



******* THE BEAR FACTS *******
September 2009

Southern California Golden Bears Highpower Rifle Club, Inc.
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NEXT MATCH – NRA APPROVED MATCH – September 20 – This match will be the club’s last NRA match of the year. This will be a 80 shot match on reduced targets. Meeting to follow. Tell a friend!!

OTHER MATCHES:

Gopher Flats Sportsman Club will host their monthly high power match on September 26 on the Big Bore Range. The match will be an M-1/Springfield/Vintage Rifle Match fired twice. You will need 70 rounds of ammunition to shoot both matches. Course of fire will be the CG A COURSE. 5 sighters, 10 rounds slow prone, 10 rounds rapid prone, 10 rounds off hand.

Ojai Valley Gun Club - The October 4 match will be a 60 shot (3 X 20) Midrange Prone match at 600 yards - Starts at 7:30 AM - The matches are open to both members and non-members, and new shooters or beginners in the high power discipline are welcomed and encouraged. Check with Robert Coffey.

CLUB MEETING MINUTES

Minutes for August 16, 2009

Meeting called to order at 11:45

9 members, 1 guest attending

Treasures Report

Discussed our insurance. Talked with NRA to see if our policy was up to date. Was told It is correct for our club with \$1 million dollar policy. Club could lower premium about \$300 if we reduce coverage to \$500,000. No change for now.

Old/New business

Discussed sending newsletter via email in year 2010.

Tom discussed getting some new shooters from some of the rein actors.

Talked about the California Grizzlies winning the trophy match at Camp Perry.

Discussed upcoming Western Games

Next Lopez match (8/22) will be a Vintage rifle match

Next Ojai match (9/6) will be a NRA approved XTC match.

Meeting adjourned at 12:14

BEARS RANGE TALK

This match was a club match. We had a nice turnout with 11 shooters. Our new member Tony Chow was overall high aggregate with 489-14x. Way to go Tony! Tony was high offhand and high rapid prone with 98-1x and 100-8x respectfully. Alan had high rapid sitting and high slow prone with 99-3x and 200-13x respectfully. A lot of good scores. Thanks Tom for running the line.

Southern California Golden Bears Highpower Rifle Club											
August 16 2009 match results											
	Competitor	OH	x's	RS	x's	RP	x's	Prone	x's	Total	x's
1	Tony Chow	98	1	92	0	100	8	199	5	489	14
2	Alan Harker	93	1	99	3	94	0	200	13	486	17
3	Robert Coffey	93	1	93	1	99	3	196	6	481	11
4	Judy Harker	92	2	98	1	99	4	182	3	471	10
5	Kevin Jew	92	3	99	2	95	1	183	1	469	7
6	Victor Murillo	88	0	95	3	98	2	187	3	468	8
7	Blake Aaron	81	0	98	2	92	0	186	5	457	7
8	Joe Lee	93	2	84	0	92	0	175	4	444	6
9	Steve Caplan	88	0	88	1	88	0	173	3	437	4
10	Nelson Green	86	0	81	1	93	0	165	2	425	3
11	Cal Russel	73	0	74	0	92	0	169	2	408	2

*******OTHER MATCH NEWS*******

Gopher Flats, High Power Rifle Match, August 22, 2009

The August 22nd high power match was attended by 11 shooters. In the JC Garand M1 Match, Mike Miller placed first with 285-7X, Robert Coffey placed second with a score of 284-8X and Steve Caplan placed third with a 284-2X.

In the Springfield/Vintage rifle match, Robert Coffey took first with a 277-7X, followed by Bruce Kawaguchi with a score of 264-2X, and Mike Miller with a 263-3X.

Congratulations to Steve Caplan for a 284-2X with an M1 and to Erwin Galvez with his 263-3X in the M1 match. Great shooting guys.

