

July 2023



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TCGC REGULAR MEETINGS:

Friday, July 7, 2023 TCGC Pavilion

Tuesday, August 1, 2023 TCGC Pavilion

Meeting Locations subject to change. Online if inclement weather.

In Memoriam

Sharing the passing of long-time club member and past Club President of TCGC, Jerry Tomlinson.

Jerry was a club member for over 21 years, an avid supporter and lifetime member of the NRA, ORA and Tri-City Gun Club, and an Oklahoma Hunters Safety Educator. He held RSO and NRA Instructor certifications as well. Join us in sending thoughts and prayers to the family and friends of Jerry. He will be missed.

Father's Day Family Fun Picnic 2023



Everyone had a great time and enjoyed some great food at Fathers Family Friends & Fun. I was happy to hang out with a few "super dads" including the best dad ever, mine. My parents, Dwight & Karen, and favorite uncle, John, really enjoy coming to our family day. They especially like sampling all the deserts. A big thanks to Greg Sutterfield for setting up and running 5-Stand. Hope all who couldn't make it had a great Father's Day weekend. Thank you, Cheryl, for all your help. - Tara



Ken Anderson with his kids Jessica and Justin (left) having a great time on target.

Upcoming special events:

- *July 15 - Vintage Battle Rifle and AR Shoot
- *July 29 - One-Day Appleseed

BYLAW VOTE PASSED!

WORKING ON NEW MEMBER SIGN-UP. Keep an eye on the TCGC website for updates.

Board Meeting - July 20, 2023 6:30p.m. at the Stat House
Let us know if you plan on attending. scheduler@tcgc.us

July/August Schedule

Check the online calendar for updated information regarding events, matches, and workdays. Register online if attending. Winter workdays may be canceled/rescheduled due to weather conditions. Registrants will be notified by email if the schedule changes.

Range Hours of Operation	6a – 11p Daily
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Workdays			
Range work	July 15 August 19	7a-11a	All Ranges/Weather Pending

Monthly Shoots	Date	Time	Range
Practical Pistol Match	1st Sunday	8a-2p	Long Range
Bright Lights Monday Nights-Trap	Every Monday	6:30p-10p	Trap 1 or 2
Military Bolt Action Bench Rest	2nd Saturday	8a-2p	Long Range
Multi-Gun Match	3rd Sunday	7a-2p	Long Range
Military Pistol/Revolver/22 Match	4th Saturday	8a-1p	Short Rifle Range
22 Rifle Match	4th Sunday	8a-12p	Short Rifle Range
Youth Shooting	2 nd /4 th Thursday	6p-8p	Shotgun, Air Rifle, 22, Archery

Register and pay online for Multi-Gun, Practical Pistol, & MBABR matches.

Special Events			
Vintage Battle Rifle	July 15	7a – 12p	Long Range
Appleseed (ONE DAY ONLY)	July 29	7a – 5p	

Meetings	Date	Time	Location
General Membership Meeting	July 7 Friday August 1 Tuesday	7p 7p	Pavilion
Board Meeting	3rd Thursday	6:30p	Stat House
Finance Committee	July 11	7p-9p	Stat House

Vice President's Report

Do you carry? I would like to encourage you to do some weekly/bi-weekly or monthly drills.

PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE! Be sure to be familiar and comfortable with your firearm! Below is just one of the many drills that can be run. There are many drills that will work at Tri-City. Mix it up! There are some drills that do require an RSO (actual drawing from holster). Many drills can be modified to the range! Modification for the Wizard Drill could be shoot from compressed ready. (A good way to practice drawing from concealment is with unloaded firearm at home) Good Shooting!



For some additional tips, look up the article in the NRA Shooting Illustrated October 21, 2020
<https://www.shootingillustrated.com/content/why-you-should-practice-with-a-handgun-at-distance/>

Thank you!
 Jamie Schmidt
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Safety Report

Hope you've been out enjoying some safe shooting time. Summer heat is here, so a reminder to keep yourself and any guests hydrated. The Stat House always has water and is an easy way to take a break from heat.

First Aid/CPR/AED Training with FAST (First Aid for Severe Trauma): You may recall that we had set a target for training and certification of members. I am excited to announce that one of our members, Wes Tebo, has offered to train and that the Board has set a budget for the cost of certifications. Wes is an American Red Cross Instructor for First Aid, CPR and AED (he is also Wilderness and Remote First Aid Instructor, not including that in our Club course).

