Powder River Sportsmen's Club

Second Trimester 2022

P.O. Box 162

Baker City, Oregon 97814

Regular Meetings @ 7:00 P.M., First Tuesday of every month, 2690 Broadway St.

RANGE SAFETY SEMINAR

Effective this year, the only way to get the range gate combination is to pay your dues and take the Club's Range Safety Seminar. So far, 256 members have completed the seminar. To learn more about this new requirement, read your previous newsletter, or visit www.prsportsmen.com/seminar.html.

Most incidents at the range happen after non-members are given the gate combination.

All PRSC Memberships are <u>Individual</u> Memberships. No member is authorized or permitted to provide the gate combination or unsupervised range access to any other person, regardless of relation.

If we all abide by this policy, we can be sure that whenever we encounter other parties at the range, at least one person in each party has taken the seminar and knows how to use the range safely.

Members can always bring guests to the range, but you have to accompany your guests and you are responsible for their safe conduct.

BIG THANKS TO CHRISTINA WITHAM AT OREGON SIGN COMPANY

Christina donated \$830 in time and materials to the Club during our recent purchase of new signage for the range entrance gate, firing berms, and shooting benches.

Big thanks also to Mike Quinn, Ray Berryman, & Victor Savage for designing and installing the new signs.

RANGE PRIORITY AND KNOWING WHEN THE RANGE IS CLOSED

Always check the Club Calendar before planning a trip to the range. Scheduled Calendar Events always have priority over other range uses.

The entire range is closed to other uses during the following Scheduled Match events: USPSA, Cowboy Action, Steel Varmint, 1000-Yard, 3-Gun, Club Championship, Turkey Shoot, and the 1911 US Calvary Match.

During other Scheduled Events on the Pistol Range, the 200-Yard Rifle Range is usually open. And, during other Scheduled Events on the 200-Yard Rifle Range, the Pistol Range is usually open.

POWDER RIVER PISTOLETTES

A ladies-only group for developing handgun skills in a safe environment. Newcomers welcome!

The Pistolettes meet every first Tuesday at 6PM at the Clubhouse to make plans and discuss business.

Training and practice sessions are being conducted at the range at 5PM on the third Wednesday of May, June, and July.

More information: Contact Bette Horan 541-523-3659 (w) or 541-518-1986 (h), or Penny Rienks 541-523-3251.

HELP KEEP YOUR RANGE CLEAN.

IF YOU PACK IT IN, PLEASE PACK IT OUT!

PRSC Matches & Events

1000 Yard Open Rifle

\$8 per rifle + \$2 per string fired; \$2 to keep a target. Any rifle with any sights, unlimited sighters for 10 minutes, 5 shots for record within 7 minutes. The Club Record is 2.65"-42 Steve Simons, preceded by 3"-48 Casey MacDonald, preceded by 3.125"-50-3X Gary Paananen. Contact Steve Simons 541-805-8030.

Cowboy Action

\$10 match fee. Single Action Revolvers, Lever Action Rifles, DBBL or Mod 97 shotguns. Western attire encouraged! Contact Chuck Buchanan 541-519-8550 or Dan McGuire 541-212-5840.

USPSA Practical Pistol

\$15 adults, \$10 juniors; first match is free. Round count is typically ~140, bring 200. Learn about this sport at www.uspsa.org. All match activities are conducted by NROI Certified Range Officers. Contact Phil O'Connell 208-850-1313.

Steel Varmint Silhouette

\$10 match fee. 2 sighters + 5 shots for record at each distance: 200M Squirrels, 300M Rabbits, 385M Rock-chucks, 500M Coyotes. 5 minutes per stage. Prone, any rifle, any sights, any rest. Rifle and gear must be hand-carried to the line in one trip, no carts. No steel or ferrous bullets, No FMJ's. Helpful hint: 55gr bullets often fail to topple the Coyotes; use 68gr or heavier. Contact Ken Bardizian 541-519-6772 evenings.

Powder River Pistolettes

Ladies-only shooting group, new members are always welcome! See Calendar for range events. Certified Range Safety Officers are present at every range event. Contact Bette Horan 541-523-3659 (w) or 541-518-1986 (h), or Penny Rienks 541-523-3251.

1911 U.S. Cavalry Match

\$10 match fee. Round count = 45. Firearm: Model 1911 Pistol in 45acp. One-handed fire only: 10 shots slow fire at 25yd bullseye, 10 shots timed fire at 15yd bullseye, 10 shots rapid fire at 15yd bullseye, 15 shots timed fire at 25yd silhouette. Contact Buck Buckner: (541) 519-8750.

Annual Club Championship Match

Club Members only. \$10 match fee. Course of Fire: Pistol - 5 shots standing (one-handed) at 25yd bullseye, 5 shots sitting (two-handed) at 50yd bullseye, any centerfire pistol with iron sights. Rifle - 5 shots offhand & 5 shots sitting at 200yd deer target, any legal deer rifle with iron sights or scope set at ≤ 8x. Shotgun - 20 shots at sporting clay singles. Any legal shotgun may be used. Contact: Buck Buckner (541) 519-8750.

