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May 2023

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The May meeting of the Zia Rifle & Pistol Club is scheduled for **Thursday, May 18th** at 7:00 PM at **Bear Canyon Senior Center, 4656 Pitt NE**. All members are welcome and encouraged to attend. If there is anything you would like to discuss, please contact Secretary, Chris Garrett.

See you there!

Zia BOD Meeting Minutes from March 16, 2023

The March 16, 2023 BOD meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m. at the Bear Canyon Senior Center, with club President Pat Mileschosky presiding. A quorum of the BOD was achieved with 18 out of 22 members in attendance.

Item I - Approval of Agenda and Minutes

The agenda for the March 16, 2023 meeting was approved without changes.

The minutes from the February 16, 2023 BOD meeting was approved without changes.

Item II - Treasurer's report

Gary Wells, Treasurer presented the Treasurer's Report. He described the healthy status of the Club. The Treasurer's Report was approved without changes.

Item III - Old Business

Audit Committee Report: Sharon Forman, Audit Committee Chair reported that the committee was still gathering the last of the required information and would be ready to deliver the report in April. A motion was made to grant the additional month, seconded, and passed.

Item IV - New Business

National Rifle Junior Olympic Shooters: Joel Martin, Junior Activity Chair introduced two juniors to the board to request assistance to go to Colorado Springs for the National Jr. Olympics match. Cohen Ahner was invited to compete in both air rifle and small bore and requested \$1125 for entry fees and housing in the Olympic dorms. Haylie Garcia was invited back for her second time to compete in air rifle and requested \$500 for entry fees and food. A motion was made for \$1625 to support these shooters, seconded, and passed. We look forward to have them come give a trip report.

Golden Age Shooters: Pat Mileschosky, President proposed that we host Veteran shooters at the indoor range for their practices. Pat suggested we have these folks over on Wednesday mornings for 1-2 hours during the range maintenance period. He introduced Annalise Doyle, who is a Recreational Therapist at the VA. She explained they have 5-10 shooters, some of which are in wheelchairs. This led Pat to additionally propose funding a wider inside door (between the outer room and the range room.) Motions were made, seconded, and the BOD passed the Golden Age hosting in the indoor range motion and the motion to allow \$250 for a wider door.

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Item V - Adjourn

After exhausting all items on the agenda, and there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:43 p.m. The next BOD meeting will be held on April 20, 2023 starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Bear Canyon Senior Center, 4656 Pitt NE.

Board of Directors Meeting Schedule

All meetings are held at the Bear Canyon Senior Center, and begin at 7:00 p.m. All Zia members are welcome to attend. If there is an issue you would like to bring up to the Board, please contact Secretary, Chris Garrett a week prior to the meeting so that you may be put on the agenda.

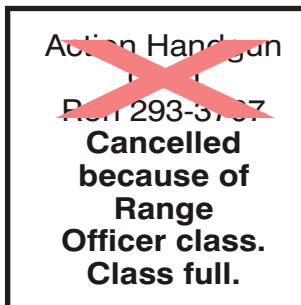
- June 15th
- July 20th
- August 17th
- September 21st
- October 19th
- November 16th
- December 21st



(327) Hornady 30 cal. 168 grain BTHP "National Match. (59 of product #3050 and 268 of later product #30501, all appear identical);
Billy Bullets 440 cal. 240 grain hardcast flat nose with "Billy Kote";
(429) Western Nevada Bullet 10 mm 175 grain hardcast flat nose.

Email interest to:
eaglebeaks@yahoo.com or text to 505-269-9950.

Please note change on the calendar.
Action Handgun, originally scheduled for June 10th has been cancelled.



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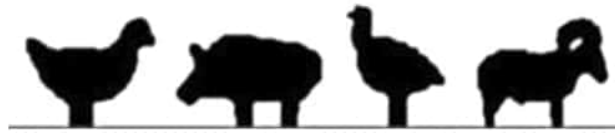
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Rusluts of the Small Bore Rifle Silhouette Match April 2, 2023



Pictures left to right: Top left - Denise M. 5 relays! I'll take a nap! Bottom left shooters on the line, Center Match Winner Cohen A. (congrats again!) Top right Lorelai & Kira 1st time 5 in a row winners, Bottom right Jerry C. winner of the score card bingo game.

