

MID-CAROLINA RIFLE CLUB PO BOX 2528 COLUMBIA, SC 29202-2528

NEXT MEETING: Monday, June 13, 2022, 6:30 PM at Murray's in Edenwood Plaza.

Reminder #1: Membership renewals are due <u>60 days</u> before your membership expires. You cannot renew by EMAIL.

Reminder #2: Get your STEEL Targets approved for use at the range. All steel targets must be approved by the CRO.

Matches and upcoming events schedule

Cowboy Action – Palmetto Posse	1st Saturday	9:00am
Small bore Rifle	1st Saturday	9:00am
NRA Light Rifle	1st Sunday	9:00am
USPSA (IPSC) Practical Pistol	2 nd Saturday	9:00am
NRA High Power Rifle	2 nd Sunday	9:00am
NCOWS	2 nd Sunday &	9:45am
(no match 2 nd Sunday in November)	5 th Saturday	
MCRC Meeting at Murray's	2 nd Monday	6:30pm
MCRC Meeting at Murray's Precision Pistol (Feb – Nov)	2 nd Monday 3 rd Saturday	•
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Precision Pistol (Feb – Nov)	3 rd Saturday	9:00am
Precision Pistol (Feb – Nov) Steel Challenge	3 rd Saturday 3 rd Saturday	9:00am 10:00am
Precision Pistol (Feb – Nov) Steel Challenge Metallic Rifle Silhouette	3 rd Saturday 3 rd Saturday 3 rd Saturday	9:00am 10:00am 11:00am

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Appleseed clinic October 1-2, 2022

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Dues payments may be made at the meetings or mailed to P.O. Box 2528, Columbia, SC 29202-2528. If you have questions about dues, please contact Treasurer Patten Watson at 803-463-6533 or email duck.tail@yahoo.com.

Report apparent violations of range rules or unsafe or discourteous behavior, with vehicle license tag numbers, to club President Roy Mullis for investigation. If you want the club to continue operation, members must be self-policing in this manner.

Minutes - May, 2022

There were thirty-nine (39) members and guests in attendance:

Roy Mullis	Linda Chico	Rhonda Metz	Derrick Hernandez
Charles Schenck	Jim Shaw	Edgar Nelson	Julie Holling
Richard Byars	Sam Senich	Gail Plath	Henry Schlein
Eric Wright	Richard Boyd	Don Guevara	Wesley Bommer
Bob Molchan	Paul Slifkin	Duane Hogue	Hoy Edgell
Darlene Edgell	Wayne Corley	Michael Wingard	Brad Amick
Mike Phillips	Steven Phillips	William Richardson	Debroah Easterling
Robert Marcotulli	Kim Wales	George Henderson	Kenneth?
?	Jeff Howell	Scott Johnson	Mark Jebers
Ed Sharp	Bob Furnald	Charley Francis	

Roy Mullis called the meeting to order and led the club in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. He also led the club in a prayer. The minutes from the last meeting were approved by voice vote.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Roy Mullis, <u>roym788@gmail.com</u>, 803-360-1490 Roy Mullis reported.

Very little to report today. There has been an uptick in the number of members using the range this month. This is good. Shooting is a perishable skill. Ammunition prices are retreating some. Walmart near the range got a shipment of Federal 12 gauge ammo in 100 round boxes that they are selling for \$29.00 a box, which means 29 cents per round. Lowest I've seen in a long time.

On the other hand there has been a substantial drop in classes. Instructors report less reservations and more no shows for already scheduled classes.

There has been an increase in range violations. Although minor. You would think that these violations would be among newer members who have not got all the rules down but I'm finding members who have been here for years are making mistakes. All our members need to review the rules. Situations change, rules have to be amended.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Linda Chico, <u>lchico@sc.rr.com</u>, 803-629-7095. Linda Chico reported.