Annual Turkey Shoot

November. \$3 per event, 6 shooters per event, \$10 prize for event winner. Events: Lucky .22 @ 10 yards, Chicken Silhouette Pistol at 50 yards, Turkey Head Silhouette Rifle at 200 yards prone with sling (no bipod or rear rest), Running Deer at 80 yards iron sights or 200 yards scoped rifle. Fun for the whole family!

NRA High Power Sporting Rifle

\$12 match fee. Any center-fire rifle < 9.5lbs including sight, capable of holding 4rds. 200-yard standard high-power bullseye target. Prone - 2 sighters + 8 shots for record in 10 minutes, Offhand - 8 shots in 8 minutes, Sitting - two 4-shot strings in 30 seconds each, Prone - two 4-shot strings in 30 seconds each. Contact: Vic Savage 541-523-4462.

May 2022

Dates are subject to change, check the online calendar for the latest information. Afternoon match setup crews have range priority on dates marked **PM.

SATURDAY	7 1000 Yard Match 8AM—Noon	14 Cowboy Action Match 8AM-1PM	21 **PM	28	
FRIDAY	6 Hunter Ed Class at Clubhouse 6-8:30PM	13 Pistol Range RSVD Hunter Ed 9AM-1PM **PM	20	27	
THURSDAY	ري ا	12	19 Pistol Range RSVD BCPD 5PM-10PM	26	
WEDNESDAY	4 Hunter Ed Class at Clubhouse 6-8:30PM	11 Hunter Ed Class at Clubhouse 6-8:30PM	18 Pistol Range RSVD Pistolettes 5PM-Dark	25	
TUESDAY	3 Club Meeting 7PM	10	17	24	31
Monday	2 Hunter Ed Class at Clubhouse 6-8:30PM	9 Hunter Ed Class at Clubhouse 6-8:30PM	16 Pistol Range RSVD BCPD 5PM-10PM	23	30
SUNDAY	-	∞	15 Steel Varmint Match 9AM-1PM	22 USPSA Match 8AM-1PM	29

JUNE 2022

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JULY 2022

Dates are subject to change, check the online calendar for the latest information. Afternoon match setup crews have range priority on dates marked **PM.

SUNDAY	Monday	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
m	4	5 Club Meeting 7PM	6 Range Closed at Noon for Cowboy Action Setup	7 Range Closed Cowboy Action Match	8 Range Closed Cowboy Action Match	9 Range Closed Cowboy Action Match
10 Range Closed Cowboy Action Match	11	12	13	14	15	16
17 Steel Varmint Match 9AM-1PM	18	19	20 Pistol Range RSVD Pistolettes 5PM-Dark	21	22	23 **PM
24 USPSA Match 8AM-1PM	25	56	27	28	29	30
31 HPSR Match 9AM-1PM						

AUGUST 2022

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SATURDAY	6 Service Rifle Match 10AM-2PM	13 Cowboy Action Match 8AM-1PM	20	27 **PM	
FRIDAY	2	12 **PM	19	26	
THURSDAY	4	1	18	25	
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PRSC RANGE PRIORITY

Some parts of the Virtue Flat Range cannot be used simultaneously.

Range Priority is the system we use to determine which event or group has priority over other groups when multiple parties use the range at the same time. Range Priority creates a safe range.

Range Priority is established first by the Club Calendar, and then by time of arrival and position.

All Calendar Events at the range have priority over unscheduled uses. The Director for each Calendar Event has full authority over the entire range for the time period specified on the Calendar.

For all other times, earlier arrival has priority over later arrival, and earlier position has priority over later position.

Before firing, always physically check the entire range to determine whether you have priority and whether your intended use is safe.

No person shall travel downrange of any active firing position.

The Direction of Fire on the Rifle Range is observably northeast. See map.

No firing position shall be established at any location west or east of any scheduled or pre-established active position on the Rifle Range.

The Pistol Range includes <u>all</u> facilities located north of the Rifle Range in the area of the 300-Yard Firing Berm. See map.

The Pistol Range can be used at the same time as the 200-Yard Rifle Range, and vice versa.

The Pistol Range CANNOT be used or accessed when a firing position has been established on the Rifle Range at any point <u>west</u> of the 200-Yard Firing Berm.

No firing position can be established on any part of the Rifle Range <u>west</u> of the 200-Yard Firing Berm when any person is on any part of the Pistol Range.

The Direction of Fire on the Pistol Range spans northwest to northeast.

The Direction of Fire in Pistol Bays is from bay-entry to rear berm only.