I especially encourage our RSOs to get certified or update your expired certification (I will be doing exactly that). An extra note for Match Directors – please consider taking the course if you are not certified or it has expired, and please also encourage any of your regular shooters to get certified so that we can increase likelihood of having help at matches should they ever be needed.

Current curriculum allows for an online component that will need to be done before any course, so the in person session will only be about 3 hours in the Stat House. Please email me if you are interested and can dedicate some time to get certified and tell me any preferences for weeknight or weekend. I will build a list, set a schedule with Wes, and distribute to all who express interest.

As always - when you are out enjoying your range, please do so safely. Always heed the red lights, and always be deliberate in your actions with firearms. If you ever have any questions, issues or concerns about safety at our range feel free to contact me.

Hazen Bazinet
Chief Range Safety Officer, CRSO@tcgc.us
For URGENT Safety Issues Call
405-355-2136

Range Maintenance

Sign up for workday, projects, or event prep. Make friends while getting much needed chores and projects completed. Just let maintenance know if you have time or skills to contribute.

A few reminders to help keep your range awesome:

- Speed Limit is 10mph or less.
- **1 target centered** on pistol & short rifle range targets.
- Shot size allowed on shotgun ranges is still 7 ½, 7 steel, 8, 9. Larger shot sizes (6, 4, 2, buckshot, & slugs are only allowed on Long Range.
- pistol & short-range targets should be removed from shooting range and placed in target area after use.

Randy Grotts
Tara Nelson
maintenance@tcgc.us

General Meeting Minutes – June 6, 2023

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.
2. The previous meeting minutes were approved.
3. It was reported that former club President Jerry Tomlinson passed.
4. Simm Rudnick was presented with an award for his service to the club.
5. Another Eagle Project was completed at the archery range and two more are underway.
6. CRSO spoke regarding maintaining an appropriate attitude at the range. When RSOs and other members see a safety issue they are expected to say something. Both RSOs and anyone being redirected are expected to be civil.
7. Do not call for the gate code. It is on the website.
8. YHEC was canceled due to poor turnout.
9. June 17, 2023, is the Family Day picnic. This will be a potluck.
10. The board has closed the RV parking area. Members will need to make other arrangements for their RV parking needs.
11. We need people to run for club offices, or at least be willing to take over club offices when incumbents want to step down.
12. The bylaw vote appears to be very likely to pass.

13. June workday will be June 10th.
14. The vintage battle rifle match will be held July 15th.
15. The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 p.m.
16. The bylaw proposal indeed passed.

Officer Meeting Minutes – June 15, 2023

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:40 p.m.
2. The previous meeting minutes were approved.
3. The Hangfire was discussed.
4. Jerry Tomlinson passed. A memorial service at the range sometime over the summer was requested.
5. Upcoming events were discussed.
6. A temporary gate code will be issued for Saturday's Family Day picnic.
7. First Aid/CPR training was discussed. Wes Tebo is willing to provide training for First Aid, CPR, and FAST. The course can be offered as an online course to reduce onsite training time and material costs. The practical portion can be done at the range. Training alone would be cheaper than certification, but certification is preferred. Different models for funding and managing the training were discussed. Financially speaking, the club could accommodate this training. Hazen will explore dates and times to get events set up. A \$1500 budget is tentatively being allotted.
8. Bank transfer projects are close to completion.
9. New memberships will open eventually.
10. The new bylaw proposal did indeed pass.
11. Updated rules will be added to the website.
12. The calendar will be updated.
13. The meeting was adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

Oklahoma Governor Signed Two Important Second Amendment Bills: Boat Carry and Constitutional Carry Cleanup



Recently, Governor Kevin Stitt, signed two important pieces of legislation that uphold our Second Amendment rights.

Firstly, [Senate Bill 978](#), also known as the Boat Carry Bill, has been signed into law. This bill recognizes individuals right to carry a firearm on a boat as long as they are legally allowed to possess a firearm. This is a significant victory for those who enjoy recreational boating and want to exercise their right to self-defense.

Secondly, [House Bill 1789](#), also known as the Constitutional Carry Cleanup Bill, has been signed into law. This bill clarifies language in the existing constitutional carry law and ensures that law-abiding citizens can carry a firearm without unnecessary government permission slips. This is crucial in protecting our Second Amendment rights and ensuring that law-abiding citizens are not unjustly prosecuted for exercising their right to bear arms.

