

President's Letter

June 22, 2017

We had our first 100 degree day yesterday. Our patio thermometer got up to 105 at midday. I guess summer is really here. It is raining and will only reach 80 degrees today. Quite a difference. Be aware that the summer dress code is in, and that you should dress comfortably. We don't want anyone falling out from the heat. And don't forget to drink plenty of water and go into a cool place if you feel overheated. The Temperance Hall has an A/C and a couch to rest on if necessary. Be aware that when you are heat stressed you may not be able to be as careful and aware of things when shooting as you normally would be. Always make safety to yourself and to others your main concern.

To help you cool down after the match, Root Beer floats will be available to everyone after the match. I hope you enjoy them.

It is also snake season. Remember, don't reach any place you cannot see for sure that there is no slithery creatures within striking distance. Better to loose a piece of brass than a finger or arm, or maybe a life.

Although everything is nice and green and moist right now, several hot and dry days could cause a Burn Ban to be put into effect at any time. Keep yourself aware of the weather conditions and act accordingly.

Hurricane season is upon us again. If you are at risk of being hit by one, don't forget that the range has a couple of bunk houses that our shooters could use to weather the storm and maybe even get in some practice while at the range. Don't risk your life for a few worldly possessions.

I hope everyone who went to EOT had a good match and made some fabulous memories to keep for forever. A good rule to follow is, If it is not worth remembering, don't do it.

A hungry Wolf came upon a young Bull and killed it and ate the whole Bull. He was so happy that he had such a great meal that he started howling in delight. A rancher heard the Wolf howling and snuck up on the Wolf and shot and killed him. The moral of this story is: If you are full of Bull, keep your mouth shut.

Always strive to be the person that your Dog thinks you are.

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