

KERN SHOOTING SPORTS, 501-C7
MINUTES FROM the MEETING OF
June 22nd, 2022
@ Casa Munoz, Bakersfield, CA 93305

Executive Committee Business Meeting

The executive business meeting was called to order by Jay Busby at 6:50 PM. Present at the meeting were Jay Busby, Daryl Amble, Tom Bittleston, William Karch and Bill Bright.

A primary membership application for Grant Kniffen was presented for acceptance by Bill Bright. Tom Bittleston made a motion to accept the new members with a second from Daryl Amble. Motion passed.

Tom Bittleston said that he would purchase radios and timer before the match on Saturday. (A \$200.00 amount had been approved in the previous Executive Committee meeting.)

Daryl Amble asked if he could use the club golf cart for the shotgun match on Saturday. Bill Bright said that the hill brake does not work on the golf cart. Daryl said that he would meet the repair man to get that repaired.

Tom Bittleston made a motion to adjourn the executive committee meeting at 7:02 PM. Motion was followed by Daryl Amble. Motion passed.

General Business Meeting

The General meeting of Kern Shooting Sports was called to order by President Jay Busby at 7:02 PM.

- 1) The minutes from May 18th, 2022 were presented for errors. Tom Bittleston made a motion to pass the minutes as written. Daryl Amble followed with a second. Motion passed.

PRESIDENTS REPORT: JAY BUSBY

2) Workday

- a. Cook shed- Jay and Brett Coughran sealed the cook shed. Rat traps will need to be replaced.
- b. Hunter safety sea train door needs to be sealed. It was suggested that conveyor belting could be used.
- c. Canopy material has been replaced. Another workday will be needed to put shade material on the sides. This has been put on hold until cooler weather.
- d. Score shed needs repair. (Wood rot and door seal.) It was suggested that metal siding be put on the exterior walls and painted with exterior paint. Cost will be researched.
- e. Shooting benches need to be re-finished. Jay Busby spoke with people that he knows that deal with a lot of wood working about the best way to seal the tables for long term. It was recommended to use Kilz (primer) and follow up with 3 coats of Urethane or Kilz paint.
- f. Target shed in the pit needs to be painted or have metal siding installed on it also.

3) NRA grants have been applied for:

- a. 2022 Family Fun Day Grant has been submitted by Daryl Amble.
- b. 2022 NRA Foundation State Fund (Rifle Program) Grant.
 1. Grant 22CAS014 has been accepted with exceptions.
- c. Pistol Grant application has been submitted. No response back yet.

4) Ray Cox will take over the sales of the club firearms.

5) Kern Shooting sports will be offering the sale of three throwers to the club members. Repairs need to be made to the throwers. Throwers are old models.

- a. Sales of throwers have been put on hold.

6) A request was made for an increase for the cost to maintain the club's website. Issue was tabled to look at other options.

- a. Tabled for now. This will be brought up in next Executive Committee meeting.

7) Shiloh Darrow has offered to manage the social media account for Kern Shooting Sports. (Facebook, Etc.) Shiloh Darrow was not available at the meeting. It was mentioned that all information needs to be the same across all media platforms.

8) A battery tender has been purchased to maintain the batteries for the shotgun program. Jay will set up the battery tender on Sunday.

VICE PRESIDENTS REPORT: Daryl Amble

- 1) The final shotgun program class and barbeque was held on June 18th.
- 2) The course finished with 13 students.
- 3) Thank you to Jay Busby and Brett Coughran for cooking.
- 4) Next years program will need to be looked at for funding.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Bill Bright

Is looking at helping others to learn to reload ammunition.

TREASURERS REPORT: George Stilwill (Absent)

- 1) Financial Report was presented. Starting balance of \$10,831.06 with an operating fund of \$14,459.33. A motion was made by Daryl Amble to accept the treasurers report followed by a second from Tom Bittleston. Motion passed.

EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORT: TOM BITTLESTON

Nothing new to report.

- 1) Class dates for the basic pistol class are:
 - a. May 14th, 2022 (So far two students have signed up.)
 - b. August 27th, 2022
 1. Contact Tom Bittleston for more information at tbittleston@att.net .

