

RED BRUSH RIFLE RANGE, INC.



November 2024 Newsletter

November MEETING

Thursday the 7th

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...

IDPA Pistol – Fri Nov 1, Sat Nov 2

Brad Eadens (270-854-4090)

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM, All Pistol Bays are Closed.

Annual Full Auto Pumpkin Shoot – Sun Nov 3

9:00AM - 5:00 PM, Bay 2

Practical 2 Gun Match – Sun Nov 3

12:00AM - 5:00 PM, Bays 3 & 4

500 Yard open day for Members – Nov 4, 15

Eric Craig (ecraig0763@aol.com)

7:30 AM to 11:30 AM. ([see below article](#))

400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED for other shooting.**

AR-15 & 22 RF Match – Wed Nov 6, 13, 20, 27

Jason Short (812-455-3455)

5:00 PM – 8:00 PM (Weather permitting), 400 yd. Bay.

400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED for other shooting.**

Red Brush Steel – Sun Nov 10

Doug Kemmerer (dkemmerer1192@gmail.com) Signup on practiscore.com

Setup 8:00 AM, Registration 9:00 – 9:50 AM, Match 10:00 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

Revere Riders– Sat/Sun Nov 23, 24

Ben Swartz (812-459-5097) ([see below article](#))

Time: 7:00 Am to 5:00 PM at Bay 4.

Precision Rifle Challenge C.F. – Sun Nov 24

Adam Leonberger (redbrushprc@gmail.com)

Time: 7:30 Am to 3:00 PM at the 500 yd. Bay.

400 yd. Rifle Bay **CLOSED**

Appleseed Rifle Training – Sat Nov 30

Ben Swartz (812-459-5097) ([see below article](#))

25 meters 6:00 AM – 6:00 PM, Bay 4

FROM THE PRESIDENT, JOE LUTZ

Red Brush Members

The election of the 2025 Board of Directors will be held at this November meeting.

Renewals are right around the corner. Advantage Tax and Accounting will be sending the renewals by email in November. They will process your renewals. Credit card payment will continue to be available. Follow the instructions in the renewal for credit card payment. Should you not receive an email for your renewal by mid-December please contact Mike Rasche at (812) 449-9268.

Also, should you choose not to renew please return your gate pass card to Mike or any Board of Director.

