

Spra NewsLetter

Ok, it has been a long time since I did the newsletter but I have been pretty busy shooting this year as have others!

Gord Hubert and a few others you may know like John Chapman, Murray Sloane, Tom Maynard attend the ICFRA Australia Match in Barbados in mid May of 2013.

The team comprised:

Ric Melling, Captain	Paul Archer, Adjutant
Alpar Katona	Paul Dudzinski
John Chapman	Murray Sloane
Gord Hulbert	Tom Maynard
Gian Garro	Stefan Isaacs

For more info see

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Personally, after our provincial match, I shoot in the Apra and Mpra provincial matches and won the Lt. Gov and grand agg at both of these matches.

Congrats also goes out to Len Kaczmariski for winning the Field Firing Challenge Cup & DCRA bronze medal at the MPRA Provincial match as well.



Next I was off to Raton NM for the World FCLASS Championship. I'm sorry to say I was not too successful there. Day 1 was Ok but Day 2 in my final yardage I tried to shoot thru conditions and dropped 15 points in a 20 shot string, sending me way down on the standings. I did manage to place 32nd in Day 1 agg out of 206 FOpen shooters and 52nd in the 2 day agg.

Canada was well represented there with 32 people down there competing, 15 on FOpen and 17 in FTR. In total, there was 422 shooters on the line and 6 relays to accommodate all of us and some 18 countries represented. Raton has 100 frames but some can not be used due to target shed in the way of falling bullets.



The new 2013 FOpen winner was Kenny Adams from the USA with a score of 466-51V out of a possible 475-95V. The new 2013 FTR winners was Nikolas Taylor from South Africa with a score of 450-33v.

Canada's top shooters in FOPEN were Eric Bisson with a score of 452-26v, Scott Gaalaas with 446-38v and Gordon Ogg with 446-38v beat myself by Vs. In FTR, Kevin Chou with 441-20v, followed by his brother, Will with 431-26v and Bill Watts with 430-31v. In the team events, our FTR boys came in 2nd for the Silver and the FOpen team came in 5th. This year our men looked much more like a team with their red team Canada shirts. If you would like to see all the results from this World FClass Championship match, go to www.baldeaglesrc.org

Team Members at the World's in Raton were as follows;

Canadian Team for F Class World Championships Raton, USA, August 2013

The Team Captain, Mr. Bill Flintoft, has announced the following members to represent Canada:

Captain Bill Flintoft, BCRA

Gun Plumber Gord Ogg, ORA

Coaches

Lorne Fisher, BCRA

Ed Bergsma, BCRA

Richard Dredger, BCRA

Bruce MacDonald, MPRA

Will Chou, ORA

Kevin Chou, ORA

F-Open

Steve Baardsen, BCRA

Eric Bisson APRA

Scott Gaalaas, APRA

Les Dolhum, APRA

Glen Taylor, APRA

Barry Price, ORA

Bruce Condie, ORA

Mark Iwanochko, ORA

Alexander Tkalitch ORA

Marius De Champlain PQRA

F-TR

Jerry Teo, BCRA

Brian Mylleville, BCRA

Dave Harry, APRA

Darcy Spent, APRA

Bill Watts, APRA

Sean Thiessen, MPRA

Gerry Weins, MPRA

Trevor McMacken, ORA

Terry Perkins, ORA

Jonathan Laitre, PQRA

Locally, the SPRA match attendance has been down from prior years and this maybe from all the other matches everyone have been attending or due to a cool start this year. Our last match of the year, the PPRA was pretty well attended with 34 people enjoying the last event of the year.

We have tried the new e targets some again this year, but these still need some fine tuning before we can use these in a match. The new software has allowed us to connect with various viewing devices, like iPhones, Blackberries and PCs. Make sure your device has enough power to last a match the next time you come out in the new year as we maybe using the etargets more next year.

Our beloved Kiwi target crew again did a outstanding job of pulling for us this year and I have heard by others that they are the very best crew in Canada, beating the girls in Ottawa hands down.

The new slider frames on bay 2 proved them self and have worked flawlessly for two years now with zero repairs.

A big thanks goes to Marv Michel for all his work in removing and installing a new target shed in the butts, re-working the wood sidewalks, patching up the toilet in the butts and to Kevin

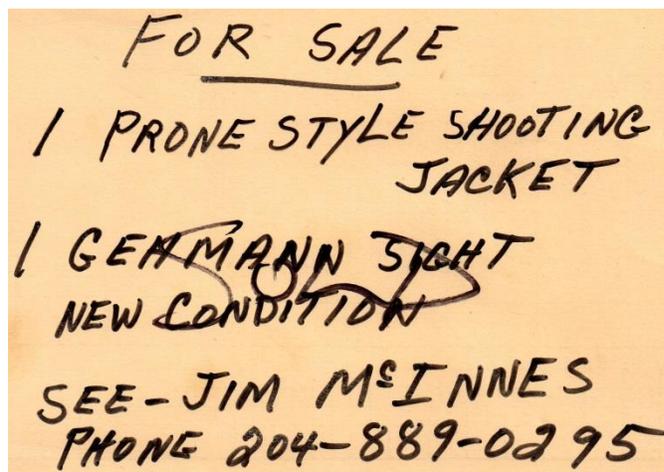
LaPine and Marv for repairing the road by adding 26 loads of dirt and sand on it. The new shed is a smaller seacan container and is a great improvement.

With SaskSport's talking about pulling our funding due to not enough members, we will have to make a decision about how we will proceed next year, etargets or a reduced Kiwi crew or go back to competitor marking.

Hunting season is fast approaching so remember to be safe out there and know your target and beyond!

Our biggest and real problem is range utilization so, we need to create a buzz amongst people to get them to come and being a new shooter with you to your next match at Nokomis. Lets also try to get more public exposure to coax new young or old shooters into this game. Some may be intimidated so maybe we need more non match days are needed to get these possible new members out. If the shooters aren't coming to us, we need to go TO the shooters. Another thing that may help would be to update our website so you buy your membership online with paypal or emt and also sign up for the match and pay online, possibly even show the signed up people. We really need to attract more shooters!!

In Ottawa this year we had Stan Frost and Gord Hulbert to represent the SPRA, and Stan again won the 5.56/223 championship. Ottawa was also low in attendance with so many in Raton.



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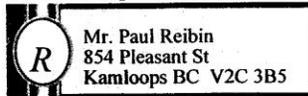
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