



**TEXAS PANHANDLE PISTOL CLUB**

**August 2020**

**2309 Line Avenue Amarillo, TX 79106**

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**Next Club Meeting ...** 09/05/20 [Saturday @ 8:30AM]  
09/10/20 [Thursday @ 7:00PM]

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** We are working on the backstop that was purchased from Panhandle Gunslingers. Work is being done in a donated warehouse space at 99 N. Tyler at 8:00am on Saturdays. Work will not be done on the day of the Saturday monthly meetings. Please come help if you can. These work days will count toward the work day discount.

**PIT CLEANING INCENTIVES:** **Clean the lead pit 7 times in the year and your membership renewal for the following year will be FREE!** Clean the lead pit 10 times in the year and be entered in a separate gun drawing for lead pit cleaning volunteers only. Lead pit cleaning is done immediately following the Saturday meeting.

#### **EVENTS:**

##### **Club Shoots:**

September club shoot will be two shoots to make up for the missed ones. It will be 38 spc and 45 auto on Saturday, September 5<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. Come for one or both. The rest of the shoots for the year are posted on the club calendar. <http://www.texaspanhandlepistolclub.com/events-news.html>

##### **LTC Practice:**

LTC practice is "every other" Thursday night at 6:00PM – 8:00PM. Check the calendar for specific dates. This is an excellent opportunity for members to become more proficient with their carry gun/holster setup that they use for carry.

##### **Upcoming LTC practices:**

09/03/20, 09/17/20, 10/01,20

##### **Ladies' Night**

The ladies night on August 20<sup>th</sup> was out best turnout yet. Thanks to the members recommending it. We also signed up one lady as a new member. Our next ladies night will be held September 24<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm – 9:00pm. You may come at 6:00, 7:00, or 8:00pm. There will be a safety briefing, then shooting in the range. Free for members, \$5 for non-members. You may bring your own gun, or there will also be pistols and ammo available for use.

## **IDPA:**

IDPA Practice is every other Wednesday night at 6:30PM. Open to members and non-members. Check the calendar for specific dates.

## **Upcoming IDPA nights:**

09/02/20, 09/16/20, 09/30/20

## **Club Maintenance:**

Don't forget about Maintenance night at 5:30PM the Tuesday night after the Saturday meeting. Come out and help keep the club in good shape. If you attend 6 maintenance nights, you will get \$25 off your annual dues.

Please be sure to sweep AWAY from the lead pit when sweeping the range. Trash in the lead pit makes cleanup much more difficult. Thanks for helping keep the range clean and functional!

## **WHAT'S HAPPENING IN TPPC:**

We had a booth at the Amarillo Gun Collector's gun show, August 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. Talked to several people about membership. The next gun show will be October 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>.

Safety meetings for renewals for next year will begin in September.

Elections are coming up. We have three people on the nominating committee and could use a couple more. Offices up for election this year are:

- President
- Vice President of Operations
- Secretary
- Membership Coordinator

If you are interested in running for an office, serving on the nominating committee, or would like to nominate someone for one of these offices, let the board know. You can tell us at the monthly meeting or email at [texaspanhandlepistolclub@gmail.com](mailto:texaspanhandlepistolclub@gmail.com).

Due to the canceled meetings for COVID, the officers have decided to reduce the number of meetings required for the annual gun drawing from 10 to 8.

TPPC decals are available for purchase for \$1/each. Empty chamber indicators may be purchased for \$2. We also have caps available for \$10/each. We are also taking special orders for T-shirts and decals for mugs, etc.

You can email [texaspanhandlepistolclub@gmail.com](mailto:texaspanhandlepistolclub@gmail.com) if you have any questions or suggestions. It is routinely checked by the officers.

Have you gone to the club Facebook page?

<https://www.facebook.com/Texas-Panhandle-Pistol-Club-TPPC-349936138550871/>

This will be a good way to communicate information within the club (but not the only way).