

## ***2022 Caribbean Classic News!***

Hello and Happy New Year to all registered 2022 Caribbean Classic shooters!

We are looking forward to welcoming all of you in Vero Beach very soon for the 2022 Caribbean Classic. As you have noticed from our ads and the online signup, we have expanded our program this year to give you the opportunity to shoot with us for the entire week and have a crack at shooting 900 registered targets. We'll be underway and busy every day from Monday, Feb. 7 thru Monday, Feb. 14! This will also include being able to get a hot breakfast and lunch at the club each day catered by Marsh Landing.

We are also very happy to announce that our Saturday night Shooters' Party at Pointe West Country Club is back on our schedule after last year's COVID cancellation. Every registered competitor will receive a free ticket and you'll be able to purchase a guest ticket for \$25 at registration up thru end of day on Thursday. The party fare is drinks and a buffet dinner served from 5-7PM. We will be awarding the winners of the FITASC, Sub-gauges, Super Sporting, and both Prelims, as well as having drawings for door prizes which all competitors who are present will have a chance to win. ELITE SHOTGUNS is again donating a competition-grade shotgun to be the final drawing of the evening. All KOLAR Main Event entrants will have a chance in this drawing and you need not be present at the party to win this gun.

We are proud to announce that KOLAR ARMS has again stepped up to sponsor the Main Event 200 which includes guaranteed money for our HOA Champion (\$2500), Runner-Up (\$1500) and all Class (3 deep) winners. (HOA Champion and Runner-Up come out of Class money). KOLAR also will again sponsor the beautiful silver tray trophies for HOA, Runner-Up, Class (3 deep) and Concurrents (2 deep) in the Main Event.

This year we have made a change to the awards for the Benelli Super Sporting, Guerini 5-Stand, ELITE Sub-gauges and the Rizzini and White Flyer Prelims. We will award trophies to recognize these Champions and Runners-Up only, and those individuals will be eligible for their class and concurrent money. In lieu of trophies to class and concurrent winners in these events, money will be returned back to those Class and Concurrents as follows: 1-5 entrants – pay one winner 100%; 6-10 entrants – pay two winners 60/40%; 11+ entrants – pay three winners 50/30/20%.

Super Sporting & 5-Stand: \$10/entry back to class and \$5/entry back to respective concurrent.

Prelims: \$20/entry back to class and \$5/entry back to respective concurrent.

Sub-gauges & 12 ga 50: \$5/entry back to class and \$5/entry back to respective concurrent.

We hope the returned money will be appreciated, especially this year with the ammo prices what they are and other rising prices involved in your travel here to be with us for this event.

Monday (2/14/22) we will wrap up the shoot with the FEDERAL CHALLENGE where we will be awarding FEDERAL ammo as follows: HOA five flats, Runner-Up three flats, Class 1<sup>st</sup> two flats and Class 2 & 3 one flat each. Concurrent Champions will win one flat each. All Monday competitors will also enjoy a free Valentine's Day buffet luncheon included in their entry which is sponsored by Summit Construction, so make plans to wrap up your week by sticking around and shooting with us on Valentine's Day!

### **Registration hours:**

Sunday (2/6/22): open 2PM-5PM *for MONDAY shooters only.*

Monday (2/7/22) open at 7AM *for MONDAY morning shooters only,*  
open at 10AM *for MONDAY afternoon shooters only.*  
open 1-5 PM *for regular registration.*

Tuesday (2/8) thru Sunday (2/13): ***open 8AM-5PM daily.***

Monday (2/14): ***open 8AM-11AM.***

### **Hotels:**

This is high season and a busy time in Vero Beach, so reservations are highly recommended. We have arranged special rates at the Holiday Inn Express at Ft. Pierce (at I-95 exit for Rt. 70) and at the Fairfield Inn by Marriott (at I-95 exit 147 (Rt. 60) at the Vero Beach Outlet Mall). Check our FACEBOOK page and our web site ***verobeachclayshooting.com*** for further details and rate cutoff dates. We are waiting for confirmation from one or two other hotels also, so check back occasionally as we will list them there as soon as information is available.

### **Ammo preorders:**

For all of our Caribbean Classic competitors, and especially those who will be flying in for our event, we want to make sure everyone pre-registered has the ammo you need for our shoot, including warm-up and Long Bird. **So, we will be taking *pre-paid* ammo orders beginning Wednesday, January 5 thru Monday, January 24. We have a dedicated phone line for this purpose (772) 410-4718** so you should not have a problem getting thru to us **between 9AM and 5PM** on those days. **All ammo preorders will be handled on this special line so please do NOT call the club number to place or check on ammo orders.** Once your order has been paid and confirmed, your ammo will be reserved with your name and will be waiting for you to pick up at the Maintenance Barn after you register. Please make sure you have your paid entry form with you in order to pick up your ammo order.

We will use the following formula to ensure that everyone has a chance to purchase the ammo they need for our events:

KOLAR Main Event: 1 flat (10 boxes) per entry

ELITE FITASC: 7 boxes per entry

RIZZINI Prelim: 5 boxes per entry

WHITE FLYER Prelim: 5 boxes per entry

Benelli Super Sporting: 3 boxes per entry

Guerini 5-Stand: 3 boxes per entry

ELITE Sub-Gauges & 12 ga. 50: 3 boxes per entry

FEDERAL CHALLENGE: 5 boxes per entry

**On-site Camping & Carts:**

And finally, our limited number of on-site camping spots for this event are **already fully reserved and we have no overflow camper space**, so please make other arrangements so you will not be disappointed when you arrive in Vero.

Also remember, in order to ensure that everyone who needs a cart has one available, all carts must be reserved ahead of time on your pre-registration on *Scorechaser*.

Everyone here at Vero Beach Clay Shooting Sports is looking forward to seeing you soon! If you have any other questions, please give us a call on the club phone Wednesdays thru Mondays at (772) 978-0935. Please note the club is closed on Tuesdays.

Sincerely,

Brian Palmer

VBCSS General Manager