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JULY NEWSLETTER

July 2014

July	Sat.	5	Big Bore Silhouette Match	10:00 AM
	Sat.	12	Cowboy Action Match	8:30 AM
	Sat.	12	.22 Benchrest Match	10:00 AM
	Sun.	13	Independence Open, Skeet	1:00 PM
	Sun.	13	Cowboy Wild Bunch	8:30 AM
	Sun.	20	IDPA Match	9:00 AM
	Sun.	20	Club Trap Shoot	1:00 PM
	Sat.	26	.22 & Field Pistol Silhouette	10:00 AM
	Sat.	26	Cowboy FAST DRAW	8:30 AM
	Sun.	27	Action Pistol Match	9:00 AM

August 2014

Aug	Sat.	2	IDPA Match	9:00 AM
	Sat.	2	Big Bore Silhouette Match	10:00 AM
	Sat.	9	Club Workday	8:00 AM
	Sat.	9	Cowboy Action Match	8:30 AM
	Sun.	10	Summertime Open, Skeet	1:00 PM
	Sat.	16	.22 Benchrest Match	10:00 AM
	Sun.	17	Club Trap Shoot	1:00 PM
	Sat.	23	.22 & Field Pistol Silhouette	10:00 AM
	Sun.	23	Cowboy Wild Bunch	8:30 AM
	Sun.	24	Action Pistol Match	9:00 AM
	Sat.	30	Cowboy FAST DRAW	8:30 AM

DELINQUENT SKEET ACCOUNTS:

Skeet Account holders must maintain a positive balance in their accounts. Accounts are reconciled quarterly and a Summary is maintained in a blue notebook in the Skeet Pavilion Desk. Members whose names appear in the Newsletter as "Delinquent" are subject to a fine. THE NEWSLETTER IS NOT TO BE USED AS A SOURCE FOR LEARNING THAT YOUR SKEET ACCOUNT IS OVERDRAWN.

Daniel Gillespie

Reggie Hucks

Eric Leo

Marty MacDonald

Jon Mix

OTHER WEB SITES OF INTEREST: www: packing.org;
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MEMBERSHIP MANUAL REQUIRED

The Buccaneer Gun Club is an active shooting club that has grown to 400 annual members. Not too long ago there were about half that many, and most members knew, or were at least acquainted, with each other. The Board has adopted a number of policies to ensure that the Club is run in a safe and orderly manner, but we can no longer rely on word of mouth to make sure all members are aware of the Club's operational policies.

The Board has created a BGC Members Manual to have all relevant membership information, policies, Constitution and Bylaws in one place. They have been printed and are available in the Clubhouse. Please drop by and pick one up and do a couple of things:

1. Make sure you sign for the Manual when you pick it up, so we know who has picked up a copy.
2. There is a brief test you must take and return by mail. ***Please consider this test as a learning exercise. It is intended purpose is to highlight the Buccaneer Gun Clubs policies that have not been adhered to in the recent past.***

These two actions must be completed before you can renew your membership in 2015. The test must be returned by October 31.

The Membership Manuals will be mailed to those who have not picked one up later this summer.

NAME TAGS

For the past several years we have been making the name labels for our name tags with paper labels. Many members' names made with those paper labels have faded to the point they are almost unreadable. Cosby Thomas makes our name tags and he is switching to plastic labels to try and eliminate this problem. There is now a signup sheet in the clubhouse that you can use to request a new label if yours is faded. The new labels will be left for you in the clubhouse.

This does not alter the Club's policy on ordering new name tags if you have lost yours - to get a new name tag you must still send five dollars to the club Treasurer.

JUNE TRAP SHOOT RESULTS

Thunder was in the distance but it didn't keep ten fathers, a son and a Mrs. from showing up for the June Open Trap Event. Some good scores were turned in by many and the competition is getting pretty keen. Dave Moreland shot a straight and was the overall high shooter. The next open trap event is scheduled for July 20th. Hope to see a larger crowd next time.