Our website is set up using WordPress instead of the standard HTML, which makes it easier to add applications to the website like a booking calendar that our CWP instructors can use to schedule classes and range time. I would like somebody from the club to help me select and test calendar applications in WordPress. This does not require any special skill with computers. Anyone who is comfortable selecting applications in Google Play Store or in the Apple App Store would be able to handle the work I need done. Contact Linda Chico at LChico@sc.rr.com or 803-629-7095 if you can help.

Please remember to contact me by phone, email or text message if you have questions about your membership (renewals, credits, forms needed, etc). If you cannot get the renewal to print, contact me. And Roy always has hard copies available at the range. We both bring extra copies to the meeting.

REMEMBER * * Renewals should be sent in 60 days via postal mail before your membership expires and prior to the meeting to allow all of the information to be processed. You will know you have successfully completed renewal once you get a new membership card. Please do not call or email Patten asking about the status of your renewal if you only sent it a week or two earlier. If you are using an Apple mobile device to complete a renewal form, you may need to install an Adobe Forms App (available free in the App Store).

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Rhonda Metz, <u>secretary@midcarolinarifleclub.com</u>, 803-315-5576. Rhonda Metz reported.

If there are any changes or corrections to the newsletter, please bring them to my attention. The sign in sheets by the door are for everyone in attendance. This does include those wanting to join the club tonight. PLEASE print your name so that I can read it. Thank you!

TREASURER'S REPORT: Pattern Watson, <u>duck.tail@yahoo.com</u>, 803-463-6533. No report.

Renewals are not processed overnight. The process of going into 4 club programs and the mailing just takes time. It is done in batches to avoid errors and to be less time consuming. When renewals are received, the gate program is opened and your renewal in that program is processed. Then deposits are taken to the bank. We ask that renewals be sent in early. The start of the month when the membership expires would be timely.

When your actual time comes up for renewal, the renewals received and previously processed through the gate program are processed in the membership program and the gate card program. The renewed card is not sent out until about the time of your expiration of the current card.

All this allows time for the checks to process and bad checks to drop out. Things do happen and we have an un-ordinarily low number of bad checks. And those we receive are always cleared up almost immediately.

DO NOT SEND CASH for renewals unless hand delivered to a meeting or to Roy at the range or to me personally. A stack of \$20s is suspicious and someone else may decide they need it. PLEASE DO NOT SEND CERTIFIED MAIL TO BE SIGNED FOR. That is usually an hour wait at the Post Office.

Patten is a CPA in SC. If you would like to have more information regarding our finances, please contact him (after the latest IRS deadline if possible).

CRO/RANGE MAINTENANCE REPORT: CRO: Kim Wales <u>walesk3@gmail.com</u> 803-760-3670 Range Maintenance: Julie Holling, <u>jwholling@bellsouth.net</u>, 803-755-7397. No report.

COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING - Palmetto Posse: Charles Fortner <u>cffortner@yahoo.com</u> 803-603-2278.

No report.

The Palmetto Posse is a Cowboy Action club that shoots every first Saturday in the Jeff Cooper bays matches start with a safety meeting at 9:30 am. Then we'll start shooting around 10:00 am. And finish around 1:30 pm. After the match we head to Murray's for lunch.

SMALLBORE PRONE RIFLE Richard Byers, <u>mcrcsmallbore@gmail.com</u>, 803-240-9678. Richard Byers reported.

We had 6 people show up for a fun and very competitive match. We had 4 sling shooters and 2 F-Class.

While it was very windy and twitchy we had some very good scores. After the first two targets the top three Sling shooters were only one point apart with Mike Garrett and Josh "The Junior" Aycock both being clean. The F-class competitors were also only one point apart.

After two more targets Josh pulled ahead and was still clean. But the top three were still only three points apart. In F-Class Robert Herstine pulled ahead and remained in the lead to be the top F-Class competitor.

The sling class wasn't decided until the last target. After the second to last target Josh was in the lead with a 998, Mike and I were tied with 996. But then there was the last target. On the last target Mike and I both cleaned the last target and Josh dropped three points. The Final results were;

Sling Mike Garrett - 1196.91X Richard Byars - 1196.80X Josh Aycock - 1195.81X

F-Class Robert Herstine - 1186.64X Ken Aycock - 1176.69X

Our next match will be on June 4 and will be an any sight match on metric targets.

