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RIFLE / PISTOL SHOOTING RANGE

There has been several issues this spring relating to safety procedures on the shooting range. The issues would have all be solved with using the procedure below to close/open the range. If you want to close the range so you can go downrange to retrieve or change a target:

1. Announce to the shooting line "Closing the range". Turn on the nearest light/alarm switch. **WAIT UNTIL ALL SHOOTERS RESPOND** by putting their guns down with action open on the shooting table and stepping back.
2. Once all guns are on shooting tables with actions open, **THEN** you proceed to your target stand.
3. **EVERY SHOOTER GOING DOWNRANGE** should turn on their nearest light/alarm switch. This way if a 100 yard rifle shooter is downrange and only a pistol shooter light/alarm was turned on, when that light/alarm is turned off the range APPEARS to be available to resume shooting but someone is STILL downrange and now in DANGER!
4. When the last downrange person returns and turns off their light/alarm switch, the lights and alarm will go off. Announce to the shooting line "Range Open" and verify everyone is in agreement before resuming shooting. Please follow this process. SAFETY is #1 on the range!

2nd Annual BSC European Pheasant Blast

Be a part of the BSC sponsored European Pheasant Hunt on Saturday, November 7th. There will be 30 reservations per session with a morning and an afternoon session available. Each hunter will be guaranteed 10 birds take-home. The hunt will be held at Flying Feathers of Copan, OK.

Cost is \$200 per reservation. Reservations can be made by sealed envelope in the club lockbox with your name, session preference (morning or afternoon), \$200 payment, and contact information. Please make checks out to BSC. There is more information available in the clubhouse on the east bulletin board.

For questions, contact Randy Wadsworth at 918-815-0025 or Mike Proctor at 918-331-0393 or e-mail Mike at mproctor@arcfab.com

VECTAN POWDER owner notice!

Graf & Sons recently sent BSC a notice that the Vectan Reloading Guide has loading data errors on pages 28-30. If you have that brand powder and have a recent reloading guide please download the PDF at <http://www.grafs.com/catalog/tech-resource/technicalResourceId/21/productId/28083> for correct data.

YOUTH SHOOTING PROGRAM

Jack Archer conducts a youth shooting program on the 5-stand field each Monday evening. The BSC board has determined the youth shooting program can be done in such a way that does not endanger the rifle/pistol range when that range is in use. When Jack hears the alarm horn sound on the rifle/pistol range, he stops his shooting instruction during that time as a further precaution for safety. This reinforces to the students when the alarm sounds, they stop shooting.

CALENDAR

Regular scheduled* times except:

Sat, July 11 – morning skeet 8:30 AM to noon

Noon to 3 PM .22 tactical match

3 PM until dark – rifle/pistol open time

Sat, Aug 1 – Registered skeet shoot 12/20 gauge 9 AM

until complete (might consume some rifle/pistol time)

Sat, Aug 8 – morning skeet 8:30 AM to noon

Noon to 3 PM .22 tactical match

3 PM until dark – rifle/pistol open time

* IF you have lost/misplaced your BSC Schedule, it is posted on the BSC website or copies are in the clubhouse desk, left upper drawer in front of the membership forms.

IF YOU ARE THE LAST PERSON LEAVING THE BSC FACILITY, PLEASE LOCK THE GATE REGARDLESS OF THE TIME OF DAY!

We are still getting reports of the gate being found open overnight from the first person arriving the next day.

If you have any news for the newsletter, please contact Jim Crume jcrume@sbcglobal.net (918)534-0245

**** Please remember, eye protection, ear protection, and safety when you are on the property ****

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NEW TARGET/EQUIPMENT BUILDING

Hopefully the new building construction will start soon (the Club Secretary is giving up trying to guess the date!). The metal target/equipment building will be replacing the semi-trailer at the club entrance. Please be careful going through that area when construction equipment is present.

Spring Registered Shoot Results

On May 9, we held the 2015 Spring Open, which is a registered NSSA skeet shoot. First, a special thanks to Jim Cable, Gerald Smith and Jerry Shaw. These fellows were indispensable to the shoot, keeping the machines filled between rotations and doing other necessary activities. Further, Ray Vaslavsky(OSSA officer) was on hand to give much-needed assistance in running the new shoot management program. The shoot ran smoothly due, in no small part, to our superb referees. We got rained on intermittently but had no lightning, so the shoot was not delayed by weather.

Below is a list of the winners:

20 gauge:

Ray Vaslavsky Gun Champ
Adam Dreyer Gun runner-up
Matt Clark Gun 3rd

B Class

Red Miller

C Class

Ben Beeman

D Class

Justin Lumbley

12 gauge:

Ray Vaslavsky Gun Champ
Kyle Youngwolfe Gun runner-up
Adam Dreyer Gun 3rd

A Class

Matt Clark

B Class

Dathan Jones

C Class

Joel Blankenship

D Class

Terry Piquet

E Class

John McKinney

Many of these names are not familiar to BSC members, because we drew shooters from as far away as Tulsa, Broken Arrow, Edmond, Inola and Stafford, KS.

Our next shoot is August 1. Come out and join us.