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BPCR SILHOUETTE JUNE 2010

BRIAN CHILSON MATCH WINNER & 2010 PENNSYLVANIA STATE CHAMPION

Brian Scott Chilson from Nelson, Pennsylvania was the Match Winner and 2010 State BPCR Silhouette Champion with a score of 104 out of a possible 120. The 2010 Pennsylvania State Championship was held at the Ridgway Rifle Club in Ridgway, Pa. on June 12 & 13th. Brian also set another National Record with his score of 104 out of 120. This is Brian's 10th Pennsylvania Championship. Brian received several trophies and \$100 cash prize. Brian will receive the State Championship Trophy from the Pennsylvania Rifle & Pistol Association.



Brian Chilson - 2010 State Champion & Match Winner

There were a total of 31 competitors for this championship match. The weather

wasn't too bad with a couple rain showers over the two days, but nothing to dampen the spirits of the match attendees. There were the common Ridgway winds on both days which couldn't decide in which direction to blow. Even though this was the Pennsylvania State Championship we had seven states represented at the match covering the continent from coast to coast.

As stated above Brian Chilson was Match Winner and he also took the individual matches for both Saturday 53/60 and Sunday 51/60. Brian had a spirited shoot-off with Dave Heeter on Sunday for Match Winner with Brian edging Dave by one chicken. Second Open was taken by Dave Heeter 100/120 and he also placed Second Open Saturday 49/60 and Sunday 51/60. Robert Bloyer took Third Open 88/120. Bob also took Second Master on Saturday 39/60 and Third Open on Sunday 49/60. Steve Maurer garnered First Master this year with an 87/120. Steve also took First Master on Saturday and Sunday with scores of 41/60 and 46/60 respectively. John Haagen 85/120 came in with Second Master for the overall match along with taking Third Open on Saturday 47/60 and Second Master on Sunday 38/60. Kermit Hoke, with an aggregate score of 73/120 finished with Third Master and also took Third Master for Saturday (37/60) and Sunday (36/60).

First AAA was taken by John O'Donnell 78/120 and John also garnered First AAA on Saturday with a score of 42/60. Karl Nagel was the Second AAA winner for the overall match with a score of 77/80. Karl also shot a score of 42/60 for Third AAA for Saturday and 40/60 for Second AAA on Sunday. Mike Shamonsky Third AAA for the match with a score of 76/120 and he placed

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Second AAA on Sunday with a score of 34/60. Larry Kiehl 75/120 was First AA with Mark Chronister 75/120 coming in Second AA. John Bell shot a 61/120 to take Third AA. Rodney Barton 59/120 took First A with Albert Ogden shooting a 53/120 for Second A. John Estok. 42/120 finished the match with Third A.



Brian Chilson (Match Winner) & Roger Tremba (Scope Winner)

Roger Tremba was our top scope shooter taking First Scope with a score of 88/120 for the overall match. Roger also took First Scope 44/60 Saturday and Second Scope 44/60 Sunday. Roger also received several trophies and a \$100 prize. Ed Heeter shot a score of 85/120 for the championship to win Second Scope. Ed also took Third Scope Saturday with a score of 38/60 and First Scope on Sunday (47/60). Up and comer Scott Gardner shot an 80/120 to take Third Scope for the overall match. Scott also took Second Scope (43/60) on Saturday and Third Scope (37/60) on Sunday.

High Senior went to Bob Bloyer (88). We did not have any Women or Juniors entered in this competition. Iron Sight Team winners were the Ridgway Rifle Club Team consisting of Brian Chilson, Dave Heeter and John Haagen with a combined score of 289. This team set two National records during this match. A single day score of 149 and a combined two day score of 289. Great shooting guys! Scope Team winners were Roger Tremba, Ed Heeter and Tim Torson with a combined score of 234.

We had two attendees who shot their first Grand Slams at this match. John Bell shoot his first 10 in a row Pigs and Rodney Barton took 10 Turkeys in a row. Congrats guys!

Each and every person who placed in the overall match also walked away with many wonderful prizes donated by companies and individuals. The Ridgway Rifle Club would like to thank Buffalo Arms, Bill Ferguson (The Antimony Man), CH Tool & Die / 4-D Customer Die Co., CPA Corporation, Dixie Gun Works, John & Becky O'Donnell, Log Cabin Shop, MidwayUSA, Montana Vintage Arms, Powder Inc., Redding Reloading Equipment, Shiloh Rifle Manufacturing, SPG, LLC, Starline Brass, John Walters, and Wolf Publishing for donations. Their dedication and support to our shooting sport help make it that much more enjoyable for everyone.

I would also like to thank all those that helped make this Championship run smoothly over the weekend. Debbie & Brian Chilson along with Al Ogden and Mike Shamonsky took care of painting and setting the targets up prior to the match. Brian & Deb also transported the Target Setters to and from the bunkers. Thanks to Mike Shamonsky, Steve Maurer and John Estok for

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calling the relays and I would also like to thank all the others who helped clean and pickup after the match. I think everyone had enough to eat with all the food that Joey's Bakery brought up both days and we thank them.

The Ridgway Rifle Club would like to congratulate all of the winners in the 2010 Pennsylvania State BPCR Silhouette Championship and we hope you all had a wonderful time in Ridgway. Please remember we still have matches on July 25th, August 29th, and October 24th. Our two day Eastern Regional Match is September 25th & 26th. I hope to see you all there and please bring along a friend or two.

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

Match Director - John O'Donnell



Other pictures of the State Championship will be on the Ridgway Rifle Club Website.