

# The Waltonian

March 2009

Pikes Peak Chapter 34

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## **Tax Season got you down?**

Head out to the Pikes Peak Gun Club on Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup> for the first Fun Shoot of 2009! Games will begin at 5:00pm. All your favorites, including Annie Oakley's, Bushwackers, Best of Ten, and a brand new game sure to challenge even the most seasoned shooter. There will be pizza to recharge you, and get you ready for more shooting once the sun goes down. That's right, we'll be kicking on the lights and throwing those white targets you love so much. So be sure to mark Good Friday on your calendars, come out and get your mind off those pesky taxes.

## **Spring Skeet League.**

The Spring Skeet League is close. The first day of shooting is April 4<sup>th</sup> so if you're not signed up already, head on out. You can shoot any day of the week, and I know from experience, these leagues are a lot of fun. Never shot skeet before? This is the perfect opportunity to perfect your game, or to just meet up with some seasoned veteran shooters and learn the game from the beginning. You can sign up at the clubhouse so there's no reason to miss out.

## **Winter Trap Standings.**

Winter Trap League is officially over for 2009. It was an outstanding league, and congratulations to the winning teams. Here are the results:

Front Range Cabinets took the top spot in AA Class with 39.33 points, a mere 0.83 points over the AA Runner Up, Paul's Auto. The Other Guys grabbed 3<sup>rd</sup> place, One Straight took 4<sup>th</sup>, and High Altitude Welding placed 5<sup>th</sup>.

The top team in A class is Transit Mix, finishing the league up with 58.50 points. Team 14 finished second, Mad Bombers took third, Pull Bang Sh\*\* finished fourth, and Those Guys placed fifth.

Old Farts & One dominated B class with a whopping 78 points. Team Nine snagged the second place spot with 40 points. Motley Crew and Falcon Mowing round out B class with 35.50 and 26.50 points, respectively.

What a C class we had this year. After the final week, the two teams were tied in points, and faced off in a shoot off. Team 8 took the trophy in the shoot off, edging out Just Hit It.

Great shooting everyone, I hope you all had fun. Be sure to keep those guns in prime condition for Summer Trap League.

## **The kids need your help!**

The SCTP program is asking for some help with the kids this year. They had a large turnout, which is a very good thing, however now they are a bit under staffed. You do not need to be a hot shot to be able to help the kids. The SCTP program focuses on safety and fun. If you enjoy shooting, and you enjoy helping kids have fun, then come on out on a Saturday morning and give a helping hand.

## **Membership Update.**

No real update on the membership this month. From what I hear, things are going smoothly. New members keep joining and those membership cards keep showing up in the mail. I wanted to reiterate what I said last month, so here is the excerpt from last month's membership update:

First off, if you get a phone call regarding your membership status, please do not panic. Mr. Budwine is simply trying to clarify your intentions concerning your membership status. Secondly, I tend to forget that Greg is also a member of the club and enjoys shooting at the club. We don't want to ruin the time he spends at the club to shoot by bombarding him with membership questions. If you see a board member at the club, please let them enjoy the range. I'm sure they will be happy to discuss any questions or concerns you may have at a more appropriate time. You can find contact information in this issue of the Waltonian. Thanks everybody.

## **Rifle and Pistol news.**

### **Trail Gun Plate Match**

The next TGPM is scheduled for Saturday, April 4th. Practice begins at 9:00 AM, the mandatory shooter's briefing starts at 9:45, and the match starts at 10:00 sharp. (The pistol range will be closed to non-participants for the duration of the match.) The organizers have decided to allow early registration for the TGPM. The sign-up sheet will be available at the club house starting Sunday, March 22nd. Again, registration is limited to the first 36 shooters. Check the club's website periodically for TGPM news and updates. See you on the 4th!!