Respectfully,
Joe Lutz

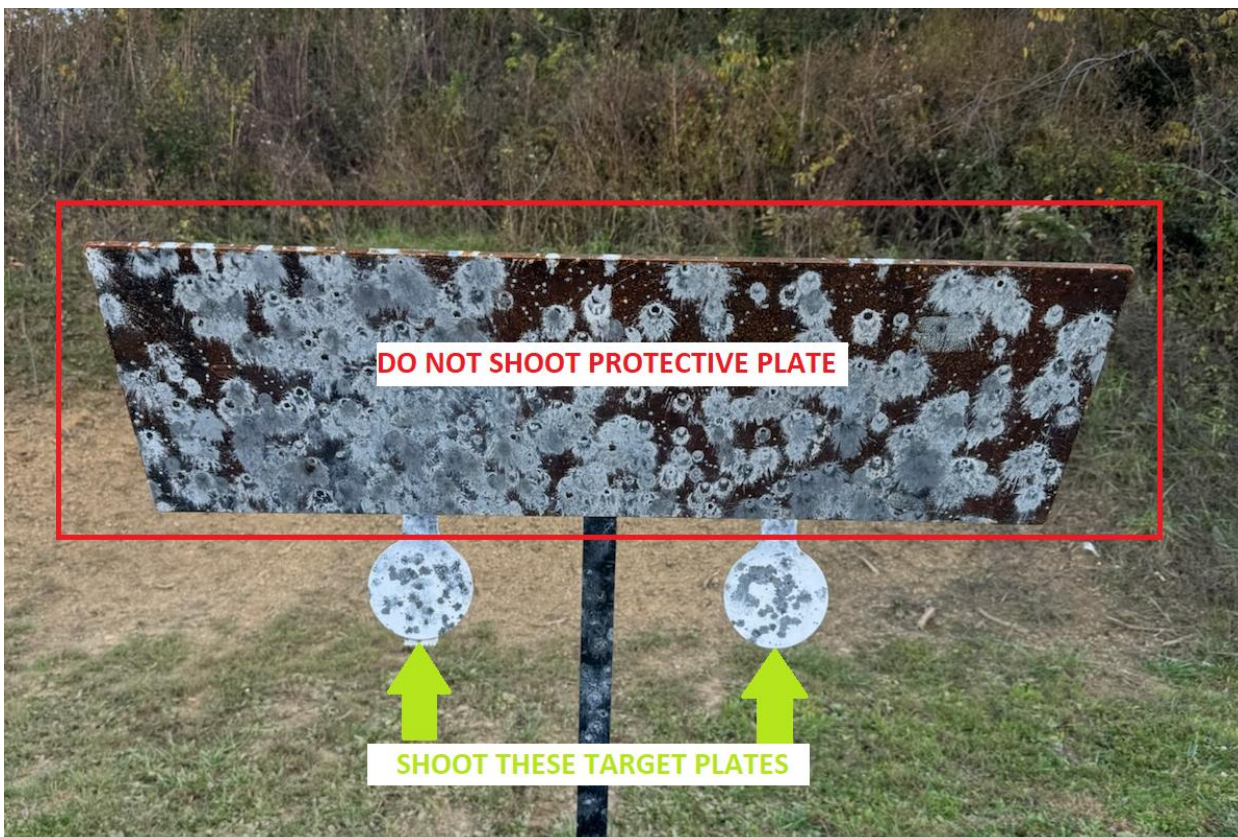
FROM THE RANGE OFFICER, FRANK FINDLEY

Warrick burn ban Reinstated

As of October 24, Warrick County is officially under a burn ban. Please discontinue the use of tracer and incendiary rounds at the range. Open flame activities which could cause an uncontrolled fire such as burning trash should also be stopped. In case of a fire emergency, there is a fire extinguisher next to the door in the members' room. Please do not hesitate to call 911 if a fire is started, which cannot be immediately contained. If asked, the range address is 3299 West Eble Road. We will send out a notice when the ban is lifted.

Do not purposely shoot cable protectors on Bays 1, 2 & 3 steel hangers

Red Brush has invested in adding protective steel plates to the target hangers on Bays 1, 2, and 3. These plates were added to protect the cables thereby keeping the targets hung up. Unfortunately, hopefully out of misunderstanding, these plates have been shot directly into as a target. Please see the picture below. The rectangular plate is not a target! The targets are the plates hanging below it.



Using the protective plates as targets will mean that they will have to be replaced sooner. This is costly to the range. Purposely damaging the protective plates by directly shooting at them is considered vandalism under

Range Rule Section 13Q. The penalty for this can range from being held financially accountable for the damage, a loss of range privileges for a time period, or even expulsion from the club.

Of course, none of this should be construed as applying to occasional inadvertent hits. It is the misuse of these plates as targets which is the issue.

Reminder: Do not Shoot animals on range property

Based on previous years, deer will soon be regularly roaming through the range. Please remember that hunting is not allowed on our property and killing the wildlife is prohibited. A ceasefire should be called whenever an animal is in danger of being hit.

