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## MONTHLY NEWLETTER

March 2010

**President's Corner:** Spring is right around the corner. Shooting days are becoming a little warmer and a little longer. It won't be long until you will start to hear the humming noises of lawn mowers at the club. Spring cleanup is coming up very shortly. We will close the club on Friday and Saturday 3/26 & 3/27. We will start at 8:30 on Friday and Saturday. Please bring rakes, gloves and the willingness to do some labor and enjoy other gun club enthusiasts. We will be mowing, trimming, painting, moving of targets and other general cleanup. Coffee and donuts will be available for workers. Those who want to set around and only drink coffee, please reschedule this day. We had a grass fire on the rifle burm on Saturday 3/27 in the afternoon. The 100 yard burm was accidentally set afire. Fortunately no one was injured and nothing else was destroyed. Please be careful when retrieving targets at the 100 yard area if you have any cigars or cigarettes. One bad fire and we would be out of business for quite some time. The table of knowledge has received a lot of attention lately. Plenty of folks are participating in open discussions and plenty of cookies, coffee and do-nuts are available on Tuesday and Thursday morning. Come early, shoot some skeet, have coffee and cookies and discuss current events. (Pat Kendrick 337-1477)

**Skeet Tournament:** The Club will be hosting a registered skeet tournament at the club on April 3, 2010. Shooting will begin at approximately 9:00. Depending on the number of participants in the tournament, the East field may be available to our club shooters. If you are available and would like to help (load targets etc.) please contact Losson Winkler at 333-2583 for details.

**Shotgun League:** The shotgun league, consisting of Trap, Skeet, and Sporting Clays, had their final shoot February 24<sup>th</sup>. Billy Pierce won the competition by breaking the most targets and Jeannine Stephens won the drawing. Congratulations to both of you.

**CCW Classes:** The next CCW Class held in the BSC Clubhouse Saturday, April 17, 2009. The cost is \$50 per person. The clubhouse will be used for instruction, so limited access will be available. We need a minimum of 9 participants to hold the class (we have 4 so far). Sign-up forms are available on the shelf in the BSC Club House and also on the BSC Website under "CLASSES/TRAINING". Forms may be mailed to BSC or left in the box in the club house.

**Spring shoot / Picnic:** The annual spring shoot and picnic will be held April 24, 2010. This year we will have shotgun competition in the morning and after lunch 22 rim fire rifle and pistol shooting. After we finish the rim fire the centerfire and black powder pistols and rifles will have their turn. Sign-up sheets for both will be available in the clubhouse. We will try to talk Carl Thompson and Jack Long into cooking the meats again this year . . . they did a fantastic job last year and we received numerous compliments. Drinks will also be provided by the Club. We ask that our members whose last name begins with A thru J bring a vegetable dish to pass and those members whose last name begins with K thru Z bring a dessert dish to pass.

**Military rifle:** Military rifle competition starts this month (March 20). If you are interested in the competition, or have any questions, please call Joe Franco (918-914-2917).

**Cleanup Day:** As Pat mentioned above, the Club cleanup day is scheduled for March 26 – March 28. Please come out and help us clean up around the club and surrounding area.

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