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## **Smallbore Rifle Plate Match**

You asked, we listened! Now the plate match fun isn't just for pistol shooters. The TGPM organizers are putting together the Smallbore Rifle Plate Match (SRPM) for you rifle shooters. The matches will be conducted on the first Saturday of odd-numbered months: Jan, Mar, May, etc. The first match will be held Saturday, May 2nd.

While we don't have all the details put together yet, we can "leak" a few of the high points...

There will be 40 rounds fired for the match, in 4 strings of 10 shots. Two strings will be fired off-hand (standing) at 4" plates at 50 yards. The other two strings will be fired prone at 4" plates at 100 yards. There will be two divisions -- Junior and Senior -- and two sub-divisions -- Scoped and Iron Sights. (Juniors are aged 17 and under.) Ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each of the four division/sub-division pairs.

Rifles will be restricted to 22 rimfires: short, long, and long rifle only. (No 22 Mag or 17 HMR/Mach. At least not yet...) Any type of action is acceptable -- bolt, semi-auto, single shot, lever, pump -- and, like the TGPM, we prefer that it be of a hunting/plinking style, rather than a dedicated target rifle. (No hooded peep sights or other competition-specific accouterments. Slings are permitted for prone strings.) Scopes will be limited to 10x. Variable power scopes capable of higher magnification will be limited to 10x.

As more details are become available, we'll get them posted on the club's website. So check periodically for updates -- and mark your calendars!

## **Membership cards are required.**

Once again, the club would like to remind it's members, that when you come out to shoot, you **MUST** provide your membership card to get membership access. If you have misplaced your membership card, or are unsure about your current status, please talk to the managers. We will straighten out any issues with you, so you can get back to shooting and having fun.

## **Odds and Ends.**

The club has now switched over to it's summer hours. This means you can head out and shoot until sunset every Wednesday and Friday evening! The club hours remain the same on Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays, which is 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Also, we will still be closed on Mondays and Tuesdays.

Bob Allen has been busy at work making sure none of our shooters become complacent on the Sporting Clays course. The course is continually changed, presents new challenges and new opportunities to have a good time. Go out and enjoy his handiwork, you will not be disappointed.

Please remember that the speed limit on the club property is 10 miles per hour.

The club now has snacks available for purchase. Nothing too fancy, but if you need a quick pick-me-up, come on inside. We can get you recharged and ready for the next round in no time.

## **Perfect that shotgun swing...**

... with a little help from Larry Lambert. Larry is a great shooter in Trap, Skeet, and Sporting Clays. If you are interested in meeting with him and getting a lesson or two, you can reach him at 719-540-0657.

## **Looking for part time Range Safety Officers.**

The club is now looking to hire part time Range Safety Officers (RSO) to work on weekends down on the rifle and pistol ranges. If you are interested, or would like more information, you can contact Gina or Ryan at 719-683-4420.

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**Upcoming Events**

- January 18<sup>th</sup> – Winter Trap League Wk 2.
- January 18<sup>th</sup> – Traveling League Wk 3.
- February 7<sup>th</sup> – Trail Gun Plate Match.

**For Sale**

**For Sale:** Sig Sauer P229 Automatic (.40 cal) BRAND NEW – NEVER FIRED! Matte black, double and single action, hammer release. Valued at \$975.00, asking \$750.00.

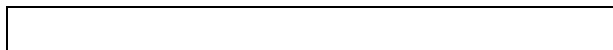
Sig Sauer P230 Stainless Automatic (.380 cal) BRAND-NEW – NEVER FIRED! Stainless. Valued at \$825.00, asking \$600.00

Colt Python Revolver (.357 Magnum) COLLECTIBLE! Excellent Condition (95%). Trigger Pull and Hammer refined at FBI gun shop. Valued at \$1,250.00, asking \$900.00

Knight Black Powder .50 cal. Excellent condition (98%). Camo composite stock, stainless steel, scope, rings and mounts, rifle sling. Valued at \$649.00, asking \$500.00

