

#### HOLLOWPOINT

Harmony Hollow Firearms Training, LLC

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# Message from Steve and Eva

Welcome to the fall newsletter, and my apologies for not getting one out before now. As you may be aware, Steve has been engaged in the midterm elections as a candidate, and this has been very time consuming. Following the Elections on the 6<sup>th</sup> November we are happy to announce that Andy Barr, David Hale, and Ralph Alvarado won their legislative posts. All three are staunch supporters of

the Second Amendment and their campaigns were boosted by visits to Kentucky by the President, and his Son, Donald Jr., who spoke strongly in defense of our gun rights.

Here at Harmony Hollow we have played host to other courses, and organizations.

Among these were Bulwarks, and The Friends of the NRA. We also hosted another Machine Gun Shoot, and Firearms of free-

dom event.

The summer has been tragically marked by two mass shootings, thankfully neither in our State, but both drew the usual attacks from the left wing media and politicians. But as usual, the most popular of our courses is the Concealed Carry Deadly Weapons (CCDW) course for the State of Kentucky.

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WELP!

WINTER IS HERE.

I NEVER REALLY WANTED IT TO COME, BUT THE WEATHER NEVER LISTENS TO ME.

JUST LIKE RELITIVES, ARRIVES WHEN YOU LEAST EXPECT IT, AND OVERSTAYS ITS WELCOME.



#### **CCDW FACTS**

#### KENTUCKY CCDW DATA

Total Active CCDW permit holders 311,994

States that Honor KY permit 37

State licenses honored by KY 53 (States and Districts)

States not honoring KY permits 13

These are listed as: California, Connecticut, Hawaii, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, New Mexico, Oregon, Rhode Island, Washington, and Districts & Territories of District of Columbia (Washington D.C.)

#### FRIENDS OF THE NRA BANQUET

This year's banquet was held October 20th at the Clay Community Center in Mount Sterling. We had a great turnout and received more money for local sporting groups, than last year's banquet. The food was fantastic, and prepared by the local Youth Culinary team using local produce and foods, when available. Many people think that the Friends of the NRA, is the NRA, but it isn't; we are just what the title says, Friends of the NRA. You don't have to be a member of the NRA to be part of the

fun, or our Gateway Chapter that is based in Mount Sterling. If you would like to join the Mount Sterling, Gateway Chapter, please contact Jayne E. Mourning at 859 -556-2229 or Nathan Johnson at 859-585-0715. Please say yes, and support our community and our youth. https://

www.friendsofnra.org/

"Half the money raised at every Friends of NRA event throughout the country is given back to the state to fund programs and projects within their own area. The other half goes to The

NRA Foundation and is used to fund similar projects with a national scope.

The **NRA** Foundation grants provide essential program funding that ensures the availability of quality training and educational opportunities nationwide. Grants benefit programs such as youth education, law enforcement training, hunter education, conservation, firearms and marksmanship training and safety, and much more."

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#### VANENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL



Saturday, 16th of February is a date for the diary of all you Husbands, Fiancés, and boyfriends who have a special person in their life. How about a Valentines present that will not just show you care, but offer her protection. Harmony Hollow are putting on a reduced, women's only course for all females age 21 and

over. Cost is \$50.00, a savings of 23% off our regular price. This course is taught by a female instructor.





## **LEGISLATION PENDING**

The effect of the midterm elections on gun rights is likely to increase pressure for gun control. Incoming Democrat House members have repeatedly called for, what they term, common sense gun control. These measures include a general ban on all private ownership of firearms without strict screening and licensing provisions.

These proposals are unlikely to ever become law, at least under our current president, but it does give us a strong warning as to democrat intentions. As I see it, the coming year will feature two controversial pieces of legislation.

Bump Stocks: The president has faced opposition from the NRA and other gun rights groups for his support of a ban on Bump stocks. These devices are currently legal accessories, and use the rifles recoil to load and fire rounds faster than a standard semi-automatic; in that the trigger is pressed automatically, as the gun requires a pull of the trigger to operate each shot. It is still not a fully automatic weapon, but is a close enough to simulate a machine gun. A gun fitted with such a device can be effective in laying down a high rate of fire as we saw in Las Vegas. It makes the gun far less accurate than its semi auto counterpart. This legislation will almost certainly pass, as it has bi partisan support, though for different reasons. Personally, I do not see this as an infringement any more than age limits, and possessions by criminals are. In any case, this is a change in the law that is coming.

