

SHINING TIMES

SEPTEMBER 2022

No Shoot this month (September)

We have new Club Officers:

Thank You to all who have served over the last year and helped our club.

Especially Thank you to who have agreed to be officers in the coming year. Some have continued on and some have stepped up.

Your support is much appreciated.

Upcoming Events:

September Postal Shoot:

Pictures of targets back to
Travler by October 10th

Woman and Man of the Year:

**A big Huzzah for Sherry and Ken Kinkaid who
have really made the difference this year for the
Forest Hills Black Powder Brigade**

September To-Do:

Buy those Tags

Let's make meat!

CLUB OFFICERS

President—Ken Kinkaid Vice President—Gordon Ferlitsch Sec/Treasurer - Jack Meade
Range Officer- Jason Kincaid Safety Officer - Paul Bess Shoot Recorder - Sherry Kinkaid
FHBPB, PO Box 155, Forest Grove, OR 97116

September Club Meeting Minutes

17 September 2022

Meeting, called to order by Knief at 9:42. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

VP – no report

S/T The club's finances are in good standing.

SO – no report.

RO – Once the meeting is over, go home and have fun.

SR – no report.

Spring rondo- Slippery Nipple is still looking for a Segundo. Work parties the 3rd weekend in October & November. Will have a meeting the get to cutting trees and chipping limbs. Maybe a turkey shoot in November.

Announcements – Ballot measure 114 if passed, would require a permit to buy a gun. Douglas Ridge Rile club in Estacada has said we could shoot with them, 8:00 am on the 3rd Saturday. Contact Ken for more info.

Old Business: The structures at Steve's have been removed. Shoot site; Heiser Farms is out. Still need to contact Steve Riberio in S. Salem. The Canby Gun club was given copies of our safety and range rules and snapshot of insurance coverage. Just waiting for their board to review and get back to us.

New Business: Elections of officers; President, Ken; Vice President Gordon; Secretary/treasurer Jack; Safety Officer Paul; Range Officer Jayson; Shoot recorder Sherry. Woman and Man of the year; Sherry and Ken Kinkaid.

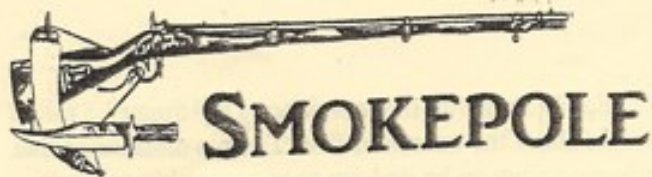
New Members – none

Member(s) of the month – The 13 who helped tear down and move the shoot sheds.

Motion made & second to adjourn 10:17

Respectfully submitted.

Jack Meade



FORT UMPQUA MUZZLELOADERS
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MEETING: Monday, September 19, American Legion Hall, 8th & C St., Springfield, on the left side. Social time is 6:30 pm, meeting at 7:00. There will be a special program in addition to regular club business and discussions. This is our first meeting since May.

SHOOT: Saturday, September 24, Emerald Empire Gun Club, McGowan Creek Road, Springfield. Set-up at 9:00, shoot at 10. Eye and ear protection required by EEGC, we have it if you don't. Potluck lunch to follow at the Multi-purpose Building. I don't know any more, just show up and we'll all be surprised together.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Walt Evens

Greetings! It looks like we have two major events left in the year, our Harvest Moon Encampment in October and the annual Christmas Party in December.

We will be resuming our meetings this month, starting on Monday the 19th. Bob Morrell will be talking about Cleaning and Seasoning Cast Iron Cookware. Nominations for Officers start now with the election in Nov.

We have match sponsors for every month except December. I suggest we go ahead and have it on the morning of New Year's Eve. We plan on asking everyone at the next shoot and seeing what they say. Bruce Cameron wants to have an informal shoot and Bar-B-Que at his place out near Dorena on Saturday, October 22. The times will most likely be the same as at the gun club; set up at 9:00 am, with the fun starting at 10.