Browning BT-100 Stainless Trap Shotgun. 12ga. w/ AmeriCase. Very good condition, 32” factory ported barrel, Monte Carlo stock, adjustable chokes, adjustable and removable trigger. SWEET GUN! Valued at \$2,050.00, asking \$1,750.00

Bill Bolch- [bbolch@csu.org](mailto:bbolch@csu.org) or 719-213-3780



**For Sale:** Chamber Mates by Seminole Gunworks. 20 gauge stainless steel inserts for any 12 gauge O/U or SxS. You can shoot 20 gauge 2 3/4” or 3” Magnums out of your 12 gauge. Great for recoil reduction. Includes built-in ejectors. Details at Chambermates.com. new pair is \$239.99. Excellent condition. Sell for \$150.00 Firm.

**Graco Barrel Weight Kit.** Includes 12 gauge bolt-on clamp with 4, 6, and 8 ounce weights, plus adaptors for 20 and 28 gauge barrels. Slightly used. Retail is \$65, sell for \$35.

Hal 636-9369

A.H. Fox Sterlingworth  
12 ga. side by side shotgun  
28 inch barrels, choked IC & Mod  
2&3/4 chambers, double triggers  
1929 Philadelphia gun  
\$600.00

call Hank Hahne at 637-3740



**For Sale:** Ruger 10/22: Deluxe walnut checkered stock; gun made in 1976: has special barrel stamp "made in 200<sup>th</sup> year of American Liberty," Williams aperture sight. \$200.00

Marlin Camp Rifle. Never fired; 9mm; Choate folding stock (I have the original stock); Burris 1-1/2x Fullfield scope (heavy duplex reticle); one 12 round mag. (same as S&W pistols.) \$700.00

Marlin 1894CS. Never fired; .38/.357 magnum. \$400.00

General George S. Patton Commemorative .357 Magnum. 100 issued, all were sold. S/N 34; Silver Plated; Display Case; This gun is pristine in every way. Never had the cylinder opened, never had the hammer cocked. It has only been handled while wearing white cotton gloves. \$4000.00

Barrel for Remington 11-87. Part #4644; 28" vent rib with white bead; 3 choke tubes (full, modified, imp. cyl.) \$125.00

Choate pistol grip stock for Remington 1100 or 11-87. Has one inch recoil pad and three 1/2" spacers. \$50.00

PMC 308B M80 Ball. .308 147 grain FMJ; 15 boxes. \$10.00/ each box of 20 cartridges.

PMC 308 brass from 308B ammo. Six boxes plus one partial box. Make offer.

Two custom knives. 3" blades (D-2 tool steel or 440C stainless); White Micarta Handles; Matching Custom Leather Sheaths. \$100.00 each.

Call Tom at 719-596-1688.

## Club Hours

The club has switched to it's summer hours soon. Sun 9:00-5:00, Wed 9:00-Sunset, Thurs 9:00-5:00, Fri 9:00-Sunset, Sat 9:00-5:00

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<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 – 5:00	<b>Monday</b> Closed.	<b>Tuesday</b> Closed.	<b>Wednesday</b> 9:00 – Sunset.	<b>Thursday</b> 9:00 – 5:00	<b>Friday</b> 9:00 – 5:00	<b>Saturday</b> 9:00 – 5:00
<b>1</b> Winter Trap League Wk 8.	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> Winter Trap League Wk 9.	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b> Winter Trap League Wk 10 and Banquet.	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>				

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			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Trail Gun Plate Match on APRIL 4 <sup>TH</sup> ! → → → → →	<b>4</b> SCTP Practice. Spring Skeet League Wk 1
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> April Fun and Night Shoot. 5:00pm to 10:00pm	<b>11</b> SCTP Practice. Spring Skeet League Wk 2
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> ATA Registered Shoot. Spring Skeet Bye.
<b>19</b> ATA Registered Trap Shoot.	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> SCTP Practice. Spring Skeet League Wk 3.
<b>26</b> Wounded Warrior Barbecue.	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>		