

VOLUNTEER RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB

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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.

RANGE CLOSINGS: **March 2-4; April 1 (Easter), 6-8.**

Range is closed for military use and maintenance the first full week-end of each month and on the Friday before, **February 2-4**. On Mondays, the Pistol and Benchrest ranges are frequently closed for maintenance until 3:00.

BULLS-EYE: **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.

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. See calendar for which program is shooting. 5-stand on the second Saturday and the third Sunday, during Daylight Saving Time.

Mondays: SCTP practice;

Tuesdays: Skeet/Trap 6:30-10 p.m. See calendar for which program. No one is allowed in until 6:30.

Thursdays: special program for RSOs.

SILHOUETTE and FALLING PLATES: Programs suspended until further notice.

March

				Benchrest Bulls-eye Club meeting	Closed	Closed
CLOSED	SCTP	Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye	. Gallery .22 Rifle	Benchrest Skeet Springfield/Vintage
Benchrest Skeet Pistol: practice	SCTP	Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye		Benchrest Trap 300 yd practice
Benchrest 5-Stand Pistol: Multi- targets and reloading		Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye	. Gallery .22 Rifle	Benchrest Trap NRA High Power
Benchrest Trap		Benchrest Skeet				Benchrest Trap NRA Sporting Rifle

April

CLOSED Easter	SCTP	Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye at 6pm Club meeting	CLOSED	CLOSED
CLOSED	CLOSED	Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye	Gallery .22 Rifle	Benchrest 5-Stand
Benchrest 5-Stand Pistol: FBI course	SCTP	Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye		Benchrest Trap 300 yd practice
Benchrest Skeet	SCTP	Benchrest Skeet		Benchrest Bulls-eye	Gallery .22 Rifle	Benchrest Trap NRA High Power
Benchrest Skeet	SCTP					

.22 RIFLE IN THE GALLERY: Shooting on the second and fourth Fridays a 6:00. The format is designed around the AR-15 with a .22LR conversion, but any magazine-fed semi-auto works. You'll need 100 rounds and a sling is recommended. We'll be shooting different courses of fire, various positions, barricades, etc. Because the gate is closed on Fridays, contact James Wagner to arrange to enter and for information, 971-7240 or JWagner@FMSLLP.com.

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.

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. Strong side holster required. **No shoulder or cross-draw holsters.** Bring at least 125 rounds for the course of fire, 3 magazines. Set-up/range briefing at 1:00, shooting starts soon after. For information, e-mail: volunteeractionpistol@outlook.com

March 11: Practice and plinking

March 18: Precision shooting and steel. See above requirements for holsters and ammo

April 15: The FBI's qualification course: 60 rounds 3 to 25 yards, one and two-handed, reloads and short time limits. You need a strong-side holster and at least one extra magazine. The course is designed to draw from concealment, so bring a jacket or other garment. Bring 100 rounds, as we will practice some of the stages before shooting the actual course.

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.

HIGH POWER PROGRAM: Program gets underway in March. Gate opens at 7am and closes at 7:30. \$20 cash. The club has M1 Garands and ammo to borrow. Call Danny Guy, 687-8593. Details on VRPC.info, click on News/Calendar for ammo needs.

March 10 Springfield/Vintage	June 9 Garand/Vintage	Oct. 13 Garand/Vintage
March 24 NRA High Power	June 23 NRA High Power	Oct. 27 Springfield M1A
March 31 NRA Sporting Rifle	June 30 NRA Sporting Rifle	
April 28 NRA High Power	Sept. 8 Garand/MCL/Vintage	
May 12 Garand/MCL/Vintage	Sept. 22 NRA High Power	
May 26 Springfield M1A	Sept 29 NRA Sporting Rifle	

JUNIOR PROGRAMS: Contacts: **Rifle: in need of someone to run the program.**

Shotgun: Doug Bryant: 925-4606, or doug_bryant@tds.net.

WEAR YOUR CLUB IDENTIFICATION TWRA officers will be checking to confirm anyone on the range is authorized to be there. If not on your person, you will be escorted off the range. Second offense will lead to a suspension.

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.