We're going forward with becoming an NMLRA Charter Club. We have more than the minimum number of members required. Hopefully, having our monthly shooting events in their magazine will help increase attendance.

We've started planning for the Frontier Heritage Fair for 2023. I for one, have really missed it! Information will go out to the vendors in November.

Until next month, keep yer powder dry and yer top knot safe! -Walt wrevens@yahoo.com 541-315-2030

FORT UMPQUA DAYS REPORT by Lorraine Hayden

Elkton Community Education Center was finally able to resume their Fort Umpqua Days celebration Labor Day weekend.

Bruce Cameron provided a parade float with his Civil War Mountain Howitzer mounted on a trailer while we passed out candy and toys he provided. At noon he and the blacksmith each fired blanks from their cannons for a demonstration.

I manned the trade counter in the Granary building with friend Troy Dunham helping on Saturday and former member Rick O'Nion on Sunday. A club information table was set up in the demonstration area behind the fort and folks helped themselves to the various handouts.

Six camps were set up for demonstrations (beading, weaving, spinning, spoon carving, music sign language and gold mining) by re-enactor friends down from Washington State. They all love the opportunity for Living History outreach and the mission of Fort Umpqua, so they happily traveled down to participate in the event.

Kids were kept busy fulfilling tasks to complete their Hudson's Bay Company work contracts and were given payment in trinkets from the trade store. The Barracks building was closed due to an infestation of endangered bats, but the Bat Man was due to start mitigation and remove them the following Tuesday. There was a good turn-out of the public and all were very happy to have the fort bustling with activity again after Covid shutdown.

HARVEST MOON ENCAMPMENT: The dates are October 6-9 at Fort Umpqua. This is a primitive encampment but with a tin-tipi camp around the corner. We don't do a mass mailing of fliers but send them to past participants and those interested in attending. Club members especially are welcome to visit and to join us Saturday evening at 5:30 for a potluck. We do a drawing for those who donate a prize and that can get pretty entertaining. This year there really is a moon and we hope for good weather. We can't shoot but there will be hawk and knife, archery and seminars. To get a flier sent to you call Bob or Melody at 541-689-4281.

Since there was no Smokepole in July the rest of this month's is catch-up with two shoot reports/results.

SHOOT REPORT FOR JULY by Walt Evens

We did not have a sponsor for July so I threw some targets together with an Independence Day theme. I asked EEGC Life Member Dennis E. to act as Rangemaster so I could shoot the course of fire. Dennis mentioned that he wouldn't mind helping out in a situation such as this but doesn't want to be tied down to a monthly commitment. Besides, these shooting matches are much more interesting and fun when different people put them on.

We had ten attendees with eight participants with Dennis E. and Deb Eikenberry being the two non-shooters.

The first paper target was a small Bulls-eye in the colors of the British flag. The second was a Dart Board followed by Stars which represented fireworks, all on 8.5"x11" paper. The Bug Splat was a bigger (file folder) target and probably should have been a little farther back or posted on its side to make it a little more difficult. Lastly, we hung charcoals on strings with three shots possible. If you broke it on the first try, 30 points; second, 20 and third, 10.

The weather wasn't too awful. We finished and had the place cleaned up by 12:30. We headed down to the Multi-purpose Building for chili afterward. I want to thank everyone who showed up to support the event, Dennis for keeping us safe, and Deb for the extra photos.

JULY SHOOT RESULTS: Competitors were Elijah Barra, Natalia Barra, Jim Eikenberry, Walt Evens, John Grimes, Dave Johnson, John Priest and Ken Putman.

