.**

**\*\* TAKE YOUR PAPER TARGETS DOWN AFTER YOU USE THEM, DON'T LEAVE THEM UP TO GET WET AND BLOWN ALL OVER THE FIELD.**

**\*\* PICK UP YOUR BRASS AFTER SHOOTING.**

**\*\* PICK UP YOUR SHOTGUN SHELLS WHEN DONE AND RELOAD THE MACHINES.**