

# Los Alamos Sportsmen's Club

# Bulletin

Los Alamos Sportsmen's Club, PO Box 953, Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544; <http://www.la-sc.org>

May 2007

## A FEW WORDS FROM THE LASC PRESIDENT

Ken Laintz (klaintz@msn.com)

We held our annual Spring Cleanup on Saturday April 28th. I would like to thank Marv Alme, who organized the event, and all the volunteers who turned out to work on the various projects. I would like to thank Mary Luster and the 4-H Juniors for a fine lunch and all the work that this effort entailed. I would also like to thank Wes Shumaker and the LAHS NJROTC cadets for helping out with various cleanup activities. Thanks to the Bueschers for painting the bathrooms – this made quite an improvement to the clubhouse by itself. The crew who removed the old outhouses also deserves an extra special thanks. While the event was largely successful, many of us were surprised by the relatively low turn out compared to years past, especially considering the new work deposit program. If you were unable to attend the scheduled cleanup but still want to contribute, please contact Marv as there are still a fair number of projects requiring attention.

One of the projects that was completed again this year was the clean out of the bullet traps in the indoor range. While we were able to recycle a fair amount of the spent bullets, we weren't able to get everything processed. The spent bullets from the traps that haven't been recycled are located in barrels on either side of the indoor range. Please do not discard trash, brass, or empty cases in these barrels. Absolutely **NO** live ammunition, misfires, or duds are allowed in these barrels or in the bullet traps!! We can't send these barrels off for recycling if we can not guarantee that they contain no live ammo. We had several 22 RF discards go off during lead recovery efforts much to the chagrin of those volunteers who were working on this project.

I would like to congratulate Junior Club Member Jake Turner in being selected as a resident athlete at the US Olympic Training Facility in Colorado Springs. He will reside full time at the Center, and will shoot in Olympic Trap competitions as a member of the USA Shooting team around the world. Our bunker facility certainly helped him develop his natural talent, and I would like to thank Board Member Pat Laux for his continued operation and oversight of this facility.

With regret I must report that Steve Chipera is resigning as our Cowboy Action Shooting Coordinator. Thanks are due to Tom Hiteman who has agreed once again to take on this position.

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On the lighter side, I thought I would report what a fine gun oil and stock conditioner that McDonald's margarine makes. After breakfast last month and before going to the Tulsa Arms Show, I oiled the metal and stock of a rifle that I had planned on selling at the show with some margarine left over in a little plastic packet. The rifle looked so nice after being "battered" it sold right away.

My latest project is a Swiss Schmidt-Rubin K-31. I've heard and read stories about their fine workmanship and accuracy, and I've seen quite a few Camp Perry match results where K-31 shooters score in the top. I am looking forward to shooting (or at least aspiring to shoot) high power matches this summer with this rifle. Then again, you might see it on my table at our annual LASC Gun Show, September 15th and 16th. If you do see it there, I promise it won't have butter or margarine on it.

## **Reminders**

Please do not write the gate combination on the gate with a Sharpie for your friends.

Please do not shoot shotguns in indoor range. We are still finding wads in bullet traps.

Please do not hand-throw your own clay targets at various locations around the club facility as it tends to leave a mess.

No trash, brass, or ammunition discards in the spent bullet barrels.

## **Range Closures**

The Archery Ranges and Pavilion will be closed June 6-8 for the annual Cub Scouts District Day Camp. Please be careful of little scouts during this time while down at the range.

## **Bulletin Advertising**

We have decided to allow free advertising to members in the Bulletin. If you have something related to shooting, hunting, archery, etc., you will be able to post a classified ad in the Bulletin. Additionally, members with business will be able to list a business card. Look for details and policy regarding advertising on the Classified Ads page on the website.

## **REMEMBER THE NRA—THEY REMEMBER US**

The NRA, and especially the NRA-ILA (Institute for Legislative Action) and NRA-PVF needs your support in order to help support our Second Amendment Rights and to defeat anti-gunner politicians. Although each group does have a separate address, all contributions can be mailed to:

NRA or NRA-ILA or NRA-PVF  
11250 Waples Mill Road  
Fairfax, VA 22030

Thank you.

