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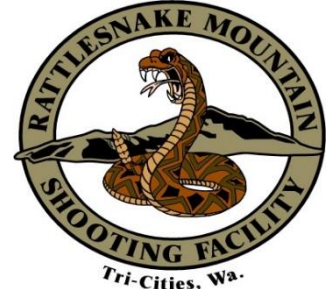
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

By: Mark Verwest

I would like to remind the RSO's about not letting shooters haul target stands out to the 50 or 100-yard lines. There are plenty of stands there already. If you feel up to it, please go out and bring some back to the firing line so there are some available for the pistol shooters.

It is that time of the year and we are seeing an increase in use by the general public for pre-hunting season firearms sight in. It is a good time to be extra aware of safety violations. In the past we have seen inexperienced shooters show up and they are sometimes in need of some extra supervision. Handling of firearms when the Range is cold and poor muzzle control are some commonly seen violations, so a little extra vigilance will be appreciated by all your fellow shooters.

Check out the Calendars for the different Disciplines to see what Matches are being held. There are a lot of Events scheduled and you can probably find one that you would enjoy shooting!

TCSA PUBLIC MEETING

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10
7:00 p.m.

RICHLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY
(Conference Rooms A & B)



VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

By: George Hager

Howdy all and Happy New Year! (Fiscal Year). Three months left to the real New Year's Eve! It is nice to see everyone getting their firearm of choice tuned up and ready to go after the finest Mother Nature has to offer us, deer, elk, bear or cougar. Not a single one is easy! I am wishing each of you the best of luck and as a reminder, I like summer sausage too!!

Many of you have read here or heard mentioned in the TCSA Public Meetings, typically the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Richland Public Library, about the **Youth Shooting Club/Team** that **Dave McNeal** is spearheading with help from several members. If you are interested in volunteering feel free to contact Dave as he typically has a write-up in the Newsletter also. Our first production was a Youth Shoot that seemed to be a good success. I will let Dave fill you in on the details. Our monthly **PRS-22 Match** was geared to the first-time competitor also and over 1/2 of the competitors were first timers! I would venture to say most if not all had a great time!! When will we see you at one of the several matches held monthly at the TCSA's Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility?

ROSE-IRIS RANGE

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

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

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.

HUNTER EDUCATION AND SAFETY ASSOCIATION

By: **Randy Absolon**

We had our last Evaluation for students who completed the Online Hunter Education course on September 28.



Students who need an Evaluation 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. This should include two Traditional Classes and seven Online Evaluations.

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 know your zone of fire and stick to it.

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

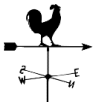


Hearing and Eye protection required when shooting!



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



CHIEF RSO REPORT

By: Mike Ensminger

Our last scheduled RSO Class was completed on September 27, resulting in 13 additional qualified RSOs.



We are planning another RSO Training Class on Friday, November 8. If interested in becoming an RSO, email **Dan Martini** at brandy.72396@gmail.com with your membership number so he can add you to the list.

RSO Questions / Concerns
Chief RSO - Mike Ensminger
chiefrso@tcsa.info or 509.521.9628

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.

INTRODUCTION TO SHOTGUN SHOOTING SPORTS

By: Dave McNeal

We are planning an **Introduction to Shotgun Shooting Sports** event **Saturday, October 12**, 12:00 noon at Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility. If you have youth aged 10-18 who would like to participate in the event, please let us know how many youths, their ages and their previous shooting experience, so we can develop a plan for a safe and enjoyable program.

Reply to TCSAYouth@tcsa.info or text 509-366-6879 for details.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES TO SUPPORT YOUTH SHOOTING SPORTS

By: Dave McNeal

The **Kennewick High School Air Force Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC)** is seeking volunteers to serve as Range Control Officers for three upcoming JROTC air rifle competitions. The Events are on Saturdays December 14 at Rogers High School in Spokane, February 22 at Kennewick High School and March 15 at Walla Walla High School.

About 125 students compete in the Events each of those weekends. The range procedures are run in accordance with Civilian Marksmanship Program rules and are very easy to follow with a simple script provided.

To offer your assistance you can contact **Curt Wichers** (Lt. Col. USAF Ret.), Head Instructor at Kennewick High School. Contact information: Curt.Wichers@ksd.org or 509.380.1787.

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.



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

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

RATTLESNAKE MOUNTAIN STEEL SHOOTERS

By: Mike Ensminger



51 guns finished the Match in September, and we successfully packed up before the heat of the day.

Our next Match will be on **Sunday, October 6** and probably over by the time you read this.

