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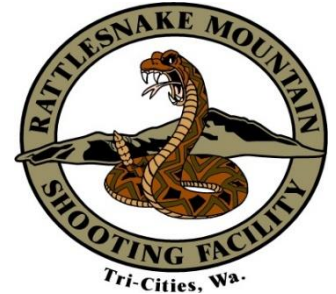
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

By: Mark Verwest

Thanksgiving is the time to look back and give thanks to those who have helped us along the way.

We all owe our thanks to our forefathers for their wisdom and resolve that established this great Country and gave us the Constitution and Bill of Rights that guarantee our liberties and freedoms that we all enjoy. We must not forget that it is our responsibility to ensure that we maintain these rights and our liberties by adhering to the principles put forth in the Constitution and Bill of Rights.

I would like to thank the TCSA Board, Discipline Boards and all of the RSO's that volunteer their time to making the Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility the best Range in the Pacific Northwest. All of their efforts contribute to the smooth and efficient operation of our Range and are deeply appreciated.

Have a great Thanksgiving!



ROSE-IRIS RANGE

Hours of Operation
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

ROSE IRIS TOBERG

By: Mark Verwest

I regret to inform the membership that Rose Iris Toberg passed away last month. As many of you know, she was the driving force behind the creation of the TCSA and the Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility. She and her husband Paul (deceased) put in countless hours to see the creation of our Range. Of course, there were many others involved, but Rose Iris put in the lions share of the time and effort it took to see the idea of the range through to completion of the Public Range, the High-Power Range, Shotgun Range and Pistol Bays. When completed, the Public Range was named in her honor.

I know there are many members and visitors that probably wonder why it's called the Rose-Iris Range and who is Rose Iris? Now you know.



TCSA FACILITIES

ROSE-IRIS RANGE – A 100-yard range with 20 covered firing points. This day use Range Safety Officer supervised facility is operated for public use on a regularly scheduled basis Wednesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

RIMFIRE PLINKING RANGE – A 50-yard 22-caliber Range Safety Officer supervised Shooting Range with reactive targets.

CENTERFIRE PLINKING RANGE – A 50-yard handgun pistol/revolver RSO supervised range with reactive targets for firearms using black powder or standard pistol cartridges.

COWBOY / PRACTICAL PISTOL BAYS – Ranges consisting of 13 bays of varying lengths designed to support a variety of action shooting disciplines such as; Practical (IPSC/ USPSA) 3-Gun Sports and Cowboy (SASS) groups.

Cowboy Action Rep. – **Charles Kissler** – 509.783.8505

Nelson Thomas – 509.727.4678

Practical Pistol Rep. – **Curt Berger** – 541.720.7826

1000-YARD, HIGH-POWER RANGE – A Range consisting of 100, 200, 300, 600, 800, 900 & 1000-yard firing lines that can support 20 firing stations on each firing line (utilizes manned target operation). The 400-yard line has 5 firing stations and the 500-yard line has 10 firing stations. This Range supports High-Power Rifle, Long Range PALMA and Precision Shooting Events of various disciplines, including 50-Caliber.

High-Power Rep. – **Mike Sowa** – 541.571.1892

HUNTER EDUCATION RANGE: This Range has been designed to support Hunter Education Training Classes and also has a practical field exercise area containing obstacles hunters could expect to encounter in the field. The covered firing line can be used independently by current RSO's as an overflow from the Rose-Iris Range and may be available for RSO supervised public event use when not being used for the conduct of Hunter Education Classes.

Hunter Ed. Rep. – **Randy Absolon** – 509.845.3632

PRIMITIVE USE RANGE: - A Range Area for muzzle loading and primitive Sagebrush Free Trappers reenactment events with parking, staging and various range areas.

Primitive Range Rep. – **Clint Bouslaugh** – 509.585.6415

SHOTGUN RANGE: Includes a set of two ATA regulation Trap Fields, two Skeet Ranges and a Sporting Clay Range supporting five firing stations and a Pattern Board.

Shotgun Rep. – **Mark Monopoli** – 509.531.6929

“WELCOME” NEW MEMBERS



Welcome! In this Newsletter you can find the contact information for the Board Members and above you can find contact information for the different Ranges. The Ranges were built and are maintained by volunteers. We encourage you to get involved and be a part of TCSA.

