

North Texas Shooters Association, Inc. P.O. Box 2042, Denton, TX 76202-2042 Range Phone Number is 940 391 7376 April Newsletter



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We had our April meeting and the major topic was safety. There are going to be some changes coming soon to the NTSA regarding safety, keep a lookout. We also voted in about 20 new members. Brian Bettis, our skeet chair resigned and Jay Rasmussen has taken his place.

Orientation Training Classes are scheduled for March 6th, April 10th, May 8th, and June 5th at the Club. Each class will begin at 8:00 am and fast approximately 1 hour. This training focuses on basic safety concerns and equipment use. Orientation training is required for all new members. If you are not a new member but would like to participate in this training please join.

Club Match

Sunday, April 18th, Start Time: 1:00 PM, \$10.00 Entry Fee

Hello again from the Pistol range. Well we had a great turn out and a lot of fun for the March match. Mark Hannan walked away with first place again. Steve Hope = 2 / Terry Todd = 3 / Mike Needham = 4 / Dave Roser = 5 / Bob Robinett = 6 / Tanner Brown = 7 a great job for our junior shooter / Harry Hettinger = 8 / and Dale Brown took 9th. Thanks to all of the shooters that pitched in and helped me. I think I am learning the scoring!

	Member	10	15	25			
Name	#	yard	yard	yard	В	Total	PL
Harry Hettinger	566	78	46	16	2	142	8
Steve Hope	279	95	85	68	2	250	2
Dave Roser	582	82	74	23	0	179	5
Tanner Brown	263-6	75	46	25	0	146	7
Dale Brown	263-6	81	43	11	0	135	9
Bob Robinett	112	76	59	16	0	151	6
Mike Needham	105	97	89	37	2	225	4
Mark Hannan	50	92	89	72	2	255	1
Terry Todd	537	89	90	70	0	249	3

We took a vote for April and with help from Steve Hope we will try a timed center fire match, 10 yards will be the distance and the targets will be paper plates and index cards. Bring about 100 of rounds with you.

If it is raining or just plain too cold for shooting we will try for May, see you all at the club.

Thanks, Harry Hettinger 940-390-5651 cell#, hfhettinger@charter.net

Trap Range News

The Spring Trap league has finished. The banquet will be on April 25 with awards to be presented at that time.

The Club Trap Shoot is to be on June 20, 2002 Registration to start at 9am first trap at 10 am. A buckle will be raffled and seventeen more will be awarded to winners. Please plan on attending. More information to follow next month.

Thanks, Dean Westerman

IDPA Match at NTSA Range

The fourth Saturday is right around the corner, so get your stuff together so you can carry it. Make sure to knock some of the larger pieces out of the action on your favorite shooter. Gather up around 100 rounds of the ammo, that group pretty good, be sure they all have powder in them. Probably need a drink or two and maybe a hat for the heat, and or, a coat for the cold. Hopefully it won't be raining! Get your Coon-Dog Butts out for a couple of hours of "Trigger Time". There will be some fun and probably be a little "B/S'ing" also. That part is optional --!!

April 24th 2004 Match Time 11:AM

Sign-in Time Starts at 10:00AM ------ Eye and Ear Protection for all shooters and Spectators required. Match fees are \$8.00 for Members and \$12.00 for Non-Members. IDPA member-ship cards are not required, for this shoot, but membership applications will be available upon request. Remember before you shoot a big match thru IDPA you have to have a membership # and be classified as a marksman or above.

We're a straight up bunch of shooters, we pick on everybody!! Hope to see you at the match this month and bring a friend, or bring your wife/girlfriend, or both if you have the nerve. We need some lady shooters to get involved in our port. We also pick on the ladies a little bit --- as long as they aren't handling a loaded firearm. We're not totally stupid!!!

Your friendly set up person, Richard Patton rpat1911@swbell.net 214-663-9522 cell #

Benchrest Rifle Matches

2004 Club Matches: March 14, April 25, May 23, June 27, July 11, August 22, September 19 Alternating 100/200 yard monthly, 100 yard score morning, group afternoon, 200 yard group morning, score afternoon. This is different then last year and is subject to change (but not likely this year). Matches are \$25 per day this year, same as last year.

2004 NBRSA Registered: Hottern' Hell LV/HV match on July 17 and 18. Labor day weekend will have a 3 day match with the Gulf Coast Regional honors being shot for in LV/HV/Unlimited. Unlimited will be on Monday. Registered matches will be \$35 per day this year.

More information will be in the next newsletter or can be found on my website at www.viperactions.com.

Jerry Stiller, Match Director and Curtis Helton, Rifle chairman, stiller@viperactions.com

Skeet Range

From The High House

The March shoot, held on Saturday the 20th, was one of our best turnouts ever. The 19 shooters that came out were treated to windy, cool conditions that kept the birds moving everywhere. It was a good challenge and there were some nice scores posted.

The winners were as follows:

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Dee Walters	HOA	•	₋ 99
Steve Hope	B1		95
Jr. Demming	B2		94
G. Goldsmith	C1		93
Calvin Demming	C2	•	<i>,</i> 92
Van Elliott	D1	*	88
Jay Rasmussen	D2		86
Fritz Yoder	E1		84
Travis Haren	E2		83

Congrats to all these folks. Your trophy, with your name on it, is on the way. Gary (two shot) Goldsmith is now in charge of awards. Thanks Gary. Also special thanks to Jay Rasmussen fo really putting forth extra effort with scoring and spread sheets.

I would to thank everyone for their continued support of our skeet shoots, and to invite anyone reading this newsletter to come on out and have some fun. Our April shoot will be held, April 1 Sign up @ 8:30, first squad out 9:00 a.m.

Hope to see you at station one

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