

Northern Colorado Rod & Gun Club (NCRGC) December 2021 Newsletter

December Upcoming Events

- 12/4 - Range Cleanup and RSO Day
- 12/5 - Defensive Pistol
- 12/11 - CCW Class
- 12/12 - Skeet & Trap
- 12/16 - Board Meeting
- 12/18 - NRL22 Match
- 12/19 - 3D Archery
- 12/25 - Steel Challenge (Cancelled)
- 12/26 - Skeet & Trap
- 1/1/22 - Ring in the New Year Steel Challenge

Please check the Club's [WEBSITE](#) and [CALENDAR](#) for additional information.

New Club Facebook page



Due to circumstances beyond our control, and someone actually deleting the NCRGC Facebook page with years of content, we have had to create a new NCRGC Facebook page. We will be using the page to

post details of upcoming events, photos and other NCRGC related content. Please visit www.facebook.com/www.ncrgc.org/, "Like", "Follow", add to it and then continue to visit the page to stay up to date on the latest NCRGC news and information!

Range Safety Officer Course

Brian Holder, Chief Range Safety Officer

Bryon Fessler, Chief Range Safety Officer

The next Range Safety Officer (RSO) course will take place on Saturday, January 29, 2022, from 9 am to 6 pm at the River of Life Fellowship Church in Wellington. RSOs play a critical role at our Club, and they are present at all our sanctioned events. Participants will learn about roles and responsibilities; Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs); range inspection and range rules; range safety briefing; emergency procedures; firearm stoppages and malfunctions; and test and review all for the low price of \$45. Students will receive an RSO student packet, hat, lunch, snacks, and drinks. Please arrive a few minutes early as we will start promptly at 9 am. After registering, you will receive a PayPal link to pay within 24 hours (please check your spam folder). You must pay for the course to reserve your slot. This course normally costs \$100 - \$150; however, the Club offers it at a reduced price and asks only that you RSO a few matches each year.

Link to register:

[https://www.nrainstructors.org/CourseDetails.aspx?](https://www.nrainstructors.org/CourseDetails.aspx?Courseid=696926&seats=25&State=y&SearchState=CO&id=5&bsa=&youth=&women=)

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National Rifle League (NRL) 22



Bryon Fessler, NRL22 Match Director

The [National Rifle League 22](#) is a 501c3 non-profit organization dedicated to the growth and education of precision rifle shooting through a wide range of outdoors-related public interest activities. These activities are designed to develop marksmanship skills for those participating in the shooting

sports, promote firearms and hunting safety, and to educate the general public about firearms. [Northern Colorado Rod & Gun Club](#) (NCRGC) hosts monthly NRL22 matches on the 3rd Saturday of each month. Participants are asked to pre-register, pay, and squad using Practiscore (see link below). We will have seven stages (five from National and two fun stages). Please check in with the Match Director (MD) upon arrival. Setup at 8 am, zero/DOPE as soon as setup is complete, announcements at 9:20 am, and match start at 9:30 am. There is a mandatory safety briefing for new shooters at 8:30 am so please arrive on time. Rules and regulations are on our website (www.ncrgc.org). Please contact the MD at nrl22@ncrgc.org if you have any questions. Thank you!

[https://practiscore.com/clubs/northern colorado rod and gun club](https://practiscore.com/clubs/northern%20colorado%20rod%20and%20gun%20club)

Grab your gun, leave the boys at home, and come shoot with the girls!



Rebecca Lee, Group Leader

Donna Schmid, Group Leader

Attention ladies!!! Women on the Range (WOTR) is an organized NCRGC group open to women of ALL skill levels and disciplines. We will be holding informal monthly meetings at the range to practice skills, planning group gatherings both on and off the range, and attending scheduled Discipline events together (such as Defensive Pistol, Know Your Limits, Skeet and Trap, etc.). Our goal is to build confidence while practicing our shooting skills and to create an inviting space to meet up with old and new friends. If you love to shoot, come join us! If you're not sure if shooting is for you, come check it out. From beginner to more advanced shooters, everyone is welcome. We hope to see you on the range!



