

March 2022



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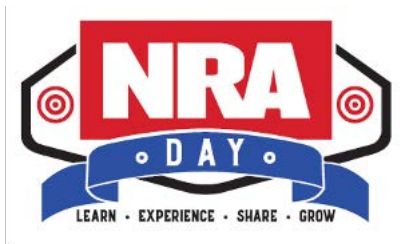


TCGC REGULAR MEETINGS:

TCGC Regular Meetings 7:00 p.m. Goldsby
Community Center or Online
(November through March)
Friday, March 4, 2022
TUESDAY, April 5 2022

HAPPY
St. Patrick's
* DAY *

7th Annual
Luck O'The Irish Clays
Tournament
Sunday March 13th



**NRA Day
Youth Sportsfest!**

Saturday, April 2nd!
Open to youth 10-18 years old.

Bring your kids, neighbors, classmates!
Sign-Up Now!

FIRST LOCAL FEMALE EAGLE SCOUT

Makenna Green earned the rank of Eagle Scout in Scouts BSA for the FIRST female Eagle Scout in Cleveland and McClain Counties on November 3, 2021. She has been satisfying the requirements of the Eagle Rank by participating with Troop 6792 and the TCGC sponsored Venture Crew 82. Her Eagle Scout project was building 15 new houses and refurbished and improved 15 existing houses for baby squirrels and opossums for WildCare Oklahoma. She joins her brother as being an Eagle Scout.



Board Meeting March 17, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

Tri-City Gun Club Stat House or Online

Let Us know if you plan on attending. scheduler@tcgc.us

March/April Schedule

Event details can be found at www.tcgc.us . If you have any questions or would like to schedule an event, please contact Tara Nelson at scheduler@tcgc.us or call/text 405-664-6549

Range Hours of Operation	6a – 11p Daily
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Workdays			
Range Work	Mar 19	8a-12p	All Ranges
Range work	Apr 16	8a-12p	All Ranges

Workday Volunteers must sign up on the calendar or contact maintenance to receive workday updates. Only registered volunteers will be notified of cancelations and changes.

Monthly Shoots	Date	Time	Range
Adult Air Rifle	Mar 5	8a -12p	Short Rifle Range
Practical Pistol Match	Mar 6/Apr 3	8a -2p	Long Range
Bright Lights Monday Nights-Trap	Every Monday	6p -10p	Trap 1 or 2 Skeet Open
Military Bolt Action Bench Rest	Mar 12/Apr 9	8a -2p	Long Range
3-Gun Match	Mar 20/Apr 17	8a -2p	Long Range
Military Pistol/Revolver/22 Match	Mar 26/Apr 23	8a -1p	Short Rifle Range
22 Rifle Match	Apr 24	8a -12p	Short Rifle Range
Youth Shooting	2 nd /4 th Thursday	6p - 8p	Shotgun, Air Rifle, Archery
Oklahoma Clay Target Team (OU Shotgunners)	Every Sunday & Tuesday	Varies	Shotgun Ranges

Special Events	Date	Time	Location
7 th Annual Luck 'O The Irish St. Patty's Day Clays	Mar 13		Skeet 1&2 Potluck Lunch Winner Take All!
RSO Class by TCGC	Mar 5	8a – 5p	Stat House
Vintage Battle Rifle	Apr 16	8a – 12p	Long Range

Meetings	Date	Time	Location
General Membership Meeting	Mar 4	7p	Goldsby Community Center Pavilion
	Apr 5 (Tuesday)	7p	
Board Meeting	3 rd Thursday each month	6:30p	Stat House/Virtual

**All TCGC matches are scheduled as usual as per their directors. All match directors are responsible for non-member match attendees. This includes all members hosting a guest(s).*

President's Report

When the weather is cold, you should make time to find more ammo or supplies to reload. you never know the extent of the amount of ammo you will need in a short time frame, when your buddies call to go shoot with you at TCGC. We have been seeing more out there but will that last? When you are getting your guns out to go to the range to

shoot, be diligent in making sure they have no ammo in them before you put them in a case.