1/2 size target results

COMPETITORS NAME	CHICKEN	PIG	TURKEY	RAM	TOTAL	CLASS
COHEN A.	8/5	10	9/5	8/5	35	M
JOHN B.	9/5	9/5	8/5	9/5	35	AAA
TOM F.	7	10	5	8	30	M
JERRY C.	7	9/5	7	5	28	AAA
FREDDY M.	7	8	6	6	27	AA
NATHAN H.	3	8/5	3	9/5	25	AA
SHARON F.	5	7/5	7	6	25	M
BILL S.	7	7	8	3	25	AAA
KIRA	7	8/5	3	6	24	AA
CASEY A.	6	5	6	7/5	24	AAA
TED M.	7	6/5	4	7	24	AA
KAYLEE H.	5	7	5	6	23	AA
LUCINDA S.	8	5	2	4	19	AA
RICK	4	4	1	6/5	17	A
JORDAN	7	3	4	1	15	A
LORELAI	8/5	4	1	1	14	B
DUSTIN	5	2	2	2	11	B
LELAND	2	2	0	1	5	B

Highlighted scores indicate class winner

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What a great day to shoot with friends old and new! The weather was perfect and the turnout was remarkable! There were 18 competitors in the 1/2 scale match that allowed us to shoot 5 yes 5 relays. We had several new shooters that are members of the 4H Valencia County with their sponsor Rick. Please note the 5 and 10 in a row winners as indicated in the score table.

Match winner was Cohen A.
Master winner was Tom F.
AAA winner was John B.
AA winner was Freddy M.
A winner was Rick.
B winner was Lorelai.

The matrix for this class structure is:

Master 34 40
AAA 28 33
AA 21 27
A 15 20
B 0 14

This class structure has no bearing on any classifications or qualifications outside of this specific match. The purpose is to allow everyone a fair chance at competition and provide a structure for advancement. The way you advance to the next level is to shoot 3 subsequent scores within the higher range(s). New shooters will shoot "unclassified" and once a score is recorded, that will be the class in which they will shoot until higher scores move them "up".

1/5 size target results

COMPETITORS NAME	CHICKEN	PIG	TURKEY	RAM	TOTAL
COHEN A.	7	7	5/5	6	25
DAVE B.	6	5	3	3	17
CASEY A.	3	7/5	4	1	15
JERRY C.	4	1	5	3	13
FREDDY M.	3	3	2	2	10
BILL S.	4	0	4	1	9
DENNIS B.	3	4	0	2	9
RICK	2	2	2	1	7
KIRA	1	1	1	3	6
NATHAN H.	1	1	1	3	6
KAYLEE	4	0	1	0	5
DUSTIN	3	1	0	0	4

This 1/5 size match is the most participants that we have had at this event since I took over being the director over a year ago. It is very exciting to see everyone coming out and competing. Overall winner for the 1/5 size targets was Cohen A., followed by Dave B. and Casey A.

Small Bore Silhouette shooting is one of the most challenging sports for individual marksmanship. Many great shooting competitions offer challenging shots at long range from a bench or other supported position. All our shooting is done from a standing position swaying in whatever breeze there happens to be. We shoot 10 chickens at 40 meters, 10 pigs at 60 meters, 10 turkeys at 77 meters, and 10 rams at 100 meters. A total of 40 rounds are needed for a match plus sight in rounds. We shoot with .22 rim fire rifles with scopes or open sights. Any standard velocity or high velocity .22 short, long, or long rifle ammo is permitted but the extra hot rounds such as the STINGER or VIPER rounds and magnums are prohibited.

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The following information taken from the NRA Silhouette Rifle Rule book and explains the match time sequencing:

Time is not checked on each shot but is computed on the indicated allowance for each five-shot string. The Range Officer may terminate any relay before completion of the full time allowance, if all competitors in that relay have completed firing.

Time Allowances:

Ready Time - Fifteen seconds will be allowed after the command **READY** is given before the command **FIRE**.

