



Bear Bites

Southern California Golden Bears High Power Rifle Club

March 2018 Newsletter

Contact secretary@goldenbears.org for mailing address

www.goldenbears.org

CMP, CRPA, and NRA Affiliated Club

Next Match Sunday April 15th

We'll be starting sign-ins at 0800 with first round down range at 0900. The plan is to run two relays with the non-shooting relay helping with traffic control, providing instruction, and serving as line officers. Finish will be around noon. If you know you'll be going, send us an email at matches@goldenbears.org. This will help us get organized. Cost is only \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members. **Juniors shoot for free when accompanied with an adult.**

Match Fee Increase

ASR has increased the range fee from \$75 to \$100 for half day rentals. As a result, the club voted at the last meeting to increase the match fee from \$12 to \$15 for members and from \$17 to \$20 for non-members. The increase will be effective starting with the April match. No one wants a price increase, but it's been about ten years since the last match fee increase, but we need to continue to cover operating costs.

Membership Dues

Still only \$35 and one of the best ways to support shooting sports in Southern California! You'll save on your match entry fee and also get in on great buys for Nosler bullets and other goodies. We now even have new and improved membership cards. You can pay at the match or send a check (payable to Golden Bears) to SCGB, 1000 Business Center Circle #200, Thousand Oaks, CA 91320.

Club Apparel

We still have a limited supply of club t-shirts and sweat shirts available for purchase. The inventory is as follows: T-Shirts: 1 Medium, 2 Large, 3 X-Large, and 1 X-Large long sleeve. The prices are \$12 for short sleeve and \$15 for long sleeve. Sweat Shirts: 1 Large crew neck, 1 X-Large hoodie, and 1 Large zip hoodie. The prices are \$20. We also have a few Nosler t-shirts and hats for sale. If there is enough interest, we can place another order for t-shirts and sweat shirts. There is a minimum order of 24 pieces, so please send an email to president@goldenbears.org if you are interested.

Results – Golden Bears Match 3/18/18 – D. Rosenbaum

The weather was a little overcast, but was rain free. We had twelve shooters in attendance. Since most of the topside activity was cancelled and all of the shooters in attendance were experienced, we decided to run a one relay with an optional 50 or 80 round match. Rob Abelson had the high score for the second month in a row with a 789- 26X, beating his old 800 Point Aggregate club record of 782-24X. Rob also tied the Slow Prone club record with a 200-13X. Nelson Green beat his own Offhand club record of 194-1X with a new record of 195-4X. Boris Batkin shot a 50 round match and set a new club record of 100-5X in Rapid Prone, beating the old record of 100-2X held by Boris and Steve Caplan. Great shooting, guys!

Southern California Golden Bears – March 18, 2018 – XTC on reduced size targets

	NRA Class	Rifle Type	OH	RS	RP	SP	Total
50 or 80 round course of fire							
Rob Abelson	MA	SR	192.03	199.06	198.04	200.13	789.26
Paul Shultz	MA	SR	190.03	199.07	196.05	196.06	781.21
Steve Caplan	EX	SR	182.02	198.09	197.09	194.06	771.26
Darren Rosenbaum	MA	SR	188.03	190.03	195.07	195.08	768.21
Nelson Green	MA	SR	195.04	184.06	192.02	195.04	766.16
Hector Miro	EX	SR	183.00	193.06	184.01	199.10	759.17
Cameron Loessberg	MK	SR	174.00	187.03	195.05	191.04	747.12
Nuran Degirmen	UNC	SR	148.00	175.01	172.01	78.00	573.02
Boris Batkin	HM	SR	96.02	99.02	100.05	199.06	494.15

Club Records

Golden Bears Member Records		
2014 to present		
800 Point Aggregate – Match Rifle	789-33X	Rob Coffey
Offhand – 20 Round	191-3X	Rob Coffey
Rapid Sitting – 20 Round	199-7X	Rob Coffey
Rapid Prone – 20 Round	200-12X	Rob Coffey
Slow Prone – 20 Round	200-13X	Rob Coffey (2013)
500 Point Aggregate – Service Rifle	495-14X	Paul Schultz (2017)
Offhand – 10 Round	98-2X	Darren Rosenbaum (2017)
Rapid Sitting – 10 Round	100-7X	Guilbert Baradas (2014)
Rapid Prone – 10 Round	100-2X	Boris Batkin (2018)
Slow Prone – 20 Round	199-13	Rob Abelson (2017)
800 Point Aggregate – Service Rifle	789-26X	Rob Ableson (2018)
Offhand – 20 Round	195-4X	Nelson Green (2018)
Rapid Sitting – 20 Round	200-4X	Nelson Green (2013)
Rapid Prone – 20 Round	200-9X	Kwang Kim (2015)
Slow Prone – 20 Round	200-13X	Mark Bower (2017), Rob Abelson (2018)

Upcoming Matches and Shoots

We've included additional matches within the local area. Shoot early and often. Ojai Valley Gun Club has expanded their program with extra matches for both Across the Course and Midrange. Check the Ojai website before heading to the matches there. The Forest Service has closed the Forest, but it may be opened up at any time.

2018

March 24 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org
Mar 25 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)
March 31 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange Practice Match – www.ovgc.org

April 1 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 500/800 – www.ovgc.org
April 14 – Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club – XTC 500/800 - www.brrc.org
April 15 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
April 21 – Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.brrc.org
Apr 22 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)
April 29 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – CMP Clinic – Garand & AR/Modern Service Rifle – www.ovgc.org

May 6 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.ovgc.org
May 19 – CMP Sanctioned Match – Americana 1800 Adventure Club - www.1800info.org
May 20 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
May 27 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)

June 3 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 500/800 – www.ovgc.org
June 17 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
June 23 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org
June 24 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)
June 30 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – CMP Clinic – Garand & AR/Modern Service Rifle – www.ovgc.org

July 1 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.ovgc.org
July 14 – CMP Sanctioned Match – Americana 1800 Adventure Club - www.1800info.org
July 15 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
July 22 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)
July 28 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org

Aug 5 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 500/800 – www.ovgc.org
August 19 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
Aug 25 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org
Aug 26 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)

Sept 2 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.ovgc.org
September 8 – CMP Sanctioned Match – Americana 1800 Adventure Club - www.1800info.org
Sep 16 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
Sep 22 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org

Sep 23 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)
 Sep 30 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – CMP Clinic – Garand & AR/Modern Service Rifle – www.ovgc.org

Oct 7 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 500/800 – www.ovgc.org
 Oct 16 to 22 – CMP Western Games and CMP Cup Matches, Phoenix, AZ - <http://thecmp.org/>
Oct 21 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
 Oct 27 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org
 Oct 28 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)

Nov 4 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.ovgc.org
 Nov 10 – CMP Sanctioned Match – Americana 1800 Adventure Club - www.1800info.org
Nov 18 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
 Nov 24 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – 200 Yard Practice Match – www.ovgc.org
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Dec 2 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 500/800 – www.ovgc.org
Dec 16 - Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex
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Club Officers - 2018	
President	Darren Rosenbaum
Vice-President	Steve Caplan
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Secretary	Mark Bower