New members from this past month should have already received their membership card(s). If you have not received your card, contact **Sue Verwest** at membership@tcsa.info or 509.735.1662.

Check out our TCSA web site www.tcsa.info for a variety of information. The Newsletter is posted on the web site the beginning of each month.

VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

By: **George Hager**

Howdy all! It appears as if we have successfully navigated another hunting season. Just the late seasons to get through. I first would like to thank the RSO's, the backbone of our all-volunteer organization, for all your hard work and dedication in ensuring that all shooters were marshalled through in an efficient and safe manner.

We are nearing completion of our **Smallbore Competition Range (SCR)**. If you or a group of you would like to see some potential uses for this Range come to fruition, reach out **Ron Jorgensen**, chairman of the SCR or any other member of the of the SCR committee, me included. Just understand this is a slow process until all the dots and commas are in their proper places.

Happy Thanksgiving to you and yours.

HUNTER EDUCATION AND SAFETY ASSOCIATION

By: **Randy Absolon**

We are done with our Hunter Education Classes for the year. Students who need a class this Fall should check the WDFW website for available classes. Students will likely have to travel farther to get in a class and available classes tend to fill up very quickly.



We anticipate a similar schedule of classes in 2025 as were held this year. The first class of 2025 will be a **Traditional Class** starting in mid-January. I am starting the scheduling process and when complete, sign-up will be on the WDFW website.

RSOs using the HESA Range are expected to sign in at the Rose-Iris Range before going over to the HESA Range to shoot. You are also expected to clean up when you are done shooting, including returning target stands to the Rose-Iris Range House and picking up brass.

Always remember to treat every firearm as if it was loaded, control the direction of your muzzle, be sure of your target and what lies beyond it, keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to shoot and check every cartridge to make sure it is the correct ammunition for your firearm.

If you have questions about our Hunter Education Classes contact me at: randyabsolon@gmail.com.

CHIEF RSO REPORT

By: Mike Ensminger

We will schedule RSO training whenever we have enough candidates to fill a Class. Email Dan Martini at brandy.72396@gmail.com to get on the list to be contacted when a Class is scheduled.



RSO Questions / Concerns
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NEXT RANGE SAFETY OFFICER CLASS

By: Dan Martini

Our next **Range Safety Officer Class** will be on **Friday November 8** at the Shotgun Range House starting at 8 a.m. If you can make this Class date, send me an email message to brandy.72396@gmail.com with a YES including your TCSA Membership number and I will add your name to the Class List. You have to be a current TCSA Member to attend this Class.

If you are not a current TCSA Member, go to our webpage at www.TCSA.info, download the form and mail it to the address on top of the form with your check or join at the Range.

ADVANTAGES OF BEING A RSO

To become a TCSA RSO, you need to have and maintain your TCSA Membership, complete an 8-hour Class and volunteer to stand 3 days per year at the Rose-Iris General Purpose Range on a Wednesday, Friday, Saturday or Sunday. You choose which of those three days you will be able to meet.

The advantages of being a RSO and obligating yourself as a volunteer at TCSA means that on days when the Range is not open to the general public - YOU - as a RSO can use the Range. **Having gone through the RSO Training Class and volunteering your time you are able to go to the Range any time you like!**

For more information and to get your name on the list for the next RSO Class see the Article on Page 3 and contact **Dan Martini** at brandy.72396@gmail.com.



Hearing and Eye protection required when shooting!



RSO APPRECIATION

By: Mike Ensminger

I am constantly impressed by how well this all-volunteer operation actually works. It is difficult to adequately thank everyone that helps us keep this Range open and operating.

Since last year's drawing for **free Annual Memberships** seemed to be well received, we decided to stick with what works.

We used a random number generator to select 12 RSOs to receive a free membership for the 2025-2026 Membership Year.

The winners will be receiving certificates in the mail with instructions for redeeming them.

Thanks again to all of you that help make this Range a success.