BRITISH FLAG	DARTS	STARS	BUG SPLAT	CHARCOAL	AGGREGATE
Walt E 50-X	Dave J 148	Dave J 50	Dave J 50	Walt E 30	Dave J 290-2X
Jim E 49-3X	Elijah B 123	Natalia B 30	Natalia B 30	John G 30	Elijah B 225
Dave J 47-2X	John P 108	Elijah B 30	Elijah B 30	Natalia B 30	Natalia B 217
John G 47	Jim E 103	Walt E 20	John G 20	Dave J 30	John G 203
Natalia B 47	Ken P 98	John G 20	Walt E 20		Ken P 186
Elijah B 47	Natalia B 90	Ken P 20	Ken P 20		Walt E 185-X
Ken P 43	John G 86	Jim E 10	Jim E 10		Jim E 177-3X
John P 39-X	Walt E 70				John P 147-X

SHOOT REPORT FOR AUGUST 27, 2022

Our sponsor this month was Dave Johnson. This is the first one he's done for us, and he handled it like a pro! We had eleven in attendance with 8 participants.

The first target was on 8.5"x11" paper. There were two colored lines. The narrow one (about an inch) was 10 points while the wider one (about 3") was 5. The second one was 5 Smiley Faces with one shot each. There were 5 points for the face and 10 points for the teeth. The third was five Bulls-eyes; a big one in the middle and smaller ones in each corner. The scoring was the usual, 10X, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, and 5 points for the larger one and 10X, 10, and 9 for the smaller ones. The fourth was a double Bulls-eye (side by side). Each one had two rings with a 10-point center and a 5-point outer. This was ten shots (five in each). The last one was a five-shot "Bug Splat" similar to what I did in July. I believe the distance was 25 yards, but we may have moved the frames in for the condiment packages.

I want to thank the following people: Dave Johnson for a fun and challenging match, Melody Morrell for scoring targets, her husband Bob for collecting them and taking them to her, Deb Eikenberry and Dave Johnson for the additional photos! We finished the event with chili and more fellowship in the Multi-purpose Building.

AUGUST SHOOT RESULTS: Competitors were Natalia Barra, Jim Eikenberry, Walt Evens, Walt's daughter Michelle Evens, Nick Hanauska, Ken Putman, John Priest, and Mathew Penkauskas

BLUE BARS	SMILEY	5 BULL	DIAMONDS	PODS	AGGREGATE
Nick H 25	Walt E 25	Nick H 47-X	Nick H 115	Walt E 30	Nick H 222-X
Michelle E 25	Ken P 25	Ken P 40	Walt E 85	Nick H 30	Walt E 174
John P 20	Jim E 20	John P 29	Jim E 80	Michelle E 20	Ken P 155
Walt E 15	John P 15	Mathew P 28	John P 80	Mathew P 10	John P 144
Ken P 15	Natalia B 10	Walt E 19	Ken P 75	Jim E 10	Jim E 137
Natalia B 10	Michelle E 10	Natalia B 19	Michelle E 50		Michelle E 115
Jim E 10	Nick H 5	Jim E 17	Natalia B 45		Natalia B 84
Mathew P 10	Mathew P 5	Michelle E 10	Mathew P 25		Mathew P 78

My deadline is now – watch for more features/news next month! Melody Morrell 541-689-4281

September Postal Shoot

All Shooting on your honor as a scoundrel

Off Hand, Open Iron, patched Round Ball

Photos Please

First Target: Buck Deer: Rifle or Trade Gun or one target each

Print on 8 1/2in x 11in paper

40 Yards—ONE shot Rifle or Trade Gun: (best one scores)

You would not get a second shot :-)

1 point for submitting a Target

2 points for paper

5 points for wounding the bugger

10 points for 8 ring or better—ie a kill shot

Second Target: Bulls eye: Rifle or Trade Gun or one target each

25 yards—Five shots rifle or Trade Gun:

