



## Falmouth Rod and Gun Club Newsletter

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*July 2007*

*And Now Presenting....*



This is what the range roof looks like as of June 20, 2009.

### *Come Join Us for the Rifle Range Roof Grand Opening!*

After many years of fund raising, waiting, designing waiting and permitting followed by many months of blood, sweat and drenching the Falmouth Rod & Gun Club is proud to announce:

#### **Grand Opening and Dedication of the Rifle Range Roof** **at the July Social Meeting, Monday, July 13, 2009.**

We thought the best way to open a range is with a shooting competition so that's what we're going to do followed by a short dedication and a Bar-B-Q with lots of soft drinks, hot dogs and burgers as well as some wild game such as goose wrapped in bacon and duck wrapped in bacon (our theory is that everything taste better wrapped in bacon!)

- Starting at 5:30 PM - 5 Shot Rifle Competition (see rules below)
- 6:30 PM – Dedication
- 6:45 PM - Bar-B-Q

If you would like to compete in the 5 Shot Rifle Competition for Glory and Prizes here are the rules:

- Five Dollar Per Head Entry Fee for the Pot
- Any Caliber, Silhouette and Range Rules Apply
- Two Categories:
  - Iron Sights
  - Scopes
- Five Shots at a Paper Target at 100 Yards, Tightest Group Wins
- Prizes:
  - Iron Sights Winner – 25% of the Pot
  - Scope Winner – 25% of the Pot
  - 50% of the Pot will be contributed to the “Firing Line Improvements” fund

This is a rain or shine date (we have a roof now after all) so please plan to attend

#### **Spring Clean Up:**

\*Thanks to everyone who helped at the annual clean up day on April 25, 2009. We had a great turn out and the club was looking good in time for the inter-club shoot.



#### **Inter-Club Shoot:**

We congratulate the FR&G Team for winning this year's Inter-Club Shoot! The FR&G Team consisted of Dave Jordan, Steve Lemieux, Ryan Ingersoll, Alex Rogers and Dave Merrill.

Falmouth hosted teams from Scarborough and Androscoggin. A good time was had by all.

Thank you to all who worked so hard to make this a success!

#### **Cowboy Action:**

\* The remaining Cowboy Action Shoots at FR&G dates for this year are the following Sundays; August 2 and September 6.

\* Cowboy Action Practice Night will be every Monday night around 5:00PM starting May 11<sup>th</sup> on the lower pistol range.

\* If you are interested in participating please contact Leo Arsenault at [aliasmokeysue@ymail.com](mailto:aliasmokeysue@ymail.com) or (207)829-3092



Cowboy Action...It Ain't Just for Boys!



**Action Pistol – Falling Plates:**

\* Action Pistol is in full swing again on Saturday mornings at 9:00AM. \* If you are interested in participating please contact John Kramchuster at [jkramchuster@maine.rr.com](mailto:jkramchuster@maine.rr.com) or (207)657-4371

**SOMETHING NEW!!!**

\* The Action Pistol Committee is working with the Cowboy Action Committee to use some of the Cowboy’s steel targets to set up a **Steel Challenge** Shoot on June 27<sup>th</sup> on the Upper Pistol Range.

\* If you are interested in participating please contact John Kramchuster at [jkramchuster@maine.rr.com](mailto:jkramchuster@maine.rr.com) or (207)657-4371

**Silhouette Shooting:**

\* Silhouette Shooting takes place on Wednesday Evenings at 5:00PM.  
\* A great way to keep your shooting skills sharp all year long.  
\* This is a GREAT opportunity to introduce beginner shooters to target shooting. Think the fun of an old fashioned shooting gallery under safe, structured shooting conditions. Come out and have some fun!



**Trap Shooting:**

\*Come out and join us any Sunday morning starting at 10AM or Wednesday evening trap shooting throughout the summer.

**Social Meetings and Speakers:**

\* SOCIAL MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE SECOND MONDAY OF THE MONTH  
\* We started this year’s speakers in May with FR&G Member Bob Taylor who shared his experiences on the sea as a captain for thirty years. Just shy of 30 members heard great stories and enjoyed good pizza.  
\* June’s guest speaker was Eric Bartlett, President of the Saco River Hunting Retriever Club, and his award winning retriever “Blue”. Eric and Blue gave an impressive demonstration of what a champion dog can do as well as training tips.  
\* Please watch the web site for a list of speakers and please plan to attend.



**Archery:**

\* This Spring, the Archery Committee will be re-cutting the archery shooting lanes off of the road down to the lower pistol range. We will be placing targets made of burlap bags filled with plastic grocery bags that will be left out for club members to use. PLEASE field points only.  
\* We are continuing to stuff target bags. Wow, it takes a lot of bags to stuff a target tight. We would appreciate if you would save us your plastic grocery bags for stuffing targets. Please bring them to the club and leave them at the club house.  
\* If you are interested in participating in the archery program please contact either: Jim Mullin at [jmullin@gaftek.com](mailto:jmullin@gaftek.com) or (207)781-5993 or Ryan Ingerson at [r.ingerson.4x4@gmail.com](mailto:r.ingerson.4x4@gmail.com) or (207)725-0814

**Business Meetings:**

\* Business Meetings are held the third Monday of month starting at 7:00PM. All members are encouraged to attend.

**E-Mail Notifications and News:**

\* If you have not been receiving e-mail notifications about upcoming social meetings then you are probably not correctly listed on our data-base. We intend to mail out a newsletter once a quarter to keep anyone who doesn’t “surf the web” up to date. If you have not been receiving e-mail notifications and would like to please send an e-mail to [jkramchuster@maine.rr.com](mailto:jkramchuster@maine.rr.com) with your contact info so John can update our data base.

**Make the most of your membership. Be an active member.**

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