

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

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING & OFFICER ELECTIONS: Your presence is requested at the clubhouse at 7:30 PM on Monday October 13th to help provide a quorum, so that club business may be conducted and the Annual Election of Officers may be held. All current officers have agreed to stand for election again, but the floor will be open to nominations. If anyone else is interested in running for one of the offices, Jerry Maxfield has headed up a nominating committee, and can be called at 620-663-8666 to discuss the requirements of the office you may be interested in. You may also call the officer currently holding the position you are interested in. They are uniformly an accommodating lot, and can be depended on to give a full and open description of the responsibilities of the office.

NEW MEMBERS: We are currently closed to new members, but the Board of Directors has recently decided to suspend the top max for membership for serving members of the armed forces, the point being that those folks might be deployed or transferred before the next openings occur. Presumably that relatively narrow exemption will meet with the approval of the majority of our membership. The waiting list is otherwise in effect, and the Secretary should be notified of anyone wishing to be included. Contact Harold Mauck at 620-662-7060 (ckgcsec@cox.net).

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: 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 October 5th. 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 October 12 and 19th both being Sundays. The match on the 12th will be the annual USMC "Toys For Tots" match and you must present a new and unopened toy of good quality, or a suitable monetary donation, to enter. The match on the 19th will be the annual High Power Picnic and will consist of a reduced-range 100-yard course, followed by lunch at the clubhouse for anyone who has competed in at least one high power match this year. 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.

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.

KBI POLICE TRAINING: The entire south half of the range will be reserved for the exclusive use of KBI for officer training for the period of Monday October 20 thru Friday October 24, from daylight to 4 PM each day. The north side will remain open and the south side will generally be accessible AFTER 4 PM daily, so impact on range availability including the shotgun program will be minimal. Your cooperation will be appreciated, especially if their training program runs slightly past 4 PM.

FREE BULLETS: Denton Warn will give you about 170 Keith style .410-dia. 208-grain lubed cast lead bullets if you call him at 620-663-5553 (d.warn@cox.net).

FUN SHOWS: Call ahead to confirm before traveling!
Oct 4-5, Wichita Coliseum, Chisholm Trail (the big one) 316-788-3725.
Nov 8-9, Cessna Activity Center, Military Show, 2744 George Washington Blvd. in Wichita, 316-210-3255.