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From the President.....

Brian Lammers, Hamilton County Conservation

“When the Heat is On”

It has been extremely hot and humid in Iowa during mid to late July, so that means Ragbrai is finished and the state fair is here. This heat made me come up with today's trivia question: “When the Heat is On” was a song title performed by _____ in 1984 (pre CCPOA) for the title track to what movie? _____, You young guys probably never heard of it and a couple of you may have not been born yet, but for us older, (oops), I mean more experienced officers, you would remember this. Look for the answer within the newsletter to see if you are correct.

Your CCPOA Executive Committee recently met in Woodbury County to plan for the 26th annual fall conference along with long range planning for the organization. A big thank you to **Bob Fundermann** for hosting this retreat. It was a very successful and you will find not only the required sessions in the agenda, but a couple interesting topics that will make you more aware as an officer.

A change in the firearms staff will be taking place for this year. **John Pullis**, Director for Henry County has decided to step down as a firearms instructor for CCPOA. Please thank John for his many years of service as a firearms instructor to your CCPOA organization. **Charlie Finch**, Park Officer for Polk County will attend Firearms Instructor School in August at the academy and will become our newest instructor. Thank you Charlie for stepping up into this role for the organization.

In closing, I hope you find good information within this newsletter, and a quick reminder for you to make your hotel reservations early for the **26th Annual Fall Workshop**. Please do not hesitate to contact any committee member if you have questions or concerns. Looking forward to seeing you at **Camp Dodge** in a short two months!

Brian



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REMEMBER THIS PICTURE?

We have had the bulk order of these 8x10 pictures on hand for several months, and we had the grand intent to have them all distributed by now – along with a list of “who's who and where”. Seems like our collective memories aren't what they used to be – so, here's the plan: We will distribute these pictures to each of you at our October workshop, AND – solicit your assistance with getting ALL the names correct! When the list is completed accurately – we will shoot it out to you via email! **CCPOA Archivist Hazelton** will oversee this conundrum on Tuesday of our annual workshop – see you then!

NEW OFFICER ON BOARD?

If you have hired a new CCB officer in the past year (whether they have completed ILEA training or not), it is good to get them in the loop of the CCPOA database! They are invited to attend this fall's workshop, and we would look forward to having them join us for the **New Member Orientation** on October 4th. (See agenda for time & location) Please include a **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION** form for all new officers registered (found on page four).



**2011 – THE 26th ANNUAL
C.C.P.O.A. FALL WORKSHOP
& BUSINESS MEETING**

AGENDA

(NOTE: If there are any changes/modifications to this agenda prior to the workshop, an updated agenda will be distributed at the workshop for you training files....☺)

****** MONDAY, October 3, 2011 ******

- 10:30 AM **CCPOA Executive Committee Meeting** Range S14
- 11:30 AM **Firearms Instructor Meeting** Range S14
- 12:00 PM **REGISTRATION** Range S14
- 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM **Daytime Firearms Qualifications, Tactical Training & Classroom Instruction*****
(Break included within)

Bob Fundermann, **Chief Firearms Instructor**, Woodbury CCB – Charlie Finch, Polk CCB, Mark Shoemaker, Pott. CCB -, Kevin Blazek, Adair CCB - Dustin Schott, Fayette CCB - Nick Preston, Shelby CCB - Dave Ong, Scott CCB, Aaron Batchelder, Linn CCB - Alan Finke, Black Hawk – Justin Smith, Lyon CCB

- 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM **DINNER BREAK**
- 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM **Subdued Light Firearms Qualifications** Ranges S13/14
CCPOA Firearms Training Team
- 9:30 PM **ADJOURNMENT** (Time approx.)

***** FOR THE FIREARMS TRAINING DAY –**

Please read the special section of this newsletter with additional information on planned programming for this training day.

