

CENTRAL KANSAS GUN CLUB OF RENO COUNTY, INC.  
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### **AUGUST 2007 NEWSLETTER**

***NEW MEMBERS:*** Please welcome a whole buncha folks: Bob Allen, Lynn Hinsdale, Edward Hobart, Don Jones, Will Jones, John Miner, John Penhorwood, Dale Peters, Tim Siefkes, Larry Trimmell and Bill Worthington. Not a record for one month but pretty good anyway....Membership now stands at 7 Life members and 334 paid members, with space available for another 16. We will almost certainly have to reinstate the waiting list again this year, so if you know anyone wanting to join a pretty decent little gun club, now would be a really good time.....

***NEW SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTE PROGRAM:*** This new program will hold a 150-round familiarization "match" on Saturday August 18<sup>th</sup> in order to introduce the discipline to the membership. There will be groups for most any 22-rimfire rifle that you might have in the closet, so drag it out and bring it to the range. The first match will be for familiarization 40-yards, and one or two full distance matches will also be fired. Cost for the event will be \$15. Contact committee chairman Craig Walle at 620-664-9565 ([duckhunter\\_67502@cox.net](mailto:duckhunter_67502@cox.net)) for more information, or to volunteer to help with building of target stands. They are also seeking donation of used steel plate, ¼" thick by about 4" wide by 5' or longer for target stands, if you have any scrap.

***CCW CLASS:*** Chief Instructor Bill Dawes will hold another 8-hour CCW class in late September, if sufficient interest exists. Bill says he won't hold another 8-hour class for just one member, and who could blame him? Cost will be \$75, is open to non-members and you should be aware that all proceeds go to the club. Contact Bill at 620-585-6440 or email to [wpd@southwind.net](mailto:wpd@southwind.net) if you are interested.

***CLUBHOUSE PROJECT:*** The clubhouse project is nearly complete now lacking only some interior finish details and for the ground to dry out for completion of the septic system. We thank Dave Schmidt for trimming out the doors and windows. We do continue to solicit funds for the Plank Program, and work assignments for Plank or work commitment remain available. The official end of the Plank program will be on December 31, with recognition plaque installed shortly thereafter, so if you want your name immortalized, time is fleeting. Mark Gregory recently joined the Plank program at the Gold level, and Mike McJunkin also at the Gold level in memorial to his father Maurice, a previous President of the old corporation. Call or email Jerry Maxfield at the 620-663-8666 ([jrmax@cox.net](mailto:jrmax@cox.net)).

***BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING:*** The next meeting will be at 6:30 PM on Monday September 10 *AT THE NEW CLUBHOUSE*. This is not an official membership meeting, but all members may attend if so inclined. Seating remains limited so plan on bringing your lawn chair or leaning in a convenient corner.

***RANGE MAINTENANCE:*** XO Trey Owston plans on rebuilding all target frames and replacing target backers sometime in September, after the heat dies down. This will be a relatively large project, so to volunteer to help or for work hours for new member work commitments, call Trey at 620-662-6231.

***SHOTGUN PROGRAM:*** Still shooting every 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 1:00 PM, and every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from about 3:30 PM until light conditions fail or the supper dish is heard rattling. Weather permitting of course. They have ample opportunity for new folks to work off their mandatory 8-hour work commitments. Call Dennis Dester at 620-543-2746, Ken Ewing at 620-665-7525 or Steve Seltzer at 620-663-6980 for more information or for work commitment assignments.

***COWBOY ACTION PROGRAM:*** Their next matches will be held on August 18<sup>th</sup> and September 15<sup>th</sup>. The Cap'n Stroud benefit match last month raised \$2200 for one of their regular shooters facing some severe health challenges. They have work commitment assignments available. Contact Steve Kinser at 620-345-3151 or Tony Duncan at 620-662-9909 for more info or work assignments.

***ACTION PISTOL PROGRAM:*** Contact Greg Dick at 620-669-9735 for information about their next match scheduled for Sunday September 9. Their 2007 schedule has been posted to the website. They may have work available.

***HPD RANGE CLOSURES:*** The south half of the range will be reserved for their exclusive use from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM on July 26<sup>th</sup>.

