



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:

Sept Meetings:
9/2 starting at 8:30 AM
9/7 starting at 7:00 PM

Oct Meetings:
10/7 starting at 8:30 AM
10/12 starting at 7:00 PM

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

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Events:

August's club shoot was 40 S&W and 22lr rifle. September's shooting competition will be 45 ACP and 10 mm.

The new TPPC League competition has started. August's distance is 10 shots at 10 yards. Turn your target(s) into Leonard at the August Members meeting. Then pick up your June 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 August 17th and 31st. Daytime LTC practice on Tuesday August 22nd at 9:00 AM. The participants get the opportunity to 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 August 23rd and September 6th. 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 August 24th 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 June 2023:

Top 5 Guns under \$400:

- 1) Taurus GX4
- 2) CZ P-10 Sub-Compact
- 3) S&W M&P22
- 4) Springfield XD-S MOD2 OSP
- 5) Walther PPK/S

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



[Texas Hunting Season 2023-2024: What's Open, When & Rules?](#)

Click the above link to read the full article. August 13, 2023 by Team@HuntingSeasons.Org

If you are planning on visiting TX in the hunting season of 2023, there are some things you should know before you go. The TX Parks and Wildlife Department has released its hunting season dates for the latest season.

In TX, hunters are required to check their tags every year. However, the number of hunters checking their tags has decreased due to new technology like GPS-enabled locators and deer monitoring applications. Backcountry hunters who don't use GPS locators now have the opportunity to venture out and hunt for a whole season without getting tagged, thanks to this "reduced check" option.

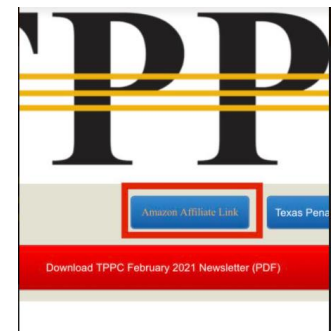
Over 1 million acres of wildlife land in TX, including TPWD-owned property, land leased from other state and government agencies, forest products companies, and land that individual owners support. The Annual Public Hunting Permit enables year-round hunting for white-tailed deer, wild pigs, doves, quail, turkey, birds, rabbit, fox, and more on nearly one million acres. For excellent native animals and foreign species on TPWD-managed areas and specifically leased private lands, drawn hunts are available. For novice hunters, TPWD and associate organizations provide managed hunting workshops and routine (Daily) Permit Hunts for small game and wildlife. They include supervised, drawn hunts for adult and youth shooters, E-Postcard selection hunts, and special hunt package drawings.

[Amazon Affiliate](#)

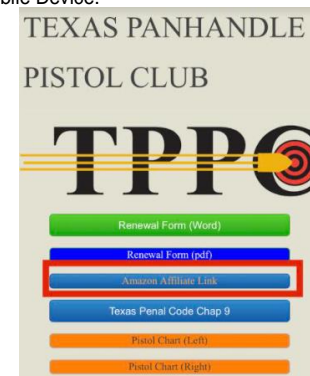
While doing your online shopping do not forget to use the link. It does not cost you a thing. There is no upcharge to the items in your cart. All you need to do is go to the click the above section title, go club website on your computer or your phone and click the link. It will then take you to the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





Monthly Maintenance Activities:

August:

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 (Use floor sweep), Vacuum firing line and pew, Clean table and check phone messages, Change Furnace Filter, Clean Admin Building, Lube sucker fans, Grease Zerks on Gate, and Drill Target Backers.

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/Minig

What is happening at the Club?

The 2023 Online Safety Course will be published the first part of September. 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.mycourse.com/>

Club Dues Increase

The club dues will increase \$10 per year for a total 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

[Texas Panhandle - Amarillo, 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 are coming up.

Richard Mayfield and Terry Moore are leading this committee. Please see them if you are interested or would like to nominate someone for: VP of Administration, Treasurer, and Events Coordinator

Nomination to date:
VP of Administration is Kenny Rodman
Treasurer is Marcus Alexander
Event Director is Leonard Eubanks

TTPC 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 August 2023 Magazine

In Beaumont, Texas, a homeowner shot and wounded a man who reportedly had broken into his house in the middle of the night on May 19. Responding police saved the 43-year-old intruder's life by using a tourniquet to stop his bleeding and transported him to the hospital; he was to be charged with burglary upon release and held on a \$100,000 bond. The Beaumont Police spokesperson emphasized that the homeowner would face no charges: "The suspect is the one who broke the law and committed a crime, and as a result, he was shot." (12newsnow.com, Mauriceville, Texas, 5/22/23)



[Bidenomics: Bill Would Add \\$5,000 Federal Tax to \\$500 AR-15](#)

Gun.com: 08/07/2023 12:54 AM | CHRIS EGER

Click the link above to read the full article.

Democrats in Congress last week quietly introduced a plan to prohibitively tax ownership of popular semi-auto firearms and magazines.

U.S. Rep. Don "Doug" Beyer, a Democrat from Virginia, allied with 24 partisan co-sponsors largely hailing from blue states, introduced H.R.5135 on Aug. 4. While the text of the proposal isn't available, the title "To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose an additional 1,000 percent excise tax on the sale of large capacity ammunition feeding devices and semiautomatic assault weapons, and for other purposes," leaves little to the imagination.

Such a move would bump the base price of an entry-model AR, such as a Diamondback DB15, Ruger AR556, or S&W M&P15, from about \$650 to \$7,150 – a figure that would still be subject to state and local taxes. More top-shelf models would have a price that approaches \$20,000. Likewise, the price of a basic magazine such as a Magpul PMAG would jump from \$14 to over \$150.

Beyer introduced a similar bill last session, his "Assault Weapons Excise Act," which had 41 co-sponsors, all Democrats.

[4 Years Running: Over 1 Million Guns Sold Every Month Since July 2019](#)

Guns.com 08/04/2023 02:29 AM | CHRIS EGER
(Click the above link to read the full article)

Federal background checks for over-the-counter gun sales passed a big milestone last month, chalking up four solid years of consecutive seven-digit figures.

The National Shooting Sports Foundation confirmed the 48-month streak after calculating the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Instant Criminal Background Check System figures for July 2023.

The unadjusted FBI NICS total for last month stands at 1,987,650. Once the data is analyzed by NSSF to remove checks and rechecks processed for carry permits and other reasons, the number of checks for likely retail gun sales remains at 1,023,903, standing at the sixth highest seen in the month of July going back for the NICS program's 24-year history.

The big takeaway pointed out by NSSF is an ongoing monthly 1 million adjusted background check threshold that has held firm since July 2019.

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Club Calendar (as of the day the newsletter is published) – Check [club event website](#) for updates.

TPPC Calendar of Events

August 2023 ▾

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