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MONTHLY **NEWSLETTER FOR TEXAS** PANHANDLE PISTOL CLUB





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Club Meetings:

2 Meetings per month. The 1st meeting is the 1st Saturday of every month. The second meeting is the Thursday after the Saturday Meeting:

Nov Meetings: 11/4 starting at 8:30 AM 11/9 starting at 7:00 PM

Dec Meetings: 12/2 starting at 8:30 AM 12/7 starting at 7:00 PM

Jan Meetings: 1/6 starting at 8:30 AM 1/11 starting at 7:00 PM

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Events:

October's club shoot was the event will be the annual Halloween Shoot.

The new TPPC League competition has started. October's distance is 10 shots at 7 yards. Turn your target(s) into Leonard at the Members meeting. Then pick up your next month's target(s).

License to Carry (LTC) Practice: These are held every other Thursday night from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. The next dates for the October 14th and 28th. Daytime LTC practice on Tuesday October 19th at 9:00 AM. The participants get the opportunity practice drawing from their concealment with their everyday carry pistols. All participants are closely monitored to provide a safe and fun atmosphere. There are multiple scenarios and barricades to practice various aspects of defending oneself if the situation ever presents itself.

Action Pistol: Practices and holds their events every other Wednesday starting at 6:00 PM. The next one will be on Wednesday the September 20th and. Our Action Pistol nights offer a safe environment to improve or enhance your gun handling and shooting skills. A perfect opportunity to increase your confidence in daily carry and self-defense. These practices and events are open to ANY safe shooter, you do not need to be an Action Pistol member to participate.

Lady's Night: Our next lady's night will be Thursday September 21st from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm. You may come at 6:00 or 7:00. There will be a safety briefing, then shooting in the range. Free for members, \$5 for non-members. You may bring your gun, or there will also be pistols and ammo available for use. Minors above 12 years of age are welcome while accompanied by an adult.

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Bobby's Top 5 List for October 2023:

Top 5 Guns over \$20,000:

- 1) COSMI (NIGHTHAWK CUSTOM) TITANIUM BREAK ACTION 28GA
- 2) <u>Sig PE 57 7.5x55</u> Swiss
- Colt Python 357 Mag 2 1/2" Nickel C Factory Master Engraved
- 4) 1986 Russian Military SVD Dragunov Sniper Rifle 24"
- 5) <u>WALTHER ARMS</u> <u>MEISTER</u> <u>ALLIGATOR" 9mm 5"</u> <u>BBL</u>

If you like the list or have anything additional to add let us discuss.



New Shooting Event TPPC Members Only APC

The new event will take place October 16 at 6:00 PM

New event for club members only will be an Action Pistol Competition. The weather is cooling, and the Amarillo Rifle and Pistol Club (ARPC) has ended their events for APC. Our club has decided to keep the opportunity to test your skills by having this event for our members.

Action Pistol shooting is a competitive shooting event that has various targets at different ranges to a shooter will navigate as fast and accurate as they are able. This creates a challenging and quick face environment attempting to simulate an environment to test and access your skills.

There will be a range safety officer providing instruction prior to the start of the event. They will also be sure you are navigating the scenarios in a safe manner.

This competitions are a lot of fun and other 'competitors are very helpful providing tips in shooting stance, shooting techniques, and positioning distance from barriers/obstacles.

Amazon Affiliate

While doing your online shopping do not forget to use the link. It does not cost you a thing. There is no upcharge to the items in your cart. All you need to do is go to the click the above section title, go club website on your computer or your phone and click the link. It will then take you to the Amazon webpage or app and give the club a percentage of the total when you make your purchases.

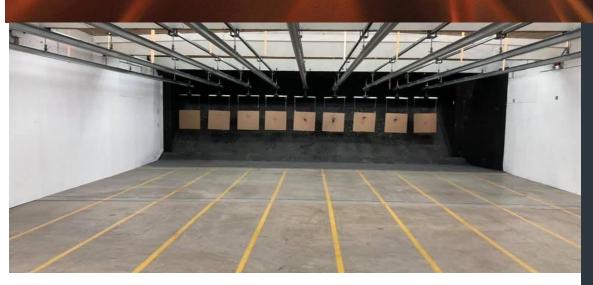
We are also look for other affiliate links for other companies. If you know of any, please inform the officers.

From Computer



From Mobile Device:





What is happening at the Club?

The 2023 Online Safety Course is published. You will be able to take this course online to get credit for the March Annual Renewals.

There is also the Simulator Course available online. You only need to take the course once. If you have taken it in the past, you don't have to retake it.

https://tppc.myicourse.com/

Club Dues Increase

The club dues will increase \$10 per year for a totally of \$120. This change started Aug 1st. There will not be any "grandfathering" of dues for past or current members.