NRA LIGHT RIFLE: Robert Shaffner, <u>Robert_shaffner@yahoo.com</u>, 330-409-3799. No report.

USPSA-IPSC PISTOL: Mike Wingard, mhw_uspsa@yahoo.com, 803-521-0886; Derrick Hernandez, rangeraa45@gmail.com, 910-580-8343; or Joe Magagnoli, jcm331@gmail.com, 610-509-7627. No report.

The usual USPSA – IPSC matches are held the second Saturday of each month. We are using online registration which starts the Monday prior to the match. Contact Linda Chico at LChico@sc.rr.com to add your name to the notification list. Sign in at the range starts at 9:30 am. Shooting starts at 10:00 am. (Winter Hours) Juniors are free. New shooters are half price (\$11). Set-up for the match is on the preceding day on Friday afternoon. If you are interested in coming out and trying a shooting sport that involves running and gunning, you can start with very nearly any centerfire pistol if you have enough magazines for it.

NRA HIGH POWER RIFLE: Scott Johnson, <u>scottjohnson641@gmail.com</u>. Scott Johnson reported.

Last match was May 8th. We had 9 shooters. Match winner was Dan Helwig firing a 485-11X.

NATIONAL CONGRESS OF OLD WEST SHOOTISTS (NCOWS): Henry Schlein, henryschlein@yahoo.com, 843-821-9999 or Richard Boyd, Assistant Match Director, okbuckshot@comporium.net, 405-206-3314.— South Carolina Old West Shootists Association of NCOWS SC OldWestShootists@yahoo.com Henry Schlein reported.

Hope everyone had a good Mothers Day weekend. Although the match for this past weekend, May 8th, was postponed, here are the results from the Michael "Capt. JEB Forrest" Fischer Memorial Match, of April 30, 2022.

We had a total of 13 attendees at the match, including several juniors, one of whom was our youngest posse member, Frank James Henry, age 4. The match consisted of 2 main stages authored by Youghiogheny Kid, based on actual Old West events, plus an additional bonus stage, compliments of Cheyenne Jim, based on Old West period marksmanship contests. We also had a return of our Hanging Man donated by OO and re-framed by James L. Henry, which made a debut for testing purposes.

The match was shortened, with less stages, because the planned picnic luncheon and the food was all put out and waiting, by about the time the match ended. The menu included assorted sub sandwiches, potato salad, coleslaw, shrimp salad, macaroni salad, chips, cookies, pop, Gatorade, bottled water, Cowboy coffee, assorted sweet rolls, and if you didn't get hungry reading this, your appetite might be a little off. Thanks to everyone who contributed.

The shooting portion of the match had 7 participants with 2 clean shooters. The results are as follows:

- 4-Gun Smokeless Shootist Parker Palomino, 134.07
- 4-Gun Black Powder Shootist Manassas, 1st Place, 83.61

4-Gun Double Duelist - Doc Who, 95.84
3-Gun Black Powder Duelist - Cheyenne Jim, 1st Place, 109.92
2-Gun Working Cowboy - MoonShine, 1st Place, 58.09 <u>CLEAN</u>
Deputy Sheriff (2 pistols) - J. P. Hara, 51.11
Town Marshal - Sgt. R. Henry, 1st Place, 83.61 <u>CLEAN</u>

Our next match will be June 12, 2022 which will be the second Sunday of next month. Please mark your calendars and try to bring a family member or guest, to shoot with us, or just to observe.

I hope everyone will remember that it is not necessary to have 4 guns, to shoot a match; under our local posse rules, you can shoot the match with even just one single gun.

Our matches are normally held on the second Sunday of each month (except November) and on the 5th Saturday of such months in which they occur. Match fees are \$15.00, \$10.00 for accompanying family members, no charge for age 12 and under. Please come and check us out; or better yet, come join in the fun. We are a very friendly, family friendly group. New shooters and beginners are welcome. Coffee, donuts, sweet rolls, bottled water and Gatorade are provided at most matches.

