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WE ARE A 100% NRA MEMBER SUPPORTED CLUB. MAKE SURE YOUR NRA INFO IS UP TO DATE WITH CLUB HEADQUARTERS.



8TH ANNUAL NRA HIGH POWER CLINIC

Do you want to be part of the excitement of Service Rifle competition? You can be!! The Lincoln Rifle Club will be conducting our 8th annual High Power Rifle Clinic on **Saturday, May 28th at the Dillman Range, beginning at 8 am.** Cost is \$15 per shooter.



To participate you are asked to provide:

An NRA/CMP legal service rifle

This is an M-1 Garand, M1A, or preferable an AR-15. An AR-15 type rifle is strongly recommended.

Approx. 70 rounds of ammunition, safe for your rifle

Web or leather sling

Eye & Ear protection



The Lincoln Rifle Club will provide:

Range space

Experienced Coaches

A sport that you will enjoy for a lifetime!!

We will be shooting a 200 yard match. The positions are off-hand and rapid sitting at the 200 yard mark. Then with a 300 yard reduced target, we will shoot a rapid prone relay. Last, with a 600 yard reduced target, we will shoot slow prone.

All are welcome to participate. If you have any questions, please contact Ryan Watts, Match director at 916-812-8762 or ryan@maloofproperties.com.



See you at the Range!

FROM THE BOARD

Submitted by Barbara Webster

The March 14th meeting of the Board of Directors was held at Club Headquarters at 7:00 pm. Chairman **Leonard Zick** called the meeting to order and the following members of the Board were present: **Phil Pennington, Bill Dayton, Len Valasek, Steve Katsuyama, Dennis Bizeau** and **George Rodriguez. Jason Turner** and **Mike Davis** were absent. A quorum was established with 7 of the 9 elected board members present. Other attendees included **Terry Wildman, Margaret Moore, Kent Dove, Lane Buxton, Christopher Braden, James Louch** and **Barbara Webster**. The Board heard input from Lane Buxton and Kent Dove relative to the following issues:

- * Club Members feel that they have little or no access to the business of the Club or the Club's Board of Directors
- * Club Members believe that the current organizational structure does not lend itself to member input resulting in a total lack of awareness relative to Club business and practices
- * Members look at Club administration as "business dealings: and not activities for the good of the Club.

Discussion continued and the following suggestions were discussed:

- * Elected Board members should not include paid employees of the Club
- * The Board meetings should be held on the first Thursday of the month just prior to the monthly Club meeting at the Pavilion Building in McBean Park.
- * The Club bylaws should be reviewed and brought up to date.

Margaret Moore presented the report from the Range Utilization Committee and it was accepted without dissent.

Range Committee continues with their "review" project relative to the posted signs at the Dillman Range.

The April 11th Board of Directors meeting was held at Club Headquarters at 7:00 pm. Chairman **Leonard Zick** called the meeting to order and took attendance. Along with Mr. Zick, the following Board members were in attendance: **Phil Pennington, Bill Dayton, Mike Davis, Steve Katsuyama, Dennis Bizeau, George Rodriguez, Jason Turner** and newly elected **Ryan Watts** and **Candy Dove**. Also attending were **Margaret Moore, Terry Wildman, Barbara Webster, Jim Louch, Lane Buxton,** and **Kent Dove**.

The Board accepted the new fee schedule as proposed by the Range Utilization Committee with one exception: children under the age of 15 will shoot free at the Dillman Range. This schedule will be put into action in June 2016.

The Board also accepted the committee's recommendation that the Club sell "splash" targets at the Range.

Issues remain on the report and will be discussed at future meetings. These include: the work credit program, and protocols for instructors and trainers using the Dillman Range.

As a result of the April Business Meeting the Board agreed that the Club bylaws should be reviewed and updated as appropriate for our organization. They also agreed that the Website needs an update and some modernizing, and that **Jared Hazelton** was a good person for this task.

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FROM THE BOARD—CONTINUED

The Board decided to establish a new date and time for Board Meetings. Starting May 5th the Board will meet on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Pavilion Building in McBean Park. All members and guests should feel invited to attend the board meeting. If you have a specific issue please e-mail it to Club Headquarters at lincolnrc@sbcglobal.net 10 days prior to the meeting. Issues presented after the 10 day protocol, will appear on the following month's agenda.

Approval was granted for the construction of a cover to serve the Trap area.

