

# VOLUNTEER RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB

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Doug Estep	Jana Neely
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## MAY/JUNE 2024

**CLUB MEETINGS:** Meetings are on the first **Thursday** of each month. The Board of Directors meets at 7:00. Membership meets at 7:30. Prospective members should be at the gate at 7:00 and wait until someone lets you in.

**RANGE CLOSINGS:** May 3-5, 12 (Mother's Day), May 31 and June 1-2, 16 (Father's Day), 2024.

Ranges are closed for maintenance the first full weekend and the Friday before.

**BENCHREST:** Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday 1pm-5:30pm; Saturday 10am-5:30pm. Last shot is 5:30.

**CLAY TARGET PROGRAMS:** Note: only 20 ga. shells are available for sale and to club members only.

**Saturday and Sunday** 1-5:00 p.m. Check in by 4:30.

**Tuesdays** beginning at 6:30 VRPC-members only (no family or guests).

**Thursdays** beginning at 6:30 VRPC RSOs-only program.

**Directors:** Dave Simmons and Rob Mitchell

**Trap:** Joe Pate, manager

**Skeet:** Dave Simmons manager.

**5-Stand:** Howard Buhl, manager.

**RANGE SAFETY OFFICER CLASS:** Doug Estep is going to hold a class to certify range safety officers, if there is enough interest. Contact Doug at 865-607-4099.

**BULLS-EYE:** Inactive. Contact Bert West at 603-682-3427 or [Westmmc@gmail.com](mailto:Westmmc@gmail.com)

**ACTION PISTOL:** Pistol range opens one Sunday afternoon each month. Informal match beginning at 1:00pm. Match focuses on various aspects of shooting. Bring a strong-side holster and extra magazines or speedloaders. Course of fire normally is about 100 rounds. Details to be provided in a future e-mail. Contact James Wagner for details, 865-971-7240 or [Jwagner@fmsllp.com](mailto:Jwagner@fmsllp.com). Let us know if you have suggestions for shooting events.

**May 19: FBI Qualification course and two short courses,** 3 yards to 25 yards. Bring pistol, holster, 100 rounds of ammo, at least 20 round nose as we will be shooting the polymer reactive target.

**June 23: Back-Up Pistols.** Not the typical third Sunday because of the Father's Day range closing. If you carry a second or back-up pistol, this is the time to bring it for a workout, along with the primary pistol. We'll practice drawing and use of a second pistol. Bring holsters for both and 50 rounds for each. At least 10 rounds of round nose ammo for the back-up pistol for the polymer reactive target.

Dates are subject to weather and TWRA closures for training. Details in upcoming E-mails. Matches typically cost \$8.

**HIGH POWER PROGRAM:** Call John Little for information, 865-742-6839. Or check the club website, under News & Calendar. 2024 Schedule:

March 23	Springfield/Vintage	June 8	Garand
30	NRA High Power	22	NRA High Power
April 13	Garand	29	Sporting Rifle
27	NRA High Power	Sept. 28	NRA High Power
May 11	Garand	Oct. 12	Garand
		26	NRA High Power
		Nov. 9	Springfield/Vintage
		23	NRA High Power

For additions to the newsletter, contact James Wagner at [Jwagner@FMSLLP.com](mailto:Jwagner@FMSLLP.com) or (865) 971-7240 for information.