



Bear Bites

Southern California Golden Bears High Power Rifle Club

October 2019 Newsletter

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CMP, CRPA, and NRA Affiliated Club

Next Match: 11/17/19

On November 17, 2019, we are having our annual Alan Harker Match (named after one of the club's founders), as well as our Turkey Shoot. (See below for more details about the format of these events.) Please arrive by 7:00 a.m. on Sunday to sign in, as we will try to start the Alan Harker Match at 8:00 a.m. The Turkey Shoot will be done after the match. 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.

Club Meeting Minutes: 10/20/19 – M. Kosla

Alan Harker Match & Turkey Shoot – We will have the Alan Harker Match and our Turkey Shoot on the same day on November 17, 2019. The Alan Harker Match will be a 50-round XTC match shot on reduced targets. Shooters will be able to shoot the match using either a .30 caliber or modern service rifle. The winner from each category will have their name added to the Alan Harker trophy. With our Turkey Shoot, competitors will have a chance to win a gift card (which they can then use to buy a turkey) by shooting at a printed paper turkey target using a club rifle and/or their own rifle.

Officer Nominations & Elections for 2020 – After the November match, we will be having nominations for our club officer positions for 2020. The club officer elections will be held in December after that month's match.

Treasurer Resignation – The club's Treasurer, Blake Aaron, has resigned from his position as an officer and board member of the club. Blake will continue to administer the treasury of the club in a non-officer capacity until the end of the year.

Match RSO – Thank you to Rob Abelson for being the RSO at last Sunday's match.

Nosler Promotional Merchandise Draw – Instead of having our Nosler promotional merchandise draw after the October match, we decided to give one of the promotional Nosler t-shirts to Rob Abelson for being the RSO that day. We will continue to give away one Nosler t-shirt per match until they are all gone.

Results – Golden Bears Match: 10/20/19 – M. Kosla

It was a very windy morning last month, with registered wind gusts of more than 20 mph. Shooters at October's match had to battle wind and dust which seemed to come from every direction. Ron Tirado was the overall match winner with a score of 776-31. The Lucky X pot (over \$25 now) rolled over to the next month.

Southern California Golden Bears – XTC (on reduced size targets)

	NRA Class	Rifle Type	OH	RS	RP	SP	Total	
80 shot course of fire								
1.	Ron Tirado	MA	MA	184-0	197-7	198-11	197-13	776-31
2.	Steve Caplan	EX	SR	187-0	196-4	196-5	194-7	773-16
3.	Darren Rosenbaun	MA	SR	183-0	190-2	194-2	193-5	760-9
4.	Martin Kosla	SS	SR	176-1	194-3	192-3	179-3	741-10
5.	Mark Bower	EX	SR	186-1	195-8	165-4	190-1	736-14
6.	Eric De Guia	UNCL	-	129-0	171-0	186-1	108-0	594-1
7.	Dave Ellis	EX	SR	148-0	136-0	98-2	184-4	566-6

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)

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)

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)

Upcoming Matches and Shoots

The following matches and practice sessions are coming up in November 2019 within our local area.

November 16 – Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club – Midrange 3x600 – www.brrc.org

November 17 – Golden Bears Alan Harker Match & Turkey Shoot at Fort Angeles

November 24 – 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	None
Secretary	Martin Kosla