It is time to REVIEW the RANGE RULES

Every member is responsible for reviewing the Range Rules and Regulations at least once a year. It is important to refresh our memories of the rules and to ensure that no changes were missed. The most recent version, last updated in May, is posted on the Red Brush website so please download it and make time to review:

<https://redbrush.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/Appendage-D-Range-Range-Rules-05-07-24.pdf>

RED BRUSH GUN OF THE MONTH

12Ga. Po8 Ducks Unlimited



(stock photo)

Firearms
provided by:

Randy Hansen

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

Mosberg Patriot in .308



(stock photo)

FROM THE GROUNDS CHAIRMAN, JEFF WEBBER

I want to thank Mark Hodavol, Larry Steinkulle, John Flesburg, Andy McDivitt, Brennan Walters, Clinton Combs, Kim Westmoland, Terry Floyd, Wade Kimbrellm, Jon Klem, Matt Lyles, Danny Wherton, Scott Lever, James Lampton, Kyle Vickers, Steve Thornbury, John Russell, Charles Oliveri, Robert Birkle, Shannan Champion, Doug Hadley, Dave Hetherington, Allen Branch and Zach Nelson for their work done in October.

It's hard to believe the workdays are over for the year. I want to thank everyone who came out to help this year. You guys are the reason we have such a nice facility. As we roll into the winter months I ask everyone to help keep it clean, bring back your targets and leave it in better shape than when you arrived.

Thanks,
See You at the Range,
Jeff Webber

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 mikemaurer@astound.net) or Joe Lutz (812-431-3672 or joerlutz3@gmail.com).

FOR SALE BY OUR MEMBERS

Bob Wefel 812-568-9827 (recumbentbob@gmail.com)

- Rare WWII M1 Garand bayonet, like new, made by American Fork and Hoe, Stamped AFH, 1942 with leather sheath, \$200.00.
- WWII fighting knife, PAL, RH 36, Early knife before they started parkerizing them. with leather sheath. \$200.00



AREA GUN SHOWS

Bloomington Gun Show

Saturday Nov 2, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Nov 3, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Monroe County Fairgrounds
5700 West Airport Rd
Bloomington, IN 47403

General: \$6.00
Children 12 & under: Free

Southern Indiana Gun Collectors Association

Saturday Nov 2, 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Sunday Nov 3, 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Warrick County 4H Center
133 East Degonia Road
Boonville, IN 47601

General: \$5.00
Children 12 & under: Free

Orleans Arms & Blade Show

Sullivan Gun & Knife Show

Saturday Nov 2, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Nov 3, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Robinson Auction House
8620 N St Rd 37
Orleans, IN 47452

General: \$6.00
Children 12 & under: Free

New Albany Arms & Blade Show

Saturday Nov 16, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Nov 17, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

National Guard Armory
2009 Grant Line Rd
New Albany, IN 47151

General: \$6.00
Children 12 & under: Free

Armory Gun Show

Saturday Nov 23, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Sunday Nov 24, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Evansville National Guard Armory
3300 E Division St
Evansville, IN 47715

General: \$5.00

Saturday Nov 9, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Nov 10, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Sullivan County 4-H Fairground
1301 E County Road 75 North
Sullivan, IN 47882

General: \$5.00
Children 12 & under: Free

Clay City Fair Association Gun and Knife Show

Saturday Nov 16, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday Nov 17, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Orange Building, Goshorn Park Clay City Indiana
200 Nye St
Clay City, IN 47841

General: \$5.00
Children 12 & under: Free

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



APPLESEED, BEN SWARTZ

Appleseed – 25 Meter Event

Sharpen Your Marksmanship at the Two-Day Appleseed Event!

November 30th and December 1st on Bay 4

Join us for an exciting two-day Appleseed event focused on improving your marksmanship and understanding the heritage of our nation's founding. Taking place at the 25-meter range, this event is perfect for shooters of all experience levels, whether you're new to rifles or looking to fine-tune your skills. Our knowledgeable instructors will guide you through fundamental techniques in rifle safety, sight alignment, and trigger control, ensuring you leave with improved accuracy and confidence.

But Appleseed is about more than just marksmanship. Each session weaves in the powerful story of the American Revolution, giving participants a deeper connection to the principles of liberty and the individuals who fought for it. Don't miss this opportunity to combine history, skill-building, and community at a truly unique event. Grab your rifle and your passion for history and join us at the range!

