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December 2007

**Southern California Golden Bears Highpower Rifle Club, Inc.
P. O. Box 1311, Thousand Oaks, CA 91358-0311**

EVENTS:

**NEXT MATCH -December 16 - Club Shoot and Annual
Election of Officers**

OTHER MATCHES:

**JANUARY 6 – OJAI VALLEY GUN CLUB 600 Yard Prone Mid-
Range Match - \$10 to quests, 60 shots prone, starts at 7:30AM at the
Rose Valley Range.**

**LOPEZ CANYON – December 22 National Match Course at 200 yards
– See TOMMY’S ADVERTISEMENT IN THE NEWS SECTION.**

**MARCH 2 – NRA APPROVED REGIONAL COURSE AT OJAI
ROSE VALLAY RANGE - \$15**

MINUTES CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

Club Officers were nominated for 2008 and will be confirmed by vote at the December meeting. This meeting is required by state law to maintain our tax free corporation status. **PLEASE COME TO THE DECEMBER MATCH AND MEETING.**

The Match Schedule for 2008 will be set up at the December meeting.

NOMINATED OFFICERS

President – Tommy Temple

Vice President Kevin Jew

Executive Officer – Steve Caplan

Secretary-Treasurer – Victor Murillo

MOTION – It was moved and carried by voice vote that the 2008 Secretary Treasurer will have single-signature check writing authority over the Bears Account. This is critical to our Treasurer being able to effectively pay our bills by check.

TURKEY WINNERS - Robert Coffey was high score, M1/M1A, but declined the turkey. The turkey went to second high score shooter, Steve Caplan. Alan and Judy split the turkey for the shoot off. James Heywood won the drawing for the third turkey.

TREASURERS REPORT-The club has \$732.00 in the bank.

The Bears welcome new member **Nelson Green!**

Meeting was adjourned at 12:45.

LOPEZ CANYON MATCH - “Shoot Like a Marine”



” A good time was had by all and Tommy Temple did a great job setting the program up.
December Match is scheduled for Saturday, December 22nd, make that date!

Bring a positive attitude and some patience as we continue our effort to establish a monthly event.

Our goal is to conduct a safe and successful high power event so the hosting clubs at Lopez Canyon can assess the value and viability of having a monthly high power match on their property

Competitors, please be on your best behavior

We will leave the facility cleaner than when we came aboard

If you are interested and believe you can attend, please respond via email or telephone to Tom Temple at tmtemple@pacbell.net 323-664-5287

Ojai NRA Approved Match – December 2

The December Ojai highpower rifle event was an 80 shot Regional Course NRA Approved Match. The event was held as an opportunity for Club members to shoot a full-up match and to improve their NRA competitor ratings. The weather was very threatening the day before, but was cold and clear for the match. The thermometer read 30 degrees when the group of 10 competitors assembled at 7:30 to sign in and set up.

We had 5 club members and 5 guests compete in the match with one of the guests, Kevin Beatty, being a US Army member on his last day of leave before reporting back in for service. Three of the competitors had technical problems and were unable to complete, but we did have 7 shooters for the full competition. Nile Ragusin won the match and the first place prize money, by carrying nearly every position. Second place finisher, Alan Harker, managed to just squeak by Nile with a 196-5X in the 20shot rapid fire prone portion of the match. Both Nile and Alan fired AR-15 Service Rifles. Third place finisher Brian Fisher used a Remington 700 match rifle.

The January Match will be a 600 yard prone event (60 shots). February and March will both be across the course regional style matches, with the March 2 event being the second of our NRA Approved tournaments. This one will be advertised in the NRA Shooting Sports USA magazine and will hopefully draw a larger group of shooters.

Competitor				OFFHAND	RAPID SITTING	RAPID PRONE	SLOW PRONE	TOTAL	X's
			Member						
1	Nile	Ragusin	Y	184	199	190	194	767	13
2	Alan	Harker	Y	176	194	196	189	755	11
3	Brian	Fisher	G	181	189	193	191	754	23
4	Tommy	Temple	G	169	192	181	182	724	10
5	Blake	Aaron	Y	162	149	187	185	683	1
6	Gregory	Sullivan	Y	175	181	173	130	659	3
7	George	Gaskill	G	175	179	166	147	667	8
8	Gary	Carter	G	Incomplete					
9	Bruce	Winker	Y	Incomplete					
10	Kevin	Beatty	G-US Army	Incomplete	183	184	161	572	3

******* 2007 CALENDAR *******

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