

IPSC - NL Spring Newsletter - 2009

The sun is out, the flowers are blooming and there's the smell of powder in the air - it must be springtime in Newfoundland and Labrador! There are a few things going on so it's time for an update.

- **Lab City : Big News!** I hope everyone will join me in welcoming our newest Black Badge Graduates. We have 8 new members in Lab City. Special thanks to Daniel Connell for organizing and putting off the courses and bringing IPSC to Labrador. Daniel has a big Qualifier Match in the works for the folks there so if anyone is in the neighborhoodGood Luck guys! Your membership cards will be in the mail next week.
- **Range Officer Course(s):** Believe it or not this is still not finalized. I've been working with the National NROI rep for months now to get someone over. The current date is penciled in for 21-June (We just couldn't make it happen in May). Good news is that Pete Savage is certified and will be taking up residence in Gander this summer so we'll have a course in the fall and won't need to do this foolishness again. As well, Daniel Connell is working towards his ticket and should be able to get the folks in Lab City up and running.
- **Saltwater Cowboys IV:** The marshal's stage won't make it in for the planned date of 23rd May so it's been bumped back a week to the 30th. Mark your calendars' and dust off the ol' hogs leg. Official notice to follow soon.
- **Spring Black Badge Course (St John's):** (13-14 June) Only 2 slots left so if you know anyone who is holding out, they better get their application in.
- **Spring Clean up:** If you're around town 13-14 June drop by the St. John's Rod and Gun to help fix up the shed, build some props and get to know the new crop of shooters. We'll even throw in lunch!
- **Gander Match:** Come on guys. When are we coming out to shoot?
- **The 2009 Nationals.** The website is up and running for registration. Anyone else going to join me and show the colours? Go Team NL!

http://www.chebucto.ns.ca/Recreation/AMA/IPSCNS/2009_Nationals/

- **Email usage:** There is a google newsgroup set up at:

<http://groups.google.com/group/IPSCNL?hl=en>

Let's try and use that for any general discussions, classified notices and sales alerts, political rants, etc. Reserve the e-mail distribution for match notices and section business. That should reduce the e-mail traffic for those who'd rather not receive those types of notices. Thanks for your help in this.

See you at the range!
El Presidente