

September 9th, 2006 STEEL PLATE SHOOT

It was a lousy day for a plate shoot, but we still had fourteen shooters show up to test their skills. Right after we got set up, it rained for about five minutes, then stopped. After that we had dry weather for the rest of the match. I want to thank everybody who showed up. It was a fun day. Because of the wet grass we had the zig-zag match where the shooter doesn't move but shoots from side to side with the stop plate in the middle. The winner this month was Frank Simmerer with a final score of 54.47 seconds. Great shooting, Frank. Even though he used a 9mm, I will attest that they were strong enough to work the slide back and forth on his gun. I hope this puts to rest the ugly rumor that he used wussy loads. I won't tell anybody I started that rumor, Frank, if you don't.

I have to apologize to all the shooters who were expecting the El Presidente. We didn't have enough workers show up, due to some miscommunication. Some thought that because the club was holding the Women in the Outdoors event that the whole club was closed. But that event was held close to the clubhouse and didn't effect us. I will make sure that the El Presidente will be up and running for our last match of the year on Oct. 14.

I want to thank Dennis Nelson and Rick Heyt for helping run the match, and all the other guys who helped set it up and tear it down. Without you we couldn't put it on. If there is anybody who has any questions about our last match of the year on Saturday Oct. 14, you may contact me at pl8shootr@aol.com. It's open to members and nonmembers alike. So bring a buddy to check it out. The more the merrier, and I guarantee they will have a good time.

Until then, focus on that front sight, and think safety.

See you at the next match.
Chris Hackett

Stage #1 - Main Event

Name	Practice	Round #1	Round #2	Final Score
Frank Simmerer	25.03	30.38	24.09	54.47
John Byers	28.62	29.55	29.13	58.68
Lawrence Brown	23.71	30.64	30.34	60.98
Chris Hackett	56.55	40.17	24.35	64.52
Jeff Yacks	49.36	27.03	38.07	65.10
Bill Mitchell	33.12	26.67	42.17	68.84
Brad Barnaby	30.26	34.34	54.34	88.68
Ismael Gomez	44.88	36.35	58.79	95.14
Doug Evink	44.58	63.83	31.31	95.14
Mark Vaughn	DNF	55.42	43.25	98.67
Joe Geelhoed	DNF	55.42	43.25	98.67
Nick Koster	DNF	86.60	77.49	164.09
Dennis Nelson	108.00	DNF	132.00	DNF
Greg Vaughn	DNF	DNF	DNF	DNF

Stage #2

Name	Practice	Round #1	Round #2	Final Score