NRA applauds Governor Stitt and the Oklahoma Legislature for taking bold steps to protect our Second Amendment rights. These new laws are a victory for all Oklahomans who believe in the fundamental right to self-defense and the right to bear arms.

Thank you for your continued support of the Second Amendment.

Source: NRA ILA Reports. May 5, 2023, <https://www.nraila.org/articles/20230505/oklahoma-governor-signed-two-important-second-amendment-bills-boat-carry-and-constitutional-carry-cleanup>

Military Bolt Action Sniper Rifle Match Update (Corrected)

Shooters,

There has been interest in setting up a Military Bolt Action match for scoped WWI - WW2 sniper rifles. To get things rolling, we'll have a combined regular Mil Bolt and Mil Sniper match in August, scored separately like the SMLE and Winter War matches.

To keep the integrity and spirit of the Mil Bolt matches, we'll set basic guidelines for rifles and scopes, see how things turn out in August and adjust as necessary until we reach a good blend of historical authenticity and reasonable access to the match for common Mil Bolt rifles.

Rules for Military Sniper:

1. Limited to pre-WWI - WWI - WW2 military issue bolt action sniper rifles, replicas, and as-issued military bolt action rifles fitted with scopes of 4X or less. This is not the match for later heavy barrel .308 sniper rifles, "sporter-ized" military rifles or target scopes.
2. Replica sniper rifle reproductions that are manufactured to be identical to military issue sniper rifles can be used, regardless of manufacture date.
3. Mil bolt rifles with scopes mounted but otherwise as issued can be used.
4. As long eye relief scope mounts are available that fit into rear sight bases of several models of mil bolt guns, rifles scoped with these can be used. Again, scopes are limited to 4X or less and the rifles should be otherwise as issued.

We'll run this first match to sort through issues and address feedback before working with the club to announce the matches and set a schedule. Contact me directly if you have questions.

Steve Dyer

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5/27/23 MILITARY REVOLVER, MILITARY SEMI-AUTO, AND .22 PISTOL MATCH

MILITARY REVOLVER

PLACING	Name	REVOLVER	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	SCORE	X's
1	V. GOODNIG	1873 SAA	82	88	84	87	94	435	1
2	G. GOODNIG	1873 SAA	83	86	85	90	87	431	2
3	E. PULV	1873 SAA	90	83	88	81	86	428	2
4	L.BARNETT	COLT OFFICER	76	70	88	81	85	400	2
5	F. MAYNA	S&W 1917	74	59	63	49	48	293	

MILITARY SEMI-AUTO

PLACING	Name	PISTOL	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	SCORE	X's
1	E. PULV	1911	97	94	95	90	84	460	3
2	G. GOODNIG	1911	92	87	86	87	87	439	3
3	V. GOODNIG	1911	82	82	94	89	87	434	6
4	L.BARNETT	CZ75	86	68	72	64	76	366	
5	F. MAYNA	92FS	56	54	45	52	58	265	1

PCC

PLACING	Name		R1	R2	R3	SCORE	X's
1	E. PULV	CZ SCPION	99	97	98	294	7
2	V. GOODNIG	1894 MARLIN	95	98	94	287	4
3	G. GOODNIG	1894 MARLIN	94	94	95	283	3

22 MATCH

PLACING	Name		R1	R2	R3	SCORE	X's
1	L.BARNETT		84	87	90	261	2
2	F. MAYNA	JC HIGGINS M88	48	68	73	189	1

TCGC-OK Practical Pistol June 4, 2023

Match Results - Combined

Place	Name	Class	Div	PF	Category	Match Pts	Match %
1	Sanderson, Shawn	U	PCC	Min	Senior	473.2972	100.0000 %
2	Rigsby, Matt	B	LO	Min		463.1355	97.8530 %
3	Snodgrass, James	U	CO	Min		391.3108	82.6776 %
4	Shepherd, Greg	U	CO	Min		381.7457	80.6567 %
5	Park, Joseph	U	L	Maj		374.3668	79.0976 %
6	Craumer, Justin	U	L	Min		371.7302	78.5405 %
7	Thompson, Rob	U	CO	Min		370.5107	78.2829 %
8	Rigsby, Larry	U	PCC	Min		341.2863	72.1082 %
9	Grotts, Randy	U	O	Maj	Super Snr	329.0984	69.5331 %
10	Robbins, Jack	U	O	Min		313.1314	66.1596 %
11	Holmes, Joe	U	PCC	Min	Senior	306.0574	64.6650 %
12	Patrick, Austin	U	CO	Min		297.6593	62.8906 %
13	Stiffler, Darin	U	CO	Min	Senior	239.9874	50.7054 %
14	Pulver, Ed	U	R	Min		172.9878	36.5495 %
15	Mattmiller, Dan	U	R	Maj		128.4692	27.1435 %
16	Pettus, Tony	U	L	Maj		102.6068	21.6791 %
17	Barnett, Lee	U	L	Maj		0	0.0000 %

Next Event July 2nd!