***HIGH POWER RIFLE PROGRAM:*** Resuming their 200/300/600-yard "across the course" matches on September 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. Contact Greg Krebaum at 620-662-7515 for more information or to volunteer to satisfy work commitments. They also continue practice nights on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday nights, March thru October, from 5:30 PM until sundown. The 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday will be for 200-yard practice and does not conflict with the south plinking range, but the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday will be for practice at 300 and 600-yards and will require shut-down of the entire south half of the range.

***CAMP PERRY REPORT:*** Greg Krebaum took 4<sup>th</sup> place in the President's 100 match during CMP week, following a shoot-off by the top 20 shooters. Displaying grace under pressure, Greg went into the shoot-off in 14<sup>th</sup> place.....Also Brad Mosiman got to walk across the big stage to receive his Distinguished Rifleman's badge. We are privileged at CKGC to have at least 4 Distinguished Riflemen as members and several more who regularly attend our matches. The award has gone to less than 1900 shooters in the last 100 years, they are somewhat of a rare breed.

***FOR SALE:*** George Spencer has two 20 ga. Remington 870 shotguns for sale and you may contact George at 316-838-8536(evenings) or 316-250-8123 (cell). First is a

standard frame 2-3/4" chamber, plain 28" barrel, modified choke, barrel date XYY (approx. Dec 1952) grooved "tootsie-roll" forearm, walnut stock with no checkering. Just a few nicks in the finish, blue is excellent except for the slide guides, bore perfect, \$225 to members.

Also another with 2-3/4" chamber, matted rib (not raised) 28", modified choke, barrel date appears to be BH (1961) but mark is not clear, walnut stock with extended forearm both with machine checkering, if date is right it is an upgraded model for that year, butt plate is missing, slip on recoil boot in its place, overall excellent condition, action tight, bore perfect. \$225 to members.

**MORE FOR SALE:** Yet another Remington shotgun. Remington Model 11 Sportsman factory Skeet gun, 12 ga., 26" barrel, Skeet choke with factory milled ventilated rib, original butt plate and grip cap, not messed with. Easily a 95% gun, \$450, call Harold Mauck at 620-662-7060 or email [L48@cox.net](mailto:L48@cox.net). Thanks to George Spencer for reminding me to get around to peddling this.....

**M1 GARAND RIFLES AVAILABLE AGAIN:** CMP has received another large shipment of M1 rifles, reportedly over 100,000. That should last a while. They expect to start shipping rifles in another 60-120 days, but are accepting orders now. Only M1's manufactured by Springfield Armory are available, and prices are \$495 for Field Grade and \$595 for Service Grade. Limit of 12 (wow!) per year, and \$22.95 shipping for each rifle.

**M1 CARBINES STILL AVAILABLE:** After satisfying all orders for Inland carbines, CMP has enough left over to accept additional orders. Inlands are available right now at \$495 plus \$22.95 shipping. We have recently seen some of the Inlands that have been received, and consider all we have seen to be well worth the money. Of course, your mileage may vary, but it would appear that for the shooter wanting only one M1 Carbine, and does not care about the specific manufacturer, the Inlands are the way to go. If you hurry, they won't last much longer. CMP will also start accepting orders for Underwood carbines on September 4, at \$565 plus shipping, and any orders for Underwood carbines received before that date will be returned to the applicant. Additional carbines will become available at various times and prices according to manufacturer and relative rarity thru April 2009, at a price point \$565 to \$675.

**CMP SALES PROGRAM INFORMATION:** Exhaustive information relative to the CMP sales program, including 30-06 and 30-cal carbine ammunition, is available at their website [www.odcmp.com](http://www.odcmp.com) and you may there peruse prices and availability, and download an order form. We also offer a CMP sales orientation and opportunity for range firing on Saturday afternoon, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 4:00 PM on the South Plinking range, or on one of the north side firing lines if the high power rifle match is still in progress at that time. Rain or shine. Cost will be \$2 for the orientation only, or \$4 if range firing is required to satisfy the CMP requirement for "marksmanship activity". You may also call Harold Mauck at 620-662-7060 (email [ckqcsec@cox.net](mailto:ckqcsec@cox.net)) for more information. Your membership in CKGC already satisfies the CMP club requirement.