The following issues were tabled for the next meeting:

Discussion relative to the establishment of a protocol for Club members and interested parties to use when attending Board Meetings

Discussion and decision relative to continuing our current practice of allowing paid employees to run for and serve on the Board of Directors

NEW FEE SCHEDULE ADOPTED BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

At the April 11th Board of Directors meeting, a new fee schedule was approved. It will become effective June 1. The new fee schedule is listed below:

Public Adult Shooters (16 years and Above)—\$15.00

Military Veterans—\$10.00

LRC Member Spouses—\$5.00

Active Military—FREE

Public Junior Shooters (15 years and Younger)—FREE

LRC Junior Club Shooters—FREE

LRC Members—FREE

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE—BY LEONARD ZICK

A lot of changes have occurred since we last talked. A movement is taking place to allow the members more accessibility to the Board of Directors. Our next meeting, May 5, 2016, will start with a Board of Director's meeting at 7:00 p.m., and will be followed by our General Business club meeting. I hope the meetings will be interesting and informative and that you will make it a priority to attend.

I believe our club, as with all clubs, has about a 20% factor that makes up the core of our group. This percentage of the people "make things happen". A lot of our members just want a place to shoot, which is also good. However, there is a large portion of our membership that are looking for and enjoying that "Club" feeling. It is with positive efforts and a lot of forward thinking that we make it all work.

People generally don't embrace change; however, with change comes growth. I would like to see a more cohesive group within our club. We will be facing a lot of changes in the future. I have always believed there is a ton of talent within our membership. We need to tap into that talent. We need the membership to step up and pitch in to make sure we remain the quality shooting sports center in our area. I look forward to working with all of you in the upcoming days. See you at the next Board meeting.



SUMMER HANDGUN MATCHES BEGINS MAY 2

New Day, New Time

Summer Handgun matches are scheduled to begin Monday, May 2nd. Registration will begin at 8:00am, with the first relay at 9:00 am. If needed, a second relay will begin at 10:30 am. Entry is limited to Club members at least 18 years of age. Cost to participate is \$15 to register and \$5.00 for each relay. Additional “same-day” relays can be shot for an extra \$1.00. Summer handgun allows the use of both center fire and .22 caliber handguns, however, shooters may only register for awards with ONE type of handgun. Also, shooters must participate in 6 matches to qualify for Club awards, traditionally presented at the Annual Awards Pot Luck, held on the last Saturday in January the following year. The course of fire will consist of 65 rounds; 5 sighters, 20 slow fire, 20 timed fire, and 20 rapid fire rounds, all shot at 50 yards on official NRA targets. This is a very friendly competition and we invite all handgun shooters to come on out and send some rounds down range with us. So, if the heat has been keeping you away from this match, notice we are now shooting in the cool of the morning. We are looking forward to a big year, now that we won't be shooting in that nasty afternoon heat!! If you have an questions, contact **Margaret Moore** at 916-704-6609 or moorem2@sbcglobal.net.



VARMINTS MATCHES SCHEDULED TO BEGIN IN MAY

Submitted by Mark Porco, Match Director

So what is this varmint match, anyway? This is a fun shoot testing your skills against those pesky varmints at the Dillman Range. Who are these varmints? Well, the LRC has a very unusual type of varmint. Typically, they only appear on the ***last Fridays of the summer months (May through October)***. They show up promptly at ***5pm*** and leave at dusk. They have been known to be in the form of squirrels, ground hogs, prairie dogs, and rabbits.

Varmints stand very still at 100, 160, 200 & 230 yards, allowing 5 shots at each distance. They have distinguishing birthmarks, curiously in the shape of a set of scoring rings and stand in groups of 4, allowing 4 shooters at a time to take their best shots at them. Shooters are allowed to use any caliber rifle (including rimfire rifles), any scope/sight, and any front rest/support, however no rear rifle rests are to be used. Shoulder supports are ok. Varmints allow anyone to take aim at them; Club members, as well as public shooters for a fee of \$10. Varmint matches consist of 20 shots in 20 minutes; 2 warming shots (off target), 5 shots each at a distance of 100, 160, 200 & 230 yards.

Club awards will be presented to the 1st and 3rd place shooters and the high match award. Shooters must participate in 4 relays to qualify for Club awards, with the exception of the award for single high match score. Reminder, there will be a rimfire class with reduced targets at up to 100 yards. If you have any questions, please contact **Mark Porco**, Match Director at mark95648@gmail.com. See ya there.



