NMBHGC Minutes - June 7, 2012

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

- Sara Pirtle sent a letter of appreciation for her recent membership in the Club and for the remembrance of Charlie, who passed away in 2008. Tom Luker read her letter to the members; Ed gave a brief tribute to Charlie for his Club involvement.
- New member intro (3)
- Orientation is Sat. the 9th at 9am at the range
- Minutes from May read, approved by vote
- Treasurer's report given, balance of \$23,022.49 with \$10,228.15 in lead CD. Details in report. Approved by vote.

Old Business:

- 1. Karma to contact insurance co. about range theft.
- 2. John Edwards for Sporting Clays notes 65 shooters at last event, had to borrow clays from Founders due to lack of truck transport. Two machines have been purchased each year, now are all electric "throwers". May schedule event on different weekend next year. More shooters show up at later events in season. Good comments about range from visitors. FREE shoot to volunteers setting-up/taking down event. Chits available for helping.
- 3. Tom- metal donated to finish roof at 25yd. bay; work party on June 20th at ~8:00am. Target frames are being shot up as people cover entire entire area with targets instead of centering on cardboard backing. [as a lot can't hit the side of a barn, what makes them think they can hit a small target? know your limitations]. Note: contact Dan Morrison about newsletter on web...
- 4. Bob Whelchel (from Karma) has been having heart problems, stress and over-doing, and will not be the Rendezvous Booshway for this year. Need a minimum of 6 volunteers or event will be cancelled. John, from Texas, is Segundo for the event. Volunteers need to step up NOW. Note: this can go in newsletter.

New Business:

- 1. Tony A. raised question about shoot over 4th of July weekend. None scheduled 'til after 4th.
- 2. Tom Luker- query concerning berms and closing bays as ~\$7,000 has been spent raising heights. At this time the berms are not high enough and will be reviewed. John Edwards informed that 100yd. shooters were not calling"cease fire" to the shotgun area and going downrange. Call a cease fire! *note in newsletter also. Lots of range work from Tom, the BSA and volunteers.
- 3. John Stocum, T.C. Sheriff's Dept. requested the use of range on June 21st. for the Junior Deputy Program from ~8:00am to 4:00pm using the pistol bays with the rest of range open. John also requested the 13th. of July from 8:00am to ~4:00pm, pistol bays used and range open. As they will be shooting a variety of weapons, such as shotgun and black powder, other bays may be used. Volunteers and coaches are needed as there will be a number of youth shooting both events. Contact the Club to volunteer.
- 4. Karma- Club will have a booth at the Edgewood "Self-Reliance Fair" being held at the Mormon Church in Edgewood beginning at 9:am Sat. the 9th of June. Come help if you can...
- 5. Motion to adjourn, seconded and approved