RED BRUSH RIFLE RANGE, INC.



January 2024 Newsletter

January MEETING

Thursday 4th

Board Meeting – 7:00 PM Club Member's Meeting – 7:30 PM

Education/Training Building at the Red Brush Range

RANGE ADDRESS

3299 West Eble Rd. Newburgh, IN 47630

www.redbrush.org

RANGE HOURS

Sun – Thu 6:00 AM – 10:30 PM

Fri – Sat 6:00 AM – 12:00 AM

UPCOMING RANGE EVENTS...

Red Brush Annual Auction Night

Friday, February 2, 2024 at 5:30 PM. See attached article.

AR-15 & 22 RF Match - Wed Jan 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Jason Short (812-455-3455) 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM (Weather permitting), 400 yd. Bay. 400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED for other shooting.**

IDPA Pistol – Sat Jan 6

Brad Eadens (270-854-4090) 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Bays 1, 2, 3, 5 & M.R.

Red Brush Steel – Sun Jan 14

Doug Kemmerer (see email below) Signup on <u>practiscore.com</u> Setup 7:00 AM, Registration 8:00 – 8:50 AM, Match 09:00 AM 6 stages and up to 2 guns per shooter. Cost is \$10.00 for the first gun and \$5.00 for the second gun. Bays 1,2,3,5,6,7 & M.R. & Shelter

Precision Rifle Challenge C.F. - Sun Jan 28

Adam Leonberger (redbrushprc@gmail.com)
Time: 7:30 Am to 3:00 PM at the 500 yd. Bay.
See Attached Flyer at the End of the Newsletter.
400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED**

FROM THE PRESIDENT, JOE LUTZ

Ladies and Gentlemen of Red Brush

With our **Member Appreciation Night and Auction** being earlier in February, please pay close attention to Jeff Webber's article below. I hope to see you there!

Respectfully Joe Lutz

MEMBER APPRECIATION NIGHT / AUCTION, JEFF WEBBER

Friday February 2nd at the National Guard Armory

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM FOR UNLOADING OF YOUR AUCTION ITEMS.

THIS EVENT IS FOR RED BRUSH MEMBERS, THEIR FAMILY OR ONE GUEST. THIS EVENT IS NOT OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

The format is the same as previous auctions. The food, snacks, and drinks are free. BBQ will be provided by Marx BBQ, and will be served beginning at 5:30 PM.

Auction Activities will start at 6:30 PM.

There will be two ways to sell your items. One is through the live auction. The other, for smaller, low-ticket items is through the silent auction venue. <u>Attached are forms</u> for labeling your items for the live auction and listing items for the silent auction.

This event is paid for through your donations to red brush by purchasing gun raffle tickets.

The Six Gun Raffle Packet contains six tickets for six guns with a bonus ticket for a separate, seventh gun drawing. The packet is available for a donation of \$50.00. **This year's bonus gun is a new stainless steel Colt Python.** A single ticket for the six-gun drawing is a donation of \$15.00. The bonus gun ticket is only available through the six-gun raffle packet.

Red Brush encourages everyone to attend to make this a successful event.

RED BRUSH GUN OF THE MONTH

Savage Action Bolt 7mm08
(stock photo)

Randy Hansen

Firearms provided by:

Mossberg 500 persuader in 12ga

(stock photo)

Winner of the Gun of the Month Raffle may choose either firearm! Tickets only \$10!

LOST AND FOUND

Members continue to leave items behind at the range, and other members are great about finding and reporting them to me.

Please notify me if you lose or leave something valuable at the range. The same goes for finding other member's items. Unfortunately, I get both calls (finding and losing), but very few that connect.

If you take possession of found property, it must be reported within 24 hours.

Contact Mike Maurer (812-490-0949 or <u>mikemaurer@astound.net</u>) or Joe Lutz (812-431-3672 or <u>joerlutz3@gmail.com</u>).

FROM THE CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM (CMP), MIKE RASCHE

The Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association is holding a Rimfire Sporter Indoor Matches on 1/28, 2/25 and 03/24 2024. The location of the range is: 2665 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN. Match Begins: 9:00AM.

For more information you may contact the match director: Kyle Kirschenmann at orsacmpgames@@gmail.com.