Points per standard scoring

Third Target: Battleship: Pistol

Print on 8 1/2in x 11in paper

10 Yards—Ten shots Pistol

5 points for each ship sunk—hits much touch black dots

Minus one point for any shot not touching a ship

Forth Target: Squirrel: Any Muzzleloader

Print on 8 1/2in x 11in paper

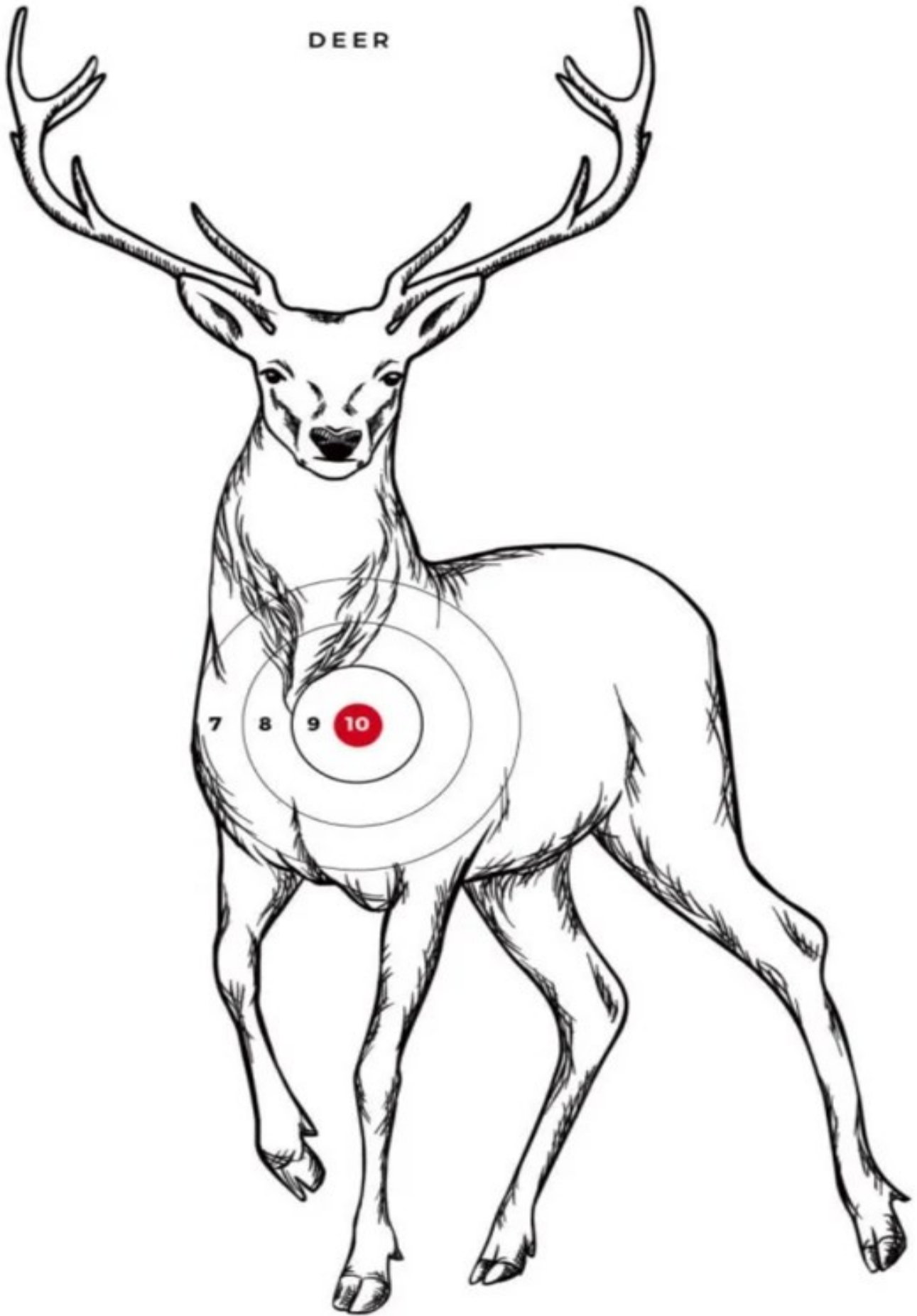
1 point for submitting a Target

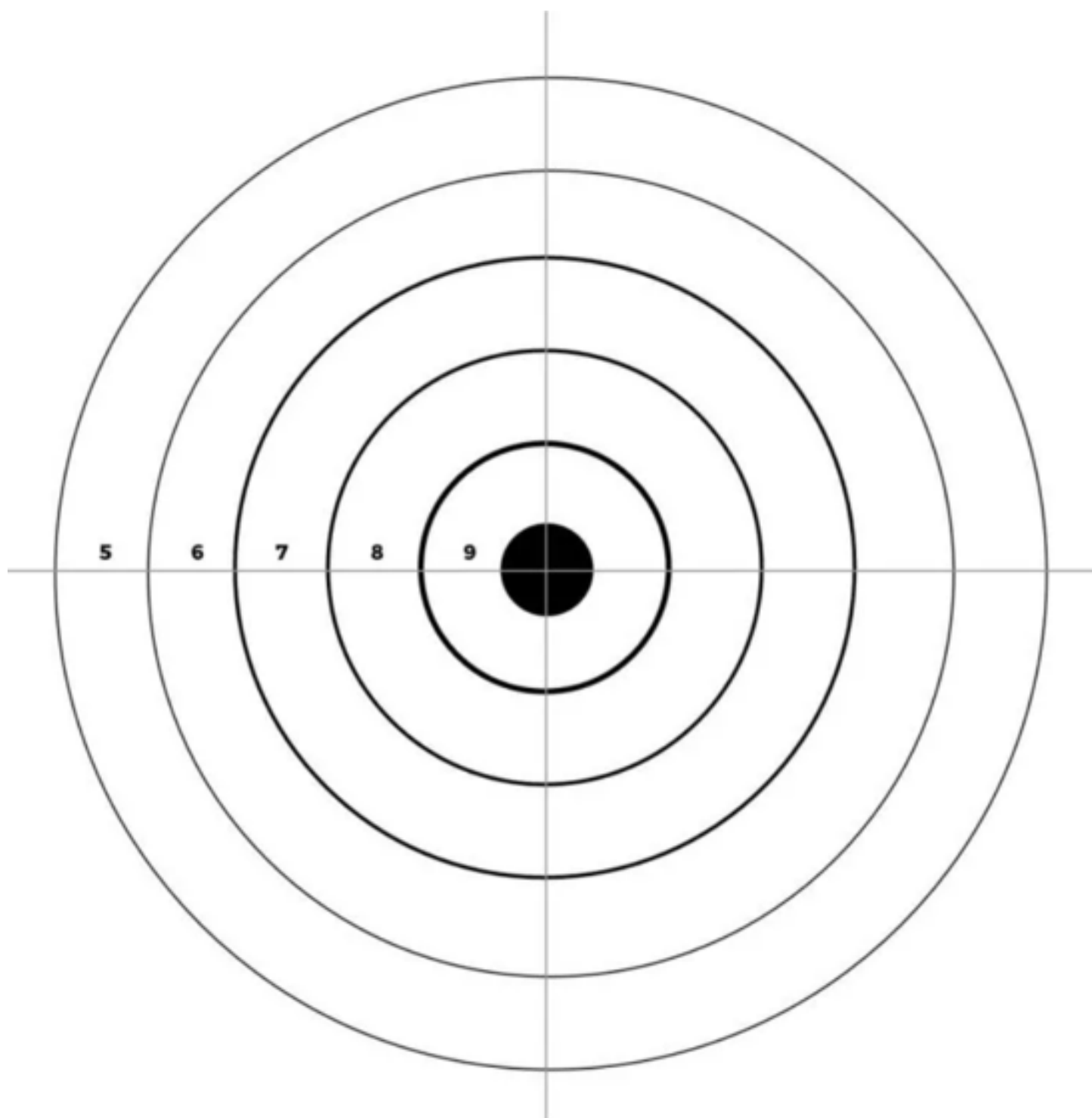
Any further number of targets—no Points

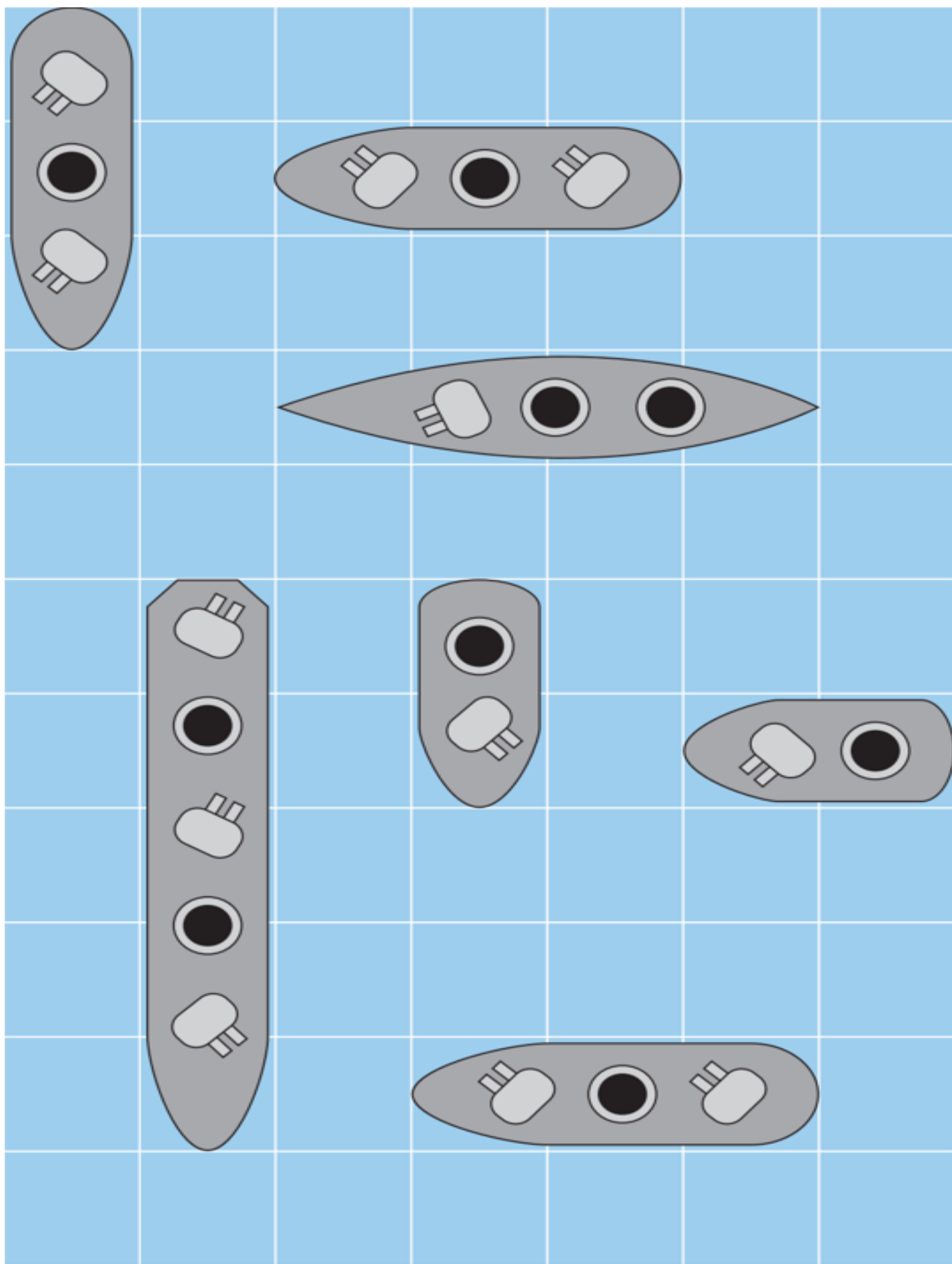
Any distance & Any number of shots

Just because we hate fucking squirrels.....

DEER









The Trade

Still 4 sale: This is a 16ft that I set up using Nomadics instructions . Not sure who made this. Come with Poles, pins and canvas. The door is as I bought it—wild naugahide....No liner. I would like \$400.

I also have some steel traps at \$10 ea.

Nick 503-704-8432



If you have something to Buy, Sell or Trade, let Nick
(Travler) know