This year's winners are:

Ian # 2593
Patrick # 3994
Rick # 8085
Andy # 7725
Barry # 8219
Gabriel # 8742
John # 3152
David # 6497
Mike # 2646
Mark # 2179
Craig # 8894
Tavia # 7351-B



ROSE-IRIS RANGE STEEL GONG INFORMATION

Target Dimensions

~ 200 yards	12"
~ 250 yards	15"
~ 300 yards	16" and 6"
~ 350 yards	18" and 7"
~ 400 yards	20" and 8"
~ 450 yards	21", 9" and one in the middle is about 3" wide x 4" tall

November 3
Daylight Savings Time Ends



OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH SHOOTING SPORTS

By: Dave McNeal

INTRODUCTION TO SHOTGUN SHOOTING SPORTS EVENT

RMSF Shotgun hosted eleven young shooters Saturday, October 12. **Mark Monopoli** gave the shooters and their adults the safety briefing, an overview of the three shotgun sports available at RMSF and a tour of the facilities. The shooters were squadded and Mark and **Rick Poehls** coached them through two sessions of 10 shots each on the Trap Field. Some of the shooters had not previously fired a shotgun and others had some level of experience. Every participant broke at least one bird and some of the shooters went over 50%. Ten of the shooters had pre-existing relationships with TCSA through their family and one shooter came via our connection with Kennewick High School JROTC. **Finn Cooper** won the drawing for the RMSF hat and in a show of sportsmanship he decided to forego the drawings at future events to improve the odds for others. **Ranch and Home** supported the Event by giving a discount on the shotshells which we were able to provide to shooters who did not have their own supply. All comments on the Event were favorable and **future opportunities for youth participation in shotgun sports are under development.** (See Pictures next column.)

POSSIBLE .22 MATCH ACTIVITIES

We are in discussions about a possible introductory match or even a series of matches for youth on the new **Small Bore Competition Range (SBR)** starting in 2025. The SBR will provide more opportunities for weekend vs weekday matches and could accommodate youth during the school year. Your comments are welcomed on issues which may be considered in the decision-making process. A headcount of the young shooters who would be interested and have an adult willing to accompany them would be very useful.

PROGRESS WITH YOUTH SHOOTING SPORTS OPPORTUNITIES

We had 9 shooters at our August 24 **.22 Fun Shoot** and 11 shooters at our October 12 **Introduction to Shotgun Sports**. Six shooters participated in both events. We had good feedback from the youngsters and adults at both shoots about how to improve the experience. We are enthusiastic about the possibilities for greater participation in more varied Events. Let us know what you think.

Comments can be made to TCSAYouth@tcsa.info or texted to 509.366.6879.



RATTLESNAKE MOUNTAIN STEEL SHOOTERS

By: Mike Ensminger

47 guns were represented at the October ISSA Match and many thanks to **Nelson Thomas** for hosting the Match while we were out of town.



The next Match will be held **November 3**, shooter's meeting at 9:15 a.m. **This is the day Daylight Savings time ends**, so I expect we may have some extra setup help that morning as we see who didn't change their clocks Saturday night.

Scores are posted every month on Practiscore.com; look for Rattlesnake Mtn Steel Shooters.

Sign-ups are at the Range on Match Day (cash or check only) but if you plan to shoot with a group, send us an email ahead of time (mikeberta4@gmail.com) with names and number of guns each, so we can start a squad for you.

PRIMITIVE RANGE



By: Clint Bouslaugh

October was a good month at the Range. Shooting weather was fair with some breeze.

Our November shoot will be a "Turkey Shoot". Using traditional muzzleloaders with open iron sites and patched round ball, shooters will take 5 shots offhand at the target for a chance to win a thanksgiving turkey. Cost is \$5 per shooter per target, you can enter as many times as you like. Top score will win the bird. Please contact me at 509. 619.4981 to register for this Event. The Turkey shoot will be held November 16 from 9:00 am until noon.

Keep your powder dry and keep shooting.



CHECK OUT THE TCSA WEB-PAGE

www.tcsa.info

Calendar of Events - Range Photos
Shooting Venues - Frequently Asked Questions
Items For Sale - TCSA Forms - Monthly Newsletter
Weather - Range Rules - Banned Ammo

COWBOY ACTION

By: Mike Ensminger



We had 11 shooters at the October Match and will be shooting again **November 23**. Shooting starts at 9:00 a.m.