HELP!! WE NEED A “BUILDER”

Submitted by Margaret Moore, Trap Coordinator



The Lincoln Rifle Club is looking for someone willing to “lead” the effort to construct a cover for the picnic area located on the trap range at the Dillman Range. If you are a contractor, or have contractor skills and would be willing to oversee the purchase of materials and the supervision of a volunteer staff for “the good of the Club,” please contact **Margaret Moore** at moorem2@sbcglobal.net or via phone at 916-704-6609. We are looking for someone to **VOLUNTEER** their time and talents so we may construct a structure approx 16’ x 30’ to cover the picnic area behind the trap firing line. This cover will provide shelter from the rain and excessive sun during trap matches, give us an area to hold both safety and training classes at the Dillman range, and allow shooters a place to have a snack or just sit and chat away from the pistol/rifle firing line.

In the past we have tried to achieve this with temporary tarp covers, however, this has not been successful. It presents an on-going cost to us and as they age, turn into an eye sore for our Range. If you feel you can provide us this service, please contact me ASAP, as we would like to get this project started before the ground hardens in the summer sun.



I plan to present this to the Range Committee at the May 3rd meeting, scheduled for 7:00 pm at Club headquarters. For more information, you are encouraged to attend.



LINCOLN SHOOTING SPORTS FOUNDATION

“Dedicated to the Preservation of the Shooting Sports”

The Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation (LSSF) was formed in 2012 by our Club’s original Long Range Planning Committee. Today, the LSSF regularly sponsors a variety of training/activities and partners with the American Legion, Placer County Sheriff’s Department, Boy Scouts of America, Lincoln Police Department, 4-H, and the Lincoln Rifle Club.

Currently, the LSSF is working with the Club’s Multi-Gun Division to present our 3rd “Annie Get Your Gun” event on June 5th. Additionally, they are preparing to disseminate information inviting Junior Shooters headed for college to apply for the Cal Smith Scholarship that the Foundation grants every year.

The Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit charitable organization that accepts donations necessary to keep the Foundation active. Donations to LSSF are tax-deductible. The Foundations is a non-member based organization. Without benefit of “member dues” the Foundation relies on donations to fund and support its events.

If you are interested in more information about the LSSF, please feel free to contact Barbara at (916) 434-0308 or e-mail to lincolnrc@sbcglobal.net. We look forward to your support.

ANNIE GET YOUR GUN

INTRODUCTION TO MULTI-GUN SHOOTING

(Rifles, Pistols, and Shotguns)



IT'S TIME!



Once again, the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation (LSSF), in partnership with the Lincoln Rifle Club Multi-Gun Division (LRC MGD), is sponsoring the “**ladies only**” **ANNIE GET YOUR GUN** shooting event, designed for the purpose of introducing ladies to the challenges and fun associated with multi-gun shooting. Each shooter will be provided instruction/coaching, ammo/firearms, eye/ear protection and lunch/souvenir gifts. This year the LSSF and LRC MGD is planning on sponsoring TWO events; one in the summer and one again in the fall. The summer event is scheduled for Sunday, June 5th and will begin at 8:00 am. Cost to each shooter will be \$25 and space will be limited, so make sure you register early! This very popular event will be held at the Ormsby Range; located behind the LRC Dillman Range, in Lincoln.

Past events have been extremely popular. Lunch will be prepared by Kathy Zick. Our coaching staff and safety officers will be members of the LRC MGD. We are hoping the weather agrees with us once again and look forward to another very successful shooting event. To register for this event, please contact our Club headquarters at 916-434-0308 and reserve your spot. **Payment will be due at the time of reservation.** DON'T HESITATE, space will fill up fast. See you at the Range!!

WHEN: SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2016
SAFETY BRIEFING BEGINS AT 8:00 AM
PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED



**WHERE: ORMSBY RANGE PORTION OF THE DILLMAN RANGE
LOCATED IN LINCOLN, CA**

**COST: \$25 PER SHOOTER; INCLUDES:
ALL FIREARMS/AMMO NEEDED
EAR/EYE PROTECTION
COACHING/INSTRUCTION**



GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING/ELECTION RESULTS

Submitted by Barbara Webster,

Thanks to all of you that came out for the Club's "Annual Business Meeting" held on Thursday, April 7th, at the Pavilion Building in McBean Park. The meeting was attended by more than 100 Club Members and provided the Board of Directors valuable input and opinions.