## APRIL SKEET, TRAP & 5 STAND REPORTS

By Ed Bush

The weather is improving and there has been increased activity on the shotgun ranges.

April income for the Skeet Section was \$295, Trap Section \$423 and Sporting Clays \$542. We used 129 cases of standard biodegradable targets. At the end of April we had 1479 cases of standard targets remaining. Income for April was \$9.76 case. Profit for the Club to date is \$804.17.

The cleanup went well. The trap houses were cleaned out and targets were hauled to all to the houses. Although none of the major trap house repairs were accomplished. The old damaged 5-stand stations were hauled to the dump.

The cost is \$2 per round for Skeet, Trap and 5-Stand, \$3 per round for Bunker Trap. Guests accompanied by current LASC badge holders pay \$1 over the regular fee.

### Shotgun Schedule:

Unless otherwise announced the shooting schedules are:

**Skeet:** Thursday, Saturday & Sunday 9:00 AM

Contact: Ed Bush, 662 7584, ebush132@comcast.net

**Trap:** Tuesday & Sunday 10:00 AM

Contact: Steve McKelvey, 672 1604, smkelvey@lanl.gov

**5-Stand Sporting Clays:** Thursday 5:00 PM, Sunday 11:00 AM

Contact: Brent Newman 662 6106, bnewman@lanl.com

**Bunker Trap:** Tuesday & Sunday 10:00 AM

Contact: Pat Laux, (239) 293 0369 cell, jplaux@zylomed.com

## MAY RIFLE SECTION NEWS

By Mell Smithour

First and foremost I would like to give a BIG thank you to everyone that came out to the spring clean up. It was a great day and a lot was accomplished. It is the few volunteers that make it nice for all, I would hope the rest appreciate it.

The new shooting season is under way. The LASC schedule for 2007 will be; the first National Highpower Match is May 20, and then the first Sunday through November and the .22 silhouette match will be the second Saturday of each month. The National Highpower Matches at Northern Rio Grande Sportsmen Club south of Espanola are the fourth Sunday April thru November. The WEB site for the NRGSC is <http://www.nrgsc.org/highpower.html> Most equipment, including rifles, mats, gloves, scope, and ammo needed for the match are available. Tutoring needs to be done in advance, as it is not possible the day of the match.

**(PARTIAL RERUN)  
A CALL TO ARMS  
By: Paul C. Lisle**

**Governor Bill Richardson signed into law HB 588. Sponsored by Rep. John Heaton (D-Carlsbad), this legislation will allow concealed handgun license holders to protect themselves in establishments that sell alcohol for off-premises consumption. The law will take effect on July 1, 2007. Send a thank you to Rep. Heaton and Gov. Richardson.**

**22LR SILHOUETTE MATCH  
By TK Thompson ([tktincnm@msn.com](mailto:tktincnm@msn.com))**

**March 10, 2007 Silhouette Match**

Well, this was a record setting month on the silhouette firing line. The first record was we had 23 shooters turn out for the match! This included 8 scoped rifle shooters and 2 long-gunners trying their luck with open sights. The pistoleers really turned out today thanks to Marshall Maez bringing up the 4H pistol team. Pistol open sight had 9 entries and scoped pistol had 2. There were also 2 weirdos shooting the small animals from really strange positions like lying on your back with your feet pointed at the targets!

NOW HEAR THIS!! STEVE BENDER CAPTURED MATCH HIGH WITH A PERFECT SCORE OF 40!!!!!! This is the first and only time that feat has been done at LASC. Not only that, he did it standing with a scoped rifle firing at targets out to 100 meters. That, ladies and gentlemen, is some really tremendous marksmanship! Congratulations Steve, we are honored to have witnessed this feat.

As mentioned above, Steve Bender took match high and first place in rifle scoped. Second place was nailed by Marshall Maez with a 32 and Keith Dalrymple captured third with a 29. Cathy Laughlin was high woman with a 21 – rumor has it that she spotted for Steve and gets part of the credit for that 40! Other scoped rifle shooters included Debbie Morley with a 3 for her first time out, Chuck Swenson with a fine score of 27, old reliable Tom Feiertag with a 25 for high senior honors, Jon Sollid with a 10.

