

October 2022



HANGFIRE



TCGC REGULAR MEETINGS:

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October 7, 2022 - TCGC Pavilion
November 4, 2022 - Goldsby Community Center

Upcoming Events!

**RENEWAL
REMINDER**

Renewals in October!

Ladies Rifle Shoot
Tuesday, October 4th!

BSA Camp & Shoot
Still need Volunteers!
Remember - Range
CLOSED!

Officer Elections Coming in December

Please consider filing a position.

*Vice President

*Scheduler

*Secretary

Two (2) year term.



October 29-30th at
Tri-City Gun Club!

Great for families and
friends!

Click the Project
Appleseed Logo for
more info

Hunters Education



43 successfully completed Hunter's Education at the club. Thank you to over 24 volunteers who helped Saturday!

Military Bolt Action Bench Rest State Match October 8, 2022

General Membership Meetings November-March will be held at Goldsby Community Center. Meetings are on the first Friday of the month unless noted otherwise.

Board Meeting - October 20, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

Tri-City Gun Club Stat House

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

October/November 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	Oct 22	8a-12p	All Ranges
Range Work	Nov 19	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	1 st Saturday	8a -12p	Short Rifle Range
Practical Pistol Match	1 st Sunday	8a -2p	Long Range
Bright Lights Monday Nights-Trap	Every Monday	6p -10p	Trap 1 or 2 Skeet Open
Military Bolt Action Bench Rest	2 nd Saturday	8a -2p	Long Range
3-Gun Match	3 rd Sunday	8a -2p	Long Range
Military Pistol/Revolver/22 Match	4 th Saturday	8a -1p	Short Rifle Range
22 Rifle Match	4 th Sunday	8a -12p	Short Rifle Range
Youth Shooting	2 nd /4 th Thursday	6p - 8p	Shotgun, Air Rifle, 22, Archery

OK Hunting – Deer	Dates	OK Hunting – Other	Dates
Deer - Archery	Oct 1 – Jan 15	Dove	Sep 1 – Oct 31 & Dec 1 – Dec 29
Deer – Youth Gun	Oct 14 – Oct 16	Rabbit	Oct 1 – Mar 15
Deer – Muzzleloader	Oct 22 – Oct 30	Turkey – Fall Archery	Oct 1 – Jan 15
Deer - Gun	Nov 19 – Dec 4	Turkey – Fall Gun	Oct 29 – Nov 18
Deer - Holiday Antlerless	Dec 18 – Dec 31	Quail	Nov 12 – Feb 15

Special Events	Date	Time	Location
BSA Camp & Shoot	Oct 1	7a – 5p	All Ranges, Range opens Sunday at 6am
TCGC Ladies Night – Rifles	Oct 4	5p – 7p	Meet at Libby's after
MBABR State Match	Oct 8	8a – 2p	Long Range
Central Region FFA SC Match	Oct 20	7a – 5p	Skeet 1
Project Appleseed	Oct 29 – 30	7a – 5p	Short Rifle Range – See website for details
Vintage Battle Rifle/AR15 Match	Nov 19	8a – 2p	Long Range

Meetings	Date	Time	Location
General Membership Meeting	Oct 7 Friday Nov 4 Friday	7p 7p	TCGC Pavilion Goldsby Community Center

Meetings	Date	Time	Location
Board Meeting	3 rd Thursday each month	6:30p	Stat House

**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

YES, I'm saying it again, If we do not support those that fight to keep our freedoms, come November the 9th, if we have failed to give them enough support and they lose "the other side" will ramp up their radical agenda and life as we know it will change drastically. You won't have a 401K or permission to go to the store. We all know that at some point history repeats itself. Patrick Henry is telling you what is coming. What have we or you done to help other people see the insanity and helped to combat it? Hopefully, you have been out to your range enjoying the shooting sports. A big Thank You to all those that help keep TCGC in working order and looking nice. Thank You All

Mark Ericksen
pres@tcgc.us

Vice President's Report

Congratulations to Mark Vaughan for taking over as Oklahoma Rifle Association President. I look forward to renewed support and excellent leadership. Mark has been very supportive of the Friends of NRA etc. as a member of the NRA Board.

I was encouraged by seeing over 150 people at the Canadian County Friends of NRA Banquet. Several TCGC club members supported the Youth fundraiser by attending! Alas, I did not win the door prize this year.

I look forward to the Ladies Shoot this year. Jamie Meyer, Cheryl Anderson and I plan on attending and hope several others will join us! Bring your rifle and ammo or shoot some of mine! See you soon!

