

# The Firing Line

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## Grounds-keeping

Be advised that when our maintenance crew is out mowing the ranges, the flag by the front shed will be raised. No setting up and no shooting until the flag is lowered.

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## Come out to our 300yd Benchrest Challenge

It's time to start thinking about another shooting season and getting your rifle limbered up and sighted in so you're at least on paper (8½" × 11") at 300 yards when you arrive for the first event. Be sure your pet loads are ready and dialed in. As the name suggests, this event is shot from the bench at 300 yards. The course of fire begins with 8 minutes of unlimited sighters so shooters can confirm their zero for the day's conditions. (cont'd on page 3)

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## Annual Spring Clean-Up Day

Spring clean-up day will be **April 11th** this year beginning at 9am. We will again be looking for volunteers to assist with a number of projects. For more info, refer to the President's Comments section on page 5.

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## Come out to our Mad Minute Military Shoot

Get ready for one of the most fun and team-oriented events of the season — the Mad Minute Military Shoot! This friendly but challenging competition brings shooters together for a team-based rifle event that emphasizes skill and a bit of old-school marksmanship. Participants will be placed into ad hoc teams and compete using military-style rifles with at least a 10-round magazine capacity; iron sights only, with the exception of the April event which will be a one-time per year optics optional where any red dot or scope is allowed instead of iron sights only. Bolt-action & lever-action rifles are also welcome. Slings are permitted. To help keep the event accessible, given the rising cost of ammunition, we also allow non-military rifles with a 10-round capacity, including .22-caliber rifles. (cont'd on page 4)

## April Schedule

02 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
05 - Black Swamp ----- 11AM-4PM  
07 - Social Hour ----- 6PM  
07 - General Meeting ----- 7PM  
09 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
10 - Cowboy Set-up ----- 3:30PM  
11 - Cowboy ----- 8AM-3PM  
11 - Range Clean-Up ----- 9AM-1PM  
12 - Benchrest Challenge ----- 8AM-12PM  
16 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
19 - Mad Minute ----- 11AM-3PM  
20 - 4H (all ranges) ----- see below  
21 - Director's Meeting ----- 6:30PM  
23 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
24 - Ohio St Blackpowder Set up ----- 3:30PM  
25/26 - Ohio St Blackpowder ----- All Day  
27 - 4H (all ranges) ----- see below  
30 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM

## May Schedule

02 - 22 Silhouette ----- 8AM-2PM  
03 - Black Swamp ----- 11AM-4PM  
04 - 4H (all ranges) ----- see below  
05 - Social Hour ----- 6PM  
05 - General Meeting ----- 7PM  
07 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
08 - Cowboy (Set-up) ----- 3:30PM  
09 - Cowboy ----- 8AM-3PM  
10 - Benchrest Challenge ----- 8AM-12PM  
11 - 4H (all ranges) ----- see below  
14 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
16/17 - Revere's Riders ----- 8AM-5PM  
19 - Director's Meeting ----- 6:30PM  
21 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
24 - Mad Minute ----- 11AM-3PM  
25 - 4H (all ranges) ----- see below  
28 - Trap ----- 6PM-8:30PM  
29 - Wild Bunch (Set-up) ----- 3:30PM  
30 - Wild Bunch ----- 8AM-3PM

**CLEAN UP YOUR SHOOTING AND TARGET POINT UPON COMPLETION OF RANGE USE; LEAVE THE RANGES CLEANER THAN WHEN YOU FOUND THEM**

### Ranges Closed/Open During Scheduled Shoots/Events

**BLACK SWAMP - Closes Cowboy Town, 300m & 500yd.** Open 50m, 100m & Trap

**TRAP - Closes Trap & 100m.** Open 50m, 500yd, 300m & Cowboy Town

**MAD MINUTE - Closes 50m, 100m & 500yd (the 100m & 500yd may be used with permission from the shoot director).** Open 300m, Cowboy Town & Trap

**COWBOY/BLACKPOWDER/WILD BUNCH - Closes Cowboy Town, 300m & 500yd (the 500yd may be used with permission from the shoot director).** Open 50m, 100m & Trap

**22 SILHOUETTE - Closes 100m & Trap.** Open 50m, 300m, 500yd & Cowboy Range

**BENCHREST CHALLENGE - Closes 300m, Cowboy Town & 500yd.** Open 50m, 100m & Trap

**4H - Closes Trap & 100m from 4pm and closes all other ranges from 6pm**

**REVERE'S RIDERS - Both days, closes 100m & Trap.** Open 50m, 300m & Cowboy Town; **Sun. 1pm-3pm closes 500yd & 300m.** Open 50m & Cowboy Range



