



# Millcreek Practical Shooting League

## November, 2005

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### Next Match – Saturday, November 12

Gates Open at 7 AM

ROs – Pistol Stages

Bob Luisignan/Tom Still \* Bill Smith \* Bernie Haldiman \* Mike Burr

ROs – Long Gun Stages

Ron Yurczak \* Rick Inglema/Joe Smith \* Clint Ancker

### Nominations for 2006 MPSL Board of Directors

Remember that nominations for the 2006 BoD are open to all current members in good standing. All interested persons need to contact Jon Espy, Club Secretary at [jespy@gearforsports.com](mailto:jespy@gearforsports.com) no later than the November match to be placed on the official ballot. The election taking place during the December match. Write-ins will be permitted.

### General Membership Meeting – Saturday, November 12

In addition to finalizing the ballot for the 2006 BOD, there will be a general membership meeting in the club house after the pistol stages. If you have specific issues or concerns on how the club performed in 2005, how you would like to see the club operate in 2006 or any other issue, this is your opportunity. **The long gun stages will begin once the meeting is concluded.**

Topics for discussion:

- Single Stack Division in 2006
- Definition of a member in good standing – requirement to set up two stages (or equivalent)
- Use of USPSA classifications in 2006
- Elimination of monthly award plaques in 2006

### October Results

Division	Class	Winner
Open	HOA	Rick Byfield
Open	1 <sup>st</sup> B	Brad Pederson
Open	2 <sup>nd</sup> B	Jens Simpson
Limited	HOA	Blaise Cornell-d'Echert
Limited	1 <sup>st</sup> C	Shannon Royle
Limited	2 <sup>nd</sup> C	Scott Bishop
Limited-10	HOA	Ron Yurczak
Limited-10	1 <sup>st</sup> B	Scott Hattrup
Limited-10	1 <sup>st</sup> C	Max Moore
Production	HOA	Ken Russell
Rifle	HOA	Rick Byfield
Rifle	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Max Moore
Rifle	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Randy Atherton
Shotgun	HOA	Mike Eastin
Shotgun	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Randy Atherton

To recognize a class or division, there must be at least three shooters within that class or division.

40 pistol shooters came out in the morning and shot 102 rounds (without missing) on four courses.

- Classifier HIGH STANDARDS CM 03-18 (24 Rounds)

- 25 Yard North (30 round field course with two disappearing targets, clam shell and a swinger)
- 50 yard (24 round field course)
- LE range (24 round *running* field course)

11 Long gun shooters signed up for the afternoon of two rifle and one shotgun stages.

Congratulations to all the Division and Class winners!

### Factoids

Here are some data from this year as well as comparison with the previous year.

Round Count (Pistol) at Club Matches in 2005 (YTD)	Rounds	Month
High	139	June
Average	103	
Low	73	January

Number of Pistol Shooters at Club Matches	2004	2005 (YTD)
High	53	59
Average	40	43
Low	31	27

What We are Shooting (%) at Regular Matches	2004	2005 (YTD)
Open	25%	21%
Limited	28%	30%
Limited 10	36%	31%
Production	8%	15%
Revolver	3%	4%

### November Range Notes

#### Setting up on the Day of the Match

Range is open at 7:00 AM for setup. If setup crew is going to be late on a stage, please contact J.D. Smith ahead of time.

If you are the RO, come prepared with a course design in mind. The Pistol Match Director will work with you to create a challenging but safe course of fire but come with some ideas.

If you require assistance in building the course, you should be able to enlist a volunteer, two or more on the day of the match to help you haul stuff, set up targets and do what ever is necessary.

#### End of Year Celebration

As in the years past, there will be an end of year celebration. The format will be similar with gun drawings, prize tables, sales tables and food. All these activities will commence after the 2006 BOD election and the December match.

Remember to bring something to enter in the door prizes. You must also be present to win in the drawings for guns.

More information regarding the festivities will be published in the December Newsletter

#### Millcreek PSL membership

One of the membership requirements of MPSL is setting up two stages during the year. If you

### 2005 Calendar

The dates are posted below. Please check at your calendars and sign up for two stages when you renew your membership. We ask that all the dates are filled before getting a second person on them. If you shoot long guns, we also ask you to focus on getting those slots filled first. For signups or scheduling issues, please contact Jon Espy at [jespy@gearforsports.com](mailto:jespy@gearforsports.com).

	Classifier	25 Yd North	Classifier 25 Yd South	50 Yd Range	LE Range	Rifle #1	Rifle #2	Shotgun
November 12	CM99-11	Bob Luisignan/ Tom Still	Bernie Haldiman	Bill Smith	Mike Burr	Ron Yurczak	Rick Inglema/ Joe Smith	Clint Ancker
December 10	CM03-12	Joe Clark/ Craig Cigard	Robert Davis John Kermagesian	Bill Smith Rob Smith	Pat Slevin	Annual Meeting No Long-gun Stages		

The pistol stages need to be ready for a 9:00 walkthrough. If you are responsible for setting up a stage, please make every effort to show up as soon as the gates open at 7 AM.

have fulfilled this requirement, thank you for meeting your membership obligations!

In the past couple months, there were several incidences of no shows. That was why there was no Shotgun match in August. If you were at the range early on September, that was why one of the pistol stages was slow to get set up – because someone did not show.

If you have a conflict that prevents you from meeting this obligation, contact a fellow club member and ask them to help you out. Once plans are made, notify one of the match directors. Your commitment is to ensure someone is on site to set up a course.

### NRA Membership

As part of shooting at the Millcreek Rifle Club range, it is required that all MPSL members also belong to the NRA. Please bring a copy of your NRA publication with the address label or a NRA membership card as a proof of current membership when you renew MPSL membership for 2005.

**You can renew your NRA membership at a special pricing through the club.**

### Other Local Clubs and Matches

**Bullet Hole Practical Shooting Club** – USPSA club that meets every Friday evening at the Bullet Hole in Overland Park, KS. [www.bhpsc.com](http://www.bhpsc.com)

**Capital City Practical Shooters** – USPSA club that meets on third Sundays at Capital City Gun Club in Topeka, KS. [www.capitalcitygunclub.com/pistol/ccps.html](http://www.capitalcitygunclub.com/pistol/ccps.html)

**Kansas City Shooting Masters** – IDPA club that meets on last Saturdays of the month at the Bullet Hole in Overland Park, KS. [www.kcshootingmasters.com](http://www.kcshootingmasters.com)

**Osceola Organized Practical Shooters (OOPS)** – USPSA club that meets on second and fourth Sundays of the month at Clark County Pistol and Rifle Club in Osceola, IA. <http://www.ioweb.com/oops/>