Jamie Schmidt
vp@tcgc.us 405-620-6977

Range Maintenance

A big **THANKS** to Steve Dyer, Gale Towery, Eric Wedge, and Mike Ross for an amazing job on 100yd targets. With minimal range closings, they

were able to get the project completed in just a few days. **Note-** new rubber target backers work best with 3/8" staples according to some shooters.



Work Hours

Workdays have been very productive and a lot of fun this year. Many projects were completed and many more are in the works. We are looking forward to getting the electrical work done in the covered work area. Currently, we are seeking a carpenter or 3, for a few repairs, mainly on doors. The pavilion needs repairs, also. The schedule is flexible. Email maintenance@tcgc.us for more info.



Opportunities for the 2023 renewal discount will end in October. If your invoice does not reflect your completed work hours, you need to contact the board for verification. Do not overpay until your account is reviewed to confirm your status. Overpayments will not be refunded.

Randy Grotts 405-820-4707**
Tara Nelson 405-664-6549**
maintenance@tcgc.us

Gate Update

Thank you, Lyon Security, for your service to the club. The gate has had a complete makeover. New access system and new gate operator installations are complete. We are still working on the "cool" stuff. Member access remains the same for the time being. Membership will be notified by email when changes are made. What has changed so far...

- ★ No more open gate for matches. The bypass has been disconnected.

- ★ Match directors have/will be given an entry code for the non-member participants that allows access for that match only. If a participant failed to get the code, they will need to contact the match director for access. Make sure not to give out the member code, as usual.
- ★ Event codes will never be published to the public.
- ★ Contractors and vendors have been supplied with a unique code for each that will allow access based on their need for entry...ie, sanitation code good only on trash pickup days during specific hours.
- ★ The open/close alarm sound has a much different sound. As with most alarms, it is still high-pitched and may be difficult for some folks to hear.
- ★ Be patient when entering codes. Re-entering the code can cause a disruption in the operator. It takes a couple of seconds for the operator to process.
- ★ If you forget something at the club, do not attempt to enter from 11p-6a. Gate will not open.

Safety Report

A few reminders this month:

Guests: Being able to bring guests out to the range with no charge is a great perk at our Club. We only need to complete a guest waiver, put it into one of the bins on any range, and always maintain control of our guests and what they are doing.

Target Stands: We continue to see damaged sticks and metal stands. Tara has noted this in recent Hangfires as a maintenance concern because damage adds work and adds cost for the membership to replace material. From a safety perspective, if bullets are that far from target center, those bullets are not under control and could be a hazard. Punching through the metal stands at ground level means other bullets are skipping in random directions.

When you are out enjoying your range, please do so safely by shooting straight, placing targets at a height so that bullets impact the lower 2/3rds of the backstop and 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

Claybreakers Update



We've had great weather for shooting. It's nice to have a break from the 100+ temps. If you have been out on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays, you probably have seen an increase in youth shooters. TCGC proudly hosts the TCGC Youth program, Norman FFA, McClain County, and the OU Target Team.

Look for upcoming fundraiser events for our youth program, including raffles. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Skeet 2 now has fresh paint marking the stations and new seating & tables at hand throwers.

*A reminder to all members, clay targets are never to be taken from skeet/trap houses or conexes to be used at hand throwers, other ranges, or taken for personal use. We do not sell targets to anyone for any reason other than use on skeet/trap fields via our throwers. Removal of targets from the skeet/trap range is theft!

No slugs or buckshot are allowed on the informal/5- Stand/hand thrower area. Damage like this to property and or equipment will be charged to the individual found responsible. Picture shows steel barrier in front of a 5-Stand thrower.



NOTICE!! Skeet, Trap, and 5- Stand pricing will increase on November 1, 2022. We are

currently working on pricing. Get your cards purchased at today's rates. Please clean up, refill machines, and **BREAK DOWN ALL BOXES.**

For more info contact

Tara Nelson

405-664-6549 text or leave message

Tomahawk Range

Renovation

Hazen, Toby McAdams Stephen Rudnick and his crew Amber, Violet, Eva and Riker renovated the

tomahawk range today. The renovation was based on the BSA Tomahawk and the Mountain Man Tomahawk Competition Guidelines. It now had three defined throwing lanes, target bullseye is at four feet and the landscape timbers are intended to define the lanes and prevent side are throws. We also have two portable throwing stations for things like Camp and Shoot and Sportsfest.