We shoot on the **1st Sunday every month** (weather permitting) and start things off at 9:15. All registration is at the Range on Match Day (cash or check only), but if you would like us to start a squad for you, send us an email at mikeberta4@gmail.com and we will make sure you get to shoot with your group together.

PRIMITIVE RANGE



By: Clint Bouslaugh

We had a nice day for the September Shoot. After putting up a new target board, we proceeded to fill it with holes from a 50 cal flintlock and a 44 Remington revolver.

Our **October Shoot** will be on the **19th** from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

For November we are looking at having a **Turkey Shoot** with prizes, look for more details in next month's Newsletter.



COWBOY ACTION

By: Mike Ensminger

We had a beautiful day and 14 shooters for the September Match, with **Mark Verwest, Jeff Salsbury, Charles Kissler** and **Mike Ensminger** shooting a clean 6 stage match (no misses, no penalties).



Our next Match will be on **Saturday, October 26** and shooting starts at 9:00 a.m.

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

NEW SMALLBORE RANGE

By: Ron Jorgensen

The new **Smallbore Range** under development is very near completion and **Conrad Russell** the contractor will be putting the final touches on shortly. The Range is a 105-meter smallbore range that will be used for .22 caliber Smallbore Matches. The Range will be able to accommodate up to 20 shooters for a Match. The range when completed will not be covered, however, the plan is to apply for a grant from the Recreation Conservation Office to build a cover in 2026. Initially shooters will shoot prone or they may provide their own benches. A conex has been purchased for storage of target stands, targets and other match materials.



Range in progress



Completed Range!



SHOTGUN REPORT

By: Mark Monopoli

We think Fall is coming, but the temperatures lately lean more towards Summertime. No matter, Fall is the new and Summer is the old, so it will be cold and windy soon enough. But, it's not here yet! It has been very pleasant to shoot lately, so come out and enjoy the end of summer and the beginning of Fall at the Shotgun Range!

With the aforementioned end of Summer, we have also gone back to our regular hours on Wednesdays. That's right Shotgun hours are now 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday each week. Plan your Wednesday shooting schedule accordingly.

Random question of the month: Why has it been so quite around the Shotgun Range for the past couple of weeks? Answer at the end of the Report.

The Shotgun Range will be hosting an **Introduction to Shotgun Sports for Youths** on **Saturday, October 12** at 12:00 p.m. This Event is designed for youths aged 10-18 who are somewhat familiar with firearm handling and safety. It is open to all youths to come out and learn the Shotgun sports. There is no cost for this event. Contact **Dave McNeal** by text at 509.366.6879 for more information or via email at tcsayouth@tcsa.info

We had the first of the **New Non-League Trap League** shoots this past month. Turn out was good, format was good and it worked really well. The best part? It was a fun time getting everyone together to shoot targets and shoot the bull. If you have nothing else better to do on **October 6**, come join us for our monthly Non-League Trap League Shoot! **Shooting starts at 9:00 a.m.**, so get there a little early to sign up.

We will be shooting (25) birds from the 16-yard line, (25) birds from your handicap distance and then a full round of trap doubles, (50) birds. For the non mathletes in the crowd, that adds up to 100 birds. Entry is \$10, plus the cost of the birds and we have (2) Lewis Classes with a 100% back to class payout. Not sure what any of that means? Doesn't matter, come join us and we'll explain it all.

The best part from the first ever **Non-League Trap League 100 Bird Shoot** is that I finally beat **John Wilgus** in a 100-bird shoot. If you have been shooting at Rattlesnake for the past 10+ years, you know why that is a big deal. Wilgus rarely loses in these things and I can tell you, out of all the shoots I have won and if I had a fireplace mantel, this one would go front and center. Seriously. Moral of that story? Not sure, but I just wanted to mention where I finished in relation to Wilgus.

We also held our first **Non-League Skeet League 50 Bird Shoot** on September 1. It was put together in the last minute, so if you missed it don't feel bad. It was actually

put together the morning of the 1st a trial run. We shot (2) rounds of Skeet, no handicapping and you could shoot whatever gauge you wanted. Entry was \$5, with one Lewis Class paying 2 spots. While it was a fun time **John Wilgus** returned to his winning ways with 49/50 and I returned to my runner-up ways with a 47/50. Great shooting John!

Moving forward we are going to try and host **Non-League League Shoots** on a set Sunday of each month. The 1st Sunday of each month will be the **Trap Shoot**, 2nd Sunday of each month will be the **Skeet Shoot**, and the 3rd Sunday of the month will be a **5-Stand Shoot**. And then maybe we will do an **Iron Man shoot** if there is a 5th Sunday of the month. The format is a little fluid right now as we tweak things. With our website under repair check our Facebook page for more information.

