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OCTOBER 2008 NEWSLETTER

CLUB MEETING

MONDAY, October 13, 2008 - 7:00 P.M. Carolina BBQ Restaurant

Upcoming Events

October 2008

Sat.	11	Cowboy Action Match	9:00 am
Sun.	12	Dove Season Open, Skeet	1:00 pm
Mon.	13	Club Meeting	7:00 pm
Sun.	26	Action Pistol Match	12:00 pm

November 2008

Sat.	1	Club Workday	8:00 am
Sat.	8	Cowboy Action Match	9:00 am
Sun.	9	Smoked Turkey Open, Skeet	1:00 pm
Mon.	10	Club Meeting	7:00 pm

TREASURER'S REPORT: September, 2008

Beg. ck. account bal. 8-31-08	\$126,809.65
Receipts for Sept.	12,480.00
<u>Disbursements for Sept.</u>	<u>31,864.24</u>
End. ck. account bal. 9-30-08	\$107,425.41

DELINQUENT SKEET ACCOUNTS:

Jeff Baker

BUCCANEER GUN CLUB WEB SITE: www.buccaneergunclub.org

OTHER WEB SITES OF INTEREST: www.packing.org; www.ccowboys.com

START OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES for the 9/8/08 Meeting:

A quorum not being present, no business was conducted. The following items were discussed and will be brought up at the October meeting:

1. Increase membership – There may be a proposal to increase the membership cap.
2. Constitutional change – The current Executive Committee has met and discussed changing the BGC Constitution and Bylaws, primarily to change the governance form a membership meeting to a Board of Directors.
3. Replacing the metal falling plates and frames was discussed, Sholar Powell will be getting estimates from several companies.
4. Change in skeet fees. The current cost to the club for a round of skeet now exceeds \$2.00, thus there will be discussion of raising the charge/round of skeet to \$2.25.
4. NRA membership. According to the BGC Constitution and Bylaws we require every club member to be a member of the NRA. However, we do not have current NRA membership information for a significant number of members. There is discussion of requiring each member to verify they are current NRA members, by sending in a mailing label from the magazine which has your NRA membership number AND expiration date, by January 31 (like annual dues) or you would be dropped from membership in the club.

END OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES for the 9/8/08 Meeting.

BGC FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Beretta 687 EL Gold Pigeon with two barrels 28" and 30", lightweight and matched set of tubes, 20 - 28 - .410 with case. \$5,000.00 Call Buddy Walker: 686-9798 home, 512 - 6253 cell

FOR SALE: Marlin 22 caliber; Model 39, Article II, The Right to Keep and Bear Arms, 1871-1971
Excellent condition (98%+) with original box, \$400; Contact: Bill Fortune (H 910.395.4388) or (C 910.520.4580)

FOR SALE: Browning Cynergy 3.5" , Camo, good condition, 30" barrels - \$1400.00 firm - contact Reggie Hucks 443-1854

FOR SALE: Winchester Super X 12 Gauge Trap; 30" Full Choke Trap Barrel Straight Trap Stock, Jeweled Bolt and Bottom Plate, Super X Model 1 s/n M53264, No Scratches or Wear on Wood or Metal \$850.00
* 8 Flats of Federal 12 Gauge (T115-9) Gold Medal Plastic, 2 3/4 Dram (1145fps) 1 1/8 Ounce #9 Shot \$70.00 per flat
Richard Wallace @ 617 2695 or email @ rwallace4@ec.rr.com

SEPTEMBER NRA ACTION PISTOL (Sholar Powell): We had a small turnout for this monthly match, so we ran a 'fun' shoot rather than have the formal event. We were only intending to run the Mover, but when the guys got done, they decided to run the Plates as well. The regulars were missing except for Ray C. Lon, Roy and new shooter Wilt Deets also partook. Next month is our last match this year. Come on out and shoot, as we'll have some eats available.