Steel Challenge December match cancelled

Steven Jessup, Steel Challenge Chair

The Steel Challenge match is cancelled for December due to conflicts with the holidays. Hope you have a wonderful Christmas, and may Santa bring you lots of ammo!

The next couple of months are very weather dependent for holding an SC match. Mud and snow can make it very unsafe to hold a match in the tactical bays. We will take each month as it comes, so stay tuned and check the club calendar the day before a match date!

Ring in the New Year - Jan 1, 10:00 to 2:00

It is almost time again; another brand-new year is only a month away!! We will once again be holding a Ring in the New Year shoot, a pistol/.22 event in tactical bays 1 & 2. But what about cold temperatures you ask??? We have a newly refurbished warming hut! And we'll have coffee and hot chocolate. And donuts to keep those calories burning. Deep snow and or mud could get in the way, but not cold! What is this all about? This is a chance for every club member and their friends (Public event) to bring their pistols out to the range and ring in the New Year properly! We will have steels of every kind up and available for your ringing pleasure. There will also be a timed, multiple magazine series - with a prize for the best time... Hope you can make it; this is going to be a blast!!!

Range Clean Up on Saturday, January 8

Attention members, please note the January Range Cleanup will be on Saturday, January 8th at 10:00 am - Noon because of the New Year Holiday. Don't forget to come out and take care of that Range Cleanup requirement to keep your membership renewal cost at \$150.00.

Clean up before you leave the Range



Dean Sailer, Assistant Range Master

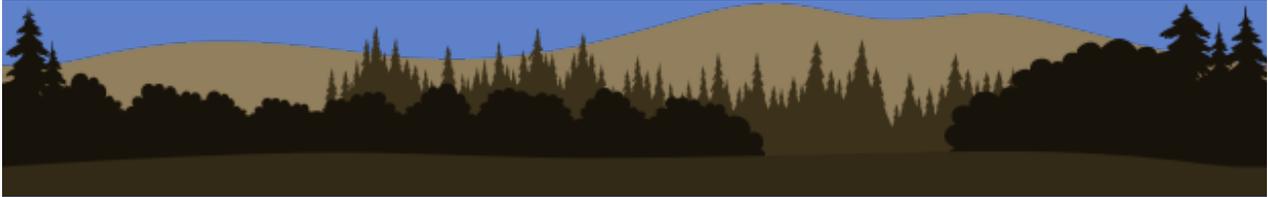
Nobody wants to have to clean up as soon as they arrive at the club for some time to relax and have fun. We are all in this together and we need everyone's help keeping the range as clean and as safe as possible. Please respect others and always clean up after yourself before you leave. Leaving things in better shape than you found them, when possible, would certainly be appreciated. If you do notice something of concern, or that may be unsafe, please send an email describing your concern to BOD@NCRGC.org or you can always call **970-282-1648** and leave a message.

Range Master Needed

Brian Holder, President

The Range Master (RM) plays a pivotal role in the Club and is part of the Executive Committee. The Range Master maintains the range facilities; schedules cleanup days and times; schedules subcontractors for Club maintenance and installation projects; maintains key and lock access to all Club facilities and equipment to ensure that only legal items are

safely stored on site; makes sure all materials are inventoried for insurance purposes; and supports the Discipline Chairs for their organized rifle, pistol, shotgun, and archery matches and events. To assist the RM, the Club contracts with an Assistant Range Master (ARM) who helps oversee range cleanups, performs general maintenance, purchases supplies, mows, trims, and monitors and enforces our safety rules. The Board is ready to provide lots of support and resources to the new RM. Please contact the President, Brian Holder, at PRESIDENT@NCRGC.ORG if you are interested in the volunteer position or if you have any questions.



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