

BARTLESVILLE SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

Newsletter

October 2013

Dove season hasn't produced a lot of really good results but I'm sure many of our members are out testing their accuracy against these birds. Good luck to each and every one of you.

The Board of Directors has decided to discontinue supplying staplers to the pistol and rifle ranges. They seem to develop legs and walk off.

From Joe Franco, 918-914-2917 jfranco@cableone.net, it was a perfect day 8/17/13 for a rifle match. Not too hot. Not too cold. Not too windy. Just right. The .22 open match was a tight match. Jim Cable and Adam Steidley tied with Jim winning by X count. Neil Stamper won the rimmed cartridge match with his P14. Nice shooting guys.

One important date is coming up soon. The fall .410 shoot and picnic will be October 26. It will be a great day to come out and have fellowship with fellow members and their wives. If you have ever come to one of these you won't believe what good cooks our ladies are. Members whose names start with A thru O bring side dishes, the rest bring desserts. Club furnishes meat and utensils.

Four new members were voted into the club. Brant Walton, Timmy Rush, Chuck Holland, and Ronnie Carter will be coming down to participate in club activities so be sure to make them feel welcome. We're glad to have you with us.

One of our oldest (83), if not the oldest regular skeet shooter, shot a straight with a .410 recently. Don't feel you are too old to try anything. This shows what you might do if you try.

There is a new rifle scope in town. "Tracking Point" has caught the attention of police, army, and military people with the brag that any inexperienced shooter can consistently hit a target at 1,000 yards. I guess anyone can become a sniper and the anti gunners are already against it even though it would increase more humane hits on game. It uses lasers and electronic calculation and at this time the gun & scope combo costs around \$27,000.00. Awesome. Check it out on Google.

Winchester has introduced a new 12 gauge AA {TrAAcker} with a weighted wad that tracks with the shot string making it easy to see where the shooter is missing. There is an orange colored wad for overcast or dark conditions and a black wad for clear or light background. It should be a great training tool for beginners and instructors. Cost is a little over \$10.00 per box and could save a lot of heartache and missing shots.

"Be yourself. Everyone else is already taken."

Oscar Wilde

Until next time shoot straight and have fun.

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Saturday October 26, 2013

Sign Up To Shoot: 8:00am – 9:00am

Shooting starts @ 9:00 am

Skeet shoot – 50 Round .410 Shoot

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Open – 5 Stand / Trap fun shoot

Lunch: Pot Luck @ 12:00

1:30pm: .22 Pistol fun shoot (Bring your Pistol)