(* denotes winner)

CLASS B:

Dick Brame* 46
Eric Leo 44

Dave Burton 39
Lewis Carlton 34
Reggie Fitz-Gerald 34
Jeffrey Cole 32

CLASS C:

John Moyer* 45
Doug Peacock 44
Dave Ernst 38

CLASS E:

Debbie Moreland* 41

CLASS D:

Dave Moreland* 47

New Shooter

Shawn Carlton* 39

JUNE RIMFIRE BENCH REST MATCH RESULTS

UL-1

UL-2

UL-3

AGG

NAME	Score	X		Score	x		Score	X		Score	X
CUSTOM GUNS											
Jeff Fountain	244	12		245	14		247	9		736	35
Sam Wells	239	9		246	11		245	9		730	29
Renae Fountain	246	13		240	10		242	10		728	33
Bill Wells	236	10		247	15		244	11		727	36
Jon Mix	233	10		242	10		244	9		719	29
Dave Burton	228	4		246	14		233	6		707	24
PRODUCTION GUNS											
Michael Pridgen	230	4		241	7		244	2		715	13

JUNE SKEET MATCH RESULTS

Had 15 Shooters shoot in the June Skeet match. A good time was had by all, and the weather was great. Here are the results.

A-Class

Ron Waidlich 48

B-Class

Ray Campbell 47

Nunzio Litterio 43

Chase Rouse 40

C-Class

Bernie Medlin 43

Doug Peacock 40

Dave Burton 40

D-Class

Curt Bell 44

Bruce Polity 43

Dave Ernst 39

Eric Leo 35

E-Class

Jason Harriss 34

Ted Poucher 33

Don Mincher 27

Don Hall 17

JUNE NRA ACTION PISTOL MATCH

If this is just June, August will be a swelter...we had a hot and humid Sunday morning for our match, but had a great turnout, and lengthy list of shooters both new and old. New Hanover Co. Fire Dept. continues to have major representation at the AP matches, and we appreciate the participation and the help in scoring and other match logistics issues. Ray Campbell was the guinea pig for a 'new match' we are going to try...just for the single-action Cowboy shooters. The match is shot at 10 and 15 yards for both Falling Plate and The Mover. Time is increased to 10 seconds at 10 yards and 12 seconds at 15 yards on the Plates, and you shoot 3-shot strings only on the Mover. Ray smoked it pretty well in both matches and turned in some nice scores for a guy thumbing a single-action. We'll continue to offer this option for anyone wanting to try the game with a Cowboy single-action revolver at future matches. Several shooters came by to shoot the AP match, then headed to Anthill for the IDPA. It's a good warm-up, so if you're an IDPA shooter, come on out next month. We kept the range open on The Mover after the match, and had several folks take advantage of the opportunity to shoot for practice. Next match is scheduled for July 27, so load up and come shoot with us. Scores from this month as follows:

FALLING PLATE MATCH

Semi-Auto	Expert	Don Pelling	380/38x
	Sharpshooter	Sholar Powell, Jr.	350/35x
	Defensive Pistol	Nick Dillon	380/38x
		Danny Domin	310/31x
		David Isley	310/31x
		Mark Yandell	270/27x
		William George	250/25x
		Joe Horne	200/20x
		Billy Rutherford	200/20x
		Ryan Merrill	190/19x
		Mike Whitwam	170/17x
Revolver	Defensive Pistol	Charlie White	360/36x
Single-Action	Cowboy	Ray Campbell	390/39x

FALLING PLATE MATCH

Semi-Auto	Expert	Don Pelling	437/12x
	Sharpshooter	Sholar Powell, Jr.	367/7x
	Defensive Pistol	Nick Dillon	445/14x
		David Isley	419/8x
		William George	410/7x
		Joe Horne	382/7x
		Danny Domin	364/12x
		Ryan Merrill	364/7x
		David Isley	339/3x
		Billy Rutherford	327/4x
		Mark Yandell	294/7x
		Mike Whitwam	185/3x
Revolver	Defensive Pistol	Charlie White	415/5x
Single-Action	Cowboy	Ray Campbell	431/23x

BUCCANEER RANGE REGULATOR GAZETTE

Regulator Gazette

June 1897

Headline: Dick Holliday Wins Plate Event At NRA Action Pistol Match...This Really Happened!!!!!!

Dick Holliday showed up at the June NRA Action pistol match packing his 7 1/2 Beretta Single action and his Ruger 5 1/2 and managed to hit 39 plates...This was one plate better than any other competitor....He shot the new Cowboy Division of the match which includes 24 plates at 10 yards and 24 plates at 15 yards....