FROM THE RANGE OFFICER, FRANK FINDLEY

SIG SAUER AND HOSTER MANUFACTURERS ISSUE SAFETY NOTICES ON HOLSTERS DESIGNED FOR LIGHT-BEARING PISTOLS

Sig Sauer and several holster manufacturers have issued safety bulletins concerning holsters designed to carry light equipped firearms. Due to the wide opening of these holsters to accommodate mounted lights, fingers and other items may be able to touch the trigger while the pistols are in the holster. This has reportedly led to several unintended discharges of the holstered pistols. In some instances, the issue may occur if a holster designed for a light-bearing pistol is used with a pistol that does not have a compatible light attached.

The safety bulletin which contains important information on affected guns and holsters can be found here: https://www.sigsauer.com/blog/safety-bulletin-light-bearing-holsters-for-pistols. If you use a pistol with a mounted light or have a holster for a light-bearing pistol, you are highly encouraged to read this bulletin.

WINTER CLOTHING CAN MAKE MANIPULATING FIREARMS MORE DIFFICULT

With wintry weather comes layered clothing that can make firearms harder to use. Gloves can make it difficult to hold onto firearms and control trigger squeeze. Bulky coats can make it difficult to remove handguns from holsters and to properly shoulder long arms. Scarves and other loose items can get caught in firearm actions. Glasses can fog up lessoning vision. So please be aware of these hazards and take your time to ensure safe handling.

AREA GUN SHOWS

Newburgh Gun & Military Collectible Show

Saturday Jan 6, 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM Sunday Jan 7, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

American Legion Post 44 711 State St Newburgh, IN 47630

General: \$5.00 Children under 18: Free w/ Paid Adult

Ferdinand Gun & Knife Show

Saturday Jan 27, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Sunday Jan 28, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Ferdinand Community Center 1710 Community Dr Ferdinand, IN 47532

No Prices Listed

Henderson Gun Show

Saturday Jan 6, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Sunday Jan 7, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Lumber Yard Event Center 512 Barrett Blvd, Suite B Henderson, KY 42420

General Admission: \$10 Children \$4

Shelbyville Gun & Knife Show

Saturday Jan 27, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Sunday Jan 28, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Shelby County Fairgrounds 1513 Midland Trail Shelbyville, KY 40065

General Admission: \$10 Children \$4

^{**} Please confirm all dates and times of gun shows for yourself. Late changes do happen. **





AUCTION FORMS

Silent Auction Item

scribe Item(s)			
y Owner:			
Minimum Bid Accepted (If any) \$			
Bidder	Bid	Bidder	Bid
			

Live Auction Item Labels

Description:	
Owner:	
Min Bid (If Any) \$	
Description:	
Owner:	
Min Bid (If Any) \$	
Description:	
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RED BRUSH PRECISION RIFLE CHALLENGE

WHEN IS IT?
LAST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH

WHERE IS IT? 385- & 500-YARD RIFLE BAYS

WHAT IS IT?
ENGAGE STEEL STATIC AND
REACTIVE TARGETS FROM 200-510
YARDS – 100 ROUND COURSE OF
FIRE – ALL STAGES TIMED

NEW MOVING TARGET SYSTEM

SIGN IN AT 8:00am, ZERO RANGE FROM 8:15-8:45am, SAFETY BRIEF AT 8:45, FIRST ROUNDS DOWN RANGE AT 9:00am

REGISTRATION / WEB ADDRESS

WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/GROUPS/REDBRUSHPRCS

<u>WWW.PRACTISCORE.COM</u> (SEARCH FOR RED BRUSH USING THE LONG RANGE RIFLE FILTER TOGGLE)

MATCH FEE

\$20 FOR MEMBERS \$30 FOR NON-MEMBERS

EQUIPMENT

ANY RIFLE BETWEEN .223 & .30 CALIBER – MAX. 3200 FPS, NO MAGNUM CALIBERS – 10 ROUND MAGAZINES NECESSARY FOR MOST STAGES

AWARDS

- -TROPHIES TO TOP 5
 OVERALL
- -SEASON POINTS RACE

-END OF SEASON FINALE WITH BANQUET AND PRIZE TABLE

STYLE

50% PRONE OR MODIFIED PRONE FROM A BIPOD AND REAR BAG

50% POSITIONAL FROM VARIOUS PROPS SUCH AS BARRICADES, CATTLE GATES, TIRES, ROOFTOPS, ETC.

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