A special thanks to Toby McAdams for his research and willingness to take the lead on this project. Again, thanks to all of you

Ken Anderson

General Meeting Minutes – September 2, 2022

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:06 p.m.
2. The previous meeting minutes were approved.
3. The Chief Range Safety Office reported... Steve is changing the military action bench for safety reasons. Please refresh yourself on the range rules regularly.
4. Ken Anderson reported that Hunter Education is on September 17th. We have 37 out of 50 signed up to participate. Camp and Shoot is October 1st. We need more volunteers. Come see me to sign up.
5. The Vice President reported...We had a good turnout for the first ladies day. The weather was beautiful between rain showers. The first Tuesday of October will be the next Ladies Day shoot. We will be shooting rifles this time around. Please bring your own ammo and firearms. The Youth events have had many participants lately.
6. The Secretary reported...Renewals are in October. Watch your emails for an email from me! No new members until December.
7. Archery report from Simm Rudnick... There is a double PVC tube marked lost and found, please look, and take your arrows home with you.
8. The Scheduler reported...Everything is going great with maintenance. We will have a new 100-yard target setup to try out soon. For the MBABR the October match will be a qualifier for the state match. 5 or 6 RSOs needed. We need to discuss the carry over for work hours. Camp and Shoot is the last major event to accrue work hours. The 20th of October is the regional Sporting Clay match. The gate will no longer be locked open for any event. We will create a new gate code for each specific event. The public needs to contact the match director for access.
9. The Member at Large reported... Renewals are in October!
10. Scott Stehno thanks the club for hosting the members of his church out to shoot.
11. The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 p.m.

Recorded by Amber Yelton

Officer Meeting Minutes – September 15, 2022

1. Meeting called to order at 6:35 p.m.
2. Previous BOD meeting minutes accepted.
3. Hunter Education will be held the weekend 09/17. 51 are currently registered. Staff is lined up. Food to be purchased on Friday. Setting will be on Friday. Was discussed. Parking
4. Camp and Shoot will be held the weekend of October 1st. We currently have 92 Scouts signed up and are maxed out. We need more volunteers. Ken has tapped out the available traditional volunteers. We need support in; Muzzleloader - 2, Air Rifle - 2 of 3, 22 Rifle - 2 or 3, Archery - Good, Tomahawk - 4. A team Leader coordination meeting will be on Thursday, 09/22 at 7:00PM pavilion. We will need; Muzzleloader - need 7 steel targets if they are available; 22 Rifle, will need 12 tall targets (8for 22 rifle, 4 for 22 Merit Badge); Porta Potties and washing stations. Detailed plans to be published the week of 09/19.
5. The Tomahawk Range was discussed. Toby, Hazen and I agreed on the tomahawk range configuration. Information was sent to Woody to purchase tomahawks. Work is planned for the Tomahawk Range on Saturday, 09/24 to build out to current spec. Need to cut two or three new targets. We need to determine the status of the Chainsaws. We will need Cottonwood logs 24 Inch in diameter. We will need 6 pieces of 3/8 rebar cut to 10-inch lengths for target hangers.

6. Central Region FFA Sporting Clays was discussed. Ken will work with Norman FFA the week of 09/19 to develop the plan. Teams will arrive and depart at scheduled times. Families may come and observe. Ken will follow up on porta johns. Temporary gate codes will be used. A calendar entry is needed for TCGC Volunteers. Parking was discussed.
7. CRSO asked that we please put in Hangfire again, "one target per stand".
8. Lee Hogan would like to come out with his church security team for training.
9. It was requested the board consider having a Google calendar for stuff that doesn't go on club calendar (shared) TCGC board events.
10. Observed safety violations and corrective actions taken were discussed.
11. The Member at Large received a request from a prospective member wanting to store an RV at the club.
12. Members need to make sure work hours are correct prior to renewing, if not see Tara or David.
13. The club is moving its accounts to Arvest bank. Investments will be in the same place. This will be a subject at the finance committee meeting. P-cards for event managers were discussed and are desirable because of better accounting and management, pre-authorizations, and dating cutoffs.
14. Budget requests need to be submitted. They will be discussed at the upcoming Finance Committee Meeting.
15. NRA contributions will be more limited this year.
16. Renewals begin in October. Get your work hours in and documented before renewal. In the future hours will be logged rather than punched.
17. Discussion on promotion to regular membership. The process is defined by the bylaws.
18. Do not remove targets or other property from club ranges for personal use. Club members and guests are reminded that; misappropriation is theft, you are on camera when you are at the club, you can and will be charged for the club's expense of replacing anything that you take, theft could lead to revocation of membership.
19. There was a question about the use of broadheads on the archery range. They are allowed only on targets mounted on the hay bales. The blades of the broadhead may be destroyed by such use, so we recommend shooters bring their own foam target.
20. Airbows and other high velocity bows were discussed. The velocity limit on the archery range is 400 feet per second. If your crossbow or compound bow shoots faster DO NOT
21. Election will be on or before the December Club Meeting. Volunteers for the position, please provide article for November Hangfire and attend the November Meeting to introduce yourselves to the members! We also encourage you to attend the Board Meeting in October!
22. Youth Shooting had a great turn out! Over 23 kids just at shotgun last week! Thank you to all the members, parents and volunteers who helped make the evening successful! We used the new gate code for the first time. No known problems with the gate other than one person transposing numbers.
23. The Youth Budget will be provided to the Treasurer before the Finance Meeting on the 22nd. Jamie plans to inventory and add some funds into the Youth Budget to cover additional costs for 2023. We will likely need at least 2 pallets of clays.
24. Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Minutes taken by Simm Rudnick