Rifle open sight honors were captured by Tom Hiteman, the lever action kid, with a great score of 31. Don Dudziak came out of retirement to shoot a 19 for second place. Don, what's your secret for a senior to still be able to shoot open sights? I can't even see the front sight and the target at the same time!

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Marshall's 4H kids are training for the 4H Nationals to be held this spring. The boss (Marshall) shot a great 29 for first place and set an example for the kids that old age and treachery can sometimes overcome youth and skill. We had a father-son shootoff for second and third place. Here youth won out with Enriquez Jaramillo besting dad Ben by 2 turkeys in the shootoff for 2nd place; Ben took 3rd. Both Jaramillos had score of 11 in the regular match. Enriquez score also got him high junior honors. Other pistol open sight shooters were Will Dalrymple (8), Charlotte Salazar (3), Micheal Smitz (3), Adelina Perraglio (1), Loren Smitz (4), and Lorean Bergsieker (5).

Both Joe Tesmer and TK Thompson tried the small animals. Joe had a 30 shooting in the small bore unlimited open sight class and TK had a 39 using a scoped small bore unlimited gun.

### April 14, 2007 Silhouette Match

We had 11 shooters turn out today. There were 8 long-gunners using scopes with none of their open sight brethren showing up. Pistoleers were represented by 3 stalwarts. There were 3 new sub-juniors trying their hands with the scoped rifles.

Old Reliable Steve Bender took first place in the scoped rifle category with a fine 37 followed by Gordon Foreman with a 29 for second place. Chuck Swenson was third with a 23. Debbie Morley was high woman with an 18. The older Morley brothers, Nathan and Nick, tied for first place in the sub-junior category with fine scores of 20 off the bench. Younger sibling Brad came in second with a 13. Other rifles scoped shooters included Tom Feiertag with a 20.

Joe Reynolds tried his hand with pistol open sights and took first place with an 8. Joe Tesmer did the trick standing with his single shot open sight contender for a great score of 30. TK (sprawled frog) Thompson got a 39 lying on his back shooting the small guys.

### PISTOL SCHEDULE

**1ST SAT-IDPA—8:00 AM**

**2ND SAT- 8:15 SILHOUETTE;**

**2ND SAT. 10:00 IPSC—ALL BERMS USED FOR IPSC PISTOL MATCH**

**3RD SAT- 9:00 COWBOY ACTION**

**(RERUN)**  
**THE NEW MEXICO SHOOTING SPORTS ASSOCIATION**  
**(NMSSA)**

The New Mexico Shooting Sports Association (NMSSA) is a New Mexico based organization supporting and working for the gun owners of New Mexico. Our members come from all areas and backgrounds. We currently have over 1,000 members statewide, and the number continues to grow, especially with the unpredictability of our laws governing gun issues.

NMSSA has always provided a unified voice for legislative issues including concealed carry, shooting range protection, and pre-emption of anti-gun legislation. We actively lobby with legislators to keep them informed concerning firearms and hunting legislation. Members are kept informed on what their local legislators are up to through our bi-monthly newsletter. In election years, NMSSA and the NRA rate state and local candidates on firearms issues and the results are published in NRA and NMSSA publications.

NMSSA is affiliated with the Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP), which supports the national need for a core of trained citizen marksmen. CMP also extensively sponsors junior marksmanship programs and other training classes. NMSSA sponsors formal firearms training at all levels. Several programs have been developed especially for youth and women. Youth training includes both gun safety training via the Eddie Eagle Program, classes, and competitions. For adults, NMSSA promotes formal and informal shooting enjoyment through statewide competitions and regional fun shoots. Other programs include Women on Target, and Refuse to be a Victim.