Nick Jacobs - - - Bellevue  
Jeremiah Bechstein-Helberg - - - Wayne  
Kenneth Fish - - - Rossford  
Aaron Schultz - - - Pemberville

**Come out to our 300yd  
Benchrest Challenge (cont'd  
from p.1)**

For the scored portion, competitors will have 20 minutes to fire 20 rounds. Targets will then be collected and scored, and once all competitors have finished, a winner will be declared. There is generally no restriction on rifle or pistol type, provided it is safe and suitable for the event. Optics are optional. Shooters must supply their own front and rear rests; however, the rests may not be connected to each other. Bipods and rear bags are also permitted. Rifles equipped with muzzle brakes will shoot in a separate relay from those without brakes. Shooters using auto-loading firearms must use a brass catcher to prevent ejected cases from flying around the firing line and/or striking other shooters. No matter what your current skill level, please join other like-minded shooters. Check the calendar on page 2

**Contact Information**

**Directors**

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Note: Using the email for the BOD ensures that your email goes to all the Directors and **only** the Directors. So, if you want to contact them with any concerns or to tell them what a great job they are doing, please use that email. To contact the Club President, Secretary, Treasurer or the Range Safety Officer, please use the appropriate emails.

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- **Safety Bullet #1: Always keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction.**
- **Safety Bullet #2: Keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to shoot.**

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## Come out to our Mad Minute Military Shoot (cont'd from p.1)

All shooting is done offhand (standing) at 50 yards, across six stages of 10 rounds each. Targets vary to keep things interesting—typically paper targets for three stages, clay pigeons for two stages, and balloons for one stage. Whether you're looking to test your marksmanship, try something new, or just enjoy a great day on the range with fellow shooters, the Mad Minute Shoot is an event you won't want to miss! See the calendar on page 2.

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## Membership Drawing

The Membership Drawing is now at \$1206. If your name is drawn, you must be in attendance at the General Meeting to collect.

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## Club Shirts & Hats

Shirts and hats with our club logo are available for sale at the General Meetings. Shirts are \$15 for S-M-L and \$17 for XL; hats are \$15.

## Ammo Buy

Caliber	Grain	FPS	Rounds per/box	Price per/box
.380 Auto	100gr RNFP	850	50	\$36
9mm	124gr FMJ	1048	50	\$23
9mm	124gr FMJ	1048	100	\$45
10mm	180gr FMJ	1018	50	\$36
<del>45ACP</del>	<del>230gr FMJ</del>	<del>825</del>	<del>50</del>	<del>\$55</del>
<del>.223 Rem</del>	<del>55gr FMJ</del>	<del>2750</del>	<del>50</del>	<del>\$33</del>
.308 Win	168gr HPBT	2709	20	\$30

- **Safety Bullet #3: Keep your gun unloaded until you are ready to use it.**
- **Safety Bullet #4: Know what is beyond your target!**

## President's Comments

It's definitely springtime here in Ohio and mother nature doesn't know what's going on. Between the snow, hurricane winds, sporadic warm days and meteors all of a sudden, I'm not sure what tomorrow is going to bring. So, plan accordingly when coming out to the range.

Keep an eye on the club calendar on our website for any upcoming events or range closures. We'll also be utilizing the new texting service to send out any updates or "blasts" in the future. Please add that number, (778) 715-7359, as SCSC II to your contacts if you haven't already done so.

The spring gun show was again a success with the most tables set up that I've seen since being a part of it. The weather cooperated the best it could, and we had a good crowd through the doors on both days. Friday is steadily becoming the time to be there and get the first look at what's available. It gave the vendors a chance to bring in fresh inventory for Saturday too. The fall show is scheduled for October 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>.

Spring clean-up day will be April 11<sup>th</sup> this year beginning at 9am. We will again be looking for volunteers to assist with a number of projects. Projects will range from picking up around the clubhouse/ranges to cleaning out gutters and some possible painting jobs. If you have a particular project/task you would like to see done or volunteer for, please let us know and we will put it down on the list. While SCSC II does not have work requirements as part of our membership structure we, nevertheless, depend on our members to help maintain our facility. If you have chainsaws, pressure washers or other equipment you see fit, please bring them out with you. There will be coffee & donuts for our volunteers in the morning prior to the start of the workday. We look forward to seeing you there!!

Thank you,

*Jeremy Velliquette*

*President*