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# Official Monthly Newsletter of the NRS

By the NRS

for the NRS

## From the Section Coordinator

Hello to all.

We are continuing to make good progress in our section with new members and growth within our clubs. We may see Big Fork back up and running before to long. A gent by the name of Bill Zerwekh is trying hard to put things back together. Support Bill and the BF club however you can.

You will also seeing our newly updated and streamlined by-laws and other info about the NRS from your club reps. Your Board members and club reps are working hard to make the NRS better for all our local shooters.

So far our season is going well and hope to see you out on the range. Area-1 in Missoula was a big success and those who attended had a great match. Several shooters from our clubs did well, congrats from all of us.

Remember to invite a new shooter out to the range when you can. It is a great experience and you may find you have a new club member before you know it.

Welcome to your NRS newsletter –Gene R. Pipinich/SC

## Calendar

### Bozeman

August 6, 3-Gun Match

September 3, Special Classifier

### Billings

July 16th - Big Sky State Games

August 20th - SECTION CHAMPIONSHIP

### Bigfork

Pending—see other areas of the newsletter for details.

### Missoula

July 31 - MT Single Stack Classic

August 14 - Special Classifier

# Club

# Rep

# Advisory

## GAS - Bozeman

Hello again to everyone. We had a good turnout for our July SLOT match with 27 competitors. We had quite a few new competitors. Our next match will be on August 6 and is our second 3-Gun match, we hope to see everyone come out and participate with us on setting it up and shooting the stages. We used one of our new bays that we have added and it is in great shape for shooting from. Please check out our website for the up coming match info. It is turning out to be a great looking match with some really fun and challenging stages. Thanks to everyone who has helped us and competed at our matches.

## BFGC- Bigfork

Keep your eyes open for the Big Fork club may be getting some people together and get back on the circuit again before the end of the year.

We will keep you informed of their progress and are wishing them Good Luck!!!!

## MCAS - Billings

Our season continues to go well, with new shooters, and good attendance.

Upcoming matches:

July - Big Sky State Games - remember to sign-up for the state games by July 5th in order to receive your free shirt.

Yes, you must sign up for the state games in order to compete in this match, so you might as well do it early, and get the free shirt!

August - Section match - more info to follow soon.

## BSPSC - Missoula

Area 1 2005 is over and was a great success. We had a total of 259 shooters and beautiful weather for the most part. It rained a bit on Saturday morning but it wasn't a problem.

The match ran incredibly smooth thanks to a dedicated and skilled crew of CRO's and staff. We had only four DQ's and no ARB's which is phenomenal for a match this size. I want to thank everyone involved in the production and execution of this event, you are the heart and soul of practical shooting and without you it would not have been possible.

I especially want to thank those of you from other clubs that came over to help us out all week. You guys worked your butts off and we appreciate it more than you know. I hope you all will be proud of your accomplishments, I certainly am! Thank you again from everyone at BSPSC!

## Tech Notes

This tech notes section is a short version by the SC. We have a pending set of new 3-gun rules under review by the USPSA and available for our review on the WEB. We also have a proposed set of Single Stack rules for member review. For those interested, please review and make your opinions known to the USPSA.

Please take the time to read your new green rule book. Discuss it at your practices and matches and help each other come up to speed on the changes. This is how we help each other out and become better competitors, USPSA members and improve our Section.

## Member Feedback

One of our main goals at the NRS is to make the shooting sport we all share FUN, competitive and enjoyable.

We want to hear your concerns and will do our best to address them. Just remember, we are all shooters just like you and cannot solve every problem.

But we will do our best and will work towards a fun and competitive environment.—

Gene R. Pipinich NRS SC/05