The meeting started with a presentation from the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation. The Foundation presented their total net value and described the projects they worked on and/or presented in 2015.

The annual financial report for the Lincoln Rifle Club (LRC) was presented followed by a balance sheet showing the Club's total worth. Anyone interested in the detail of these reports is welcome to stop by Club Headquarters for a copy of the reports.

President **Leonard Zick** solicited input from the members present relative to two important topics:

The Club currently allows paid employees to sit on the Board of Directors. Is this a practice that should be continued or *should the Club's rules and regulations be changed to disallow paid employees to sit as elected members of the board?*

The Board of Directors currently meets once a month at Club Headquarters to tend to the business of the Club. *Should the Board of Directors relocate the date and time of their monthly meeting in an effort to make the meetings accessible to general membership and interested individuals?*

Both of these topics resulted in lively discussion and in several recommendations from the membership. Look for "From the Board" for a report of continued discussion relative to these topics.

General elections followed the discussion items and resulted in the election of:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ryan Watts – 2 year term expiring in 2017

Candy Dove – 2 year term expiring in 2017

Steve Katsuyama – reelected to a term expiring in 2017

Leonard Zick – reelected to a term expiring in 2017

RANGE COMMITTEE

Mark Porco—reelected to a term expiring in 2018

Chuck Riglick—3 year term expiring in 2018

Steve Stansberry—3 year term expiring in 2018

GOT SOME EXTRA AMMO??

In support of the upcoming **ANNIE GET YOUR GUN** event, co-sponsored by the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation and the LRC Multi-Gun Division, we are asking for donations of ammunition in the following calibers; 20 gauge shotgun, .223 rifle, and 9 mm handgun. Donations can be dropped off at Club headquarters, located at 150 Lincoln Blvd, Lincoln. Your generosity is appreciated.

MULTI-GUN DIVISION MATCH REPORT

Submitted by Dan Robinson, Match Director

We are off to a great start of the 2016 year of competition. January saw 70 competitors, February 66 shooters, and April another 70 competitors. Even with all the heavy rain March 5th we saw 46 competitors. We are attracting competitors from the bay area to Reno, from Redding to Merced. This shooting sport is still growing.



The Multi Gun Division (MGD) of the Lincoln Rifle Club (LRC) offers a Multi Gun Match, USPSA Match, and 3-Gun Nation Match. All three matches have their own rules, but differ only slightly. The common denominator is all three matches have props and demands movement through pre-designed stages that requires the competitor to utilize different weapons as they engage various targets. Targets can be paper, steel, stationary or flying clays. A stage may involve shooting through walls with portholes, passing through a doorway, or engaging targets while lying prone under a car.

The LRC MGD classifies shooters by way of their experience, and abilities. New shooters begin in the Marksman class then progress upward to Sharpshooter, Expert, Master, and High Master. In addition, we have a Senior Class for those 65 years and older. New this year, Lady's Class and Junior Class. Something for everyone.

Our next match is May 7. We hold our safety briefing at 09:00, all shooters MUST be present for this briefing to compete that day. If you want to see a live action packed shooting venue, come out May 7th and watch some very talented shooters run through a course of fire that you have never seen before. Don't be bashful, talk to the competitors for tips on why they engage a stage differently than others. Ask why they use the weapons they use or other questions you might have.

The MGD is proud to partner with the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation in presenting another **ANNIE GET YOUR GUN** shooting event for "ladies only." This event is designed to offer ladies an opportunity to get a hands-on experience with the ever-popular multi-gun shooting discipline. The event is scheduled for Sunday, June 5. Registration fills very quickly, so contact the Club headquarters at 916-434-0308 to reserve your space. **More information on page 6 of this publication!!**

Remember, eye and ear protection is ALWAYS required on the Range.

CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM MATCH REPORT

Submitted by Chuck Riglick, Match Director

Civilian Marksman Ship (CMP) had two great matches in spite of daunting weather both days. The March 12th match brought us dark rolling clouds, but 8 shooters decided to gamble they would not get wet. The rain held off for the duration of the match. **Cary Triplet**, shooting in the modern military category, shot a 286-6x, using a stock AR-15. This score earned Cary a gold pin in modern military. In the unlimited Garand category, Len Riotto shot a 270-7x, earning him a silver Garand pin. From what I heard, it started raining at noon, long after we were gone.