Here is a link to the How to Prepare document:

<https://appleseedinfo.org/pdf/How%20to%20Prepare%20-%2025m%20Rifle.pdf>

You can sign up at:

<https://appleseedinfo.org/location/?locationid=152&eventid=10012>

REVERE'S RIDERS, BEN SWARTZ

Revere's Riders – Carbine 1 & 2 – November 23rd & 24th

Prerequisites: Suggested—Rifle 125.

If you have not attended Rifle 125, then you should be:

- Able to reliably hit a 10" paper plate from the standing position out to 25 yards, kneeling at 50 yards, and prone at 100 yards.
- Able to consistently hit a 3×5 index card at 15 yards while standing.
- Familiar with basic operation of your carbine

If you cannot meet the accuracy suggestion then you may be frustrated at carbine class and be better served learning the fundamentals of marksmanship at a Rifle 125 clinic.

Estimated Ammunition Required: 250 rounds/day.

This course is conducted as an NRA [America's Rifle Challenge](#) clinic. Students will learn modern defensive shooting skills on the AR platform. Attendees will experience shooting in multiple firing positions at varying distances. While this course is named for the common round fired by the AR-15 (".223 Remington") any safe semiautomatic carbine can be used.

All firing in this course will be within 200 yards with a focus on the close quarters environment from contact to 50 yards. You will get a workout with all the skills needed to run the carbine from 7-100 yards.

Students learn:

• Rules for safe gun handling & range rules	• Emergency/Speed Reloads
• Carbine parts and operation & ammunition	• Failure to Fire
• Shooting Fundamentals	• Failure to Eject
• Firing Stance: Standing	• Double Feed
• Five steps to firing each shot	• Zeroing Carbines & Rifles
• Zero rifles as required	• Carbine Trajectory and Zero Issues
• Situational Awareness and Scanning	• Barricades
• Rapid Magazine Changes (Tactical Reloads)	• Movement
• Short Range Marksmanship Techniques	• Use of the sling to support shooting stability
• Tailoring the five steps to firing each shot to the close quarters environment	• Special Subjects (most one-day clinics will cover only a few of these; two-day clinics will cover most or all)
• Controlled Pairs	• Kneeling Position
• Recoil Management	• Prone Position
• Clearing Malfunctions/Stoppages	• Natural Point of Aim
• Firing from retention	• Field Stripping & Cleaning the AR-15

[Classic M1 Carbine Qualifier](#)

[Revere's Riders Carbine Qualifier](#)

This class is moderately physically demanding. We will be on our feet much of the day, moving between various positions on the range. We will be shooting from different positions throughout the day.

Please contact the event director if you intend to bring a different type of firearm other than an AR-15; we can probably accommodate learning on your preferred platform but want to ensure you will not be frustrated.

Suggested Gear: [Rifle 223 Gear](#)

Signup at <https://www.reveresriders.org/event/2024-nov-23-24-newburgh-in/>

FROM THE CIVILIAN MARKSMANSHIP PROGRAM, MIKE RASCHE

If you would like notifications of CMP gun sales, you can sign up for an email at info@thecmp.org. You will also receive CMP for monthly developments.

Get ready! Our south location in Anniston, Ala., will be hosting a Tent Sale, Nov. 7-9 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., featuring many items not sold within our stores or online!

The CMP hasn't hosted a tent sale in over eight years, resulting in a warehouse full of unique treasures. The sale will take place at our office located at 1470 Sentinel Dr., Anniston, at the side gate of the building.

Items to be sold include:

- Various ammo types
- Clothing
- Marksmanship accessories
- Miscellaneous items (used stocks, books and more!)

There will also be rifles available for purchase! Credit card, cash and check payments will be accepted.

Come explore this rare opportunity – we hope to see you there!