Be sure to support those that support your second amendment rights, or the USA will be another New Zealand, Australia, or Canada. Put some real thought into this and share it!

Thank You,
Mark Ericksen
pres@tcgc.us

Vice President's Report

Ladies Day and Sportsfest

Please take flyers and post in your local store or community area to promote the events.

Jamie Schmidt

vp@tcgc.us 405-620-6977

Safety Report

Hello everyone; chilly mornings lead to nice warm afternoons on the range ☺

New members: I conducted a few make-up sessions for new members in February. One more reminder - when you see new members (indicated by portrait badges), take a few minutes to say hello and answer any questions. For new members, don't hesitate to ask if not sure about anything.

Range Safety Officers: Congratulations and thanks to six new RSOs from course that Ken ran in January. By the time you read this he will have run a second course for eight more RSOs. Third course TBD, probably in May. Again, I am maintaining a wait list for future courses so if you are interested in certification and wish to help the club for events, please let me know.

Commercial Use of Ranges by Members: To answer member questions, and after review with Board, the following paragraph will be inserted into administrative section of Range Rules. "TCGC facilities are for use by members and guests only. Members always have priority over commercial activities on the ranges. Members who wish to use the range for commercial activities of any type are required to: 1) request approval through CRSO, and 2) provide a certificate of liability coverage for \$1 million dollars that names TCGC as an additional insured. The club does not endorse any particular commercial enterprise. Commercial enterprises may advertise in the Hangfire."

As always shoot straight, place targets at a height so that bullets impact the lower 2/3rds of

the backstop, and place targets centered so you don't hit the sticks. Use and be aware of the red lights. Always be deliberate in your actions with firearms.

If you ever have any questions, issues or concerns about safety feel free to contact me.

Hazen Bazinet

Chief Range Safety Officer

405-355-2136

CRSO@tcgc.us

Range Maintenance

Spring is just around the corner. Be sure to check the calendar or emails for range closures. As we all know, Oklahoma winds cannot be predicted, which makes scheduling the spraying of the grass and berms a bit challenging. We plan to schedule very early mornings or late afternoons to minimize range closures.

Notice-For the safety of the members and their guests, and as a courtesy to all, please clean up after yourself if you have an injury or accident. Bloodborne Pathogens can cause several serious and potentially fatal diseases. The bathrooms have cleaning supplies available in the cabinets for use. This message applies to the clean-up of the counters, handles, sink, toilet, or any other surfaces you may have contaminated.

All match directors are to clean up after their events. Trash cans downrange on the long-range must be emptied after Practical Pistol and 3-Gun.

A big thanks to all members that come out for workdays. I hate to call it work. Even though we get a lot of work done, we have a ton of fun.



NOTICE!! 10MPH or less Please.
Volunteer workers, shooters (especially archery), and the vehicle behind you don't want a huge cloud of dust in their face or settling on their firearms and vehicles. Please slow down to 10MPH or less. Observe the cloud of dust behind you.

Do not stop at the gate when entering the club. If you stop and wait for the gate to close, when you proceed, you will trigger gate to reopen. Do not

stop and block a car from following you in. Wait to identify membership after parking on range.



NOTICE on Target Placement & Cost of Materials Pistol & Short Rifle Range

One Target Centered
Never attach paper targets over or near the wooden sides of the target stands.

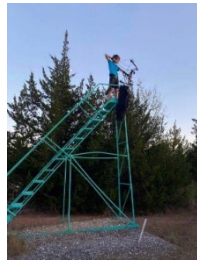
Randy Grotts 405-820-4707**

Tara Nelson 405-664-6549**

maintenance@tcgc.us

TCGC Youth Archery

Every 2nd and 4th Thursday, TCGC Youth Archery regularly has 15 to 20 participants. Over time the faces change, but the program remains, safety, fundamentals, fun, and fellowship.