We will shift to Winter Rules in November, so you can shoot .22's, wear whatever keeps you warm and provision will be made to stage guns, ammo, whatever, so you need not be trying to draw and holster pistols wearing several extra layers of clothing.

Since we have an extra Saturday in November, we plan to hold a **Wild Bunch Match** on **November 30**. 9:00 a.m. start. Plan on 6 stages with an average of 28 pistol, 6 shotgun, 10 rifle each.

Match results are posted every month on Practiscore.com Look for Rattlesnake Gulch scores.



It is the **veteran**, not the preacher,
who has given us freedom of religion.

It is the **veteran**, not the reporter,
who has given us freedom of the press.

It is the **veteran**, not the poet,
who has given us freedom of speech.

It is the **veteran**, not the campus organizer,
who has given us freedom to assemble.

It is the **veteran**, not the lawyer,
Who has given us the right to a fair trial.

It is the **veteran**, not the politician,
Who has given us the right to vote.



VOTE - VOTE - VOTE - NOVEMBER 5



Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility/TCSA
<https://www.facebook.com/RMSFTCSA/>.

Contact **Robbie** or **Mike Ensminger** with questions or comments at ChiefRSO@tcsa.info

SHOTGUN REPORT

By: Mark Monopoli

Welcome to November! So far, the Fall has been pretty nice weather and we have had quite a few nice days for shooting. Now is a great time of year to come out and shoot a couple of rounds of Trap, Skeet or 5-Stand.

We finally have a website for the Shotgun Range once again. It took some time, and it took watching quite a few YouTube videos, but it is once again up and running at www.tcsashotgun.com. In the coming months there will be more information added and probably some more pages, but for now it does a pretty good job of getting the important info across. The Event Calendar is updated through the end of 2024 with the weekly Non-League League Shoots as well. The always popular weather station located at shotgun is available once again as well. Check it out and let us know what you think. Helpful suggestions and critiques are welcome as well. Just keep in mind we are not web developers though.

Speaking of the Event Calendar, one of the shoots you will see listed on **November 24** is the always popular **2024 Turkey Shoot!** If you want to have a good time, with a good group of shooters and a guaranteed Turkey, come out and join us. If you are a beginner shooter or a bit rusty, we will have an "Amateur" trap on Field 1. Yardages are a little less and the fun is a little bit more. If you are a fairly accomplished shooter or at least you think you are, we will have the "Professional" shooters down on Field 2. Fun & Games will rule the day, and we plan on giving away a lot of turkeys...frozen of course. Shooting starts at 9:00 and we usually finish up around 1:00 p.m. Lunch will be available. **Chad Ungerecht** will be the Grand Gobbler once again this year!



Other shoots you will see listed on the Events Calendar include our monthly **Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand shoots**. Essentially, we will be having a **100 Bird Non-League League Trap Shoot** on the **1st Sunday** of each month. Next up would be a **50 Bird Non-League League Skeet Shoot** on the **2nd Sunday** of each month. And not to be left out on the **3rd Sunday** of each month we will have a **5-Stand or Super Sporting Shoot**. You guessed it, 5-Stand will also be a **Non-League League 50 Bird Shoot**. One note, while we are trying to maintain that schedule each month there are times where we will have to move or cancel a shoot, so be sure to check the Events Calendar for updated dates.

We hosted an **Introduction to Shotgun Sports for Youths** this past month and from all accounts it was resounding success. Thank you to everyone who helped to put it together and gave us the opportunity to work with the 11 kids that attended. **Dave McNeal, Will McNeal,** and

Frank Cooper have put together a couple of these introduction days for TCSA and they do a very good job of it. **Rick Poehls** and I were able to spend two hours or so introducing the kids to the Shotgun Range and all of the shotgun sports we offer. The games of Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand were explained and then everyone shot some trap. Abilities ranged from "never shot a shotgun" before to "I'm a bit competent" but by the time we were done, everyone had broke at least one target. The kids with the 12ga and 20ga did good, but the little kids shooting the .410ga guns were knocking down quite a few targets as well.