Friends of NRA Banquet

Sat, Oct 28, 2023, at 6:00 PM

<u>Texas Panhandle - Amarillo,</u> TX | Friends of NRA

Join other champions of the Second Amendment for dinner, games, auctions, and fun with a chance to win exclusive NRA guns, gear, décor, and collectibles!

Office Elections

Thank you to Richard Mayfield and Terry Moore for leading the Nomination Committee.

This year the offices up for election were VP of Administration is Kenny Rodman, Treasurer is Aaron Waldrop, Event Director is Leonard Eubanks. A motion was made, seconded, and passed in both monthly meetings to re-elect the existing officers by acclamation.

TPPC Club Buy/Sell/Trade

We now have a MeWe account for the club to help members sale, buy, or trade guns and accessories. You can also post comments as you desire. MeWe allows this avenue to us, where Facebook does not. Follow this link answer the 2 questions and you will be approved.

https://mewe.com/join/texaspanhandlepistolclubbuysaletrade



NRA Armed Citizen from October 2023 Magazine

A woman returned to her Philadelphia, Pa., apartment during the early morning hours of July 16 to find four strangers inside. Thankfully, the woman was armed, so when the alleged burglars confronted her, she drew and shot two of the four; the other two fled. Police found one man outside on the ground with gunshot wounds to his right arm and right leg. The other wounded suspect was found a little farther away. Both men face burglary and related offense charges when released from the hospital.

(nbcphiladelphia.com, Philadelphia, Pa., 7/16/23)

Monthly Maintenance Activities:

September:

Thanks to those who come to Maintenance Night, to those who change out target backers, and the crew who cleans out the lead pit.

Work accomplished this month was: Check range lighting, check lanes for functioning, clean up around building and put in dumpster, sweep with floor sweep, vacuum firing line and pew, clean table, check phone messages, change furnace filter, trimmed up all the weeds, drill target backer, paint bullet marks on walls, and clean admin building.

Discounts for Club Memberships:

All attendance credits accumulated on a calendar year basis.

- Attending 7 monthly Club meetings
- Attending 6 Range Maintenance Nights
- Performing 6 Lead Tray Cleaning/Mining



He Take a Look At Who is Running President Biden's Gun Violence Office

Ammoland Inc. Posted on October 5, 2023, By Larry Keane

Click the link above to read the full article.

The White House made a much-ballyhooed announcement that they were caving to gun control special interests by installing a new Office of Gun Violence Prevention. The office will have little to do with preventing actual crime and everything to do with using taxpayer dollars to attempt to deny Americans their Second Amendment rights.

The mission for this office will be charged with carrying out President Joe Biden's gun control executive orders. That means this new White House Office of Gun Violence Prevention is a redundant effort to push gun control. Given that the president is pursuing gun control efforts outside the boundaries of federal law, it should be expected that this office will do more of that.

The White House Office of Gun Violence Prevention will be headed up by none other than Vice President Kamala Harris.

The new White House Office of Gun Violence Prevention is anything but dedicated to preventing criminal misuse of firearms. It's a haven of gun control idealogues that are now getting paid by taxpayers to press an unconstitutional agenda.

Gun Lobby Applauds Sen. Cruz For Taking On Banking Discrimination Of Firearm Industry

Ammoland Inc. Posted on September 27, 2023 by F Riehl, Editor in Chief

(Click the above link to read the full article)

NSSF, The Firearm Industry Trade Association, applauds U.S. Sen. Ted Cruz (R-Texas) for directly addressing the ongoing and illegal discrimination of the firearm industry by major banks and payment processors. Fox Business reported on this continued discriminatory practice of major banking institutions and payment processors refusing services because officials in those financial sectors politically disagree with Second Amendment rights.

Sen. Cruz, in his capacity as Ranking Member of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, recently wrote to Intuit, a payment processor, that reversed their discriminatory policies of denying QuickBooks services to firearm manufacturers and retailers. The change came only after Senate inquiries into the discriminatory practices. Intuit claimed the policy was directed to them by JP Morgan Chase and Bank of America, both banks that hold discriminatory policies against the firearm industry and refuse banking services in an effort to starve them of essential financial services.

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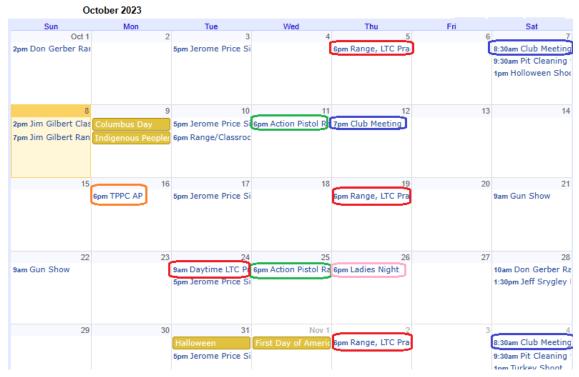
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