The National Congress of Old West Shootists (NCOWS) was founded in 1994 to promote safe Western Action Shooting including the re-enactment and promotion of the historical Old West heritage of the United States during the period 1865 to 1899. NCOWS members enjoy Western Action Shoots which are timed shooting matches in which shooters compete in a series of different shooting scenarios, called stages. Participants are attired in period correct, Old West style clothing and use firearms typical of the guns used in the Old West.

The South Carolina Old West Shootists is a charter posse (club) of NCOWS and the Mid-Carolina Rifle Club. NCOWS is comprised of many such posses throughout the United States, which hold their own matches and events using NCOWS guidelines. There are also periodic, national and regional matches and events. Safety is emphasized during all NCOWS events, both on and off the range. Loading, shooting, and unloading of guns, is closely structured in accordance with NCOWS and local safety rules. Typically, only one participant at a time will shoot during a match. Juniors and new shooters may be coached or supervised by a guardian or other experienced member, as the case may be.

NCOWS uses rules similar to SASS Cowboy matches, although NCOWS pays greater attention to historical accuracy concerning our guns, clothing and equipment, and more emphasis is placed on marksmanship. New participants are given generous allowances of leniency with the former, since it may take a long time to acquire the proper guns, clothing and accoutrements. Gun carts are optional, rifle racks are provided. We shoot in 2, 3 and 4-gun classes. Generally, any pre-1900 pistol, rifle in pistol caliber, and/or shotgun may be used, either originals in serviceable condition or reproductions. We shoot smokeless and black powder categories. There is no overall winner in NCOWS matches; each category is judged independently. Prospective members are advised to not go out and buy any cowboy guns or accoutrements without first coming to a match and meeting with more experienced members, in order to avoid spending good money on things that may not be NCOWS-legal.

PRECISION PISTOL: Mike Carr, <u>afvet53@netzero.net</u>, 803-408-0024. Roy Mullis read the report.

We had five shooters show up for our April 16th match. We had a little bit of rain but not as much as was predicted. Everyone had a good shoot and look forward to next month's match on May 21st. as always, the range looks good and everything works great. Next month!

STEEL CHALLENGE: Dennis Coggins, <u>damocles1234@hotmail.com</u>, 803-732-0663, Julie Holling, <u>jwholling@bellsouth.net</u>, 803-755-7397, or Lewis Hoover, <u>nomad_777@netzero.net</u>, 803-568-2976.

Julie Holling reported.

On April 16th, we had 19 shooters come out with 28 firearms to participate in Steel Challenge. More people signed up, but there was a good bit of rain in the forecast so 11 people dropped out. Fortunately, there was only some light rain to deal with. The shooters included 2 new shooters, and 2 ladies. Lee Rouse won Pistol Caliber Carbine Open in 60.82. Phillip Dedmon led Rimfire Pistol Open in 66.35. Chris Puza led Rimfire Rifle Open in 52.07. There were 2 shooters in Carry Optics and Single Stack divisions. There was 1 shooter in the Open, Production, Pistol Caliber Carbine Iron and Rimfire Pistol Iron divisions.

Our next match will be on May 21st_ We will be running 5 stages. Preregistration thru Practiscore.com is required. If you have problems with registering, please contact me. Anyone who is not a new shooter will be charged an extra \$5 to register at the range on match day. If you are interested in helping set up for the match and getting a \$15 discount on your match fee, you can help with set-up on Friday, the 15th starting at 5:00 pm. On Saturday, registration will start at the range at 9:15, ends at 9:50 and the match starts at 10:00.

Official Steel Challenge stages consists of 4-5 runs on 5 pieces of steel at set distances. Misses may be made up as long as it is done before hitting the "stop" plate, indicated by a red post. The longest string is tossed out and the remaining times are added together to get your stage time. Stage times are added together to get your match time. Occasionally, we run one unofficial stage during matches. Additional general information and stage diagrams may be found at https://scsa.orgi. Contact Dennis, Julie or Lewis if you have questions about our match.