In an effort to keep the momentum rolling with Youth Shooters the Shotgun Range is going to offer a monthly **"Youth Shooting Day"**. The Shotgun Range will donate (2) rounds of targets to each youth shooter who participates. Keep an eye out on the Shotgun Website for more information. We are still working out the details, but we envision the Youth Day to coincide with the monthly Non-League League shoots. That way we will be rotating through the various games each month. *Having said all of that, if anyone has a youth or adult shooter that would like to learn about any of the Shotgun sports, get in touch with me. We are always excited to share the Shotgun Range and Shotgun sports with new shooters!*

Remember if you have questions for **RSO Scheduler David Russie** for Shotgun. You can reach him at roscheduler@gmail.com if you have questions regarding RSO Scheduling days.

There is a new **RSO Quick Reference Guide** on the RSO Desk for opening and closing the Shotgun Range. Please read it over as there is new information in it.

Small world story. In addition to being the Shotgun President, I am also the Secretary for the TCSA. Which means I sit next to Mark Verwest (President of TCSA) each month at the Board Meeting. Well in a small world moment my Dad went in for knee replacement on Friday at 7:15 a.m., and none other than Mark Verwest was the very next patient on the same Friday. No word on if it was the same knee. Get well soon Mark and good luck with nursing duties Sue!

SHOTGUN RANGE HOURS

Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Current weather conditions at the Range can be found at www.tcsashotgun.com and www.tcsa.info.

Thanks for reading! Feel free to drop me an email at mark.monopoli@outlook.com.



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[@rattlesnakemountainshotgun](https://www.facebook.com/rattlesnakemountainshotgun)

HIGH-POWER

By: Dave Baalman

We have reached the final month of our competition season, with just a handful of **Smallbore Matches** and no Centerfire Matches left on the calendar. That means the High-Power Range is open every weekend from now to the end of the year for use by any RSO with a High-Power Endorsement. Just be prepared for the wind, it's that time of year!

Upcoming Matches include a **50/100 Yard Dewar Match** on **November 5**, a **Vintage Smallbore Match** on the **7th**, a **50 Yard USBR Match** on the **12th**, a **50 Yard ARA Match** on the **14th** and a **PR22 Match** on the **17th**.

Looking back at October, we had a Dewar Match on October 1. Mild temperatures in the mid-50°F's and nearly still winds (0-2 MPH) made this a pleasure to shoot. Every shooter had an aggregate score of 94% or greater. **Mike Bunch** won the honors for high card with 200-20X at 50 yards. **Phil Keuhlen** cleaned both the 50- and 100-yard targets to win the Match with a score of 400-34X, a new high score for the year.

For the October 4 Vintage Smallbore Match, brisk temperatures in the lower 40°F's had some competitors wonder if they should have brought Biathlon ammunition, but with very little wind, shooting conditions were near ideal. Every competitor, with either iron sights or optics, had aggregate scores of 98% or better. **Tom Walchuk** won the Match with a score of 398-31X, while **Glen Buxton** won honors for the high card with a score of 200-13X. Notably, **Tom Halecki** celebrated his return to the Range by shooting clean on both cards, while **Ron Jorgenson** cleaned one of his.

The October 9 USBR Smallbore Match proved once again how technically challenging the USBR target is. In almost ideal still conditions shooters were hopeful that the "green monster" would give up a new high score or at least a clean card. Alas, the combined efforts of shooters, ammo, and rifles did not yield any new records. **Mike Bunch** won both the match and honors for the high card. Way to go Mike!

The October 10 ARA Smallbore Match was shot with low winds (1-3 MPH) and temperatures in the upper 40's. **Ben Cook** won the Match with an excellent aggregate score of 4375-26X. **Brandon Tinker** and **Mike Bunch** both also had aggregates greater than 4000. Brandon's 2350-9X on his second card won honors for the high card and with one match left this year becomes the highest individual card shot so far this year.