NMSSA coordinates with NRA instructors on NM Concealed Carry training classes. NMSSA is New Mexico's state affiliation for the National Rifle Association. NMSSA helps protect our state's constitutional firearms rights, promotes marksmanship and all shooting sports, promotes the conservation and wise use of New Mexico wildlife resources, and strives to create public sentiment supporting the individual possession of firearms by law-abiding citizens.

NMSSA does not maintain a shooting range. Rather, we support all the local shooting clubs and their ranges by providing financial donations and public service programs. All of our programs are designed to work with the local shooting ranges. We frequently sponsor shooting events at these local shooting ranges to promote NMSSA's objectives.

NMSSA publishes a bi-monthly newsletter that keeps members informed on firearms issues in New Mexico; including state legislation and politics, shooting match schedules and results, gun shows, club news, training classes, and other items of interest. NMSSA also has a website that is updated frequently to keep our members informed at any given moment. NMSSA uses our resources to insure that the law abiding citizens of the State of New Mexico are able to keep their 2nd Amendment rights. We need your help to ensure that NMSSA will be there to support you.

VISIT US AT [WWW.NMSSA.ORG](http://WWW.NMSSA.ORG)

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NEW MEXICO SHOOTING SPORTS ASSOCIATION, INC.  
Affiliated with the NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION (NRA) since 1935

One Year Annual Membership	\$16.00	Annual Senior, age 65+	\$12.00
Three Year Annual Membership	\$40.00	Life Membership	\$150.00
Five Year Annual Membership	\$65.00	Sr. Life Membership	\$75.00
Annual Junior, Under Age 19	\$ 5.00	Annual Club Affiliation	\$25.00

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_

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TYPE MEMBERSHIP APPLYING FOR \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

Do You Belong To a Club? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU AN NRA MEMBER? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Please make checks payable to New Mexico Shooting Sports Association  
Email questions to [NMSSAMEMBERSHIPS@hotmail.com](mailto:NMSSAMEMBERSHIPS@hotmail.com)

RETURN TO THE MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY

Ken Laintz, NMSSA membership secretary, PO Box 753, Los Alamos, NM 87544

WE'RE ON THE WEB! [www.nmssa.org](http://www.nmssa.org)

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Shooting Event \_\_\_\_\_

NMSSA Member \_\_\_\_\_

Video Simulators

The current generation of video simulators, recently on display at the International Law Enforcement Educators and Trainers Association (ILEETA) Conference, exhibited an impressive and ever-increasing level of electronic sophistication. Conditional branching and verbal interaction are now standard. Prop pistols, rifles, and shotguns function realistically and no longer have tethers. Batons, Tasers, flashlights, and OC are all now optionally integrated into scenarios, and sound systems are vastly improved, providing enhanced realism and scenario immersion.

The downside with all current systems is still the fact that action is limited to a relatively small screen in front of participants, and they are thus not compelled to look all around, look up and down, move more than short distances, or turn to face threats coming from the side or the rear.

Randy Revling and his colleagues at Northeast Wisconsin Technical College in Green Bay, WI, have effectively addressed these shortcomings by integrating physical roll playing into video-simulation training. It is an idea I wish I'd thought of! Tony Blauer and his crew demonstrated this idea at the Conference by inviting four video simulator manufacturers to participate in a round-robin presentation, where students were compelled to interact with live actors (coming in from the sides and rear) as video scenarios played out on the screen. During the session, students had to deal with several developing circumstances, from all angles, simultaneously.

It struck me that this is an excellent enhancement of video simulation training and one we all need to adopt and make standard. Until all video simulators adopt an IMAX format, Tony's idea will be the next-best thing!

Something else struck me as I watched students going through this training: Of all video simulator manufacturers, FATS and CAPS are the ones most closely associated with American policing. Their scenarios are realistic and reasoned.

Conversely, systems manufactured in Asia, Europe and elsewhere, though electronically sophisticated, displayed obvious cultural gaffs. The problem is that Asians and Europeans know nothing about guns or shooting, and their scenarios are heavily influenced by American movies and television, to which they mistakenly looked for verity. For example, we see criminals, upon being shot, flying into the air and landing on the deck ten feet distant. At the beginning of each video scenario, script on the screen reminds students to "Load your weapon," as if weapons were unloaded up until that point! And, at the end of the scenario, we are admonished to "Make your weapon safe" (as if that were possible!). They apparently believe all police weapons should be immediately unloaded after the presumed last round is fired, while gun smoke still hangs in the air!