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR: BILL KARCH

- 1) Come out and shoot the high power and M1 Garand match.
 - a. Benches can also be used during the matches.
- 2) The last high power match for the year will be held on Saturday.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1) The next CA Hunter Safety is July 16th, July 17th .
- 2) Justin Welch from the National Rifle League (NRL) will put on a demonstration for a NTL match on Sunday June 26th, 2022.

- a. Range will be closed to members on Sunday morning.

NEW BUSINESS:

OPEN FORUM:

Motion to adjourn at 7:50 PM was made by Tom Bittleston followed with a second by Bill Bright.

Calendar

July

Saturday 16th Steel Challenge 8:30 AM

Saturday 16th CA Hunter Safety @ Jay's Classroom 8 AM to 5 PM

Sunday 17th CA Hunter Safety @ KSS Range 8 to noon. 1 PM to 5 PM @

Jay's classroom for review and test.

Wednesday 20th KSS Monthly Meeting at Casa Munoz 7:00 PM

Saturday 23rd Open All Day

Sunday 24th NLR 22 Match 8AM to 12PM.

Saturday 30th Open All Day

August

Hunter Safety call Jay Busby at (661) 871-9025 for pre-registration details

Saturday 6th Open All Day

Saturday 13th 22 Falling Plate Match 8:30 AM

Wednesday 17th KSS Monthly Meeting at Casa Munoz 7:00 PM

Saturday 20th Open All Day

Saturday 20th CA Hunter Safety @ Jay's classrooms 8 AM to 5 PM

Sunday 21st CA Hunter Safety @ KSS Range 8 AM to noon. 1 PM to 5 PM
@ Jay's Classroom for review and test.
Monday 22nd CA Hunter Safety Home Study/ Follow up. At Jay's Classroom
4 PM to 8 PM.
Saturday 27th NRA Basic Pistol Class -morning in town & afternoon @ 5
dogs range 12-5 pm
Limited to 10 students Fee \$75.

September

Saturday 3rd Open All Day
Monday 5th Steel Challenge on Labor Day 9:00 AM
Saturday 10th 22 Falling Plate Match 9:00 AM
Wednesday 14th Rifle Registration for Parents/ Instr. Mtg./signup @
Jay's Classroom 7:00 PM
Saturday 17th Open All Day
Saturday 17th Rifle Class 8-5 @ Jay's Class Room All Day
Sunday 18th Rifle Class 8-3 @ 5 dogs Range All Day
Wednesday 21st KSS Monthly Meeting at Casa Munoz 7:00 PM
Saturday 24th M1 Garand Match - Fee \$ 45 with Hat \$ 60. 9:00 AM

October

Hunter Safety call Jay Busby @ (661) 871-9025 for pre-registration details
Saturday 1st Rifle Program 8-12
Saturday 1st CA Hunter Safety at Jay's classroom 8 AM to 5 PM.
Sunday 2nd CA Hunter Safety at KSS Range 8AM to noon. 1 PM to 5 PM
at Jay's classroom for review and test.
Monday 3rd CA Hunter Safety Home Study/ Follow up. 4 PM to 8 PM at
Jay's classroom
Saturday 8th Steel Challenge 9:00 AM
Sunday ? FNRA Grant Deadline 5:00 PM
Saturday 15th Open All Day
Wednesday 19th KSS Monthly Meeting at Casa Munoz 7:00 PM
Saturday 22nd High Power Match 8:00 AM
Saturday 29th Open All Day

November

Saturday 5th Rifle Program 8-12
Saturday 12th 22 Falling Plate Match 9:00 AM
Wednesday 16th KSS Monthly Meeting at Casa Munoz 7:00 PM
Saturday 19th M1 Garand Match and Turkey shoot. 9:00 AM
Saturday 26th Open All Day

December

Saturday 3rd Rifle Program 8-12
Saturday 10th Steel Challenge 9:30 AM
Saturday 17th First SG class in Quonset Hut - be there at 7:30 AM. All
Day
Saturday 17th Open Open
Wednesday 21st KSS Monthly Meeting at Casa Munoz 7:00 PM
Saturday 24th Open Open
Sunday 31st Open Open

Anyone wishing to have Rifle Practice on the Open Days Call George Stilwill
661-319-2589

or Bill Karch 661-399-6780 to set something up.

M1 Garand Matches are in February, May, September and November.