

# VOLUNTEER RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB

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## NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2016

**CLUB MEETINGS:** First **Thursday** of each month at 7:30. Prospective members should be at the gate at 7:00. The Board of Directors meets at 7:00.

**Annual meeting** on December 1 at 7:30. Election of officers for the next year and terms of board members Jeff Parlow, Joe McDonald and Mac Phillips expire.

**RANGE CLOSINGS:** Range is closed for military use and maintenance the first full week-end of each month, **Range is closed Nov. 2** (TWRA training), **Nov. 4-6, 24 and Dec. 2-4**. Note: all ranges are also closed on the Friday before military use. On Mondays, the Pistol and Benchrest ranges are frequently closed for maintenance until 3:00. The **Pistol Range** is being used for classes by non-Club organizations on most Saturdays. It is only available on Sundays at the times and for the programs listed below.

**Holiday closing:** Range will be closed to the public **Dec. 18-Jan. 2**. Range officers will still have access. Check with program managers for activity during this period.

**BULLS-EYE: New start time, 6:00 on Thursdays.** In the Gallery for members-only and .22LR only. Contact Jay Love at 573-0017 or Jim Blair at 803-5815 or Blairja@comcast.net. Outdoor program will start in the spring and is open to non-club members.

**RETURN OF .22 RIFLE IN THE GALLERY:** Second and fourth Fridays at 6:00, beginning November 11. We are shooting a version of the NRA's ARC course and similar courses, designed for AR-15, but any semi-auto .22LR with a detachable magazine will work. Bring at least 100 rounds. Contact James Wagner for information, 971-7240.

**Nov. 12 at 6pm. Low-Light Shoot:** Most defensive shootings occur after the sun goes down. This is a chance to try out your equipment, both pistol and shotgun. Set-up will start at 5:30, help appreciated. Be at the Pistol Range or at the gate by 6:00. Bring a **handgun**, 50 rounds of ammo (No hollow-point or wadcutters, we will be using polymer targets that can be damaged by these types of bullets), holster (see above) and extra magazines/speedloaders. For the **shotgun**, 5 slugs and at least 10 rounds of #6 or smaller (that's #6, #7½, #8 or #9), flashlight, either hand-held or weapon mounted, and cover garment.

## NOVEMBER

		1 Benchrest Skeet/trap	2 All ranges CLOSED	3 Benchrest Club Meeting	4 CLOSED	5 CLOSED
6 CLOSED	7 SCTP	8 Benchrest Skeet/trap	9	10 Benchrest Bulls-eye	11 .22 Rife in Gallery	12 Benchrest Skeet/trap Low Light Match
13 Benchrest Skeet/trap Pistol practice, .22LR	14 SCTP	15 Benchrest Skeet/trap	16	17 Benchrest Bulls-eye	18	19 Benchrest Skeet/trap 300 yd practice
20 Benchrest Skeet/trap Pistol: concealed carry shoot	21 SCTP	22 Benchrest Skeet/trap	23	24 Closed	25 .22 Rifle in the Gallery	26 Benchrest Skeet/trap
27	28 SCTP	29 Benchrest Skeet/trap	30	Benchrest Bulls-eye		

## DECEMBER

				1 Benchrest Bulls-eye Club meeting	2 CLOSED	3 CLOSED
4 CLOSED	5 SCTP	6 Benchrest Skeet/trap	7	8 Benchrest Bulls-eye	9 .22 Rifle in the Gallery	10 Benchrest Skeet/trap
11 Benchrest Skeet/trap Pistol: practice	12 SCTP	13 Benchrest Skeet/trap	14	15 Benchrest Bulls-eye	16	17 CLOSED
18 CLOSED	19 CLOSED	20 CLOSED	21 CLOSED	22 CLOSED	23 CLOSED	24 CLOSED
25 CLOSED	26 CLOSED	27 CLOSED	28 CLOSED	29 CLOSED	30 CLOSED	31 CLOSED

**CLAY TARGET PROGRAMS : Juniors: \$3 members/\$5 non-members; Adults: \$4 members/\$7 non-members.** Director: Mike Luethke-558-6097

**Trap:** Joe Pate and Craig Hakes, managers

**Skeet:** Dave Simmons and Bill Rosenbalm, managers

**Sporting Clays:** Chris Luttrell and Howard Buhl, managers

**Saturdays and Sundays:** 1-6:00 p.m. Check in by 4:45.

5-stand is scheduled to be shot on the second Saturday and the third Sunday, during Daylight Saving Time.

**Mondays:** SCTP practice;

**Tuesdays:** Skeet, Trap 6:30-10:00 p.m. No one is allowed in until 6:30.

**Thursdays:** special program for RSOs.

**300 KD RANGE:** Informal shooting on the third Saturday of the month. Contact Tom Hudson for details and to reserve a time [tom.hudson@tds.net](mailto:tom.hudson@tds.net).

**PISTOL PROGRAM** Call Jim Hawkins at 522-4707 or James Wagner at 971-7240 for information.

**ACTION PISTOL:** Putting *action* back in the Action Pistol Program. On the third Sundays, beginning at 1:00, we will have skills/practice time, for things like reloads, weak-hand shooting, malfunction clearance, etc. Then, a match that features those skills. For matches, etc. strong side holster required.

**No shoulder or cross-draw holsters.** Bring at least 100 rounds more for that the course of fire. Set-up at 1:00, shooting starts soon after. For information, e-mail: [volunteeractionpistol@outlook.com](mailto:volunteeractionpistol@outlook.com)

**Nov. 13:** Practice and plinking, emphasis on .22LR pistols, bring your favorite pistol and ammo.

**Dec. 11:** Practice and plinking

**Nov. 20:** Concealed Carry shoot. Bring what you *really* carry (not the Gold Cup in the safe). Handgun, 50 rounds of ammo (No hollow-point or wadcutters, we will be using polymer targets that can be damaged by these types of bullets), holster (see above) and extra magazines/speedloaders.

The October VRPC Action Pistol Practical Carbine Event was held on October 16, 2016. A total of 10 attendees shot four courses of fire, emphasizing carbine shooting skills and transition from long-gun to handgun. The session concluded with the participants applying those skills by shooting a tactical scenario which also required movement and handgun transition skills at varied distances. To be added to the VRPC Action Pistol mailing list, e-mail [volunteeractionpistol@outlook.com](mailto:volunteeractionpistol@outlook.com) Subject: "Add to AP Evite list".

**NO RIFLE FIRING ON THE PISTOL RANGE.** Rifles (any caliber, even .22 LR) may not be fired on the Pistol Range. If you are caught firing a rifle, TWRA will suspend your gate card.

**JUNIOR PROGRAMS:** Contacts: **Rifle:** Mary Furr has returned to the program, 806-2732 or [VRTFurr@msn.com](mailto:VRTFurr@msn.com).

**Shotgun:** Doug Bryant: 925-4606, or [doug\\_bryant@tds.net](mailto:doug_bryant@tds.net).

**SILHOUETTE and FALLING PLATES:** Programs over until Daylight Saving Time begins next spring. For information, contact Wayne Walker, 522-1215 or wayne529@bellsouth.net

**HIGH POWER PROGRAM:** Program over until spring. Call Danny Guy, 687-8593 for information.

If anyone has any questions, comments or items for the newsletter, contact **James Wagner** at 971-7240 or by e-mail: Jwagner@fmsllp.com. Items for the newsletter should be received by the 20th of the month before the bi-monthly period in which it is to appear.