It is painfully obvious that Europeans believe there is no such thing as legitimate self-defense, that police officers are expendable, and that violent criminals should never be shot under any circumstances. That naive philosophy is betrayed in, of all places, video trainers marketed to American police!

FATS and CAPS, while not perfect, still have the best scenarios for training American police.

I particularly like Dave Young's CAPS System, because it is designed for use with live fire. However, we cannot, of course, integrate live fire with roll-playing.

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John Vicki  
**FARNAM FARNAM**

Tactical Treatment of Gunshot Wounds 6 July 2007  
Basic/Intermediate Defensive Handgun 7 & 8 July 2007

John Farnam and Vicki Farnam have regularly been training select units of the United States Marine Corps to prepare them for deployment to the Middle East. So, you'd better believe that they're up to date on the latest handgun, urban rifle and shotgun tactics.

These fast-paced defensive shooting courses offer the responsible firearm owner the opportunity to learn how to properly and safely carry and use a firearm and to understand the laws regarding the use of lethal force for personal protection.

Tactical training is conducted in a realistic manner, stressing weapon control, correct use of cover, movement, challenges, and other important individual tactics including the management of close and extremely close encounters.

Basic/Intermediate Defensive Handgun: Two full days of training, including classroom lecture and demonstration and extensive live-fire exercises on the range.

This course has been approved by the New Mexico DPS for Concealed Handgun License qualification.  
\$495.

Tactical Treatment of Gunshot Wounds: One day of training including classroom lecture and demonstration, realistic emergency exercises, and live-fire exercises on the range.  
\$285.

Course information: [www.frankp.us](http://www.frankp.us)

John Farnam, president of Defense Training International, Inc., conducts instructional courses in defensive firearms for police departments, the military, civilian groups and others throughout the US and overseas.

DTI is on the web at <http://www.defense-training.com>.

CLASSIFIED ADS

**Wanted S&W Model 19 (19-3) with 2 1/2" (3") barrel and round butt. Please call Mike Dempsey 412-2505.**

**For Sale: Taurus .45 Star Tracker, five shot, 2" barrel. Owners manual, case, and 4 moon clips. About 50 rounds through it. Dave 662-7593 leave message.**

I've set up the email address [classifiedads@la-sc.org](mailto:classifiedads@la-sc.org). Feel free to send a test message to it, you should get an automatic response. Each month when the Bulletin editor/Art solicits material for the Bulletin I will collate the submissions and send it to him.

We have a policy page—see the Classified Ads page on the website. In summary, ads must be appropriate (shooting- and archery-related items only), eligibility (members only), content (no photos but URLs fine), editorial license (space is at a premium--we reserve the right to redact; we reserve the right to reject; because this is a free service publication cannot be absolutely guaranteed), and whatever else is deemed appropriate.

Our hope is that though these bulletin ads won't have the persistence of the former on-line ads, they'll get more readership.

Here's what the autoresponder currently sends.  
Hello from LASC Classified Ads,

We have received your correspondence. It will be reviewed before the submission deadline for the next LASC Bulletin, and if the content is appropriate we will do our best to publish it in the Bulletin.

Please note that because this is a free service, because of space constraints publication cannot be absolutely guaranteed. Submissions will be prioritized by the order in which they were received.

Note also that each submission will be published only once. If you do not sell your item (or satisfy your "Wanted" or other solicitation) you must resubmit it to get it published again.

Thank you for your interest in LASC.