Two and one half minutes will be allowed to fire one shot on each target of a bank of five targets. Targets are shot in sequential order from left to right.

Alibis - 30 seconds will be allowed for each unfired round of the series in which the alibi is allowed.

Shoot-offs - 30 seconds will be allowed for each shot fired in a shoot off of ties.

A minimum of 30 seconds will be allowed between the command **CEASE FIRE** and **READY**.

The small bore rifle silhouette match is held on the first Sunday of each month.

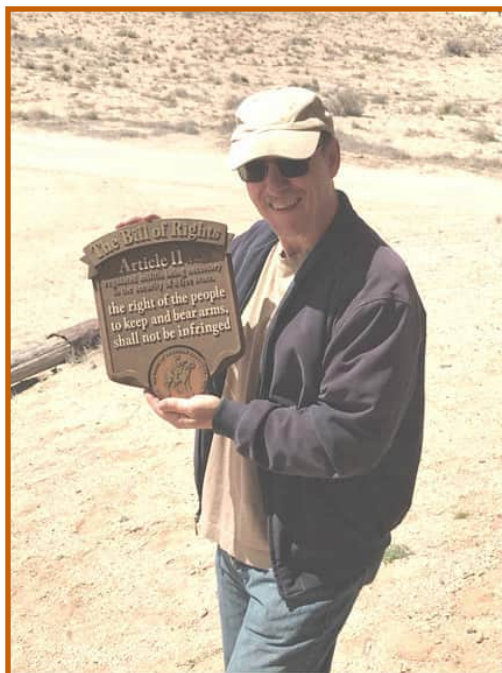
Setup starts at 8:00am. We will have a sight in/practice period starting after set up and will start the match promptly at 9:00am.

This event is open to any Zia member/guest and all are welcome. Juniors are encouraged to try this fun and challenging shooting sport.

The adjacent bench rest/plinking range to the immediate West of the Small Bore Rifle Silhouette Range will be closed for the duration of our matches. This will allow us to provide participants with a higher level of safety. Please note: Although the posted sign states that the range will be closed from 8:00am 2:00pm, as soon as the small bore rifle silhouette match is over, the adjacent range will be open to the public. Historically our matches run no later than noon.

For additional information contact Sharon Foreman, email: sbr-sil@ziarifleandpistolclub.com

This is a picture of Bill S. who won overall at the Lever Action/Hunter's Pistol silhouette match held on April 16, 2023. He was presented with a plaque that was donated by Dennis B. that was from Dennis' dad Stan. Very cool!



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Zia Activity Calendar May/June 2023

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SATURDAY

SUNDAY

EAST RANGE		INDOOR/ SHOTGUN	WEST RANGE		EAST RANGE		INDOOR/ SHOTGUN	WEST RANGE	
	Junior Practice 0930-1530 Joel 550-7988 Benchrest/Plinking Ranges closed during ARA Match	ARA 4 Target Match Draw for benches 0700 Match 0800 Jim 512-644-4460	MAY 6		MAY 7	MR Prone F-Class Set Up 0830 Match 0900 Pat 266-8904	 Benchrest/Plinking Ranges closed during SB Rifle Silhouette match	SB Rifle Silhouette 0800 Setup 0900 Match Sharon 250-8546	
Cowboy Rifle Long Range Pistol 0900 David 269-6578 Cowboy RF 1300	Junior Practice 0930-1530 Joel 550-7988	Action Handgun 0900 Ron 293-3707	MAY 13		MAY 14	SB BR Silhouette Setup 0730 Match 0800 Tom 350-4026			
Precision Tactical Rifle Sign In 0730 Match 0800 Steve 239-7554	Junior Practice 0930-1530 Joel 550-7988 Benchrest/Plinking Ranges closed during ARA Match	ARA 4 Target Match Draw for benches 0700 Match 0800 Jim 512-644-4460	MAY 20		MAY 21	Hunter Pistol Silh. RF & CF Pistol cal. Levergun Silh. Setup 0800 Match 0900	SHOTGUN Sporting Clays Sign In: before 0915 Match: 0930 email sign in or questions: Lyn 269-1017 ziasignup@gmail.com	INDOOR NMO 0900 - 1200 Peter 250-3200	
3 Gun Tactical 0800 - Set Up 0900 - Match Ross 350-2557	Junior Practice 0930-1530 Joel 550-7988	Action Handgun 0900 Ron 293-3707	MAY 27		MAY 28		Wobble Trap 1000-1200 Peter 417-1495		
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Cowboy Rifle Long Range Pistol 0900 David 269-6578 Cowboy RF 1300	Junior Practice 0930-1530 Joel 550-7988	Action Handgun 0900 Ron 293-3707 Cancelled because of Range Officer class. Class full.	JUNE 10		JUNE 11	SB BR Silhouette Setup 0730 Match 0800 Tom 350-4026			
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Zia Rifle and Pistol Club
Women's Only Handgun Basics and NRA Personal Protection in the Home
May 6-7, 2023 and October 28-29, 2023
Cost: \$65.00