THE BUCCANEER SPURS (COWBOY FAST DRAW)

The Buccaneer Spurs (Cowboy Fast Draw) held its monthly match (the last Saturday of each month) on September 27th. We had 11 shooters including 3 women. As usual, a good time was had by all and Tom Mix cooked a big pot of beans which we enjoyed after the shoot. We all kept shooting until noon and then held shootoff's for 2nd, 3rd and 4th places. All shooters are getting faster and more accurate so the bouts are all interesting. Many shots were won by a few thousandths of a second. The scores were:

COWBOYS:

1. Wanted
2. Tall Pines Kid
3. Fortune Hunter
4. Tom Mix
5. Dodge City Dude
6. Uncle Jefro
7. Semo Joe
8. Secret Squirrel

COWGIRLS:

1. Circle City Blondie New shooter from UNCW
2. Hot Lead Heather
3. Linda Darlin It has been rumored that Linda Darlin has been cutting cards with Wanted

COME JOIN US THE LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CLUB AT 9 AM.

Jerry Fipps aka Wanted

BUCCANEER RANGE REGULATOR GAZETTE

September 1897

Headline: Dick Holliday Gets Letter From An Attorney

Wanted and Dick Holliday saddled up for their annual deer hunting trip in the Big Sky Country and headed off into the sunset.....After heading west for a couple of days they got caught in a terrible snow storm and headed for a farm house to seek shelter....When they knocked on the door they were greeted by a sweet little cowgirl.....She saw their plight and felt sorry for them being out on such a bad night.....She advised that she was recently widowed and it just wouldn't look right for her to have them stay in the house but it would be fine if they wanted to bunk over in the barn.....Dick and Wanted were glad to have shelter of any type so they gladly headed over to the barn...The next day the weather cleared so they headed off on their trip.....

Nine months later Dick Holliday got an unexpected letter from an attorney in a little town near where they had stayed over with the widow.....Dick saddled up and went to look for Wanted....He finally found Wanted over at the new fast draw gunsmiths shop.....He took him off to the side and asked if he remember the widow who had given them shelter.....Wanted said he remembered her.....Dick asked if by chance he had maybe gone back up to the main house later in the middle of the night....Wanted admitted that he did.....Dick asked him if also by chance he had used the name Dick Holliday rather than telling her his own name....Wanted sheepishly admitted that he had used Dick's name and why was Dick asking..... Dick advised that she just died and left me everything.....Thanks Wanted

The scores for the September match went like this.....

Cowboy/Cowboy Alias	Category	Match Total	Category Winner
High Noon Henry	Traditional	148.32	Top Gun
Ragtime Kid	Silver Senior	154.23	Silver Senior Winner
Wanted	Senior	179.18	Senior Winner
Carolina Rose	Ladies Senior	203.99	Ladies Senior Winner
Semo Joe	Modern	214.92	Modern Winner
Rebel Ranger	49er	215.70	49 Winner
Buffalo Slim	49er	228.26	
Wampee Kid	Senior	231.12	
Shady Shyster	Senior	232.51	
Dodge City Dude **	Elder Statesman	233.38	
Sassy Brass	Ladies B Western	254.25	Ladies B Western Winner
Kid Jallao	49er	255.48	
Roberdel	Silver Senior	267.84	
Paddi MacGarrett *	Senior Dulest	268.29	Senior Dulest Winner
Bullseye Mike	49er	270.78	
Henry Hawk	Modern	277.32	
The Barber	Elder Statesman	288.66	Elder Statesman Winner
Idaho Spud	Elder Statesman	310.55	
Hot Lead Heather	Ladies Traditional	329.68	Ladies Traditional Winner
Skuzy	49er	343.09	
Blue Ridge Davidson	Gun Fighter	344.49	Gun Fighter Winner
Secret Squirrel	Traditional	368.37	Traditional Winner
Classy Cowgirl	49er	540.65	
Fortune Hunter	Senior	1185.57	
Mad Dog	Traditional	5994.00	
Jefro	Gun Fighter	5999.94	

*Clean Shoot

** Did not shoot shotgun

Be with us again on the second Saturday in October when we will have another rip snorter of a match.....In the meantime

don't forget to "Take a kid shooting"....Respectfully submitted....Ned Bluntline

**** WHEN YOU USE THE CLUB, PLEASE LEAVE IT IN BETTER SHAPE THAN YOU FOUND IT.**

**** TAKE YOUR PAPER TARGETS DOWN AFTER YOU USE THEM, DON'T LEAVE THEM UP TO GET WET AND BLOWN ALL OVER THE FIELD.**

**** PICK UP YOUR BRASS AFTER SHOOTING.**

**** PICK UP YOUR SHOTGUN SHELLS WHEN DONE AND RELOAD THE MACHINES.**