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CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM MATCH REPORT—CONTINUED

The April 9th match started in a light drizzle and 9 shooters did not let that little bit of precipitation bother them. One shooter even came from Los Angeles! Once again **Cary Triplet**, shooting in the modern military category, scored highest with a 278-4x, earning a silver modern military pin. Len Riotto took home a bronze pin in the unlimited Garand category.

There will be **NO CMP MATCH IN MAY**, due to the Junior Division's small bore State Match, scheduled for May 14 & 15 at the Dillman Range. Our next CMP John C. Garand match will be held June 11th. Following the June match, we will take a two month break to allow shooters to take part in any "deer hunter sight in" efforts.

I received my copy of the CMP newsletter, "On The Mark", Winter 2016 edition. This issue featured an article on changes made to the 2016 CMP Competition Service Rifle and Pistol Rulebook. The big rule changes in 2016 CMP competition rules concern the modernization of CMP Service Rifle (AR-15, M-16) rules. Starting in 2016, service rifle competitors will be able to choose between service rifles with traditional metallic sights or rifles with telescopes, with a maximum of 4.5X magnification. This rule change was coordinated with a similar rule change adopted by the NRA. This rule change will NOT apply to the as-issue Garand, Springfield, or unlimited Garand CMP, vintage military rifle matches. For further information on rule changes, check out the CMP website and click the icon, "Rule Changes 2016."

WEEKEND TRAP MATCH REPORT

The Green Clays Were Flying

Submitted by Margaret Moore, Match Director

We continue to battle the rain at our weekend trap matches, but say "praise be" for the moisture. We had to cancel a couple of our matches, but were successful in taking aim at the **green clays** on Sunday, April 3rd in celebration of St. Patrick 's Day. Our shooters broke 27 **green clays**, awarding each of them 1 box of shells for each clay broken. Such fun was had by all. I have to say that **Garry Emond** took home the lion's share of shells, but as luck would have it, he was also dealt the largest number of **green clays**. Good shooting, Garry.

On Saturday, April 23rd, the American Legion, in cooperation with the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundations held its 3rd annual fundraising trap shoot. All proceeds will be going to benefit the Lincoln High School Shooting Sports activities. Twenty-seven shooters enjoyed wonderful weather, good fellowship, great hamburgers, and some old fashioned fun. The Lincoln High School trap team took high honors with two of their shooters shooting "perfect 25" relays.

THE DILLMAN RANGE NEEDS DIRT!

The Dillman Range is in urgent need of **CLEAN FILL DIRT!** Our berms are getting very low and we need to raise them up to ensure we maintain our safe shooting environment. If you, or anyone you know has **CLEAN FILL DIRT** they can bring to our Range, please contact **Phil Pennington** at pcpennington@prodigy.net to arrange delivery. **CLEAN FILL DIRT** is dirt void of any rocks, twigs, or trash. We have received dirt from the highway crews in the area in the past, however, our need is exceeding their available resources at this time. So, please, if you can locate a source for **CLEAN FILL DIRT** for our Range, contact Phil to arrange delivery.



LADIES AND GUNS

National Shooting Sports Foundation—Women Gun Owners

Nationwide, 42.8% of women gun owners live in rural area, while suburban women comprise 39.1%. Women in urban areas comprise only 18% of the gun owning population, which may be related to the strict gun laws and cultural forces of this country's urban centers. Adult women of all age groups own firearms, but over half of the women gun owners surveyed were between the ages of 25 and 44 years old. Though we hear a great deal about the number of women who have recently acquired their first firearm, the bulk of those surveyed, 42.1%, have owned a gun for at least 10 years. Nearly a third of the women surveyed, though, are part of the female gun surge of the past few years, that's over 32 percent of respondents who bought their first gun since 2010. Also, 45% of the women surveyed own 3 or more guns with 65% reportedly owning 10 or more firearms. Nearly 30% were the only gun owners in their households.

