

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



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We held our August meeting and had the picnic on July 31<sup>st</sup> this month. The new by-laws passed and you will now be paying your dues in June of each year. This will make it much nicer for the members and the treasurer. We had about 50 people show up for the picnic. The BBQ was great as usual and a good time was had by all. The meeting for August was uneventful and some continuing issues were taken care of. That's about it for now. Stiller

Orientation Training Classes are scheduled for August 7<sup>th</sup> and September 4<sup>th</sup> at the Club. Each class will begin at 8:00 am and last 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.

**Ever wonder what is going on at the club?** Check out the club's **NEW** website at <a href="www.shootntsa.com">www.shootntsa.com</a>. Take a look at the some photos from recent activities from the club and/or browse the message board to see what's new. Feel free to leave comments and suggestions for the web site or club.

There is an up to date calendar available on the site that will let you know if any activities are scheduled when you are planning to go to the range. Please direct any questions on the website to admin@shootntsa.com.

# Give Steve Hope a HUGE THANK YOU for all of his efforts on the website next time you see him.

#### August 2004

7<sup>th</sup>, Club Orientation

21<sup>st</sup>, Skeet Match, 8:00 am, \$20

22<sup>nd</sup>, Benchrest Rifle Club Match, 200 yards, 10:00 am, \$25

28<sup>th</sup>, IDPA pistol, 9:30 am, \$8/12

29<sup>th</sup>, Club pistol Match, 1:00 pm, \$10

#### September 2004

4<sup>th</sup>, Club Orientation

18<sup>th</sup>, Skeet Match, 8:00 am, \$20

19th, Benchrest Rifle Club Match, 100 yards, 10:00 am, \$25

19<sup>th</sup>, Club pistol Match, 1:00 pm, \$10

25<sup>th</sup>, IDPA pistol, 9:30 am, \$8/12

#### **Club Pistol Match**

Sunday, August 29, Start Time: 1:00 PM, \$10.00 Entry Fee

Hello again from the Pistol range. Well we had a great time at the July match. The turn out was small but that did not limit the fun. We even ended up with a good old fashion shoot off. Ron Hull and Bob Robinett took aim and ended up only 2 points apart determining 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place. I want to give a special thanks to my wife Sabrina and my son Clayton who helped with the match.

1<sup>st</sup> - Harry Hettinger, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Bob Robinett, 3<sup>rd</sup> - Ron Hull

Scores and pictures can be seen at www.shootntsa.com or at the Clubhouse

#### **NEW DATE FOR THE AUGUST MATCH**

This months pistol match will be held the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month on August 29<sup>Th</sup> at 1 PM Entry fee will be \$10.00 and you will need about 75 rounds for paper and steel targets.

This will be a good old fashion fun shoot with five timed stages. The gun will be limited to any semi-auto. Stages will require a clip change. Targets will be paper, steel and spinner targets. Bring your holsters and your clip holders.

Jr. Shooters are welcome and can bring a 22 pistol / clip change and holster is optional. This will be a lot of fun; rules will be posted on the website and on the bulletin board at the range. If you have any questions just give me a call.

Pistol matches for the Year 2004 August, 29, 2004 / 1PM, September, 19, 2004 / 1PM, October, 24, 2004 / 1PM, November, 14, 2004 / PM /

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

## IDPA Match August 28, Match Time 9:30 AM

Bring your favorite pistol and/or wheelgun and join us for some fun. Everyone (including beginners) is welcome and we promise you will have a safe and fun time on the pistol range. Bring about 100 rds, some water or other fluids to drink, and a hat to protect you from the sun. Let us know if you need any equipment (holster, mags, mag pouches, etc.) and we will try to wrestle you up some.

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.

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

# **Trap Range News**

Well the hot days of summer are with us. Many of the trap shooters are practicing for many of the big shooting events that are being held in the region. We are looking at starting up the fall and winter leagues again. So stay tuned for more information over the next few months.

Thanks, Dean Westerman

#### **Benchrest Rifle Matches**

**July Club Match:** The July match turned out 15 shooters and was a good time. George Clutter finished 1<sup>st</sup>, Dr Tim Oltersdorf 2<sup>nd</sup> and Vern Cook 3<sup>rd</sup> in the score portion. Dr Tim Oltersdorf finished 1<sup>st</sup>, Shelley Davidson 2<sup>nd</sup> and Dale McClure 3<sup>rd</sup> in the group matches.

**Hottern' Hell LV/HV:** It was a good time and 35 shooters from around the region came to NTSA to shoot. When it was all over the 2 gun winners were Robert Whitewood finished 1<sup>st</sup>, Paul Fisher 2<sup>nd</sup> and Dr Tim Oltersdorf 3<sup>rd</sup>. Club member Shelley Davidson finished first in the 200 HV with a 30 BR of all things.

**2004 Club Matches**: 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). Matches are \$25 per day.

**2004 NBRSA Registered**: 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.

More information will be in the next newsletter or can be found on my website at  $\underline{\text{www.viperactions.com}}$  or  $\underline{\text{www.shootntsa.com}}$ .

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

## Skeet Range August 21, Match Time 8:00AM

The July shoot was held on Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup>. We had the best turn out this year, 23 shooters participated. Thanks to all of you for coming out. HOA went to Steve Hope again with another 97. Great shooting Steve. We also enjoyed another shoot-off. This time for NSSA "B". Cobert Crews, Bob Klauer and Larry Lindahl all shot 95. Bob took first. Didn't I read about him at the Trap buckle shot? Good shooting Bob, we're glad you join us on the skeet fields. We are also having monthly drawing for a "Breaking Clays makes my day" T-shirt. Due to the summer heat we plan to start **shooting at 8:00 AM**. Please note there will be NO practice allowed because of the start time.

HOA 97 Steve Hope

B1 95 Robert Klauer

B2 95 Larry Lindahl

C1 93 Van Elliott

C2 92 Mark Hannah

C2 92 Dave Gary

D1 89 Travis Harren

D2 87 Jay Rasmussen

E1 85 Dan Nindorf

E2 79 John Wagner

Our next shoot will be on August 21. Please get there around 7:30 to register. Shooting starts at 8:00. The cost is \$10.00 for members \$15.00 for guest's. We are planning to shoot only 50 targets. Personalized trophies will be awarded for all NSSA classes.

Jay Rasmussen, 972 699 3629, jayrasdfw@comcast.net

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CHL Classes and Renewal Classes; For more information contact Steve Camp, 940 381 5236. Art Behrens 940 382 9711, John Lassiter, 940 382 7064 Jerry Raburn, 972 436 1842, Mark Gregory, 940 665 2461