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Official Monthly Newsletter of the NRS

By the NRS

for the NRS

From the Section Coordinator

Hello to all.

Area-1 is just around the corner and I want to wish all that attend a great and memorable match. It is a great event for those that can attend.

To those who cannot, please get out and support your local clubs. Take a friend or an interested person out and show them our support. The USPSA is now over 15,050 strong. Let's do our part to into new people to our sport.

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.

You will also seeing our newly updated and streamlined by-laws and other info about the NRS from you club reps. You 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.

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

Calendar

Bozeman

July 2, – Slot Match

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

June 22-25 USPSA Area 1 Championship

July 31 - MT Single Stack Classic

August 14 - Special Classifier

Club

Rep

Advisory

GAS - Bozeman

Hello again to everyone. We had a great turnout for our June match with 29 competitors, we even had a nice break in the weather and the rain stopped just for our match, Our next match will be on July 2 and it is the Slot match, we hope to see everyone come out and participate with us on setting it up and shooting the stages. Our new bays have been added and we are hoping to use them in the next upcoming matches. We also have a nice parking area along the fence line and at the end of the berms for convenience to all of our shooters. We also wanted to mention that the USPSA membership is up to 15,054 and it is thanks to all of us members that keep this wonderful sport going. 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:

June - Slot Match

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.

See you all at Area 1!

Scott

BSPSC - Missoula

The Big event is just around the corner.

June 22-25 USPSA Area 1 Championship is in full swing and we look forward to seeing as many of you as possible.

We look forward to a challenging, fun and exciting match and look forward to see everyone from Area-1 who can make this outstanding match.

Tech Notes

1. So.... what if you drop your gun during a course of fire (including loading, reloading, & unloading)?

Match DQ..... UNLESS - you intentionally PLACE the firearm on the ground or stable object, maintain physical contact until it is placed firmly, stay within 1 meter of the gun, AND you don't break the 180, AND the gun is in 'ready' condition, or unloaded and locked open. Check out Rule 10.5.3, and subparagraphs, as I have paraphrased a bit here.

2. If a physical barrier is present, what's the minimum distance allowable for shooting at a steel target?

7 meters, Rule 2.1.3 -- most clubs are still using 10, but the rule is now 7.

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