Claybreakers

7th Annual LUCK O' THE IRISH Skeet/Trap Shoot & Potluck Lunch

Please register online!!!

Come out Sunday morning Mar 13, bring your favorite dish (Irish or not), and be ready to experience the end of the rainbow and collect your Pot-O'Gold (if you are lucky)!! Smash the most Irish Clays and walk away the Lucky Leprechaun!!! 1 round skeet + 1 round trap, most hi-vis targets smashed WINNER TAKE ALL!!



Shooting begins at 10am. Everyone who wants to participate will sign in for 2 rounds (1 skeet round/1 trap round). Participants pay \$5 to the Pot-O-Gold and pays for

their targets. He who has broken the most colored (not orange) targets wins.

Family and friends of members are welcome.

CLEAN-UP IS A MUST

All chairs belong on patios, not middle of trap field. Shell buckets must be emptied before you leave. Skeet & Trap houses/machines must be kept clean. Members shooting at the hand thrower area need to put all boxes, hulls, and trash in dumpster. Show pride in your range, clean up after yourselves, and avoid range closures.

BREAK DOWN ALL BOXES & PUT IN BLUE DUMPSTER!!

For more info contact Tara Nelson at (405)664-6549 text or leave message

General Meeting Minutes – February 4, 2022

Meeting was cancelled. No Minutes Available

Executive Meeting Minutes- February 17, 2022

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m.
2. The previous meeting minutes were approved.
3. Tractor is back from John Deere.
4. Control of goat's heads and other stickers is being planned and will be done as soon as possible. We have a good supply of chemicals. Chemical purchases will be limited this year. No spoilage is anticipated, but chemical supplies will be assessed, and damaged containers will be covered.
5. A member has offered to smoke meat for the club during events, meetings, etc. We will take him up on it.
6. We have three versions of the Sportsfest flier. It will be widely distributed.
7. We are expecting a good turnout for Sportsfest.
8. A female oriented shooting event is in the works. Resources and staff needs are being assessed. More info to come.
9. Banking and investment options are being collected for review by the finance committee.

10. Funding for range improvements was discussed. Determining quarterly spending expectations will help to plan investment of club funds that are otherwise idle and only drawing very low interest rates.
11. There was discussion regarding electronic records and the club's record retention policy. The club has records that can be eliminated. Board members need to review what records they have, if those records are compliant with the record retention policy, and that those records are digitized. Online records in Wild Apricot will be purged following the end of the membership year.
12. Several members have asked the board to review the requirement to be a member of the NRA and the value of NRA affiliation. Funding received from NRA vs funds and resources expended for NRA purposes were discussed. Several additional things must be considered. Member rebates not only save the members some money, but also provide some funding to the club. In the past, the club relied on the NRA for insurance. However, the club no longer uses the NRA insurance, because it was insufficient. That insurance is for the most part no longer offered. Changing the club's NRA affiliation or membership requirement would necessitate a bylaw change. Eliminating the NRA requirement would save the club a considerable amount of time and money expended on NRA membership verification. RSO verification is another variable to be considered. Regardless of how we do it, we will need to maintain a way to verify the credentials of RSOs. There is online credential verification, and it is easy to use. The primary considerations in the end are that the NRA has historically funded the club with between six and eight thousand annually, but in recent years this funding has been reduced. The club not maintaining its Gold Club status would not be detrimental to the club financially and would be in the interest of the club in many ways. Should the club move away from mandating NRA membership, although the club would not mandate membership in other organizations, the club would strongly encourage such membership.
13. A youth with a parent attending youth shotgun arrived with a shotgun that had a round in the tube. The issue was discovered when youth was asked to insert a chamber flag. There was some discussion regarding how to better proceduralized these checks for non-member shooters during events.
14. A guest cut themselves on the pistol range. The injury itself was assumed to be inconsequential as no incident report was received, but there were concerns regarding cleanup of blood at the shooting bench, on the ground, and in the bathroom. Cleanup in this case is not only a health and safety issue, but also a question of consideration for other members. Members are encouraged to carry first-aid kits. Unless a member is incapacitated, they are expected to be responsible for cleaning up after themselves and their guests. This will be mentioned in the maintenance article.
15. TCGC facilities are for members and guests only. Members always have priority over commercial activities on the ranges. The club does not endorse any particular commercial enterprise. Commercial enterprises may advertise in the Hangfire. Members who use the range for commercial activities of any type are required to provide a certificate of liability coverage for \$1 million dollars that names TCGC as an additional insured.
 1. SDA instructors can be removed from the membership database as a membership type.
 2. Hangfire advertisements for commercial purposes are charged according to the existing fee schedule.
 3. The forum will be eliminated.
 4. Insurance is done.
 5. Be sure to coordinate any scheduled use of the Stat house with the Scheduler.
 6. The RV needs to be removed from the range.
 7. Sportsfest was discussed. We will use lead wipes again. Portable toilets have been arranged. Cleaning supplies are already available on the range. We have ammo ready to go. It has been asked that event items be put back where they belong.
 8. The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

