

# KITTITAS VALLEY RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB

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NEWSLETTER

Greetings to all of this year's KVR&PC membership and shooting participants. We are doing well because of the active participation in our shooting disciplines by the club membership. As we reflect on this year's shooting we find a good increase in use of the KVR&PC range during non-scheduled hours. This means that the Full members of the club are finding the range to be useful for their shooting needs. Participation levels in our three shooting disciplines have remained very steady this year. It is nice to see the KVR&PC range being used and enjoyed by so many of our club members.

Our next annual meeting will be Wednesday NOVEMBER 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Please be sure Marilyn has your contact information so we can send you a reminder. You can also send contact information to [hmmason@elltel.net](mailto:hmmason@elltel.net) to get on the reminder list for next season. We will be putting a note in the daily record as well.

Good luck to all, thank you for your participation, have a great and safe summer. Hal



## Target Rifle Tuesday Evenings

Our target rifle team has done fairly well this year. One of our rifle team members Erich Mietenkorte, shot the only perfect 500 point score recorded in the Yakima League this year and the first in over 20 years. Our other team members have maintained their respective averages throughout the year. Our rifle team will finish in the middle of Yakima League standings this year. Our IERPA team has done very well this year. Our standing in the IERPA league has steadily improved during this year's shooting. We will finish the year in Rifle Class A. Hopefully more of our rifle team members will choose to compete in the IERPA league next year.

## Bullseye Pistol Wednesday Evenings

Once again Bullseye Pistol has had the highest participation level for the year among all of our shooting disciplines. The addition of the Wednesday noon shooting opportunity has been a real hit with the membership. We will continue the noon program next season. Our KVR&PC Bullseye teams have greatly improved their IERPA standings this season. Our first team has advanced into class B now, up from class D last year. Our second, third and fourth teams have achieved higher standings as well. All of our Bullseye shooters are making a strong effort to improve and the IERPA record shows good shooting discipline yields good results.

## Light Rifle Thursday Evenings

Our Light Rifle participation has remained fairly steady. We have introduced some new targets this season which has added a lot of interest. We will continue to add new target challenges next year as we continue to try to grow the light rifle interest. The light rifle evening is a great chance to come out for a bit of camaraderie and good fun.

## NRA Pistol Instruction

Our NRA Certified Pistol instructor held one class in February. The class consisted of eight students and a nine hour day. The students reported having a good time and received an excellent basic pistol education.

 A simple safety reminder for everyone. Empty chamber indicators are provided to all shooters who enter the KVR&PC range. The proper use of the empty chamber indicator and always using the four basic weapon safety guidelines is what keeps our excellent safety record intact. We all are equally responsible for our own safe practices and insuring that everyone else is safe. If, as a member, you notice a weapon in the range without an empty chamber indicator installed please remind the owner to install one immediately. Safe weapon handling is for all of us at all times. 