Speaking of shooters going to shoots. Congratulations to **Steve Williams** and **Don Lint** who went up to Yakima to the Big Yak Shoot this month. **Steve** was the **C Class Singles Champion** and **Don** was **Senior Singles Champion** and **A Class Long Yardage Champion**. Great shooting you two! You know what else Steve and Don do? They shoot in our Non-League Trap League! Coincidence? I think not.

Get well to **Boyd Petty** as he was going in for several back surgeries. Hopefully we see you back at the range soon Boyd! Answer: **Tom Walchuk** has been in Yellowstone for the past couple of weeks.

Remember we have a new **RSO Scheduler** in **David Russie** for Shotgun. You can reach him at roscheduler@tcsashotgun.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. It pretty much reads chronologically for a regular day of running the Range. This is also important on using the voice calls on the various fields and other useful information. It is a living document, meaning it is always being updated, so feel free to let me know if something should be added to it.

Thank you to everyone for volunteering at the Shotgun Range. If you have the time, come out and enjoy shooting at this great range of ours. Have a great month everyone and thank you again!

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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HIGH-POWER

By: Dave Baalman

With September over and the weather beginning to look more fall like, our competitive season is winding down. There are still several opportunities to test your skills in both centerfire and smallbore competition.

Upcoming Matches in October on the centerfire side include a **600 Yard Mid-Range** on **October 5** and the **Long Range Fall Regional** **October 11 - 13**. On the smallbore side, we have got a **50/100 Yard Dewar** on **October 1**, **Vintage Smallbore** **October 3**, **100/200 Yard Smallbore** **October 6**, **50 Yard USBR** on **October 8**, **50 Yard ARA** on **October 10**, a **Precision Rifle 22 Match** on **October 20** and a **100 Yard Mini-Palma** on **October 22**.

Looking back at last month, we had a 200-yard reduced across the course match on August 31. **Dave Baalman** was the overall winner with a 774-25x. September 21-22 was the Washington State Service Rifle Championship, SE District Championship and CMP EIC Match. The excellent conditions were evidenced by the very high scores. Spokane's **Dusty McQuary** was overall winner with a 779-25x (an impressive score, especially for Rattlesnake). Dusty also captured the State Leg with an extracted 50 shot score of 488-21x and won the CMP EIC Match with a 486-16x. Okanogan County junior **Joe Kruse** won the CMP 6-point leg toward his distinguished rifleman award with a 467-10x.

On the smallbore side, we had a Mini-Palma on August 27. **Brandon Tinker** was overall winner with a perfect 450-38x. **John Julian** was second with a 449-39x and **Tom Walchuk** was third with a 449-34x.

The September 3 Dewar Match had temperatures in the upper 60s and winds 12-18 mph, making conditions "sporty". Only one shooter cleaned either target, with **Tom Walchuk** winning honors for the high card at 50 yards. Nonetheless there was excellent marksmanship on display with most aggregates >95%. **Glen Buxton** was the Match winner with the high aggregate score of 398-25X. Way to go Glen!

At the September 5 Vintage Smallbore Match, mother nature changed things around and gave ideal conditions, with almost no wind. Every card and every aggregate score was at or above 98%. All of the scoped competitors had double clean raw scores before their handicaps were applied, with **Ron Jorgensen** shooting 39X's in 40 shots! **Glen Buxton** continued his dominance in this series as the match winner, while **Phil Keuhlen** won honors for the high card. Superb shooting all around!

For the September 11 50-Yard USBR Match, temperatures were comfortable and the winds relatively consistent between 4-8 MPH. **Mike Bunch** turned in a

strong performance to win both the high card and the match. **Brandon Tinker** and **Ben Cook** were hard on his heels with only a single point difference and X count separating the top 3 spots. Way to go gents!



Glen Buxton, Dave Vance, Jack Smith, Larry Meerdink, Ben Cook, Mike Bunch, Brandon Tinker, Tom Walchuk, Phil Keuhlen

Finally, the September 12 ARA Match convened in pleasant, low 70°F's temperatures. In typical Rattlesnake fashion, the winds started off near calm during warmup, then built continuously during the Match, from 6-12 MPH and variable in direction. We welcomed **Jim Clymer** from Moses Lake back to this Match for the first time this season. **Brandon Tinker** was the only shooter to break 2000 on both cards, but **Phil Keuhlen's** strong second card was the high card for the Match and good enough to outpace Brandon by a slim 25 points for the Match win. Several shooters had strong X counts of 20 or above, a noteworthy accomplishment in the challenging switchy winds.