The October 20 PR-22 Match was attended by yours truly. I do not have the official match report so I don't know who won (not me), but I can say that there were 12 shooters,

and match director **George Hagar** put on a fun match! 10 stages, each with a fun theme, a time limit and a challenging course of fire! I, being a service rifle guy, decided to make it more challenging by shooting the whole thing with a sling instead of a bipod. I can tell you that the added challenge is unnecessary! That said I can say that even though it is a tough course of fire, it was a ton of fun. To anyone who is interested in a match with fun shooting, room to improve and some good comradery with fellow competitors, check this Match out! A 22 and some ammo will get you started and whatever you don't have gear wise, someone can loan you.



The full schedule is available at <https://www.tcsahighpower.org/>. You can see a full description of each match on our website as well <https://www.tcsahighpower.org/match-descriptions>

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REQUEST FOR TCSA MEMBER FEEDBACK

By: Phil Keuhlen

As construction on the **Smallbore Competition Range** (SBR) nears, we would like to get a sense of TCSA member interest in weekend Smallbore (.22LR only) Matches in 2025. Please contact me at pjkeuhlen@gmail.com if you would be interested in participating in SBR weekend matches. Please let us also know:

- Are you currently RSO qualified?
- Are you willing to become trained/assist as a Match Director? (Bears on how many Matches can be offered)
- Do you have any previous competition experience?
- Are you primarily interested in basic or advanced matches for the 2025 season?

Your additional comments are welcome and will be considered in design of a potential SCR weekend competition program.

PRACTICAL PISTOL



By: Pam Harper



USPSA National Range Officers Institute, **NROI**, has a website that has valuable information about the Rules and interpretations of the Rules. Check it out at <https://nroi.org>

TIDBITS: EWPSA is looking for interested people to help with the monthly USPSA Matches. This does not mean you need to commit to all 12 matches, but 4-6 or more would be great. We need 6-8 new people to help with setup on Saturdays before the Match (~2 hours and free match) and Sunday tear down of some props after the match; tech person to learn Stats (Practiscore, timers and the tablets); person to be Bucket filler/emptier (before/after match); Check-in person before the match. None of these jobs are difficult, but we need some new participation for the upcoming year as our matches are growing. Contact **Pam Harper** at ewpsa.sectional@gmail.com if you are interested.

NATIONAL NEWS: www.uspsa.org

Mark your Calendars. The dates for **USPSA Nationals 2025:**

May 30 - June 1 - World Speed Shooting Championship at CMP Talladega Marksmanship Park, Talladega, AL.

June 27 - 29 - Factory Gun Nationals (CO, Prod, SS, Rev) at Cardinal Shooting Center, Marengo, OH.

July 18 - 20 - MultiGun Nationals at Forest Lake Sportsmen's Club, Forest Lake, MN.

August 22 - 24 - IPSC Nationals at Cardinal Shooting Center, Marengo, OH.

October 24 - 26 - Racegun Nationals (Open, Lim, Lim10, LO, PCC) at Southern Utah Practical Shooting, Hurricane, Utah.

The **USPSA Rules** have been **UPDATED** as of **June 17, 2024** <https://uspsa.org/viewer/2024-USPSA-Competition-Rules.pdf> can be downloaded to your phone for easy access.

The USPSA Rules Change Log is located here <https://uspsa.org/viewer/Competition-Rules-Change-Log.pdf>

LOCAL NEWS:

EWPSA will be hosting the USPSA WA State Championship May 15 - 18, 2025. More details to be released soon.

All **EWPSA Match results** can be found here (Practiscore.com): <https://bit.ly/EWPSAscores>

The **Action 2-Gun Match** on October 12 had 32 competitors with 5 Divisions represented. The Division winners were: Open: **Sketz Guilbeau** (overall winner);

Armored: **Grant Fujimoto**; Limited: **Derek Small**; Retro: **Brian Humann**; and Tactical: **Robert Pofahl**.

The **Steel Challenge Match** on October 13 had 15 guns with 7 Divisions represented. The Division winners were: PCCO: **Mike Czebotar** (overall winner); RFRO: **Mike Czebotar**; RFPO: **Curt Berger**; RFPI: **Ben Jensen**; CO: **Mark Bradley**; Open: **Jonathan Tran**; and Production: **Ben Jensen**.