2/12/2022 Winter War Tri-City Gun Club Group Sheet

Rank	Last name	First Name	Rifle	Group 1	Group 2	Smallest Group
1	Edwards	Victor	M39	3.660	2.350	2.350
2	Towery	Gale	M39	3.660	2.790	2.790
3	Maynard	Frاند	M39	3.400	5.460	3.400
4	Mulqueen	Pat	M39	5.200	4.350	4.350
5	Vannoy	Steve	M39	4.480	5.360	4.480
6	Suske	Eric	91\30	6+	5.380	5.380
7	Ross	James	M39	5.49	5.55	5.490
8	Goodnight	Gerald	M39	6+	6+	0.000
9	Anderson	Loren	M39	6+	6+	0.000
10	Anderson	Ken	91\30	6+	6+	0.000
11	Anderson	Justin	91\30	6+	6+	0.000

MBABR

1	Edwards	Victor	1930 Venez	2.040	3.520	2.040
2	Ross	Janes	No. 4	4.690	2.740	2.740
3	Wedge	Eric	03a3	3.010	3.590	3.010
4	Maynard	Ben`	03a3	4.080	6+	4.080
5	Barnett	Lee	03a3	5.030	5.160	5.030
6	Anderson	Loren	M96	6+	6+	0.000

2/12/2022 Winter War Tri-City Gun Club Score Sheet

Rank	Last name	First Name	Rifle	Score 1	X	Score 2	X	Score 3	X	Aggregate
1	Edwards	Victor	M39	94	2	93	1	99	1	286-4
2	Towery	Gale	M39	89	0	96	2	96	3	281-5
3	Ross	James	M39	95	0	93	0	88	0	276-0
4	Maynard	Frank	M39	83	1	91	1	94	1	268-3
5	Suski	Eric	91\30	82	0	93	1	91	1	266-2
6	Goodnight`	Gerald	M39	86	1	86	0	88	0	260-1
7	Vannoy	Steve	M39	84	0	82	0	94	0	260-0
8	Anderson	Loren	M39	73	0	92	0	85	0	250-0
9	Mulqueen	Pat	M39	81	0	79	0	81	0	241-0
10	Anderson	Ken	91\30	79	1	82	2	79	1	240-4
11	Anderson	Justin	91\30	77	2	66	0	66	0	209-2

MBABR

1	Edwards	Victor	1930 Venez	94	2	99	3	96	4	289-9
2	Wdege	Eric	03a3	96	1	94	0	92	1	282-2
3	Maynard	Ben	03a3	89	0	87	0	93	0	269-0
4	Barnett	Lee	03a3	85	0	89	1	92	1	266-2
5	Ross	James	No.4	78	0	85	0	97	3	260-3
6	Anderson	Loren	M96	76	0	80	2	74	0	230-2

Business Advertisements

NFA Trusts Business Law Probate Construction Law Litigation



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Business Card Ads are \$60 per year
Check out the online Store!