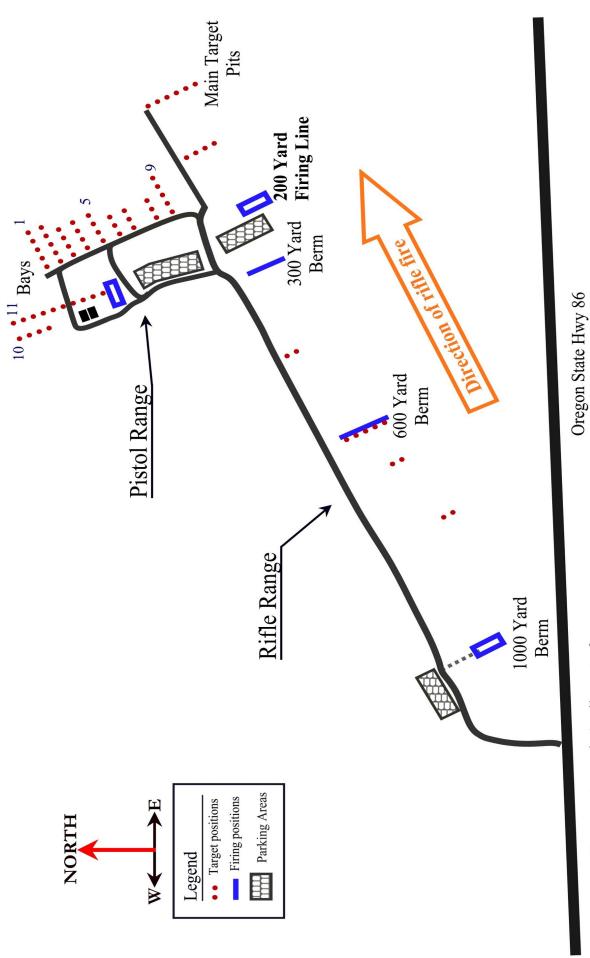
During scheduled matches <u>only</u>, the Direction of Fire within Pistol Bays may span the Practical Discipline 180° arc.

No Matches shall be scheduled simultaneously in Pistol Bays 1-9 and any other range location.

During Scheduled Matches on the 200 Yard Rifle Range, no firing is permitted in Pistol Bays 1-9.

During Scheduled Matches in Pistol Bays 1-9, no firing is permitted anywhere on the Rifle Range and no person shall access Rifle Range locations east of the 200-yard Firing Line.

If you have questions about any PRSC rule or policy, call a Club Officer for clarification.



Powder River Sportsmen's Club - Virtue Flat Range

Range entrance is 1 mile east of Oregon Trail Interpretive Center entrance, or 6 miles east of Baker City

Powder River Sportsmen's Club Membership Application / Renewal

All persons are required to sign this form when joining the Club or renewing a Membership.

Virtue Flat Range Rules

- 1. Keep the range entrance gates closed. Always lock the gate when you leave.
- 2. Keep firearms pointed in a safe direction.
- 3. Keep firearms unloaded until ready to shoot.
- 4. Know where other persons are at all times.
- 5. DO NOT fire from the 1000, 600 or 300-yard berms until you have physically checked all facilities and determined that no other persons are on ANY part of the range east of your intended firing position.
- 6. Do not use glass items for targets. Do not fire any rifle at the Plate Rack in the pistol bays.
- 7. Clean up after firing. If you packed it in, then please pack it out.
- 8. To prevent livestock damage, always re-install the wooden rails after using the covered shooting area on the Pistol Range.
- 9. Do not share any PRSC lock combination with any person.
- 10. Eye and ear protection is strongly recommended, and required for all minors.
- 11. Effective 2022, all Members must complete the PRSC Range Safety Seminar before receiving authorization to independently access and use the Virtue Flat Shooting Range.

Failure to comply with rules can result in termination of membership.

I acknowledge that I have read PRSC's Range Rules and Range Priority Policy, and I agree to abide by them. * Signature Date Mail this form with check payable to Powder River Sportsmen's Club, PO Box 162, Baker City, Oregon 97814. Annual Dues are \$45, due each January, good through December 31. Late dues paid before November 1 apply to the current year. □ New Membership ☐ Multi-year membership (\$45 per year) □ Renewal Membership □ \$10 Life Membership Renewal City/State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ Email ____ Club newsletters will be sent to your email address. If you do not have an email address, check here. $\ \Box$ ☐ I have included \$_____ as a donation to our Range Purchase Fund. ☐ Pd Cash ☐ Pd Check # Date Received ☐ I have included \$_____ as a donation to our Youth Program Fund. By Whom

Membership Card issued? YES

NO



Powder River Sportsmen's Club Incident Report Form

Founded 1953	Date of incident:	Date of report
Jounded (933)	Time of incident:	Officer or Trustee:
Reporting party		
Name & phone number:		
Other Party members or w	itnesses:	
Describe the incident. What he other party, what was sai		d, descriptions of persons or vehicles, did you speak wi ?
Attach another sheet if you n	eed more space.	
Did you take photographs? _ Officer for a cell number for t		email them to info@prsportsmen.com, or ask a Club
	For Club	Use Only:
Trustees on the Incident R	eview Committee:	
Date of Committee Meeting	g:Decision:	
Signature of Chair:		

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Club Officers 2022

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