The **USPSA Monthly Match** on October 20 had 65 competitors with 8/9 USPSA Divisions represented. The Division winners were: PCC: **Mike Czebotar** (overall winner); Carry Optics: **Warren Harper**; Limited: **Jon Dayton**; Limited Optics: **Sam Wagg**; Open: **JD Thomas**; Production: **Daniel Hughes**; Revolver: **Andrew Hall**; Single Stack: **Nathan Barnes**.

The **EWPSA Red October 2-Gun Match** on October 26 had 30 competitors with 3 Divisions represented. The Division winners were: Modernized AK: **Matt Newburn** (overall winner); Cold War AK: **Cayata Karyai**; and Western Spy: **Noah Perez**.

COMING UP:

All upcoming EWPSA Matches and Registrations can be found here: <https://bit.ly/EWPSAmatches>

EWPSA will be hosting:

Monthly 2-Gun Match November 2. Sign-in begins at 9:30 a.m. Shooting begins at 10:00 a.m. The Match cost is \$25. More details on Practiscore.

SCSA Steel Challenge Match November 10.

USPSA monthly Match November 17. Gates will open at 9:00 a.m., shooters meeting at 9:30 a.m., shooters meeting before 10:00 a.m., shooting begins after the meeting. The match cost is \$20 members / \$25 non-members. More details on Practiscore.

Monthly 2-Gun Match December 7. Sign-in begins at 9:30 a.m. Shooting begins at 10:00 a.m. The match cost is \$25. More details on Practiscore.

Check out our Inland Empire Section News at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/267093763957174/?ref=bookmarks>

Check out local news on Facebook – [Eastern Washington Practical Shooters Association](#)

Any questions or comments can be directed to: **Curt Berger** at bergercj@icloud.com

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Saturday November 2
2-Gun Match

Sunday November 3
ISSA Steel
100 Bird Trap Shoot

Tuesday November 5
Smallbore Dewar – Rose-Iris

Thursday November 7
Vintage Smallbore – Rose-Iris

Friday November 8
RSO Training – Shotgun Range House

Sunday November 10
SCSA Match
Skeet Shoot

Tuesday November 12
50 Yard Smallbore Benchrest

Thursday November 14
50 Yard ARA Smallbore - Rose Iris
TCSA General Meeting – Richland Public Library

Saturday November 16
Primitive Match

Sunday November 17
5-Stand or Sport Shoot
PR-22 Rimfire Match - HESA
USPSA Match

Saturday November 23
Cowboy Action Match

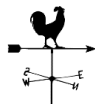
Sunday November 24
Shotgun Turkey Shoot

Saturday November 30
Wild Bunch



ALL MEMBERS MUST show a current **Membership Card** to the RSO on duty upon arrival at the **Range**. Membership Cards need to be shown at **all Ranges** and **all Events** or you will be required to pay the non-member Range Use Fee. **EVERYONE must sign-in!**

WEATHER CONDITIONS (wind speed) at the Range can be found on our homepage – www.tcsa.info



Did you know... If you are a **Member of TCSA** this is **your Range!** TCSA is made up of all volunteers: **Board Members, Range Safety Officers, Discipline Heads, the volunteers who clean up the Range and volunteers who show up for the work parties.** We have volunteers maintaining the web site, teaching range safety officer classes, repairing targets, maintaining the ranges; the list goes on. What you see is because of the **members who volunteer!** These volunteers all pay their yearly membership dues and then “step up to the plate” to help make the **Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility** a safe, family friendly place to shoot. Attend a Monthly General Meeting and meet some of the people who make the Range possible. Do you see something that needs to be done? Perhaps it is **your turn to volunteer** your time or talent! Your reward is a safe, clean place to shoot and the chance to meet some great people!

To ALL our VOLUNTEERS – THANK YOU!

FLY THE FLAG
NOVEMBER 11



Check out the “For Sale” items on our web-site
www.tcsa.info

Send your “For Sale” or “Wanted” items to
membership@tcsa.info



KEEP THE RANGE CLEAN

Keep **YOUR** Range clean of trash and spent cartridges. Garbage cans are available. Buckets are provided for spent cartridges.

Take a moment to clean up after yourself when you are done shooting.



TCSA HATS are available at the **Rose-Iris Range.**
\$20.00 each (includes tax)