Multi-Gun Match September 2022

Place	Name	Class	Div	Match Pts	Match %
1	Tingler, Jesse	U	T	290.4531	100.0000 %
2	Williams, Tanner	U	T	273.3165	94.1000 %
3	Ham, Matt	U	T	230.9204	79.5035 %
4	Turner, Johnathan	U	T	157.9286	54.3732 %
5	Patrick, Austin	U	T	155.8095	53.6436 %
6	Ramos, Ricky	U	T	155.0465	53.3809 %
7	Edd, Malcom	G	T	132.8928	45.7536 %
8	Snodgrass, James	U	T	131.6067	45.3108 %
9	Tyrell, Brandon	G	T	125.4244	43.1823 %
10	Stiffler, Darin	U	T	105.0052	36.1522 %
11	Davis, Bryant	G	T	37.5642	12.9330 %

9/10/2022 MBABR Tri-City Gun Club Score Sheet

Rank	Last name	First Name	Rifle	Score 1	X	Score 2	X	Score 3	X	Aggregate
1	Vannoy	Steve	M96	98	1	100	8	99	2	297-11
2	Sparks	David	M96	98	2	98	2	99	4	295-8
3	Goltry	Travis	M96	98	2	99	2	98	2	295-6
4	Anderson	Jeff	03a3	99	2	99	2	96	3	294-7
5	Wedge	Eric	03a3	98	2	97	1	98	1	293-4
6	Towery	Gale	M96	95	1	96	3	98	5	289-9
7	Dyer	Steve	03a3	93	1	97	2	95	0	285-3
8	Edwards	Victor	1908 Braz	96	1	91	1	97	1	284-3
9	Stout	Howdy	K98	95	0	92	0	96	3	283-3
10	Ott	Paul	03a3	91	1	96	3	93	1	280-5
11	Maynard	Ben	03a3	91	1	94	0	94	3	279-4
12	Pulver	Ed	03a3	94	2	91	0	90	0	275-2
13	Patrick	Austin	K98	90	0	87	2	89	0	266-2
14	Maynard	Frank	1903	89	1	90	0	87	0	266-1
15	Barnett	Lee	M96 SR	88	1	86	0	89	0	263-1
16	Mulqueen	Pat	M39	82	1	90	2	84	1	256-4
17	Suski	Eric	91/30	85	0	90	1	81	0	256-1
18	Anderson	Loren	M96	93	2	78	1	84	0	255-3
19	Wilbanks	James	91/30	59	0	60	1	47	0	166-1

9/10/2022 MBABR Tri-City Gun Club Group Sheet

Rank	Last name	First Name	Rifle	Group 1	Group 2	Smallest Group
1	Sparks	David	M96	2.290	1.690	1.690
2	Anderson	Jeff	03a3	1.750	3.080	1.750
3	Goltry	Travis	M96	2.150	2.050	2.050
4	Vannoy	Steve	M96	2.120	3.140	2.120
5	Wedge	Eric	03a3	2.320	2.680	2.320
6	Edwards	Victor	1908 Braz	2.980	2.510	2.510
7	Dyer	Steve	03a3	3.010	2.640	2.640
8	Towery	Gale	M96	2.780	2.950	2.780
9	Pulver	Ed	03a3	4.580	3.580	3.580
10	Stout	Howdy	98K	3.640	4.500	3.640
11	Anderson	Loren	M96	3.830	4.860	3.830
12	Ott	Paul	03a3	3.830	5.020	3.830
13	Mannard	Ben	03a3	4.750	3.970	3.970
14	Barnett	Lee	M96SR	4.940	4.540	4.540
15	Suski	Eric	91-30	6.000	4.720	4.720
16	Maynard	Frank	1903	4.750	4.960	4.750
17	Mulqueen	Pat	M39	5.060	6.000	5.060
18	Wilbanks	James	Mosin 91	6.000	6.000	6.000
19	Patrick	Austin	K 98	6.000	6.000	6.000

