

CENTRAL KANSAS GUN CLUB OF RENO COUNTY, INC.
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AUGUST 2008 NEWSLETTER

NEW MEMBERS: Please welcome four new members this month. Membership has again reached the top max of 350, and we are now closed to new members until more room becomes available at the end of the next renewal period next May. There was no support for a proposal to extend membership out to 375 at a recent Board of Directors meeting, so for now that's all folks!

SEPTEMBER BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING: The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at 6:30 PM on Monday September 8th at the clubhouse. Any interested party is invited to attend.

SHOTGUN SCHEDULE: The shotgun committee is looking at making the two weekly shotgun shoots exclusive to trap one night and skeet the next. More on that as it develops. Meanwhile, the new Summer Schedule will coincide with Daylight Savings Time and is as follows: Trap and Skeet will shoot the 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays 1 PM – 4 PM and every Tuesday and Thursday from 4 PM – 7 PM. 5-Stand will shoot the 3rd Sunday only from 1 PM – 4 PM. This will change to the Winter Schedule and coincide with Standard Time to provide Skeet only from 3 PM to 5 PM. Trap and 5-stand will not function during the Winter Schedule. They plan occasional “special” events on the 5th Sunday in lieu of regular. All scheduled shoots and events will be “weather permitting” and subject to cancel due to rain, show or unsafe conditions like lightning or hail. To help out, or express your needs and concerns for this program, contact Steve Seltzer for 5-stand at 620-663-6980, Steve Smith for Skeet at 620-662-7595 or Mel Ralston for Trap at 620-665-0320. They do have work available for new member's work commitments.

SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTE: Attendance is up, with 11 shooters and two relays on hand at the August match. Their next match is scheduled for September 27th, with registration starting at 7:30 AM. The 2008 schedule is now posted on the web site. All matches will now be NRA approved, requiring NRA classification books that will be available at the match. In general, you would shoot at chickens, pigs, turkeys and rams at ranges of 40, 60, 77 and 100 yards, from the standing position. Scope sights are allowed and very highly recommended, and there are some restrictions regarding weight of the rifle and such. Equipment generally consists of a 22-rifle, ammunition, eye and ear protection, and yourself, so nearly anyone can try it. Standard velocity ammo only, no hot loads. Contact chairman Craig Walle at 620-664-9565 (duckhunter_67502@cox.net) for more information.

COWBOY ACTION PROGRAM: Their next two matches will be September 20 and October 18th. Contact Steve Kinser at 620-345-3151 for more info. Steve will have work available for new member work commitments.

ACTION PISTOL PROGRAM: Contact Greg Dick at 620-669-9735 for information about their next match scheduled for Sunday September 14th. Their 2008 schedule has been posted to the website.

HIGH POWER RIFLE PROGRAM: Their 2008 match schedule is posted on the website. Their next matches will be held on September 6th and 13th, both being Saturdays and both being “across-the-course” 200/300/600-yard events. Contact Greg Krebaum at 620-662-7515 for more information. They also continue practice nights on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday nights, March thru October, from 5 PM until sundown. The 1st Wednesday will be for 200-yard practice and is not expected to conflict with the south plinking range, but the 3rd Wednesday will be for practice at 300 and 600-yards and will require shut-down of the entire south half of the range. You must call Richard Reed to indicate you will show up for these at 620-241-2387 (peelsrick@hotmail.com). The high power committee has work available for new members.

TACTICAL CARBINE MATCH: The High Power crew will also hold another Tactical Carbine match on Sunday September 14th, with registration starting at 7:30 AM. Tactical carbine will be open to any semi-automatic military-style carbine or lever-action rifle with barrel not to exceed 20”. It will start with a non-firing target identification exercise, then followed by a variety of scenarios requiring fast and accurate rifle fire out to 200-yards, most will be less. Magazine changes or reloads will be required, additional time granted to rifles with non-detachable magazines. No alibis or sighting shots allowed, know your zeros and bring a rifle that runs 100%! Shooting jackets, or use of slings as other than a carrying strap, are prohibited. Expect to fire approximately 50-rounds and bring at least two magazines. Targets may be stationary or moving and may be considered to be non-traditional. Sights may be iron, “red-dot” or optical up to 2.75x. Contact Harold Mauck for more information at 620-662-7060.

More complete information is also posted on the website toward the end of the High Power Rifle 2008 schedule at www.ckgc.org/HPSch.pdf.

HUNTER SAFETY CLASS: Member Ray Delehoy will be holding a Kansas Hunter Safety Education class on the evenings of September 25, 26 and 27th in the Yoder campus of the South Hutchinson Mennonite Church, located just north of Yoder at the intersection of Yoder and Longview roads. Reservations are required! Contact Ray at 620-567-2871 to register or for more information.