CLUB HIGH POWER MATCH REPORT

Submitted by Ryan Watts, Match Director

Spring is here and it's time to get out and shoot High Power. I want to give a special thanks to Ammon Zambrana, son of **Aaron Zambrana**, in completing his Boy Scouts Eagle project, by building three mobile sound suppression barrels, to reduce muzzle blasts from large caliber rifles. They also completed digging a 200 yard trench and running electrical wire to the High Power target pits. This project required the expertise of an electrician, a donation from Far West Rents, donations from Home Depot, wire and a \$300 Home Depot card from Roseville Electric, numerous donations from the Multi-Gun Division (DMG) shooters, as well as 300 hours of labor from private volunteers. It was so nice to go and shoot High Power and have a solid line of communication with our intercom system, versus the ever breaking radios.... Thank you Ammon!

On the 3rd Saturday of each month (minus May), we shoot our monthly NRA High Power (NHP) match. Sign-ups start at 0730, shooting starts at 0800. The match fee is \$15, except for junior shooters, who shoot free. We shoot at 200 yards (standing, sitting and prone) and you will need a total of 58 rounds to complete the course. Generally, shooters use a military style rifle that is capable of holding 10 rounds and has iron sights, but I welcome all shooters with any type of sights, so long as the rifle is center fire.

Our LRC matches consistently see shooters from Chico, Nevada City and Sac Valley, and I would love to see our numbers grow. Some of our regulars are **Scott Bonivert** (who is happy as long as he beats me), **Kent Dove** (who thinks it's funny to shove me), **Ed Wais** (always with a smile), **Alan Tier** (there to lend a helping hand) **Mike Martin** (with fierce competition) and **Daniel Campbell** (with his dog Jethro), just to name a few.

The one exception to our 3rd Saturday schedule is May. In May, we will hold our yearly NHP Clinic on the 4th Saturday, May 28, 2014. This is the 8th year running for the High Power Clinic and each year we've had a great turnout. This is an opportunity for new and seasoned shooters alike to come out and renew those perishable skills. With coaches on hand, we will instruct shooters on the basic shooting positions, proper sight alignment/sight picture and the appropriate gear for shooting High Power.

The LRC members are blessed to not only have a 200 yard range for us to shoot at, but also such great members and shooters to be with. I look forward to shooting against each and every one of you. If you have any questions, contact **Ryan Watts** at Ryan@maloofproperties.com.

JUNIOR DIVISION REPORT

Submitted by Steve Katsuyama, Match Director

The beginning stage for new shooters (ages 8-20) is held on Monday nights at the Indoor Range at McBean Park. The Monday night shooters are finishing their time at the Indoor Range at the end of April and will be continuing at the Dillman Range for the first three Mondays in May. The end of the year BBQ and awards banquet will be held on May 16.



The advanced team continues to excel this year! Four junior athletes traveled to Colorado Springs, CO for the National Junior Olympic Shooting Championships in April. **Nick Stolarow** started off with Men's Smallbore, scoring personal bests in both the 3-position and prone matches. The following week, **Natalie Katsuyama**, **Lilly Polakovic** and **Veronica Del Mar** made the trip to compete in Smallbore and Air Rifle. Natalie started the week with a nail-biter finish of 1082 to finish 4th in the J3 age group by a single point! Veronica had a solid showing with a 794.7. Lilly had back to back solid performances with personal bests in Air Rifle, bringing home a Silver Medal in the J3 (14 & under) age group with a score of 803.4. Congratulations!

The scores for each are as follows:

Smallbore; Nick (3P) 1100/1118 for 2218

Air: Lilly 402.3/401.1 for 803.4

Nick (Prone) 586.6/601.7 for 1188.

Veronica 395.6/399.1 for 794.7

Natalie (3P) 547/535 for 1082

Natalie 388.2/395.1 for 783.3

In the next couple of months, the Juniors will compete in 2 more State Championship matches in April and May. From there, they travel to Camp Perry, OH for the CMP 3-position Air Rifle National Championships where two teams will represent Lincoln. Good Luck Juniors!

CAL SMITH SCHOLARSHIP

"Funded and Administered by the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation"

The Cal Smith scholarship was established in 2007, by the Lincoln Rifle Club as a way to honor Cal Smith. Cal was a long time member of the LRC and dedicated an endless amount of time to the Junior Program, Club High Power, and Trap. Cal was a patriot, a believer, and a supporter of our 2nd Amendment Rights. His positive influence as a responsible citizen stands as a model to us all. Members of the Junior Program may apply if they meet the following criteria:

Current member of the NRA, age 17 years or older and a good citizen or legal resident of the USA

Have demonstrated a commitment to the shooting sports, good sportsmanship and citizenship

Have participated in State, National or International competition(s)

Be enrolled or having successfully applied to a college or university

In 2013, responsibility for funding & administering this scholarship was passed to the Lincoln Shooting Sports Foundation and issued the following stated purpose for the scholarship:

It shall be known to all that the purpose of this scholarship award is to promote, support, and encourage secondary education for students that have participated in the Lincoln Rifle Club's Junior Program and continue to be active in the shooting sports.

