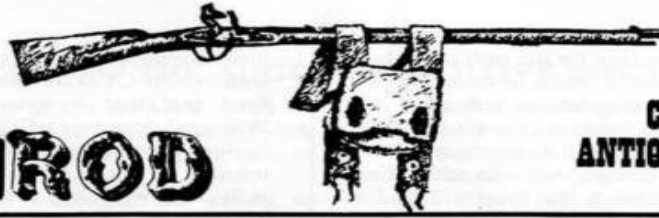


# THE RAMROD



CHISHOLM TRAIL  
ANTIQUE GUN ASSOCIATION  
WICHITA, KANSAS

## April 2020

May Events			Upcoming Events		
5/2 Sat	10:00	Muzzle Loading Match	6/6 Sat	9:00	Muzzle Loading Match
5/3 Sun	1:30	+40 CAS	6/7 Sun	1:30	22 Monthly Match
5/3 Sun	1:30	22 Monthly Match	6/11 Thu	7:00	CTAGA Board Meeting
5/9 Sat	10:00	TR Goes West	6/13 Sat	9:00	+40 CAS
5/14 Thu	7:00	CTAGA Board Meeting	6/14 Sun	9:00	D-Day Match
5/18 Mon	6:00	22 Bench Rest Match	6/15 Mon	6:00	22 Bench Rest Match
5/21 Thu	7:30	CTAGA Monthly Meeting	6/18 Thu	7:30	CTAGA Monthly Meeting
5/23 Sat	9:00	22 Steel Challenge	6/20 Sat	9:00	22 Steel Challenge
5/24 Sun	9:00	Monthly CAS	6/28 Sun	9:00	Monthly CAS
5/30 Sat	9:00	Range Work Party			

**\*Currently all May scheduled events are expected to take place, starting with Saturday May 2 and Sunday May 3.**

**Muzzle Loader Match:** ML Rifle, Trade Gun and ML Pistol

**22 Monthly Match:** Events as previously published for May

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All matches will be held as published in the Ramrod, unless otherwise indicated by email updates. The yearly calendar is an approximation of events throughout the upcoming year. If there is a change, it will be circulated by email as soon as possible.

**REMINDER:** The Ramrod comes out after the monthly club meeting to publish the club minutes.

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## CTAGA Board Minutes - April 9, 2020

*The Board did not meet in person, the meeting was conducted via group email. (Covid-19)*

### **President - Jim Fry:**

- Dues collection will be delayed, somewhat, until after the proposed by laws change vote to increase the dues; hopefully May or perhaps June meeting.
- Nominations for officer is to take place at the May meeting.

### **Vice President - Victor Keeton:** *Nothing to report*

### **Treasurer - Jim Wishart:**

- Our actual loss for the Spring Gun Show was \$19,472. The Hartman Arena did not charge us and will carry our deposit over to the Fall Show. Most dealers elected to roll their prepaid table fees to the Fall show, so very few refunds were given out.
- The largest of our two certificates of deposit (CDs), both 5 year, matured and was deposited in a pass-book account with the same bank. We will watch CD rates for a better market with higher yields before again investing.

### **Publicity – Don Maxey:**

- Securing outdoor advertising for the Fall Gun Show will begin early, in June, this year due to the Fall election cycle.

### **Gun Show – Jerry Shoemaker:**

- It is extremely important that we elect a new Gun Show Chair, Jerry has some health issues and cannot continue in this role. He would like to use the Fall 2020 Show as a training opportunity for the new leader, planning to make the transition as seamless as possible.
- It is suggested that we purchase a new laptop computer for use by the Gun Show chair. The current laptop is old, obsolete and is not being used.

### **Range – Bill Allman:**

- Porta Pots have been cleaned out and sprayed for insects. Cancelled April service on Porta Pots (due to lower use; no matches) for \$400 credit
- Range mowing has begun.

### **Program Ron Dyke:**

- Will confirm program with Wes Lumry for the May meeting.