****** TUESDAY, October 4, 2011 ******

- 7:00 AM **REGISTRATION** Rec Hall
- 8:00 AM **Welcome, Introductions & Announcements**
Brian Lammers, Hamilton CCB, President
- 8:05 AM - 8:15 AM **“State of the Academy”**
Arlen Ciechanowski, Director, ILEA

****** TUESDAY, October 4, 2011 ******

- 8:15 AM - 9:30 AM **Fish, Game, Parks & Other Legal Updates** Rec Hall
Robert Garrison, Superintendent
Iowa DNR Enforcement Section
- 9:30 AM **BREAK**
- 9:45 AM - 11:45 AM **I.L.E.E.C.P. Training**
(Required to maintain ILEECPC Cert.)
Joe Sciarrotta, DM Firefighter, EMT
- 11:45 AM **LUNCH**
- 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM **HAZ-MAT Update**
(MANDATED TRAINING)
Dean House, Iowa D.O.T.
- 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM **Iowa Gun Law**
Ross Loder, Iowa DPS
- 2:30 PM **Break**
- 2:45 PM – 4:00 PM **ATF (tentative)**
- 4:00 PM **Adjourn**
- 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM **New Officer Training (Mentoring)**
(New CCPOA Officers at the hotel)

****** WEDNESDAY, October 5, 2011 ******

- 7:30 AM **REGISTRATION** Rec Hall
- 8:00 AM **CCPOA BUSINESS MEETING**
Brian Lammers, President
- 8:15 AM - 10:30 AM **USDA Enforcement Issues**
Mike Booth, USDA Officer
- 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Sovereign Citizens
- NOON **ADJOURNMENT** (Time approx.)

Ramada Tropics Resort
RESERVATIONS AVAILABLE

We will be staying at the **Ramada Tropics Resort** located at I-80 & Merle Hay Road, same location as we were at in 2010. Please book your reservations by calling **(515) 278-0271** - deadline is **9/1/2011**. Room rates are \$55/nite for a queen double or king room. Mention **“CCPOA Conference”** to receive the discounted rate within our room block. *(Glen Frey has stayed here ☺)*

C.C.P.O.A. FIREARMS TRAINING DAY – 10/3/2011

2011 UPDATE

Your *CCPOA Firearms Training Team* has once again tossed together another FINE training day for you! We will be located at the familiar site of Camp Dodge for our training this year. Training will be similar to that of previous years: Two daytime qualification courses, the subdued lighting course in the evening, and some “classroom” time on malfunctions & reloading drills. We will again offer the shotgun course of fire as the last daytime relay before evening meal break. This shotgun qualification course is for those who want to qualify with the shotgun they carry on duty only.

FEATURES OF OUR 2011 TRAINING DAY:

#1) We will be again doing the reloading and malfunctioning drills. It is a survival skill you need to practice on a regular basis. *(We will utilize CCPOA dummy rounds for these exercises);*

#2) FBI “Q” targets will be used for both daytime qualification courses, the ILEA & FBI qualification courses, subdued-light qualification and shotgun qualification *The firearms instructors are encouraging **all officers** to practice their accuracy before coming to the CCPOA firearms training day and qualifications. A good way to practice is to shoot at paper plates at 25 yards. Set the goal of keeping all rounds fired on the paper plate.*

#4) TRAINING SITE FOR 2011 will be **Ranges S-13 & S-14** at **CAMP DODGE**.

#5) Participants will be organized into color-coded squads with wristbands and squad-leaders. This has worked well the last 4 years to keep everyone better informed and organized, so this procedure has been permanently incorporated into our firearms training program.

#6) ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE REQUIRED TO SIGN A C.C.P.O.A. Firearms Rules form upon arrival to the range. IF YOU HAVE HAD A CHANGE IN WEAPONRY SINCE 2010, PLEASE RECORD YOUR NEW WEAPON'S MAKE, MODEL & SERIAL NUMBER AND BRING IT WITH YOU FOR DOCUMENTATION.