Any questions regarding the CMP Tent Sale can be directed to Melody at mkirby@thecmp.org

CMP has reduced the price for the 7.62 NATO VERSION OF THE M1 GARAND. The two versions are now \$900 (Mod 0) and \$1200 (Mod 1) plus \$35 shipping & handling per rifle. Visit the CMP website for more details at <https://thecmp.org/sales-and-service/m1-garand/#7.62NATOM1Garand>. *Please Note:* Customers must fill out the [CMP MOD-1 / MOD-0 Disclaimer Affidavit](#) and submit it with their order.

UPCOMING RANGE EVENTS INFORMATION

- **500-yard Precision Rifle Steel Open Member Days** Beginning in April, the 500-yard range will be open for members interested in shooting steel targets of various sizes at known distances. This will occur 1-3 weekdays per month. Set up will begin at 07:00 and break down at 11:30. These days will be posted on the calendar in the newsletter of the respective month. The 400-yard range will be closed during this time. We will do our best to coordinate this with the range schedule so that bay 4 is open for those interested in shooting paper etc. Eric Craig and Tom Ancona will be overseeing and acting Range Officers' for the 500-range on these days. We encourage anyone interested in long range shooting to come out and get involved! It should be a fun time and learning opportunity for everyone who chooses to take part (regardless of experience). We do ask that you have your rifle zeroed prior. We will be shooting steel only and spotting target impacts from the firing line. The line will remain hot unless target failure or other necessary reason to go cold.

CMP E-STORE

The **CMP E-Store** is back LIVE! Commercial Ammo Sales now available. Visit the CMP E-Store at <https://shop.thecmp.org/>. Thank you for your patience during this transition.

We encourage customers to update their documentation to purchase surplus ammo over the next week as we prepare to launch FY24's surplus allotment at the end of the month. Customers may update their documentation in person at any of our CMP Store locations or may update through:

- Email – custserve@thecmp.org
- Mail - Civilian Marksmanship Program, ATTN: Sales, 1401 Commerce Blvd, Anniston, AL 36207
- Fax - (256) 831-8331

Documentation to order ammo includes proof of U.S. citizenship and membership in a CMP Affiliated Club or Special Affiliate (see https://thecmp.org/cmp_sales/eligibility-requirements/ for detailed information).

Customers placing a surplus ammo order through the CMP E-Store will not need to provide Form 2A (those individuals will check a box that states they are not a felon before completing their order). Customers that purchase surplus ammo in-person at our stores or at CMP events must provide Form 2A if they do not have one on file or if it's expired.

Please help us keep our sales running smoothly by updating your customer file before making a purchase on our E-Store. We appreciate your cooperation. Welcome back, shoppers!

CMP SPECIAL NOTE

Effective June 26, 2024, customers are allowed to purchase up to six (6) bolt action rifles per year while supplies last. Current inventory of M1903 and M1917 rifles by grade is listed below. CMP also plans to release up to 1,000 Krag-Jorgensen rifles beginning in mid to late July. These have not been working so a grade break-out is currently unavailable. Given the six (6) bolt rifle per customer per year limit, please plan accordingly.

Current Inventory:

M1903 Rifles -- Service Grade: 78; Field Grade: 386; and Rack Grade: 356

M1917 Enfield Rifles -- Service Grade: 203; and Field Grade: 1,067

Additional details, including rifle descriptions, ordering information and purchase eligibility requirements can be found on our CMP Rifle Sales web page at https://thecmp.org/cmp_sales/rifle-sales/.

CMP AFFILIATION



CERTIFICATE OF AFFILIATION

This certifies that the

Red Brush Rifle Range, Inc.

Club Name

#053120

is affiliated with the **Civilian Marksmanship Program**
for the year of

2024

Year

CMP's Mission and Vision

Mission: Promote marksmanship through firearms training, safety, competitions and youth programs.

Vision: To lead the nation in marksmanship excellence providing safe, high quality and innovative programs, with a focus on youth.



Christie Sewell

Christie Sewell, CMP Programs Chief

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