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DAVE HEETER WINS FIRST MATCH OF THE YEAR

Dave Heeter, of Emlenton, Pa., was the winner of the first BPCR Silhouette match of the 2009 season at the Ridgway Rifle Club in Ridgway, Pennsylvania, April 26th. Dave shot 32 out of 40 steel silhouettes and scored 5 chickens in some very challenging conditions.

There were 27 attendees at the April match shooting in midsummer weather conditions. The match started with a temp of about 60 and ended in the high 80's. Humidity was low at around 25-30 percent making barrel fouling a little tough to handle. We can't talk about a Ridgway match without discussing the wind. The wind was very blustery with gusts up to the 15-20 mph, making the spotting and shooting a challenge with the inconsistent wind direction.

As we stated above, Match Winner was Dave Heeter with Chuck Troy as Second Open scoring a 31. First Master was Steve Maurer (29) and Brian Chilson (28) taking Second Master.



Eli Liston (25) won First AAA with John O'Donnell (25) taking Second AAA. Bill Simmen (23) took Third AAA for the day. Lorren Brown shot a 22 to take First AA with Craig Artman (17) taking Second AA. First A was taken by James Schintzius with a 14.

First Scope was taken by Brian Chilson with a 28. John Powers took Second Scope with a score of 26 and Ed Heeter won Third Scope with a score of 22.

The Ridgway Rifle Club and all attendees would like to congratulate all the winners. I would like to thank all those that attended and we hope you had a good time.

As with all the matches, they couldn't happen without the volunteers who call relays, paint targets, cleanup and dump the trash and help with the statistics. Thanks to Ross Arnfield, Craig Artman and Al Ogden for calling relays, Brian and Deb for painting and setting up targets and

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for all those that helped pickup at the end of the match. A great lunch was brought up by Joey's Bakery of Ridgway and we thank them also.

Remember to shoot straight, often and don't forget to involve the younger generation in our shooting sports.

Match Director - John O'Donnell



Winners April 2009 BPCR Silhouette

Kneeling L – R: Steve Maurer, Dave Heeter, Chuck Troy, Brian Chilson Standing L – R: John O'Donnell, Craig Artman, Lorren Brown, John Powers, Ed Heeter, Eli Liston, and Bill Simmen.