7 a.m. Set-Up and check-in, 8:00 a.m. Shooting

6/10/2023 MBABR Tri-City Gun Club GROUP SHEET

Rank	Last name	First Name	Rifle	Group 1	Group 2	Smallest Group
1	Edwards	Victor	95 Chilean	1.860	2.230	1.860
2	Vannoy	Steve	M96	3.400	2.320	2.320
3	Goodnight	Gerald	03a3	2.34	2.430	2.340
4	Maynard	Ben	03a3	2.510	3.210	2.510
5	Anderson	Jeff	03a3	3.280	2.520	2.520
6	Masopust	Tim	M96	3.230	2.590	2.590
7	Wedge	Eric	03a3	2.930	3.130	2.930
8	Maynard	Frank	M39	6.000	3.130	3.130
9	Pulver	d	03a3	3.42	4	3.420
10	Shippey	Mike	95 Chilean	5.460	3.430	3.430
11	Dyer	Steve	03a3	3.380	4.410	3.380
12	Myers	Ron	03a3	3.730	4.320	3.730
13	Anderson	Loren	M96	4.09	5.780	4.090
14	Masopust	Paul	1917	4.480	4.170	4.170
15	Patrick	Austin	K98	4.680	6.000	4.680
16	Barnett	Lee	Smit. Rub	6.000	5.780	5.780
17	Shippey	Raymond	91/30	6.000	6.000	6.000
18	Ott	Paul	03a3	6.000	6.000	6.000

6/10/2023 MBABR Tri-City Gun Club SCORE SHEET

Rank	Last name	First Name	Rifle	Score 1	X	Score 2	X	Score 3	X	Aggregate
1	Masopust	Tim	M96	97	4	100	2	99	4	296-10
2	Vannoy	Steve	M96	96	2	100	5	98	4	294-11
3	Wedge	Eric	03a3	99	2	98	2	97	3	294-7
4	Goodnight	Gerald	03a3	96	4	97	2	100	7	293-13
5	Anderson	Jeff	03a3	96	3	5	3	8	3	289-9
6	Edwards	Victor	95 Chilean	94	2	97	4	95	2	286-8
7	Pulver	Ed	03a3	96	1	4	4	5	1	285-6
8	Dyer	Steve	03a3	92	0	3	0	6	1	281-1
9	Maynard	Frank	M39	92	1	4	1	2	0	278-2
10	Shippey	Mike	95 Chilean	94	3	89	0	93	1	276-4
11	Maynard	Ben	03a3	92	2	1	0	2	2	275-4
12	Barnett	Lee	Smit. Rub	91	0	0	0	3	1	274-1
13	Masopust	Paul	1917	85	1	94	1	92	0	271-2
14	Myers	Ron	03a3	88	0	88	0	89	0	265-0
15	Patrick	Austin	K98	89	0	1	1	4	0	264-1
16	Anderson	Loren	M96	87	0	80	0	83	0	250-0
17	Shippey	Raymond	91/30	63	0	81	0	73	0	217-0
18	Ott	Paul	03a3	0	0					0-0

FOR SALE

*Colt Detective 38 Special 2" Barrel \$650.00
 *Kimber Stainless 45 ACP Ultra Carry II \$950.00 w/case
 *H&K 45C 45 ACP Night Sights \$825.00 w/case
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Ads to be included in the next month's Hangfire are due by the Board Meeting each month.



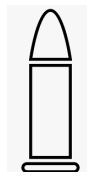
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YOU ARE ON THE RANGE.

2023 Events

July 15, 2023	Vintage Battle Rifle and AR Shoot
July 29, 2023	Appleseed
Sept 16, 2023	Hunters Education Clinic
Oct 6, 2023	BSA Camp & Shoot
Oct TBA	FFA Sporting Clays



Buying Bullets?
Missouri Bullet
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Monthly Gate Code: tcgc.us/code

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