

Minutes NMBHGC Sept.3, 2009

Meeting called to order at 7:00pm by Fritz, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. Minutes from Aug. read, approved.
2. Treasurer's report given showing a balance of some \$4325., lead Cd at \$2090. Details in report. Approved by vote. Aside, Bob for the Rendezvous has gained ~ \$1200. from the raffle. \$230. over expenses showing for the Ruger rimfire. Keys this year from All in One Lock.

Old Business:

- One note-- Ed Dresner has suffered a broken leg and is at the Lovelace Rehab. Center downtown for the next couple weeks.

1. Mike reported on the Ruger event, which was filmed by The Outdoor Channel and will air in Feb. 2010. Five guns from Ruger were donated; close to \$10k in prizes. Southwest Regionals next year possible with more range work including more bays and berms. To be discussed further as to feasibility and costs, as well as space. In the event, 49 finished the entire shoot with 52 at the start. Maybe 85 next year, two day event. Youth rimfire will continue through the fall.
2. The subject of steel targets was next. Mike said the NRA allows as close as 10 yards with low velocity soft lead deflecting downward from the target. Others were mentioned. The 22 rimfire was subject of debate but is acceptable if within the parameters of the Range Rules Sec. VIII # 24 and 25. See also # 37. A minimum distance is needed in the bylaws. Bob's concern for safety was expressed. Motion to table 'til Oct. approved. See bylaws.
3. From Fritz, Mike's wife should be applauded for all her work for the Ruger event (she was !)

New Business:

1. Don Shaw- the Rendezvous is here, the 14th being early setup. Somebody has been removing the flyers from the local area. Secondly, from Bob, the ad/ breakfast for the Rendezvous is changed as sponsors have backed out. Need volunteers. The Moriarty Girls Soccer Team will host the breakfast instead. Need for donations. See/call Tom Luker...black powder classes will be held at the Rendezvous.....Orientation this Sat. the 5th at 9:00am at the the range. Range cleanup also Sat.
2. Lynn reported 84 shooters at the Westerfeld memorial shoot, with ~\$2000. turned in to the club. NMSSA sponsors next shoot.
3. Don - club photographer needed at events. More to follow after discussion.
4. Karma spoke about the NMSSA "Appleseed" project for event to teach youth, so the range would be needed. Don made a motion to proceed, seconded and approved.
5. new member intro

6. NMSSA has grant money to be used, as in the 4H or some group. Must be written proposal, documented. Contact Karma.
7. Nominations for club officers opened. The current officers accepted nomination as there were no others made. Seconded. Nominations will continue at the Oct. meeting.
8. Dues were discussed; to remain at \$90., seconded and approved.
9. Motion to adjourn, seconded and approved.