METALLIC RIFLE SILHOUETTE: Mical Bowling <u>mical@blackwolfconsulting.com</u> (803-546-4742)

Roy Mullis read the report.

The monthly smallbore rifle silhouette match was held on Saturday the 16th of April. Because of an expected line of showers coming through right at the start time, the range was set up with a set of swingers so it would not be necessary to go down range in the rain to reset the targets. The entire match was held using only swingers and this did not seem to affect scores. While there was a steady light rain during the standard match the rain did stop prior to the hunter match.

Scott Lurie down from North Carolina won the standard match with a 33 while Mical won the hunter match with a very nice score of 35.

This discipline consists of shooting offhand at steel chickens, pigs, turkeys and rams at 40, 60, 77 and 100 yards respectively. If you would like to try it, we permit the use of any 22 LR rifle but require the use of standard velocity 22LR ammunition so as to limit any damage to the targets.

Because of the non contact nature of this sport we expect no interruptions in our match schedule. However participants should wear loose fitting gloves for handling of targets, spray cans, and rails.

On the third Saturday of each month, the smallbore rifle silhouette match begins promptly at 11:00 am. Set up starts around 9am with sight in and practice after set up is complete. The smallbore hunting rifle match usually begins around 12:30 after a short lunch break.

COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING - Savannah River Rangers: Joe Metz, <u>jrmetz45@gmail.com</u>, 803-960-3907 and Matthew Haulbrooks Rhonda Metz read the report.

April match was cancelled because it fell on Easter. Next match is May 15th. Registration begins at 8:30, Shooters Meeting at 9:30, shoot shortly after – we would love to have you come out and see what Cowboy Action is all about!

In Cowboy Action we shoot steel targets of various shapes, sizes and distances, it does not matter where on the target the bullet hits, it is ruled either a hit or miss. A miss adds 5 seconds to the shooters time, obviously we want to hit them "All" as quickly as possible! We typically shoot 6 stages with each stage having a different scenario consisting of differing number of targets, differing target arrangement, differing shooting locations and differing gun order. We shoot 4 guns on each stage, 2 revolvers, 1 lever action rifle and 1 shotgun. Usually 5 rounds from each revolver, 10 rounds from the rifle and 4 rounds from the shotgun for 24 rounds per stage for a total of 144 rounds per match. When we give the monthly report and list the number of clean shooters we had, that means each clean shooter shot all 144 rounds and hit each target in the correct order.

BLACK POWDER MUZZLELOADING: Jim Boyd, 1949jwb@gmail.com, 803-356-9504 or Sam Jones, samandsandy@yahoo.com, 803-794-5476.
Roy Mullis read the report.

Our match results were: Ken Dilley 1st, Jim Boyd 2nd; Sam Jones 3rd. The May match is 5/28. Everyone welcome.

IDPA: Mike Phillips <u>IDPAatMCRC@gmail.com</u>, 803-530-9135 or Don Rawls <u>dcrawls@live.com</u> Mike Phillips reported.

We had 27 shooters come to our April 23rd match at MCRC. Weather was clear, high temp was 80 degrees. 5 stages, including one Standards stage.

Stages and skills involved-

Stage One: Shooting from retention, shooting cut-down targets (reduced size) and a kick door with pop up disappearing target. May have been completed without a reload for SSP shooters.

Stage 2: Shooting while seated, gun in briefcase, new flop up prop.

Stage 3: Standards, shooting from 5 positions behind barrels, 10-15 yards.

Stage 4: Downloaded start, briefcase in hand, shooting while moving, backing up, swinger target.

Stage 5: Cell phone start, shooting with strong hand only, short distances clearing hall and rooms 3

rounds each target.