Constitutional Carry: This is another piece of legislation that is likely to be reintroduced in the Kentucky State Legislature. As it has been in previous years, its future is far less certain. The idea is that the Second Amendment does not make any restrictions on bearing arms, and therefore, all citizens should be allowed to carry a firearm without training or knowledge of any state laws. I have friends who ardently support this view. Harmony Hollow instructors do not, despite the fake accusations that we have a vested interest in maintaining a training component. The real reason is very simple; the laws on the use of deadly force, and carrying firearms in public, vary wildly from state to state. Ignorance of these laws is no defense in law or the court; therefore, the CCDW course is a protection for the gun owner far more than a restriction on gun ownership.

Reciprocatory Permits: There has been a lot misinformation about reciprocatory, and we have addressed this before. In some ways it is tied to the Constitutional carry argument. In effect, this proposal will force all states to recognize each other's permit, enabling a CCW holder from one state to carry concealed in all others. Broadly, this is a law we can all get behind. However, previous attempts have failed to make it through congress. Primarily because those States with onerous and





Annie Oakley



The Angel of the Night

Fear not the night.
Fear that which walks the night.
And I am that which walks the night.

But only evil need fear me ... and gentle souls sleep safe in their beds...

because I walk the night.

~by Dave Grossman

#### LEGISLATION PENDING—CONTINUED

over burdensome CCW regulations, such as California, and New York, were not prepared to modify them to fall in line with the rest of the states. Equally, those states with standard training like Kentucky, Ohio, Tennessee, etc., were not prepared to burden their gun owners with petty regulations designed to dissuade gun owners from applying. Also, there is a fundamental misunderstanding, for some reason, on the reciprocatory regulation. You have to physically have a permit in your possession to reciprocate with any other states permit. Therefore, if you come from a so called constitutional carry sate and do not have a permit, you are not allowed to carry in any other state that does. For this reason all constitutional carry states run CCW courses.

# Guess which items are used in more murders? Column A: Column B:

(Hint: You don't need a background check to buy one

#### **GUN FUN**

This is a new feature for Hollowpoint that features some gun friendly activities in this, and neighboring States, that offer a break from strict training. Today we feature Friendship, Indiana, a camp run by the National Muzzle Loaders Rifle Association (NMLRA). There is definitely a feeling of the pioneer spirit at Friendship. Period

costumes abound, and trading stalls selling everything from black powder, powder horns, and tomahawks to custom made Kentucky long rifles. The ranges are supervised by friendly NMLRA staff, and help is always immediately available. Both Eva and I are members and use it as our R & R camp from the pressures of politics and the school.

People from all over the world take part of the events and fun at Friendship. We highly recommended it. If you do not own a black powder gun, a visit to Friendship will make you want to go straight out and buy one. Friendship lies about 3 hours' drive from Mount Sterling. Check them out on line.













## Course Schedule

COURSES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE, FACE-BOOK, OR CALL US. 859-498-0582

DATE	COURSE
Saturday, December 01, 2018	CCDW
Saturday, December 08, 2018	3 GUN SHOOT (ZOMBIE)
Saturday, December 15, 2018	CCDW - WOMEN ONLY
Saturday, December 22, 2018	PRACTICAL HUNTING
Saturday, January 05, 2019	CCDW
Saturday, January 12, 2019	CCDW - WOMEN ONLY
Saturday, January 19, 2019	BASIC PISTOL HOME DEFENSE
Saturday, January 26, 2019	CCDW
Saturday, February 09, 2019	CCDW
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Saturday, February 16, 2019	CIAL
Saturday, February 23, 2019	CCDW

**CCDW= State certified Concealed Carry Deadly Weapons Course PPITH = Personal Protection in the Home (NRA course)** \*\* Night Course reduced to \$10.00 for PPITH students. Defensive Pistol. NRA Marksmanship Qualification.

- MAP LEGEND -

We are still trying to get our 2019 calendar schedule listed on our ON-LINE payment system with Fareharbor. If you wish to schedule a course in 2019. please give us a call.

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We do have Gift certificates available for purchase for the Holidays.





I was trying to send a text with the tv remote

> How did that work out? Read 11:45 AM

> > 0

You got a text didn't you



