



Bear Bites

Southern California Golden Bears High Power Rifle Club

June 2019 Newsletter

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CMP, CRPA, and NRA Affiliated Club

Next Match: 7/21/19

Our next match will be on July 21, 2019. Please arrive by 7:00 a.m. to sign in, as we will try to start the match at 8:00 a.m. If you can show up a few minutes early or stay a little afterwards, we'll appreciate your help in setting up and breaking down the range. The cost is \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members. **Juniors shoot for free when accompanied by an adult.**

No Golden Bears Match on 6/16/19 – M. Kosla

We only had three shooters last Sunday (which happened to be Father's Day). The participants decided to have a practice session instead of shooting a match. As such, there are no scores to report.

No Club Meeting on 6/16/19 – M. Kosla

There was no club meeting following the practice session last Sunday. Therefore, there are no minutes.

Club T-shirts – M. Kosla

We still have some t-shirts left over from the last order in limited sizes and quantities, as well as a few hoodies. Those will be available for purchase after most matches. Please see our Secretary, Martin Kosla, after a match if you are interested. (We didn't receive enough interest from our members in order to place a minimum order for new club t-shirts. We will re-check everyone's interest later this year.)

Results – Ojai Valley Gun Club Match: 6/2/19 – M. Bower

After a Saturday of mowing weeds and helping tear down an old clay target Trap House at the Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club, I wasn't in any shape to make it to Ojai on Sunday. Others made better use of their time and made it to Ojai for a great day of XTC shooting. Ken Letwin turned in a personal best of 793-34X while shooting his 6mm Fat Rat Match Rifle. This gets him into the "792 Club" which designates a score of 98% or better. Ken shot Nosler 107's in the slow prone stage



and finished with a 200 and 13X's. The second relay at 600 yards saw the wind pick up and a "pop up" thunderstorm start to make its way to Ojai. (See photo.) The match was finished, and the targets stowed before the rain arrived. We used one ShotMarker electronic target and hope to expand this at future matches. The next match is July 7 and will be a Midrange match.

Ojai Valley Gun Club – XTC 200/300/600 Yards						
	Rifle Type	OH	RS	RP	SP	Total
80 or 50 round course of fire						
Ken Letwin	MR	194.03	200.13	199.08	200.13	793.34
Boris Batkin	SR	193.05	199.07	193.03	193.06	778.21
Blake Aaron	SR	175.02	196.08	196.03	192.06	759.19
Ron Tirado	SR	171.01	174.03	194.07	193.05	732.16
Manny Oropesa	SR	168.00	163.02	188.06	191.04	710.12
Roman Ladaw (50 Shot Only)	SR	78.00	98.00	97.00	190.04	463.04
Patrick Stanistreet	SR	99.00	83.00	136.00	131.00	449.00
Robert Walker	SR	120.01	161.01	150.00	109.00	540.02

Golden Bears Club Records

Golden Bears Member Records		
2014 to Present (review still in progress for 800 Point Match and 500 point Service Rifle)		
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	792-27X	Rob Abelson (2019)
Offhand – 20 Round	195-4X	Nelson Green (2018), Rob Abelson (2019)
Rapid Sitting – 20 Round	200-13X	Rob Abelson (2019)
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

Shoot early and often! The following matches and practice sessions are coming up in July 2019 within our local area.

July 6 – Americana 1800 Adventure Club – CMP GSMM Match – www.1800info.org

July 7 – Ojai Valley Gun Club – Midrange Match – www.ovgc.org

July 13 – Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club – XTC Match – www.brrc.org

July 20 – Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.brrc.org

July 21 – Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles in Angeles Range Complex

July 22 – California Condors – Fort Angeles – Practice – Tom Temple (tmtemple@pacbell.net)

Affiliations

The Golden Bears are proud to be a CRPA, NRA, and CMP affiliated club.



Club Officers – 2019

President	Ron Tirado
Vice-President	Rob Abelson
Executive Officer	Tom Temple
Treasurer	Blake Aaron
Secretary	Martin Kosla