Winners of each class and their division:

High Master: Tim Fritz (Compact Carry Pistol)

High Expert: Bob Bailey (Carry Optics) (also overall match winner)

High Sharpshooter: John Hatch (Stock Service Pistol)

High Marksman: Rick Walker (Carry Optics)

High Novice: Stevie Phillips (SSP) High Unclassified: Zack Christie (SSP)

Most Accurate Shooter: Rick Walker (8 down for the match, excellent)

Honorable Mention: We had 7 new shooters attend. I hope you guys (and gal) enjoyed it and please come back and shoot with us again.

The match was run under the new IDPA rulebook, not many changes, but as expected a slight uptick in the number of SSP shooters. Had one shooter that was assessed a procedural penalty for appearing to step beyond a fault line, but he quickly pointed out the fault line was an illegal 2' length. Procedural penalty was promptly removed. Keep in mind we are all still learning the new rules and having to adjust our existing props accordingly.

Setup Crew: Mike Phillips, Don Rawls, Geraldo Cruzado. We need help with setup if we are to continue to hold fun, interesting, and challenging stages (I assure you that is our goal). The match directors are considering pulling everything out into the bays on Friday and letting shooters build the stages on Saturday morning. It worked pretty good at this match but delayed our start time by 30 minutes. The "new" flop up prop we pulled out seemed to work okay, we will try and implement it into some other matches.

Next match will be Saturday May 28, 2022. Please come join us. Spread the word and bring someone with you!

Comments are appreciated below if you are viewing this on our Facebook page IDPA at MCRC. Or at our e-mail address idpaatmcrc@gmail.com. [submitted by CMD Don Rawls]

JUNIORS: Charley Francis, <u>cfrancis@ftc-i.net</u>, 803-469-4584 Charley Francis reported.

Soliciting youth groups for those interested in the program.

If you work with a youth organization and are interested in having them participate in a shooting education program, please contact me.

The Juniors program is for those 8 to 18 and is designed to teach safety, responsibility, and basic marksmanship. The program uses air rifles for training and provides an entry into the rifle and pistol disciplines.

The basic orientation course consists of ten hours of instruction, both classroom and shooting. Instructors work with the participants though the course, teaching the basics and offering help and advice as the participant progresses. There is no set "score" to pass the orientation course. Safety is the primary focus, along with basic marksmanship skills. There is no cost for the orientation program: MCRC provides the rifles, ammunition, eye and ear protection, targets, and training materials.

CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM: This position needs to be filled.

LEGISLATIVE LIAISON: Kevin Krist, <u>kevin_krist@yahoo.com</u>, No report.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

Julie Holling requested the Qualifying Bay for November 19, 2022. Approved by voice vote. Duane Hogue requested the Rimfire Bay for November 12, 2022. Approved by voice vote.

NEW MEMBERS:

Charlie Earp, IV, and Paul Slifkin.

There was no further business & the club adjourned the monthly meeting.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help set up the Friday before the USPSA, IDPA, and Steel Challenge matches. The match directors would welcome any assistance. You do not have to be a participant in the match to help. Contact one of the match directors in this newsletter and volunteer to help.

METAL TARGET STANDS can be ordered from Roy Mullis. Contact Roy at 803-360-1490 or by email at president@midcarolinarifleclub.com.

Information on CWP Classes, Shooting Instruction, and Services:

APPLESEED RIFLE CLINIC: Duane Hogue <u>SC@appleseedinfo.org</u> or <u>duane.fnp@outlook.com</u> Next event is October 1-2, 2022. Information and registration for upcoming events can be found at: https://appleseedinfo.org.

Project Appleseed is a non profit organization that continues to have clinics at MCRC and elsewhere in SC. Our 25 yard clinics are designed to teach shooters the fundamentals of rifle marksmanship and the fundamentals of Revolutionary War history. They are designed for shooters of all skill levels with the goal being able to shoot an expert score on the Appleseed Qualification Test and earning a Rifleman patch which prepares the shooter for one of our full distance clinics out to 500 yards.

Our upcoming events are July 09-10 At Newberry Rifle and Pistol club, MCRC OCT 01-02 and rimfire only NOV 12.

