



Bear Bites

Southern California Golden Bears High Power Rifle Club
November 2022 Newsletter

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CMP, CRPA, and NRA Affiliated Club



Next Match: Harker Memorial Match with Turkey Shoot on 11/20/2022

We'll be having our annual Harker Memorial Match this month and will also have a Turkey shoot as well. Alan Harker was one of the club's founders, and we honor him each year with this match. Shooters can use either a vintage service rifle like an M1 Garand or a modern service rifle. Winners in each category will have their names added to the Harker Trophy. For our Turkey shoot, you'll get one shot with a club Garand to get closest to the center of the bird. Match cost is \$20 for members and \$25 for non-members. Turkey shoot is free! (Alan and Judy Harker pictured at Camp Perry National Championships)



(Mark Bower and Rob Abelson)

Results – Golden Bears Matches: Sept 18 and Oct 16, 2022– M. Bower

Thanks to Mark Bower and Nelson Green for handling RSO duties for these matches. There weren't many traffic breaks, and we didn't have any drama with drivers ignoring the traffic cones and making a break to drive up the hill. Weather was cool enough in September that we didn't need any additional shade and October was near perfect. Scores on page 2.



Gear notes: MTM Blue cartridge boxes are a staple for everybody that reloads, and they're still made in the USA. White Oak Distinguished scopes are a common fixture on the firing line with two shooters using them as pictured above. Tubb and Monard shooting hats along with Creedmoor coats are among shooter's favorites. Bob Sled where SLED means Single Load Enhancement Device are used by many in slow fire stages. Geissele front rail and thermoplastic handguards are the most popular. Gloves by Monard and Creedmoor and a shooting mitt for extra padding. Empty Chamber Indicators for all matches and are only to be removed during prep and live fire. Always a good time at Fort Angeles with plenty of room on the line. Hope to see you on the line in November.

Southern California Golden Bears – XTC (on reduced size targets)							
	NRA Class	Rifle Type	OH	RS	RP	SP	Total
80 Shot Match - September 18, 2022							
Rob Abelson	HM	SR	188.03	200.09	199.05	199.12	786.29
Darren Rosenbaum	MA	SR	190.04	199.07	197.05	195.08	781.24
Steve Caplan	EX	SR	184.03	196.06	194.05	186.03	760.17
Jason Zhu	EX	SR	175.00	195.04	194.06	189.06	753.16
Ron Tirado	MA	SR	173.03	190.04	192.01	180.03	735.11
Nuran Degirman	UNC	SR	187.02	178.02	185.00	151.00	701.04
Garrett Cheyno	UNC	SR	171.00	193.03	137.00	169.00	670.03
David Keller	UNC	SR	165.01	189.01	DNF	DNF	354.02
80 or 50 Shot Match - October 16, 2022							
Rob Abelson	HM	SR	191.04	199.10	199.09	196.10	785.33
Darren Rosenbaum	MA	SR	180.04	198.07	198.08	198.05	774.24
Mark Bower	EX	MR	184.02	194.05	196.04	200.06	774.17
Jason Zhu	EX	SR	189.01	195.05	189.03	194.06	767.15
Steve Caplan	EX	SR	183.02	196.04	194.08	185.06	758.20
David Westerberg	UNC	SR	166.00	168.01	184.02	176.02	694.05
Dave Wilson (50 Shots)	UNC	VSR	84.00	83.00	95.03	189.01	451.04

Upcoming Matches and Shoots

The following local matches are coming up

November 20 – Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles www.goldenbears.org

Dec 2 - Ojai Valley Gun Club XTC Match on electronic targets – www.ovgc.org

Dec 9 – Burbank Rifle and Revolver Club – Offhand Match – www.brrc.org

December 17 – Golden Bears Monthly Match at Fort Angeles www.goldenbears.org

Affiliations and Support

The Golden Bears are proud to be a CRPA and CMP supporters.



Club Officers – 2022

President	Darren Rosenbaum
Vice-President	Rob Abelson
Treasurer	None
Secretary	Mark Bower