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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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: Be kind to your fellow Range Officers. If you don't run the timer, at least learn to run the tablet (it is easier than you think). When everyone helps at the Match, everyone can enjoy the sport of shooting.

NATIONAL NEWS: www.uspsa.org

The dates for USPSA Nationals 2024 can be found here <https://uspsa.org/nationals>

The **USPSA Rules:** as of February 2024 <https://uspsa.org/viewer/2024-USPSA-Competition-Rules.pdf> can be downloaded to your phone.

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

LOCAL NEWS:

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

The **Steel Challenge Match** September 8 was canceled. Next match **October 13**.

The **USPSA Monthly Match** September 15 had 63 competitors with 6/9 USPSA Divisions represented. The Division winners were: PCC: **Mike Czebotar** (overall winner); Carry Optics: **John Morgan**; Limited: **Aron Gorham**; Limited Optics: **Sam Wagg**; Open: **Ryan Barnes**; and Production: **Kevin McCurry**.

The **EWPSA Summer 3-Gun** match September 28 had 15 competitors with 3 Divisions represented. The Division winners were: Open: **Kurt Bearchum** (overall winner); Tactical: **Ryan Seo**; and Modern Tactical: **David Pinnt**.

COMING UP:

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

EWPSA will be hosting:

Action 2-Gun Match October 12. Sign-in begins at 9:00 a.m. Shooting begins at 9:30 a.m. The Match cost is \$25. More details on Practiscore.

SCSA Steel Challenge Match October 13. Gates will be open by 9 a.m. and there will be a shooters meeting at 9:30 a.m. We start shooting after the shooters meeting. The Match will be \$20 for non-members, \$15 for TCSA members. Shooting a second gun is \$5. Refunds will be given for cancellations minus \$2. More details on Practiscore.

USPSA Monthly Match October 20. 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.

Red October 2-Gun Match October 26. Sign-in begins at 9:00 a.m. Shooting begins at 9:30 am. The Match cost is \$25. More details on Practiscore.

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. Gates will be open by 9 a.m. and there will be a shooters meeting at 9:30 a.m. We start shooting after the shooters meeting. The Match will be \$20 for non-members, \$15 for TCSA members. Shooting a second gun is \$5. Refunds will be given for cancellations minus \$2. 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](https://www.facebook.com/groups/267093763957174/?ref=bookmarks)

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

~ ~ ~ **WORTH REPEATING** ~ ~ ~

NO firearms are to be handled during a “**COLD**” range state. This includes cased firearms being taken from the table to a vehicle and from a vehicle to a table. If you have any questions regarding this procedure, please see the Range Safety Officer on Duty.

WHEN THE RANGE IS COLD

NO HANDLING OF ANY FIREARMS

WHEN THE RANGE IS HOT

HANDLING OF FIREARMS IS PERMITTED

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

Tuesday October 1

Smallbore Dewar – Rose-Iris

Thursday October 3

Vintage Smallbore – Rose-Iris

Saturday October 5

600 yards Mid-Range

Sunday October 6

100-200 Yard Smallbore

ISSA Steel

100 Bird Trap Shoot

Tuesday October 8

50 Yard Smallbore Benchrest

Thursday October 10

TCSA General Meeting – Richland Public Library

50 Yard ARA Smallbore - Rose Iris

Friday October 11

LR Fall Regional Practice and Team Match

Saturday October 12

2-Gun Match

LR Fall Regional Practice and Team Match

Introduction to Shotgun for Youths

Sunday October 13

LR Fall Regional Practice and Team Match

SCSA Steel Challenge Match

Saturday October 19

Primitive Match

Sunday October 20

PR-22 Rimfire Match - HESA

USPSA Match

Tuesday October 22

100 Yard Smallbore Mini-PALMA - HESA

Saturday October 26

Cowboy Action Match

Red October 2-Gun Match

Check out the “For Sale” items on our web-site

www.tcsa.info

Send your “For Sale” or “Wanted” items to

membership@tcsa.info



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

RULES OF SAFE GUN HANDLING

1. Always keep the muzzle pointed in a safe direction
2. Treat ALL firearms as if they are loaded
3. Keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to fire
4. Be sure of your target and what’s beyond
5. Read the owner’s manual and learn the mechanical and handling characteristics of the firearm you are using
6. Always wear eye and hearing protection when shooting

