



APRIL 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27-Mar	28-Mar	29-Mar	30-Mar	31-Mar	1-Apr	2-Apr
Skeet/Trap 10-3	Boy Scouts					Sporting Clays Tutorial
OFFICE CLOSED	OFFICE CLOSED	OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 8-11am
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Muzzle Loaders Skeet/Trap 10-3	Boy Scouts			Sporting Clays League		Intro to Action Pistol
OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 11-1pm	OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	OFFICE CLOSED
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Silhouette Skeet/Trap 10-3	Boy Scouts			Sporting Clays League Archery Meeting 7 pm		Action Pistol
OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 11-1pm	OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	OFFICE CLOSED
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Action Pistol Skeet/Trap 10-3	Sporting Clays Meeting 6:30 PM Boy Scouts	Board Meeting 7 PM	The Well Armed Woman 6-8 PM	4X4 Club Sporting Clays League		Cowboy Action
OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 11-1pm	OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	OFFICE CLOSED
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Skeet/Trap 10-3	Boy Scouts		Steel Challenge League	Sporting Clays League		Action Pistol Team Match
OFFICE CLOSED	OFFICE CLOSED	OFFICE CLOSED	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 4-6pm	BRGC Office 8-11am

RANGE RULE UPDATE: EYE AND EAR PROTECTION REQUIRED ON ALL FIREARM RANGES

Though already posted on most of our ranges, the board voted to include the requirement of eye and ear protection on all firearm ranges to the standard club range rules.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings! It is beginning to look a lot like SPRING! Check out our club calendar and take note of all the activities at your club. The workers and volunteers in all the divisions have many fun activities planned for your enjoyment. Archery is starting off the season with a shoot June 11th, Skeet has a shoot May 6th, Sporting Clays has an introductory event on April 2nd and Clays League starts April 7th, There is an intro to pistol shooting class on April 9th and monthly Pistol shoots are on the 3rd Saturday of each month, Steel Challenge League starts April 27th, the Cowboys have monthly shoots on the 4th Saturday and the Muzzleloaders shoot on the first Sunday and Well Armed Women meet on the 3rd Wednesday. WOW! Have fun, shoot straight, play fair and be safe.

Mac Clark ([contact the Club President](#))

MASTER PLAN IMPROVEMENTS – UPDATE

The generally warmer and drier March weather allowed Knife River to make significant progress on the construction of the new pistol bay, parking area, and road. The grading and gravel placement is nearly complete and the remaining work, including concrete, fencing, and seeding, will take place later in the spring. We continue to keep the ranges open as much as we can; if you are unsure of the status of the range, please contact the Club (259-0006) before making a trip to the range. The Board apologizes for any inconvenience this work causes, and we are sure that the membership recognizes the importance of continuing to improve our Club's facilities. Watch for announcements for other upcoming range improvements as the Board continues to keep making improvements to the best gun club in the region.

Matt Waite ([contact the Club Vice President](#))

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ARCHERY

Archers, a couple of dates to put on your calendar. We have scheduled a work party for May 14th, weather dependent of course. Another date to remember is June 11th. We will have a 3D shoot. Signup will be from 7:30 to 11AM. There will be 25 targets and the entry fee will be \$25. If you are interested in helping with the setup or takedown, please contact Isaac Orth or Mike Niles. There has been some interest in starting up a weekly league. If you would like to participate, please contact John Collins or Mike Niles. Our next archery meeting will be April 14th at 7PM in the club house, come meet some of your fellow archery enthusiasts.

Mike Niles ([contact Archery Division](#))

RIFLE AND PISTOL

Muzzle Loaders will shoot on April 3rd and will use Bay 1.

Silhouette shooters will meet on the 10th to shoot targets using Bay 1.

Action Pistol will start the month with an intro class on April 9th, using bay 3, then continues with matches on both Saturday the 16th and Sunday the 17th using bays 3-8. Saturday is a USPSA match and Sunday is a 2-Gun match. Steel Challenge League starts up with weekly shoots on Wednesday, April 27th, bays 3-4. Another match (a Team match) will be held on Saturday the 30th, bays 4-8. Find more info here: <http://www.magiccityactionshooters.org/matches>

Cowboy Action will hold a shoot April 23rd, they will use bays 3-4.

The Well Armed Woman-Billings Chapter will hold their monthly meeting on Wed, April 20th from 6-8pm. All women are invited to attend. For more information go to twawshootingchapters.org.

Jen Adams ([contact Rifle/Pistol Division](#))

SKEET AND TRAP

Skeet and Trap facility is open on Sundays from 10 AM to 3PM to members and public. Skeet fields 1, 2 and 3 are available to members every day. Tokens can be purchased from the desk worker or from the vending machine located on the east wall of the building at any time.

Token prices have changed and are now \$5 each which pays for one round of skeet or trap.

There are three registered shoots coming up at BRGC this year. The Rimrock Open will be on May 6th -8th. The Yellowstone Open on June 10th -12th, and the Montana State Shoot on August 19th -21st.

Mike Hammond ([contact Skeet Division](#))

SPORTING CLAYS AND FIVE STAND

The Spring Sporting Clays league starts on Thursday evenings on April 7th and will run through June 30th. Signup sheets are at the Sporting Clays Clubhouse. We would like to have teams that can start early to begin shooting from 3 to 3:30 to make things less crowded at 5 to 5:30.

We will be having a Sporting Clays Tutorial on Saturday April 2nd. This is for anyone who wants to learn how to shoot a shotgun safely and how to shoot basic clay targets. It will also give you information on how to shoot Sporting Clays and show you how our Wi-Fi target system works. The cost is \$15 to cover Target costs and 12- and 20-gauge target ammunition is available at the club for \$11 a box. The course will start at 10 am with a safety talk of 45 minutes to an hour followed by shooting at basic targets. You can bring your own shotgun-safety glasses and hearing protection. We do have a loaner shotgun at the club. Please call or text 406 690 0854 if you would like to attend.

The next Sporting Clays Meeting will be April 18 at 6:30 pm.

Richard Lewallen ([contact Sporting Clays Division](#))