

CENTRAL KANSAS GUN CLUB OF RENO COUNTY, INC.

FEBRUARY 2009 NEWSLETTER

REMINDER THE CLUB HAS A \$1200 REWARD FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO APPREHENSION OF ANYONE WILLFULLY DESTROYING OR DAMAGING CLUB PROPERTY

The Board of Directors has seen fit to require the above be *permanently* added to the heading of the newsletter because some one or ones of our members cannot grasp the concept of not shooting the living crap out of the target frames provided for membership use. The Board is laboring under the assumption that none of our members are flipping stupid enough to create this damage through gross ignorance or mental defect, and have come to the conclusion one or more of our members does this for the sheer bliss of screwing up what the rest of us generally enjoy. Hence the offer to fund your next firearm purchase or whatever else you need to spend the money on. Contact any club officer to report willful destruction of club property and claim your reward. You don't need to confront the jerk, just get a vehicle license plate number and report that.

Thanks to Mike Robinson, Trey Owston, Regan Tabor, Dan Whistler and the Richard Reed family for rebuilding the shot-up target frames last weekend.

WORK DAY: Executive Officer Trey Owston has scheduled a work day for Saturday February 28 from 9:00 AM until we all get tired of it, weather permitting. Committee chairmen are encouraged to rally their troops for committee projects, and general use members, as well as those needing hours for new member work commitments may contact Trey at 620-662-6231. Frank Triffet needs someone with a roto-tiller to do some work around some recent ditch work (the club will provide the fuel for this use).

BUDGETS FOR F. Y. 2009: Committee chairmen are reminded that their proposed budgets for the coming fiscal year are required by club rules to be turned in to the Treasurer and President by March 1st.

THANKS TO BOB ALLEN: For donating a nearly new wire-feed welder to the club. Insert sounds of clapping and cheering here: _____.

MARCH BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING: The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at 6:30 PM on Monday March 9th at the clubhouse. Any interested party is invited to attend.

SHOTGUN PROGRAM: They will be switching over to their Summer Schedule to coincide with Daylight Savings Time on March 8th 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. The normal Winter Schedule will continue to run until March 8th (5-stand on winter hiatus and Trap only functioning as demand presents itself). They will continue 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 2009 schedule is now posted on the web site, with their first match on April 19. 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 2009 schedule is now posted on the web site, with their first match on February 21st. Contact Steve Kinser at 620-345-3151 for more info. Steve will have work available for new member work commitments.

ACTION PISTOL PROGRAM: Their 2009 schedule is now posted on the web site. Contact Greg Dick at 620-669-9735 for information about their next match scheduled for Sunday March 8.

HIGH POWER RIFLE PROGRAM: Their 2009 match schedule is now posted on the website. Their next matches will be held on March 14 & 21st both being Saturdays and both being “across-the-course” 200/300/600-yard events followed by 600-yard any rifle, any sight 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 620-755-2767. (peelsrick@hotmail.com). That is a new contact number for Richard, by the way. The high power committee has work available for new members.

HPD RANGE USE: We have received the Hutchinson Police Dept’s 2009 range use schedule, and it will be posted on the home page of the website under “Special Events”. Their first date will be April 8th from 1 PM to 5 PM, and they will require the entire south half of the range for this function.

PARTING SHOT: “Before I got married and had children.....I marveled at the fact that my dad would spend upwards of an hour-and-a-half in the bathroom. At first, I thought dad just needed to eat more bran, get some fiber in his diet. Only later did I realize, half the time dad wasn’t even “using” the bathroom. He just wanted some peace and quiet”. Cal Wiggins, comedian, www.calwiggins.com.