



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:

June Meetings:
6/5 starting at 8:30 AM
6/10 starting at 7:00 PM

July Meetings:
7/3 starting at 8:30 AM
7/8 starting at 7:00 PM

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

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Events:

The club shooting competition for April was 22 semi-autos and 22 revolvers. The next club competition shoot event will be for 38 snubby and 38 specials on May 1st at 1:00 PM

License to Carry (LTC) Practice: These are held every other Thursday night from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. 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 different aspects of defending oneself if the situation ever presents itself.

International Defensive Pistol Association (IDPA): Practices and holds their events every other Wednesday starting at 6:00 PM.

Lady's Night: Lady's nights are typically held on the 3rd Thursday of the month. However, our next lady's night will be held on May 20th 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.

4H Rifle Club

The TPPC was able to help the 4H Rifle Club by providing them with shooting gloves. The 4H Rifle thanked us in a letter and informed us their Seniors placed 1st and 3rd place in District which qualified them for the State Competition.

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Bobby's Top 5 List for May 2021:

Top 5 Reason to get/renew your LTC License.

- 1) It is your choice and not a government mandate restriction the rights of citizens.
- 2) State to state reciprocity when traveling allows you to legal carry in other states.
- 3) Gives you a reminder to keep up with any legal changes during the renewal process.
- 4) Buying a firearm, the 4473 just needs your LTC Number which decreases the time for NICS checks.
- 5) If you are stop by law enforcement offices, it helps identify you as a good guy. (Which has gotten me out of a few tickets. 😊)

If you like the list or if I left one off one, let us discuss.



CERT – Community Emergency Response Team

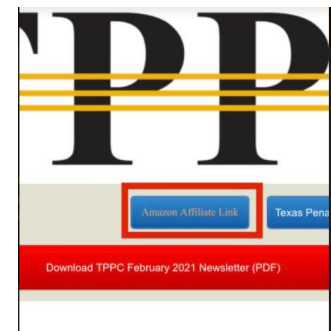
Bob Jordan (353-6005) (679-7817) during the Thursday meeting talked about being prepared and training. IF you are interested in this please contact him. It is put on by FEMA goals is to equip and train citizens to be ready during emergency. They train to help people until help arrives. Take care of self, then family, and then neighbor or community. Their goal is to safely do the most good for the most people. They train in first aid, CPR, stop the bleed, light search & rescue, and fire safety. The organization give you the equipment and provide training. It does not cost anything. You can find more information online. They meet once a month and do training once a quarter. It is a lot of fun and provides good training. [Community Emergency Response Team | Ready.gov](#)

The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program educates volunteers about disaster preparedness for the hazards that may impact their area and trains them in basic disaster response skills, such as fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization, and disaster medical operations. CERT offers a consistent, nationwide approach to volunteer training and organization that professional responders can rely on during disaster situations, allowing them to focus on more complex tasks.

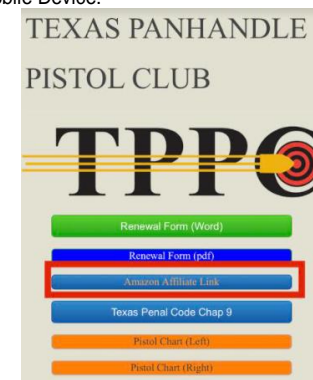
[Amazon Affiliate](#)

Big tech may know support guns by their philosophy; **however**, they support us unbeknownst to them. We have Amazon Affiliate opportunity. 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.

From Computer



From Mobile Device:



LAW ENFORCEMENT *Appreciation*

Law Enforcement Appreciation Day

Arden Road Church will hold a Law Enforcement Appreciation Day on May 23rd at 10:30 AM. If you plan on going, visit their website and register, there will be a meal provided.

<http://www.ardenroadbaptist.com>

The club is donating 2 1-year memberships to their prizes.



What is happening at the Club...?

April was the last month that the sign in sheet were used for meeting attendance. If you want credit for attending meetings starting in May, you must badge in at the front of the range (Saturday) or in the classroom (Thursday).

The club has added a room to our lease to make room for the simulator. Thank you to all those that have worked to clean the room out, helped with a little sheetrock work, framing, electrical work, and

other tasks.

We are still working out the details for training and designated access to the room once the simulator is fully installed.

There will be laser guns provided for the use of the simulator. If you want to purchase, you own laser gun you may do so.



Dry Firing – Laser Recoil Trainer

The price of ammunition has increased significantly in the past year. Gone are the days of getting a 50-round box of 9 mm for less than \$10. Today's prices are around 50 cents per round/\$25 a box: **at the low end!**

<https://coolfiretrainer.com>

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Train Easily - Covert your firearm to CO2 training and back again to live fire easily with few or no tools. Train anywhere, anytime!

Monthly Maintenance Activities:

May:

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: checked range lighting, check lanes for functioning, clean up around building and put in dumpster, swept (using floor sweep), vacuumed firing line and pew, cleaned table, checked phone messages, changed furnace filter, cleaned Admin Building, and greased sucker fan.

Discounts for Club Memberships:

All attendance credits are accumulated on a calendar year basis, not from the March membership renewal.

- Club meeting attendance
- Range Maintenance Nights
- Cleaning the Lead Trays



Texas Legislative

[HB 1927 Texas Legislature Online - 87\(R\) History for HB 1927](#)

Relating to provisions governing the carrying of a firearm by a person who is 21 years of age or older and not otherwise prohibited by state or federal law from possessing the firearm and to other provisions related to the carrying, possessing, transporting, or storing of a firearm or other weapon; creating criminal offenses.

Right now, the Senate and House has appointed committee members to work together with the amendments added to the bill from the Senate. Contact both your Senate and House Representatives to ask them to support your freedom.

(Please see my top 5 list on page 2 for reasons to keep you LTC if they pass it.)

NICS and Gun Sales

Excerpt from NRA IRL ([NRA-ILA | NICS Numbers Tell a Story \(nraila.org\)](#))

“We usually look at NICS numbers on a month-to-month basis. We’d say something about how the NICS office conducted 3,514,070 total checks last month. We talk about how the latest batch is the most ever for that calendar month (it was) or how it was an about 21% increase over April 2020. We’d note that there were 961,947 handgun-related checks, 549,244 long gun related checks, and 602,540 permit checks last month. That’s what we’ve done in past months, and we have quite a streak going.”

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