Practical Pistol Match September 2022

Match Results - Combined

Place	Name	Class	Div	PF	Category	Match Pts	Match %
1	Sanderson, Shawn	U	PCC	Min	Senior	319.043	100.0000 %
2	Hamm, Matt	U	PCC	Min		303.5329	95.1386 %
3	Thompson, Rob	U	CO	Min		177.9191	55.7665 %
4	Turner, Jonathan	U	CO	Min		176.0089	55.1678 %
5	Tingler, Jesse	U	CO	Min		173.9987	54.5377 %
6	Bazinet, Hazen	U	CO	Min		158.6761	49.7350 %
7	Robbins, Chris	U	L	Min		154.8337	48.5307 %
8	Park, Michael	U	O	Maj		133.508	41.8464 %
9	Stiffler, Darin	U	CO	Min	Senior	118.9451	37.2818 %
10	Patrick, Austin	U	CO	Min		110.8734	34.7519 %
11	Dale, Everett	U	CO	Min	Senior	106.8579	33.4933 %
12	Park, Kristen	U	CO	Min		106.2648	33.3074 %
13	Grotts, Randy	U	O	Maj	Senior	82.6752	25.9135 %
14	Banta, Tyler	U	O	Maj		82.3775	25.8202 %
15	Tyrell, Brandon	U	L	Maj		76.9295	24.1126 %
16	Ramos, Ricky	U	L	Min		75.9341	23.8006 %
17	Wilbanks, James	U	CO	Min		70.589	22.1252 %
18	Snodgrass, James	U	CO	Min		53.7108	16.8350 %

8/27/22 MILITARY REVOLVER, MILITARY SEMI-AUTO, AND .22 PISTOL MATCH

MILITARY REVOLVER

PLACING		REVOLVER	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	SCORE	X's
1	E. PULV	S&W M14	97	91	92	84	90	454	4
2	J. HUGH	S&W 14	90	91	86	88	86	441	7
3	G. GOODNIG	S&W 14	87	87	88	86	90	438	4
4	V. GOODNIG	S&W 19	90	91	92	84	80	437	5
5	M. RO	S&W M&P	85	86	91	74	85	421	1
6	S. DY	S&W M&P	84	84	88	75	85	416	
7	M. SCHROED	SCHOFIELD	89	84	75	82	83	413	2
8	L. BARNE	COLT OFFICER	85	79	77	71	86	398	
9	S. SANDERS	COLT 32-20	74	61	73	83	82	373	2

MILITARY SEMI-AUTO

PLACING		PISTOL	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	SCORE	X's
1	E. PULV	1911	85	89	83	93	89	439	1
2	G. GOODNIG	1911	84	84	85	92	90	435	4
3	M. RO	1911	83	86	87	87	85	428	2
4	V. GOODNIG	1911	79	85	82	85	73	404	3
5	S. DY	1911	86	75	75	84	84	404	3
6	L. BARNE	1911	76	71	82	80	77	386	1
7	S. SANDERS	1911	63	70	68	82	76	359	2
	J. HUGH	22	91	90	88	87	90	446	7

PCC

PLACING			R1	R2	R3	SCORE	X's
1	S. DY	9MM AR	98	99	100	297	12
2	S. SANDERS	9MM AR	96	98	99	293	8
3	G. GOODNIG	1894 MARLIN	92	98	98	288	1
4	E. PULV	RUGER PC9	92	97	97	286	5
5	V. GOODNIG	1894 MARLIN	91	94	94	279	2

.22 MATCH

PLACING			R1	R2	R3	SCORE	X's
1	J. HUGH	RUGER	76	92	86	254	4

Business Advertisements

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.

NFA Trusts Business Law Probate Construction Law Litigation

P&E

L. Wayne Edgar
ATTORNEY AT LAW
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER (OK & TX RET.)

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

For Sale

For Sale: Contact Dick 405-250-9412

- 1896 Swedish Mauser, 1922 bolt.barrel,receiver, stock match VG condition with sling and sheathed bayonet \$650
- 98 Mauser, WW II Steyr 1941 8mm, all matching except the bolt Russia captive VG \$750
- Winchester 94, 30-30, post 64 VG \$700

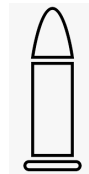


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SPEED LIMIT 10 MPH!!!!

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

Renewal Rates for 2023
Regular Membership \$200
Associate Membership \$220
2nd Family member \$40 (Spouse)
8 Hour Work Discount \$80



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

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