



# Bear Bites

Southern California Golden Bears High Power Rifle Club

August 2018 Newsletter

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CMP, CRPA, and NRA Affiliated Club

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## Next Match September 16<sup>th</sup>

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](mailto: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.**

## Club Meeting 8/18/18

We announced the results of the Harker Memorial Match and awarded prizes to the winners. There was no winner of the Lucky X draw, and the pot will roll over to the next match. It is up to a whopping \$30, so factor it into your retirement plans. Someone left a new looking green Creedmoor mat on the table. It is in the conex box, so please claim it at the next match.

## Results – Golden Bears Match 8/18/18 – D. Rosenbaum

The weather was warm, but very comfortable considering how hot August can be. We started the day off with the 50 shot 2018 Harker Memorial Match. Most shooters shot .30 vintage service rifles in the spirit of the match, while a few shot Modern Service Rifles. The Vintage Service Rifle class winner was Rob Abelson who shot a 473-5X. The first runner up in the VSR class was Steve Caplan with a 472-12X. The Modern Service Rifle class winner was Peter Albrecht, who shot a 440-3X, and the runner up was Nuran Degirmen, who shot a 419-1X. Each of the respective class winners was awarded a \$25 prize and each of the runner ups was awarded a service rifle data book donated by Mark Bower.

We followed the Harker Match with a “Harker 100” match, using the course of fire of the President’s 100 match that is held at the National Matches at Camp Perry. No one came close to the 2018 cut score of the P100, which was a 289-8X shot mostly with AR-15s, but it was an opportunity for shooters to get more rounds down range and test their zeroes, as there are no sighters in this match. The winner of the Harker 100 match was Ron Tirado with 275-2X. Incidentally, the top score in the P100 Garand Match was 284-5X.

Thanks to Johnny Fisher for watching the road and handling traffic.

Club

Southern California Golden Bears – August 18, 2018 – XTC on reduced size targets							
	NRA Class	Rifle Type	OH	RS	RP	SP	Total
<b>50 shot course of fire – Harker Match</b>							
Rob Abelson	HM	VSR	91.01	93.00	93.00	196.04	473.05
Steve Caplan	EX	VSR	91.01	94.03	96.01	191.07	472.12
Nelson Green	MA	VSR	92.01	92.00	91.01	196.05	471.07
Ron Tirado	EX	VSR	83.00	96.00	95.00	197.04	471.04
Jeff Ramadan	EX	VSR	90.02	91.01	93.01	193.06	467.10
Darren Rosenbaum	MA	VSR	89.00	91.00	87.02	190.03	457.05
Dave Ellis	EX	VSR	73.00	96.02	92.00	193.05	454.07
Peter Albrecht	UNC	SR	75.00	94.02	93.01	178.02	440.03
Nuran Degirmen	UNC	SR	87.01	82.00	82.00	171.03	419.01
Mark Bower	EX	SR	80.00	94.00	92.01	120.00	386.01
<b>30 shot course of fire – Harker 100 Match</b>							
Ron Tirado	EX	VSR	88.00		90.00	97.00	275.02
Mark Bower	EX	SR	95.01		94.02	84.01	273.04
Darren Rosenbaum	MA	VSR	87.01		93.01	91.01	271.03
Dave Ellis	EX	VSR	82.00		91.00	96.02	269.02
Jeff Ramadan	EX	VSR	83.01		93.00	87.01	263.02
Peter Albrecht	UNC	SR	61.00		88.00	86.01	235.01

Records

Golden Bears Member Records		
<b>2014 to present</b> <small>review still in progress</small>		
800 Point Aggregate – Match Rifle	789-33X	Rob Coffey
Offhand – 20 Round	191-3X	Rob Coffey
Rapid Sitting – 20 Round	199-8X	Paul Schultz (2018)
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	99-4X	Nelson Green (2018)
Rapid Sitting – 10 Round	100-7X	Guilbert Baradas (2014)
Rapid Prone – 10 Round	100-2X	Boris Batkin (2018)
Slow Prone – 20 Round	200-9X	Nelson Green (2018)
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.

### 2018

September 8 – CMP Sanctioned Match – Americana 1800 Adventure Club - [www.1800info.org](http://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](http://www.ovgc.org)

Sep 23 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple ([tmtemple@pacbell.net](mailto:tmtemple@pacbell.net))

Sep 30 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – CMP Clinic – Garand & AR/Modern Service Rifle – [www.ovgc.org](http://www.ovgc.org)

Oct 7 - Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 500/800 – [www.ovgc.org](http://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](http://www.ovgc.org)

Oct 28 - California Condors – Fort Angeles – Tom Temple ([tmtemple@pacbell.net](mailto:tmtemple@pacbell.net))

Nov 4 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange 3x600 – [www.ovgc.org](http://www.ovgc.org)

Nov 10 – CMP Sanctioned Match – Americana 1800 Adventure Club - [www.1800info.org](http://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](http://www.ovgc.org)

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#### Club Officers - 2018

<b>President</b>	Darren Rosenbaum
<b>Vice-President</b>	Steve Caplan
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