Unique Event! This is a **very special** opportunity to get great training at a great price! Zia Rifle and Pistol Club, along with the NRA Foundation, is subsidizing this unique, women's only course, bringing the cost down to only \$65.00 for two full class days. The cost includes all ammunition, use of guns, course materials and range fees - you only need to provide eye and ear protection and your lunch. You will get first class training. You will get lots of time to perfect your skills and try different firearms so you can figure out what works for you. **Each course is limited in size, so get your application in early!**

Concealed Carry. If you want to get your concealed carry license after the completion of the course, please contact Heidi Chowning at hchowning@aol.com for more information.

Topics. We will cover topics related to using a handgun for self-defense in the home. Some of the topics covered are:

- The basics of pistol operation and safe use and storage
- Mental preparation and mindset for using a firearm for personal protection
- Marksmanship, accuracy, using cover and concealment
- Firearms and the law
- Strategies for home safety and responding to a violent confrontation
- Selecting a handgun for self-defense

During the course, you will have the opportunity to handle and shoot a variety of handguns in a variety of calibers. This course is for women who want to learn about personal protection. It is designed so it can be taken by someone who has no experience with firearms. It is also valuable for someone who has firearms experience but wants more information about using a firearm for personal protection.

Times: 8:30 am to 5 pm each day.

Course cost: \$65 (The cost includes gun use, all ammunition, course materials and City Shooting Range fees)

Location: Albuquerque City Shooting Range Park

Questions: Contact Heidi Chowning at hchowning@aol.com or (505) 897-6700

To reserve your spot in the course, send this form and a check for \$65 made out to the "Zia Rifle and Pistol Club" to:

Heidi Chowning
Po Box 1322
Corrales, NM 87048

You will be sent a confirmation of your acceptance into the course, a map to the range further course information upon receipt of your application and course fee. After the due date, you will only receive a refund if someone else takes your slot in the course.

Zia Rifle and Pistol Club
2023 Ladies Personal Protection Course Application

Check which class you want to attend. If either set of dates works for you, put a 1 for your first choice and a 2 for your second choice, in case your first choice is already full.

October 28-29, 2023 _____

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Address: _____ Cell/Office Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Age: _____

Are you a Zia member, or is a family member or member of your household a Zia member?

Y / N _____

Relation to Zia member (Ex: self, mother, father, son, daughter, fiancé) _____

Zia member number: _____

EACH PARTICIPANT MUST BE ON A SEPARATE APPLICATION

PARTICIPANTS MAY NOT BE COMBINED ON ONE APPLICATION

Mail this application and a check for \$65 made out to "Zia Rifle and Pistol Club" to:

Heidi Chowning
PO Box 1322
Corrales, NM 87048

Disclaimer: Even though this course is taught by NRA certified instructors and all safety rules of the Zia Rifle and Pistol Club will be strictly enforced, I will be attending these classes with full knowledge that any use of firearms can be a dangerous activity. I therefore release the Zia Rifle and Pistol Club, its officers, directors, members, the instructors and range assistants from any liability. Furthermore, I certify that I am not prohibited by any Federal or State law from possessing a firearm or ammunition.

Signed Name: _____ Date: _____

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