2024



Club Meetings: 2 Meetings per Saturday Meeting:

August 8/3 starting at 8:30 AM 8/8 starting at 7:00 PM

Sept Meeting: 9/7 starting at 8:30 AM 9/12 starting at 7:00 PM

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Events:

July's shooting competitions were the 9mm and any center-fire caliber pistol rapid fire.

The TPPC Shooting League competition has started for this year. July's distance is 10 shots at 5 yards. Turn your target(s) into Leonard at the August's Members meeting. It is not too late to join the competition; your 7 best targets will count towards the competition.

License to Carry (LTC) Practice: These are held every other Thursday night from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. The next dates for the July 18 and Aug 1. Daytime LTC practice on Tuesday July 1 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 July 24.

TPPC Member Only Action Pistol: This event is for members only on Monday Aug 12 starting at 6:00 PM. This is now a club shooting competition event.

Lady's Night: Lady's. Our next lady's night will be June 21 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.

Range Wall\Ceiling Count Meter: This count meter was starting after our Range Upkeep week (May 4): Current count 20.

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Bobby's Top 5 List for July 2024:

Items in Get Home Bag

- Water\Water Filtration
 System
- 2. Non-Perishable
- 3 Sunscreen
- 4. Multitoo
- 5. Bug Sprav

If you like the list or have anything additional to add, let us discuss. Also, if you have a suggestion of a top 5 list, let me know.

Club Disclaimers

- Articles referenced in newsletter do not reflect positions of the club. They are meant to inform and/or entertain.
- 2) Any politician or public servant that speaks during club meeting does not reflect any official endorsement of their candidacy by the club. We are believers in free speech and give them a platform to present their positions.



Should You Use NFA Weapons for Self Defense? A Practical Perspective

Ammoland Inc. Posted on June 10, 2024, by F Riehl, Editor in Chief

(Click the link above to read the full article and watch video)

In the latest video from Iraqveteran8888, Eric and Chad discuss the contentious issue of using National Firearms Act (NFA) items for self-defense. If you're a pro-gun enthusiast and well-versed in firearm regulations, this video makes some compelling points that are worth considering.

The Legality and Practicality of NFA Items
First off, let's clear up the legal aspect. Yes, it is
perfectly legal to use NFA items, such as
suppressors and machine guns, for self-defense.
They are, after all, firearms, and if you find yourself
in a life-threatening situation, the law permits you
to use any legal means to protect yourself.
However, the practical implications are where
things get interesting or, should we say, messy.

Final Thoughts

The decision to use an NFA item for self-defense is deeply personal and should be made with careful consideration of both legal and practical factors. While these items can provide significant advantages in a defensive situation, they also come with potential legal complications. As a progun advocate, staying informed, prepared, and ready to defend your choices and actions if the need arises is important.

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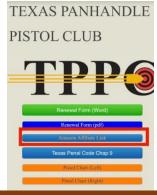
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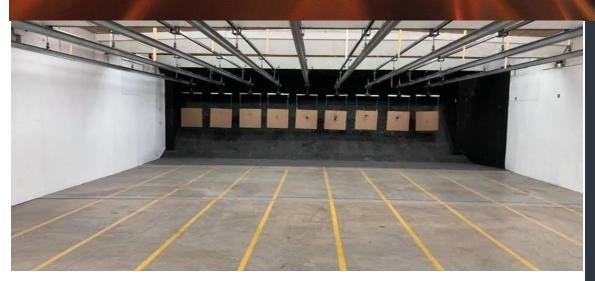
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What is happening at the Club?

Friend of NRA Banquet Sat, Aug 24, 2024, at 5:30 PM

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!

The club is a sponsor for a gun give away and 1-year membership to TPPC.

Crime Stoppers Car Show

TPPC is a sponsor of the16th Annual Crime Stoppers Car Show. This year's show is Saturday August 31st. The show will run from 10am -4pm, inside the Amarillo Civic Center. Vehicle registration is currently \$30 now through August 23rd. Late registration will run from August 24th to the day of the show.