CLINIC REPORT FOR APR 23,24 MCRC: We had a large turnout of 17 shooters on Saturday including 4 youth under 18 and 4 Active Duty Navy members. 15 turned out on Sunday. We had 4 people score Expert on the AQT including 2 of the Navy Officers.

NRA INSTRUCTOR, ADVANCED CLASSES, & CWP: Paladin Services LLC is Joseph KATZ (NRA Training Counselor, SLED Certified CWP Instructor, and NRA Certified Advanced Pistol Instructor and Training Counselor) and Janet KATZ (NRA Training Counselor, SLED Certified CWP Instructor, and NRA Certified Advanced Pistol Instructor and Training Counselor), paladin@busman.com (803-783-0590).

NRA Pistol Instructor special course package: NRA Basic Instructor Training, NRA Pistol Instructor and CWP Instructor special course package on June 25-26, and September 25-26, 2022. The course qualifies instructors to teach the NRA Basics of Pistol Shooting and to apply to SLED for certification as SC CWP instructors. Instructor candidates must complete NRA Basics of Pistol Shooting student class before taking the NRA Pistol Instructor course.

NRA Rifle Instructor Training class offered May 20, 2023, for NRA instructors who have completed NRA Basic Rifle Shooting student class, NRA Basic Instructor Training and been certified in another discipline.

NRA Chief Range Safety Officer Training offered for NRA Certified Instructors who are also NRA Range Safety Officers Saturday, July 23, 2022.

NRA Personal Protection in the Home Instructor training will be offered October 29, 2022, for NRA Instructors who are certified NRA Pistol Instructors and have completed NRA Personal Protection in the Home student class.

NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home Instructor training will be offered November 26-27, 2022, for NRA Instructors who are certified NRA Pistol Instructors who have completed NRA Personal

Protection in the Home Instructor training and the NRA Personal Protection Outside the Home Basic and Advanced level student classes.

<u>Defensive Shotgun</u> course will help you learn how to protect your home and family using a basic shotgun and will be offered May 14, 2022.

<u>Home Defense</u> (NRA Personal Protection in the Home) class September 10, 2022, takes you beyond the CWP and handgun basics to help you develop strategies so you can protect yourself and your family from home invasion.

<u>Defensive Handgun 1</u> on October 15, and <u>Defensive Handgun 2</u> on November 12, 2022, to enhance your shooting skills and your ability to defend yourself while carrying concealed because the real world outside your home is infinitely more complex.

<u>Personal Training</u> is useful for both new shooters and experienced shooters to overcome fear of firearms or to hone your marksmanship skills. Scheduled by appointment on Friday afternoons from 1–3 or 3–5 p.m.

Go to the Paladin Services LLC website **http://paladin.busman.com** for detailed training information for advanced classes and personal training.

BULLETS BY SCARLETT, a locally owned business, specializes in reloading components: hard cast lead and Hi-Tek polymer coated bullets (projectiles) in dozens of calibers, weights, and profiles; Shooters World Powder (www.shootersworldsc.com); Federal Primers- Pistol (large and small), Shotshell and Large Rifle. Scarlett is a representative for Rugged Gear Gun carts (use code BU0770 for 10% discount on carts and accessories - online purchases only). www.bulletsbyscarlett.com

Scarlett's husband, Tommy, does custom molded ear protection - silicone ear plugs made on the spot (\$75), lab made silicone (\$110 and up), as well as a full line of digital ear plugs.

If you would like for Scarlett and Tommy to vend at your match, please contact her at <u>bulletsbyscarlett@gmail.com</u> or by phone 843-833-0770.

<u>SC CWP and Personal Firearm Training</u> – MCRC members family and friends are in invited to take classes for SC CWP and Firearms (Handgun & AR Style Rifles) Training from M-W Tactical during the time of September 16-20 and September 22-27. Please email <u>info@M-Wtactical.com</u> or call 803-250-1256 to get registered. Visit www.M-Wtactical.com for more information.

D@D Tactical CWP Class. Finger printing included @ no extra charge. Cost \$75.00. Contact Dennis Rybicki @ 803-315-2456 or visit the website ddtacticaltraining.com.