## **Announcements:**

- The Board has approved the appointment of Lance Heath to the CTAGA Board as Secretary for the remainder of this term. Thank you Lance, for agreeing to fulfill this need.
  - The Insurance Waiver forms are available at the 200-yard Range House and at the Cowboy Shack (East Wall - outside) along with a collection box for signed waivers.
  - \* **EVERY MEMBER MUST HAVE A SIGNED WAIVER ON FILE AND THEY WILL BE UPDATED EVERY YEAR AT RENEWAL TIME. EVERY GUEST YOU BRING TO THE RANGE MUST SIGN ONE AS WELL. A SIGNED WAIVER IS REQUIRED FOR ANY SHOOTING ACTIVITY INCLUDING ALL SCHEDULED MATCHES.**
- This is a requirement by our insurance company and if we do not comply, we could lose our insurance coverage and in turn lose the use of our range.

## Announcements (continued):

- It is extremely important that we find a new Gun Show Chair, Jerry Shoemaker has some health issues and cannot continue in this role. He would like to use the Fall 2020 Show as a training opportunity for the new Gun Show leader, planning to make the transition as seamless as possible. Please consider filling this need as our next Gun Show Chair.
- Because we had a recent fire at the range resulting from a spark from a member shooting, I would like to remind everyone that all shooting at the range should be at designated target stands (provided at each range) with paper targets or existing metal targets on that range. Do not shoot items on the ground (range floor) or sitting on the railroad ties or shooting extremely fast (rapid fire). Do not shoot jacketed bullets unless you are shooting paper targets. Remember our range is to be used as a target range and not a shooting gallery.

*I am not saying the fire was caused by any of the improper shooting activities mentioned but such activities can greatly increase the possibility of a bad situation. So please shoot responsibly and have fun. Fortunately, no damage was caused by the fire.*

Any member found in violation of our range rules is subject to disciplinary action.

Range Officer – Bill Allman

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3. Individual members using the ranges other than at designated matches must use proper targets for the range being used, placed in the proper position and on the proper target holders so as to ensure the bullets impact the berm. The Range Officer may allow individual usage of iron “ringer” or silhouette type targets on some ranges at his discretion.

**A new summer league, the 22 bench rest shoot, will begin on May 18 and will be held the 3rd Monday of each month. The 200-yard range will close for the event at 4:00pm. Match will start at 6:00 pm, and will finish 30 minutes before dark. No prize money will be awarded.**



### Gun Show Schedule

October 10 & 11, 2020

March 27 & 28, 2021

October 9 & 10, 2021

***PREAMBLE: The purpose of this organization is to promote fellowship, interest, and study in the collection and shooting of antique firearms and other black powder type firearms***



**TR GOES WEST!!!  
BIG GAME HUNT!!!**

**MAY 9TH, 10:00 AM  
CTAGA 200 YD. RANGE  
50 RDS. PRE-1916 RIFLES**

**S SHOT, LEVER, BOLT, SEMI-AUTO**

**25 CAL. OR LARGER**

**IRON SIGHTS, NO SCOPES**

**30 RDS. SINGLE ACTION REVOLVER**

**38 CAL. OR LARGER**

**THIS IS A BIG GAME HUNT, SO DRESS ACCORDINGLY!!**

**BRING BINOCULARS, CROSS STICKS, AND SHOOTING PAD OR SMALL  
TARP.**

**<< EYE AND EAR PROTECTION >>**

**QUESTIONS? CONTACT BILL ALLMAN, 785-224-4918.**

# D-Day Rifle Match

## “Assault On Belleau Wood”



June 14, 2020, 9:00 am

Main Match - CTAGA 200 yd. Range

Team Match - CTAGA 100 yd. Range

RIFLES: WW II or earlier rifles that are military surplus from any nation firing a cartridge designed before 1919. Rifles must be standard “as issued” iron sights with no special unit, scopes or sniper sights. Examples: Mauser 93, 95, 98, Springfield 1892, 96, 98, 03, 03A3, M-1, Enfield’s, US 1917, Russian 91, Martini, Etc.

AMMO: 40 rds. Main Match, 16 rds. Team match. Lead Bullets

MAIN MATCH: 8 rds. Each from 5 stations advancing from 200 yds towards targets. Only complete holes in the target will count.

Uniforms encouraged (for spirit) but not required. No grenades or pistols required.

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Questions: Contact LeRoy Burgess, 316-788-2024.