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## Cowboy Action Shooters

May 2007

Beau Legg

In May the Cowboy Action Shooters fired 1150 cartridges during 4 stages using single action revolvers, lever and pump action rifles, and shotguns. We defended our cabin from attacking hostiles, and we shot up a saloon after losing the ranch's payroll in a crooked poker game. Shooters, in winning order, were Hank Holiday, Beau Legg, Doc Redneck, Digger Bob, Vaquero Viejo, Sand Branch, Santa Fe Kid, Buck Silverfeather, Blaine K. Check, Oak Ridge Kid, Flat Boat, Slick McVarmit, Ponka Cowboy. Basin Sam joined us also!

Newcomers are welcome at our third Saturday match. Plan to observe the match to learn the rules and routine, but not shoot your first time, and then stay afterward for personal gun familiarization-training using either your or the match director's guns. Be sure to bring eye protection with side shields, as we shoot steel plates at close range. International rules are posted at [www.sassnet.com/Shooters-Handbook-001A.php](http://www.sassnet.com/Shooters-Handbook-001A.php)

## LOST AND FOUND

**Found a Beretta semi-auto 12ga at the trap range today. If it is your shotgun,, contact Joe at 412-9008.**

## Los Alamos Sportsmen's Club Board Meeting Minutes

May 2007

LASC Homepage: <http://www.la-sc.org>

### **Presidents Report:**

Clean up day was a success but membership turnout was below what was expected. New volunteer program is up and running with many projects complete and underway. Volunteer time worked at the club can be counted by the LANL Volunteer program. Phone in the clubhouse is fixed.

### **Vice President Report:**

No new items to report. Discussion was held on if a second banner was needed for the gun show. Majority thought that it was not needed. Ted is looking to pull the permits to post banner for the fall gun show.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

We are looking good with membership money still coming in.

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## **At Large:**

Marv: Working to get the write up from NMF&G for the workshop that they held at the range. Also working to get a letter from the Boy Scouts for their use of the range. ¾ of the memberships are in, which is a higher number than last year at this time. The cleanup date saw the spending of \$650 for supplies. About 50 members of the 650 in the club showed up to help clean up and repair the range. Members worked a total of 200 hours for the day. We would like to thank all that came out to help, and we are sorry most of the members missed an opportunity to work with and meet the fine members in the club and get credit for the volunteer program. Some of the projects completed were:

Cleaned out bullet trap in club house and melted the lead down to be recycled and sold.

Downed trees on the pistol range were cut up and remove or stacked up.

Bathrooms cleaned

M1 Garand rifles cleaned and serviced.

Pavilion painted

Old outhouses tore down and removed.

New angle iron target holders put on two lines in the silhouette range.

Trap and skeet range cleaned and repaired.

Please go to the website to read about the volunteer program.

Mel: Attended the planning meeting for developing space in the county. Most people want Rendija Canyon left as an open space recreational area. No plans in the works to develop the canyon for residential or commercial use.

Will: Rented the school and tables for the gun show that is September 15 and 16.

## **Section Reports:**

Rifle: Range cleaned up but no weed cutting due to not enough volunteers on the cleanup day.

Archery: Doug Aikens repainted all the markers on the walk/stalk range. Areas were raked and cleaned during cleanup day. Two old out houses were removed and taken to the dump. Trees behind the pavilion need to be cut.

Pistol: 10 new target stands were built. Doors and frames repaired for the combat shooting stations. Changed the plates on the .22 rack. Raked and cleaned the grounds, and emptied the trash drums.

Shotgun: Houses and doors painted. Moved 80 cases of targets to the sheds. Old 5 stand sporting clay hauled away.

## **New Business:**

Cub Scouts to use the pavilion area June 6,7, and 8<sup>th</sup> for day activities during District day camp.

Becoming an Outdoor Women Program, it was voted to give two one year family memberships to their silent auction as a fund raiser for the program to be given out at the event this year. Motion passed.

A statement is to be put in the newsletter that the combination is not to be written on the gates into the club.

## LOS ALAMOS SPORTSMEN'S CLUB NRA CERTIFIED INSTRUCTORS

The following is a partial list of LASC NRA Certified Instructors who have agreed to be available to help LASC members who are new to the shooting sports and want to improve and develop their shooting skills. While these club members have agreed to be available without charge to help fellow club members on a casual basis, please respect their time and schedules. They are not obligated to any particular schedule or number of hours, etc. Please contact them individually to work out meeting times and availability. Please be nice to them as they are volunteering their time at no cost for your benefit. We expect this list to grow in the coming months and years!