For more information about the Cal Smith Scholarship, contact Barbara at 916-434-0308 or lincolnrc@sbcglobal.net

MEET YOUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

CANDY DOVE

Candy Dove was born in 1962 and claims Dunsmuir, CA as her “hometown.” She is married to Kent Dove (Sporting Rifle match director) and has 2 daughters (Racheall & Heather). Spending time with her 4 grandchildren, helping others, oil painting, drawing, and egg carving keeps Candy busy when she is not at the Range. She enjoys several shooting disciplines, but claims trap shooting is her favorite. She is currently the league coordinator for the Coon Creek Ladies Trap League and is a frequent participant in the Lincoln Rifle Club Weekend Trap matches. In 2015, Candy was one of five trap shooters to shot a “perfect 25” at the Dillman Range.

Over the years, Candy has participated in several LRC shooting activities. She claims **ANNIE GET YOUR GUN**, is “a blast.” She has volunteered in support of the annual S.O.S. fundraising dinners and worked the renovation of the Indoor Range in the late 90’s. One of her most rewarding efforts was that of a parent volunteer with the Junior Division from the mid 90’s through 2001. During this time both of her daughters were active in the program, shooting small bore and going to the State and National competitions.

Involvement in the LRC has always been a “family activity” for the Doves. As Candy kept her hands full, so did Kent. He has been a Junior Division coach, match director, served on the Range Committee and participated in several shooting clinics sponsored by our Club.

Candy has been an employee for the Department of Defense for the past 27 years. She is currently with the Air Force/assigned to Beal AFB/ 9 Civil Engineering Squadron as an Operations Section Chief. If you see Candy at the Range, feel free to say “HELLO.” She welcomes your conversation.

RYAN WATTS

First of all, Ryan Watts, “thank you for your service.” Ryan served 9 years in the USMC and learned how to lead in an efficient and professional manner. After leaving the Corps, Ryan attended and graduated from law school.

As a husband of 19 years and father of three young ladies, Ryan enjoys the outdoors. He has a love for all things under a natural sky and says, “little compares to spending time with my girls camping, hunting, and rafting.” If he is not out enjoying the natural wonders, Ryan enjoys shooting long-range competitions and coaching those three ladies of his with their competitive shooting.

Ryan has been a member of the Lincoln Rifle Club since 1998. He is a resident of Folsom and graduated from Bella Vista High School in 1991. He is currently the match director for both Club High Power and NRA High Power matches. As an NRA Certified RSO, as well as NRA Level 1 coach, Ryan takes much pride in volunteering as a coach for the new junior shooters on Monday nights. Also, Ryan is the moving force behind the Club’s annual High Power Shooting Clinics and welcomes all shooters to come to the clinics to experience high power shooting.

Ryan is a California licensed realtor and is proud to represent Maloof Properties. He has been with them form 10 years and says he is “honored” to part of this team. He hopes to have the opportunity to get to know all of you and should the situation arise, help you buy or sell a home and meet all of your real estate needs.



SPLASH TARGETS



AVAILABLE JUNE 1 @ DILLMAN RANGE

Splash targets will be available for purchase at the Dillman Range, beginning June 1! Three target sizes will be offered for sale. Shooters will be able to choose from 8", 10", and 12" splash targets for the price of 3 targets for \$2.00. The Range Safety Officers (RSOs) have stated they often receive requests for splash targets and the Board of Directors has approved this additional Dillman Range service. Paper targets will continue to be available at the Dillman Range at the current \$.25 per target rate.

SPECIAL NOTE:

The Lincoln Rifle Club Board of Directors meeting is now being held IMMEDIATELY prior to the General membership meeting, scheduled for the first Thursday of each month at the Pavilion building located in McBean Park. We hope to see all of you there and await your input regarding Club issues. More information is available on pages 2 & 3 in the article entitled; "From the Board."
