



(9/6/22 Match report prepared by Jeff Swartz)

Field Target has taught us all a lot of lessons, and this past weekend's match was no exception. The lesson this time was "never trust the weatherman". While the weather reports leading up to the match all called for significant percent chance of thunderstorms, it miraculously cleared up the morning of the event, and we didn't see a drop of rain the entire match. The 4th FT event of 2022 at Fairfield Sportsmen's Association was held on Sunday September 4th, 2022 under skies that alternated between sunny and overcast, with moderate temps, but with rather high humidity. There was almost no wind other than a very light breeze every now and then.

The course was set up with a 32.7 Troyer rating which was 1T less than our last match. The forced position lanes were some of the easiest we've had all year, which was responsible for much of the drop in difficulty. But the rest of the course, while not very long, had many challenging targets.

We had 7 total shooters (6 in Hunter PCP and 1 in WFTF PCP) that showed up despite the weather forecast. In Hunter PCP, Justin Roberts and Eric Jones both completed the course with a score of 53, with Eric's score being a personal best. The small group of us gathered at the lane with the last remaining shooters and we probably put some extra pressure on Mike Gann who was still in the hunt for the win. Some of us were contemplating the possibility of a 3 way shoot off. But, Mike shrugged off the pressure and cleaned his last lane to finish in 1st place with a 54. Justin and Eric decided to forego a shoot off in favor of a coin flip, and that placed Justin in 2nd and Eric in 3rd. In WFTF PCP, Keith Walters looks like he's getting the WFTF thing figured out as he posted a very nice 54 to take first in that class, and also tie with Mike Gann for high score of the match.

Thanks to all who attended,

Jeff Swartz and Ryan Spanagel



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	Class	Name	Score / 60
1 st	Hunter PCP	Mike Gann	54
2 nd	Hunter PCP	Justin Roberts	53 *
3 rd	Hunter PCP	Eric Jones	53 *
	Hunter PCP	Ryan Spanagel	44
	Hunter PCP	Jeff Swartz	43
	Hunter PCP	Brian Meister	42
1 st	WFTF PCP	Keith Walters	54

* - Decided by coin flip

FSA Woods Course

Lane#	Loc	Target ID (or KZ)	Target Description	KZ, in	Notes	Dist, yds	Standing	Kneeling	Ext Up/Down	Ext Dark/Light	Windy	DF All	DF NoEnv
1	Near	T2	PP Cardinal	3/8		10.5						28.00	28.00
	Standing	Med	T14	PP Squirrel (side swing)	1 1/4	17.0	X					23.80	23.80
	Standing	Far	T31	AV Rat	1 1/2	22.0	X					25.67	25.67
2	Near	T3	PP Blue Macaw	1/2		20.0						40.00	40.00
	Med	T5	PP Standing Deer	3/4		28.5						38.00	38.00
	Far	T25	AV Rat	1		36.0						36.00	36.00
3	Near	T6	PP Woodpecker (side swing)	3/4		19.0						25.33	25.33
	Kneeling	Med	T12	PP Running Coon	1 1/4	29.0		X				34.80	34.80
	Kneeling	Far	T35	AV Rat	1 1/2	35.0		X				35.00	35.00
4	Near	T4	PP Coyote	3/4		23.0						30.67	30.67
	Med	T26	AV Rat	1		29.0						29.00	29.00
	Far	T16	PP Marine Toad	1 3/8		42.0						30.55	30.55
5	Near	T1	PP Box Turtle	3/8		17.0						45.33	45.33
	Med	T10	PP Walking Fox	1		34.0						34.00	34.00
	Far	T38	AV Rat	1 1/2		48.0						36.00	36.00
6	Near	T9	PP Scorpion (AV Rat)	1		23.0						23.00	23.00
	Med	T11	PP Attacking Grizzly	1 1/4		38.0						30.40	30.40
	Far	T33	AV Rat	1 1/2		55.0						41.25	41.25
7	Near	T7	PP Skunk	7/8		29.0						33.14	33.14
	Med	T36	AV Rat	1 1/2		45.0						30.00	30.00
	Far	T17	PP Cockatoo (AV Rat)	1 1/2		49.0						36.75	36.75
8	Near	T27	AV Rat	1		33.0						33.00	33.00
	Med	T13	PP Sitting Hare	1 1/4		39.0						31.20	31.20
	Far	T19	PP Owl (AV Rat)	1 1/2		42.0						28.00	28.00
9	Near	T8	PP Toucan	7/8		34.0						38.86	38.86
	Med	T34	AV Rat	1 1/2		40.5						27.00	27.00
	Far	T20	PP squirrel (AV Rat)	1 1/2		51.0						38.25	38.25
10	Near	T15	PP Beaver	1 3/8		35.0						25.45	25.45
	Med	T32	AV Rat	1 1/2		47.0						35.25	35.25
	Far	T18	PP Dragon (AV Rat)	1 1/2		52.0						39.00	39.00
Total# Targets		Targets > 40 yds	Smallest KZ, in for targets > 45 yds	Avg KZ, in		Avg Dist, yds				Course Std Dev		Avg DF All	Avg DF NoEnv
30		10	1 1/2	1.15		34.08				5.54		32.76	32.76