Tommy M. Temple, Match Director

Match 1 M1 Garand

Shooter Name	Rifle	Aggregate
Mike Miller	M1	285-7X
Robert Coffey	M1A	284-8X
Steve Caplan	M1	284-2X
Bruce Kawaguchi	M1	273-4X
Dean Hendrickson	M1	264-4X
Erwin Galvez	M1	263-2X
George Gaskill	M1	239-2X
Nelson Green	M1	221

Match 2 Springfield/Vintage Rifle

Shooter Name	Rifle	Aggregate
Robert Coffey	M1A	277-7X
Bruce Kawaguchi	M1917	264-2X
Mike Miller	M1917	263-3X
George Gaskill	CAR-A3	246-2X
Erwin Galvez	03A3	242-1X
Steve Caplan	03A3	240
Nelson Green	03A3	208-1X

Ojai Valley Gun Club National Match Report September 6, 2009

The September 2009, OVGC Highpower Rifle Match had 16 shooters under sunny and warm conditions. This month's contest was an 80 round across-the-course ("XTC") match, with rounds fired from varying distances at of 200, 300 and 600s yard. High score for the Match Rifle class came from Brian Fisher, with a 777-19X, followed by Mike Miller with 754-21X. In the Service Rifle class, current California State Service Rifle Champion Nile Ragusin was on top with a 750-12X, followed by Robert Coffey with a score of 734-7X. Overall, shooting conditions were good, though the wind picked up somewhat late in the match, in time for everyone to move back to the 600 yard stage. Even with the breeze, some very good 600 yard scores were achieved.

The October match will be a regular 600 yard Medium Range "club event", shooting 60 rounds for score over three 20 round stages of fire, with unlimited sighting shots. All center rifle types and sight/scope arrangements are welcome (per NRA Highpower Rifle contest rules, only calibers .34 and under please). The match is open to members (\$5) and all non-members (\$15).

The November match will be an NRA Approved 600 yard, 60 round, Medium Range contest. Mid-Range 600 yard shooting is a separate NRA classification from 200-300-600 XTC contests. Check the OVGC website, under National Match for further detail on the NRA Approved matches. The December match will be a club 80 round XTC contest, open to members (\$5) and all non-members (\$15).

Dust off the old service rifle (1903 Springfield, M1 Garand, M1A, AR15, etc.), or that "tricked out" match rifle and come up and join the National Match Highpower shooters for a fun day on the range. The matches are open to both members and non-members. New shooters or beginners in the highpower discipline are welcomed and encouraged. We hope to see you there. Look for detailed fliers with information on all OVGC Highpower matches on the Club website, under "National Match". The 2009 OVGC Highpower Calendar of Events can be found there as well.

OVGC - National September 6, 2009				
	Name	Rifle Type	Total Points	X
1	Brian Fisher	Match Rifle	777	19
2	Mike Miller	Match Rifle	754	21
3	Nile Ragusin	Service Rifle	750	12
4	Tony Chow	Match Rifle	745	17
5	Robert Coffey	Service Rifle	734	7
6	Tom Temple	Service Rifle	730	14
7	Mike Stern	Service Rifle	726	7
8	Edward Jack	Service Rifle	719	6
9	Blake Aaron	Service Rifle	713	9
10	Jeffery Ramadan	Service Rifle	705	3
11	Craig McGuire	Service Rifle	693	8
12	Steve Caplan	Service Rifle	690	3
13	Nelson Green	Service Rifle	670	6
14	Chris Pesuti	Service Rifle	564	4

****** ITEMS FOR SALE******

Robert Coffey has the following items for sale:

UPDATE – AR15-A1 ORIGINAL (not Repro or Retro) GI-MilSpec Complete Drop-In Colt- barreled upper receiver. 1970s vintage with Bolt Group (bolt and carrier) & Charging Handle INCLUDED. CMPC- Colt-marked barrel has chrome chamber – and is original & period-correct: 1:12 twist; A1 muzzle device; cast front sight base + lug; round front sight; black triangular hand-guards; round fwd-assist; etc. Shows light exterior wear with excellent bore. Price: \$450 firm.

Garand Bar-Lock Rear Sight – Pre-1943 Complete Assembly in like-new condition.

Price: \$75.00



Garand Winter Trigger – Korean War – In original foil wrap stamped: March 6, 1953. Price: \$5.00

MIWALL 30-06 NEW FACTORY AMMO – \$10.00 / per 20-round pack [12 available]

PMC BRASS + 180 gr Pointed SP Bullet DOES NOT ATTRACT A MAGNET

NEW Creedmoor Detachable Shooting Stool Water Bottle Carrier & 1-pint Nalgene Bottle.

SKU N028A (Dark Brown) ½ Price: \$8.50



Email <robert.coffey@netzero.net> for details or to inspect in-person.

******* 2009 CALENDAR *******

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