

## Adult .22 Shoot Report for Feb. 19, 2011

We had 9 shooters for today's adult indoor .22 shoot. Jim Dietlein and Dave Wuethrich from the Midland Club showed up again, this time unannounced. I suspect they were trying to catch us unprepared. Luckily Jeff Madison was as usual on top of his game winning both the fifty cent Match Rifle event to take home three dollars and a losing lottery ticket. Then Jeff won the fifty cent Squirrel Rifle match to take home two dollars and another losing lottery ticket. Ken Orris came in second in the Squirrel Rifle event using my rifle. Ken won a losing lottery ticket. Second in the Match Rifle event from the Midland Club was Dave Wuethrich winning a losing lottery ticket. So it sure seems the State is the only winner on the lottery tickets! No surprise there I suppose. I even bought the tickets at a different vendor this time hoping our luck with the tickets would change.

Jim Devereaux bought a very nice looking H&R Mdl. 12 .22 target rifle with scope yesterday up in Traverse City and shot that today. Jim Dietlein shot his 40/65 caliber Browning falling block mdl. 1885 with a .22 liner in it and shot pretty good using Federal Lightning ammo. Most of us took a turn shooting Ken Orris' AR with dedicated .22 upper and the new MicroSight. The MicroSight is still amazing those of us who have not been able to see the front sight on a rifle for years.

I complained about the high cost of accurate shooting .22 match ammo, of which I seem to have *none*. And Jeff Madison, the man who makes the stock with the tuner to tune the ammo to the rifle, told me to quit my bitching. More of us are thinking we should make Jeff "detune" so once in a while we could win the big pot of two or three dollars.

Other events of the day were; Jim Devereaux brought in some fresh Cinnamon Buns unlike the stale cookies that were available last week. Thanks Jim.

We also discussed the Governor's proposal to tax our pensions and take away our Homestead exemptions. No one would admit to liking those proposals. We also took count on how many of us would show up for the Sunday work bee to finish up fixing the inside walls of the club. Three and a half of us said we would be there to help. I am only giving the Club President a half value as he refused to bring us lunch tomorrow and claims he does not know how to use a hammer.

Below are the scores, and so ends the "grey beards" shoot report.

### Fifty Cent Match Rifle Event

1. Jeff Madison	100-9X, 100-9X	total	200-18X
2. Dave Wuethrich	100-9X, 100-6X	total	200-15X
3. Bob Lorenz	99-7X, 100-7X	total	199-14X
4. Jim Devereaux	96-5X, 95-3X	total	191- 8X

5. Bob Hansen                      93-4X, 93-1X            total    186- 5X
6. Ken Orris DNF, must have been thinking about being taxed on his pension and the huge increase in his property taxes. That is if he had his hearing aids in and actually heard the discussion. Other wise he was probably just eating the sandwich he brought in and did not bother with shooting a set of targets.

Fifty Cent Squirrel Rifle Event

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| 1. Jeff Madison | 99-7X, 98-6X | total | 196-13X * |
| 2. Ken Orris    | 97-5X, 98-4X | total | 195- 9X   |
| 3. Bob Lorenz   | 95-0X, 98-5X | total | 193- 5X   |
| 4. Jim Dietlein | 97-6X, 94-4X | total | 191-10X   |

\*Jeff Madison used a rifle with a 4X scope that would not focus at 50 feet.

Regretfully Submitted,

Bob Lorenz