Dick also shot the moving target event which includes 24 shots at 10 yards and 24 shots at 15 yards.... He came in third in the event but managed to shoot 23 bulls-eye's which was far better than any other competitor.....That Dick is my hero....

Dick promises to show up on the forth Sunday of July at 9am and welcomes all you cowboy buckaroos to do the same.....And yes, those cowboy guns really do hold six bullets and will hit something further away than the toilet lidSo if you think you can shoot the cowboy guns, you need to show up and put Dick in his place.....Dick says....."I'll be your huckleberry" and "You're a daisy if you do"...Dick also asks the Question "Who's ya daddy?????"

<u>Alias</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Total Time</u>	
1 South Buffalo Slim	S	131.87	Top Gun
2 High Noon Henry	FN	141.61	49'r Winner
3 Ms. Jewel	LSS	170.52	Lady's Silver Senior Winner
4 Sandhills Slim	SS	170.77	Silver Senior Winner
5 Winnabow Wrangler	W	231.50	Wrangler Winner
6 Bell Swamp Charlie	S	248.51	
7 Kid Jallao	S	269.76	
8 John Wesley Walker	BPFCD	296.96	Black Power FC Duelist Winner
9 Jefro	BPFCD	309.41	
10 El Captain	GF	356.58	Gunfighter Winner
11 Charlie Horse	ES	411.90	Elder Statesman Winner
12 Outkast	GF	431.30	

Clean Match

Bell Swamp Charlie

Here's hoping to see on the second Saturday for another cowboy extravaganza and on the fourth Sunday to give Dick a shooting lesson.....

Till then don't forget to "Take a kid shooting"

Respectfully submitted

Ned Bluntline

BUCCANEER SPURS

Howdy all, the weather started out nice Saturday, but even with a late thunder storm it couldn't dampen the fun we had. Like last month there were alot hits on target and alot matches decided by the thousandths of a second. At the end of our no X six round match the Khaos Kid had a clean slate with no Xs, followed by Winnabow Wrangler with only one X. At the end of our Mag 7 shoot-off the Khaos Kid with one X, was up against Uncle Jefro with no Xs. The Khaos Kid made quick work of it taking out Uncle Jefro for the win. Good shooting pard. The results of the match are as follows, with everyone's fastest shot of the day included.

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| 1- Khaos Kid (.604) - CONGRATS - Top Gun!!!! | 5- Bull (.585) |
| 2- Uncle Jefro (.615) | 6- Charlie Horse (.681) |
| 3- Winnabow Wrangler (.593) | 7- Outkast (.664) |
| 4- Tall Pines Kid (.546) | 8- Kid Jallao (.760) |

Congrats to Tall Pines Kid for the fastest time of the day with a .546 second shot. Good Luck to the Khaos Kid as he heads off to college this week. And good luck to those heading to Virginia for the Showdown in Dixie.

Come join us and try out your skills on Saturday July 26th 2014 at the Buccaneer Gun Clubs OK Corral. Want to give it a try, give me a call or e-mail me. [910-330-7179](tel:910-330-7179)

Sincerely,
Uncle Jefro & Hot Lead Heather

IMPORTANT REMINDER TO MEMBERS:

1. The speed limit on the road is 13 miles per hour. Our relationship with our neighbors is too important to jeopardize it by something like speeding down the road. Make sure you tell any guests that come to the club about the speed limit.
2. Steel silhouette targets are not to be shot with a center fire rifle. The basic rule is, that if it is shaped like an animal then "Do not shoot it with your center fire rifle." There is no excuse for this type of range abuse as the rules are posted at the range and this item is mentioned in every news letter.....
3. When you leave the skeet fields, make sure the skeet machines are not left on (this poses a serious danger to the machines during thunderstorms), the machines are loaded with targets, spent shells and trash are picked up. It is your duty to clean up after yourself and make sure the machines are de-cocked and loaded.
4. If any of the trash cans are full, take them to the dumpster and dump them out.

**** 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.**

**** THE ANIMAL-SHAPED STEEL TARGETS ON THE RANGE ARE FOR PISTOL ONLY. DO NOT SHOOT THESE TARGETS WITH A CENTERFIRE RIFLE. DIRECTIONS FOR CALIBER OF PISTOL TO BE USED ON SPECIFIC TARGETS ARE POSTED ON SIGNS AT THE RANGE.**