As in the past several years, we know that many of your law enforcement policies require an officer to wear his/her vest whenever they are armed – **your** training records should also reflect that you train and practice with the same equipment. It is also a range safety issue that the time has come to implement. With over 100 officers shooting each year, 23,000+ rounds of ammunition are being discharged – safety should be a primary concern for all participants – thus the requirement of the Firearms Rules listing. You will note that ALL of the firearms instructors will be wearing their vests once again this year, and the CCPOA requests that everyone who owns **a bullet-proof vest – plan on wearing it for all the training! WEARING EYE and HEARING protection IS REQUIRED ON THE RANGE!** Otherwise, please observe the following reminders from previous years - Each participant will be required to provide their own equipment and supplies: weapon, complete set of leather (nylon, etc.), ammunition (**250 rounds required – bring an additional 30 if you would like to shoot the computerized course twice**), speed loaders/spare magazines, heavy-duty flashlight, hearing & eye protection, staplers & staples, buckets to police range brass, etc. **If you want to shoot the shotgun qualification course Bring your duty shotgun, 11 rounds of rifled slugs & 5 rounds buckshot (00)**, If you have converted to a semi-auto weapon in the past 12 months, we need to have documentation on file with the CCPOA *(in the form of a letter from the ILEA certified Firearms Instructor that provided the instruction)*. There will be an afternoon break provided, but **NO LUNCH**. Start time is at **1:00 PM** this year – so please plan your travel and arrival times to accommodate your luncheon needs.

A **special thanks** to our dedicated **CCPOA ILEA certified Firearms Instructors** who set aside their time to plan and implement our firearm training efforts: Kevin Blazek (Adair CCB), Charlie Finch (Polk CCB), Mark Shoemaker (Pottawattamie CCB), Bob Funderman (Woodbury CCB), Dustin Schott (Fayette CCB), Dave Ong (Scott CCB), Nick Preston (Shelby CCB), Curtis Reighard (Keokuk CCB), Aaron Batchelder (Linn CCB), Justin Smith (Lyon CCB), and Beverly Hills Cop.



C.C.P.O.A. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 2010-2012

President - Brian Lammers, Hamilton CCB
 Vice President - Tucker Anderson, Clayton CCB
 Secretary/Treas. - Nick Beeck, Plymouth CCB
 Membership Training - Pat Shehan, Webster CCB
 Chief Firearms Instr. - Bob Fundermann, Woodbury
 Past President - Rich Paris, Marion CCB
 Editor Emeritus - Tom Hazelton, IACCB
 At-Large - Charlie Finch, Polk CCB
 At-Large - C.J. Hughes, Monroe CCB
 At-Large - Curtis Reighard, Keokuk CC
 At-Large - Scott Bahmann, Benton CCB

We encourage your communication with any member of your organization's **Executive Committee** with your ideas, questions, concerns, etc. Training program ideas are always welcome, as are articles or information for periodic newsletters to the membership. Feel free to contact the CCPOA at: **CCPOA@mycountyparks.com**

SUMMER RETREAT – WOODBURY COUNTY

BACK ROW (L-R) – Tucker, Finch, Fundermann, Paris & Shehan. **FRONT ROW (L-R)** – Beeck, Hughes, Lammers and Hazelton (seated)
(Missing from picture is Scott Bahmann)

As a Reminder......this edition of the **2011 Workshop Newsletter**, along with previous newsletters are posted on our **CCPOA Website** (address listed on the front page letterhead) Please forward to new officers, etc.



County Conservation Peace Officers Association of Iowa, Inc.

Membership Application & Renewal Form

NAME _____ CCB _____
 Position/Title _____ Years of Service _____
 Mailing Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code + 4 _____ - _____
 Phone (W) _____ Phone (H) _____
 Email Address _____
 ILEA Certification Date _____ Basic _____
 Radio Call # _____

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 31st each year*

This form is only necessary for new member application OR if you have had a change in status for one of the above database categories. Thanks!