Safety Class is still available online or in person after **April's Members Meetings.**

You can take the classes in person after the club meetings. All new members will be required to take the class in person.

There is also an online class existing members can view anytime.

https://tppc.myicourse.com/

Texas Gun and Knife Show

Amarillo Civic Center July 20-21. The club will have tables for promoting the club and for members to sell their items. There will be a FFL close by for those that wish to have a 4473 processed on the items they are selling.

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.



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NRA Armed Citizen from June 2024 Magazine

A 28-year-old alleged burglar is in the hospital after encountering an armed homeowner in Coos Bay, Ore.

At 1 in the morning on April 12, police received a call from a local resident, asking for police and medics to aid a man who had been shot inside the home. When officers arrived, they discovered the wounded man had attempted to break into the house and was armed with a golf club. The resident fired at the intruder, wounding him.

Officers provided care for the wounded intruder until paramedics arrived and transported him to a local hospital. Police say the resident and the alleged intruder did not know each other. At the time of reporting, no charges had yet been filed against the suspect. (ABC News 9; Coos Bay, Ore.; 4/12/24)

Monthly Maintenance Activities:

July:

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 (using floor sweep), vacuum firing line and pew, clean table, check phone messages, change furnace filter, drill holes for target backers, and clean admin building.

Discounts for Club Memberships:

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

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



Ammoland Inc. Posted on July 8, 2024, by F Riehl, Editor in Chief

The Supreme Court issued an "Order List" denying hearings on all cases that could be impacted by the recent Rahimi ruling regarding prohibited persons and sending back all the 922(g) cases to lower courts for further consideration. While this may seem like a setback. Smith believes it's not necessarily bad news. He highlights that these decisions are part of a larger strategy by the Court.

While the recent Supreme Court decisions might seem like a pause in Second Amendment progress, Smith reassures that it's part of a broader, strategic approach. The focus remains on building strong cases with sympathetic plaintiffs to secure favorable rulings in the long run.

AMERICANS BOUGHT OVER 1 MILLION GUNS EVERY MONTH FOR 59 IN A ROW

07/05/2024 01:00 AM | CHRIS EGER

(Click the link above to read the full article)

According to data based on federal background checks for likely over-the-counter gun sales, last month was the 59th in a row where such checks soared past the 1-million mark. Holding the figure is quickly becoming the lasting goalpost in terms of America's firearm purchasing appetite.

The tally was verified by the National Shooting Sports Foundation by sorting the released data for the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Instant Criminal Background Check System for last month. The unadjusted June 2024 FBI NICS figure of 1,958,447 - after the figures were combed by NSSF to remove checks and rechecks for carry permits – remains at 1,059,037 likely sales.

"June's pace of background checks remained steady with another month of more than 1 million background checks for the sale of a firearm at retail," Mark Oliva, NSSF's director of public affairs, told Guns.com in an email. "That brings the streak to 59 months of Americans, quite literally by the millions, choosing to exercise their Second Amendment rights by first freely approaching the gun counter to legally purchase a firearm. That is a steady signal from America as we approach election season that the right to keep and bear arms matters to law-abiding citizens."

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Club Calendar (as of the day the newsletter is published) – Check <u>club event website</u> for updates.

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July 2024 Thu Jul 1 5pm Jerome Price Si 8:30am Club Meeting 9:30am Pit Cleaning 1pm 9 MM Shoot 2:30pm Rapid Fire Sh 6pm TPPC AP 5pm Jerome Price Si 6pm Action Pistol Ra 7pm Club Meeting 6pm Range/Classro 9am Daytime LTC Pr 6pm Range, LTC Pra 3pm Ladies Night 5pm Jerome Price Si 5pm Jerome Price Si 6pm Action Pistol Ra 10am Texas Gun & K 8am ARPC Action Pis 6pm Range, LTC Pra 8:30am Club Meeting 5pm Jerome Price Si 1pm 40 Cal Shoot 2:30pm 22 Rifle Shoo

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