Note: RSO is Range Safety Officer

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**THE BULLETIN**

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The Bulletin is sent to all life, annual and junior dues paying members of the association.

The editorials and articles appearing in the publication reflect the differing views present among sportsmen and gun owners, and do not necessarily reflect the views of the publisher or editors.

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All material should be sent to the editor just after the monthly Board Meeting (by the following Saturday pm). Photographs can be returned with prior approval from the Editor. Publication of the material will be subject to the Editor's discretion.

## LASC MEMBERSHIP FEES

Memberships are annual (April 1- March 31). Family membership fee covers all individuals in the household. Visitor membership runs 3 months (June 1- August 31). Your NRA membership number is required to receive the NRA membership rate.

Both new and renewing members may download the appropriate form from the LASC website, <http://www.la-sc.org>, or call 662-1484.

Member Category	4/1/07 – 3/31/08	
	NRA rate	Non-NRA rate
Adult single membership	\$72.00	\$84.00
Family membership	\$84.00	\$96.00

### E-MAIL CHANGE???????

If you change your email address and receive your Bulletin by e-mail it is **your** responsibility to contact us at [news@lascbulletin.com](mailto:news@lascbulletin.com) to make a change. Send an e-mail with your name, old e-mail address and new e-mail address and **be sure to say it's for the e-BULLETIN!**

## GENERAL RANGE RULES LOS ALAMOS SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

1. Always treat every firearm as if it were loaded.
2. Never point a firearm at anything that you do not want to destroy. Keep the muzzle pointed down range at all times.
3. All firearms will be unloaded and made safe before anyone goes forward of the firing line. No firearms will be handled while anyone is down range.
4. Firearms may be loaded only when the shooter is on the firing line.
5. Know what your target is and what is behind your target before you shoot.
6. Keep your finger off the trigger until your sights are on the target.
7. Anyone on the range, whether shooter, observer, or instructor, has the authority to call for a "CEASE FIRE" if they observe an unsafe act or condition.
8. Alcohol is prohibited on all firing ranges. No person will be permitted to shoot on any range if impaired by drugs or alcohol.
9. Eye and ear protection is mandatory during firing.
10. Live ammunition must not be discarded on the range or in the trash.
11. Glass and pyrotechnic targets are prohibited.
12. Tracer, incendiary, and armor piercing ammunition is prohibited.
13. Event-specific rules may be adopted for LASC sanctioned events.

## SPORTSMEN'S CLUB RANGE SCHEDULE

	INDOOR	OUTDOOR
<b>SUNDAY</b>		9 AM – Skeet Practice; 10 AM – Trap Practice 11 AM—5 Stand; 1st Sun –8:30 AM High Power Rifle; 2nd Sunday John C. Garand Matches, except in October, it's 3rd Sunday and in December it's the 1st Sunday. 1st Sunday in May—Jr. High Power Match
<b>MONDAY</b>		
<b>TUESDAY</b>	5:30—8:00 4H	10 AM Trap
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		
<b>THURSDAY</b>		9 AM—Skeet; 5 PM 5 Stand Sporting Clays
<b>FRIDAY</b>		
<b>SATURDAY</b>		9-11 AM – Skeet Practice. 1st Sat—8 AM IDPA 2nd Sat– 8:15 AM Silhouette; 2nd Sat. 10 AM IPSC—All berms used for IPSC Pistol Match : 3rd Sat- 9 AM Cowboy Action

The **Indoor Range** is open to any member who has obtained a key from. It is limited to Archery, Smallbore Rifle, and Pistols “(Under 2200 fps). **Turn off heat and lights!** The **outdoor Ranges** are open from **8:00 AM till Sunset**. **Please observe these hours to avoid offending our neighbors.** Users must follow posted safety rules. Ranges may be closed for special events or matches. The scheduled section has first priority during their times, but can allow other activities, if practical.

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