Ads to be included in the next month's Hangfire are due by the Board Meeting each month.



Surveillance
Process Serving
DUI-Radar Analysis
Private Investigations
Private Armed Security
Personal Armed Protection
Complete Background Checks
Hidden Assets / Funds Tracing
Criminal / Civil / Divorce Cases

For Sale

Used brass for sale at
the Stat House
\$1.00/lb for members!

Glock 30SF (.45 ACP)
3 10rd Magazines, 3 Holsters, Magazine
carrier.\$400 Contact:
Tom Cannon
405-824-3836 burningneuron@yahoo.com

Upcoming Events

Vintage Battle Rifle Match
Apr 16, 2022
8a-12p
\$5.00

Vintage battle rifles used from WWII thru the Vietnam conflict that meet the following criteria are eligible.
Rifles must be:

- ❖ *30 caliber
- ❖ *semi-automatic
- ❖ *no optics, and will include the M1, M1A, M1 carbine, cetme, FAL, AK47, SKS, and etc.. Sorry, no smaller calibers allowed.

This will be a bench rest type of match similar to the Military Bolt rifle matches. One or two strings will be offhand. Contact Gerald Goodnight if you have comments or questions at gergood2@aol.com.

LADIES DAY

DEFENSIVE TRAINING CLINIC AT TRI-CITY GUN CLUB



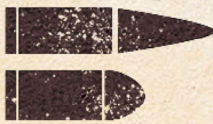
JOIN US

MAY 7TH

7:30 AM
- 5 PM



THE 2022 "TCGC LADIES DAY" WILL
FOCUS ON PROVIDING WOMEN AN INTRODUCTION
TO DEFENSIVE TECHNIQUES, FIREARMS, AND
OTHER USEFUL TOOLS USED FOR SELF-DEFENSE



LIMITED AVAILABILITY

\$60 PER PARTICIPANT — REGISTER ONLINE

LADIES WILL BE PROVIDED
WITH FIREARMS, AMMUNITION,
TARGETS, PRIZE TICKETS, AND
LUNCH CATERED BY RAY'S BBQ!



^ REGISTER HERE



COORDINATED BY SHOOTING INSTRUCTORS — JAMIE MEYER & TARA NELSON



TRI-CITY GUN CLUB

\$25



YOUTH SPORTSFEST APRIL 2, 2022 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. 10 TO 18 Year Olds

- FIREARMS SAFETY
- MUZZLELOADERS
- PISTOLS
- AIR RIFLES
- CANON

- *RIFLES
- *SHOTGUNS
- *ARCHERY
- *TOMAHAWKS

* includes t-shirt & lunch



SCAN ME

One on One Firearm Safety instruction!

Kevan Riley (405)694-7441 sportsfest@tcgc.us www.tcgc.us



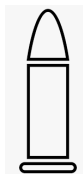
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P.O. BOX 1604
NORMAN OK 73070-1604

SPEED LIMIT 10 MPH!!!!

DO NOT BLOCK THE ENTRY GATE!
CONTINUE THROUGH AND SAY HI ONCE
YOU ARE ON THE RANGE.

2022 Dues

	Renew Online
Associate Member Dues	\$200
Regular Member Dues	\$180
Spouse Members	\$25
Life and Youth Members	Free
Save \$80 if you complete 8 work hours	
BEFORE renewing!!	



Buying Bullets?
Missouri Bullet
Discount Available to Club Members
Code: tricitygunclub-gc

Range Closed from 11 pm. to 6 am. daily.