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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:

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

October Meetings: 10/2 starting at 8:30 AM 10/7 starting at 7:00 PM

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

TPPC Executive Committee:

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Bobby DeLong 806-679-4603

**Events Director** 

Leonard Eubanks 806-223-3098

Membership Director: Jerome Price 806-477-9189

## **Events:**

The club shooting competition for August was 40 caliber. The next club competition shoot event will be for 45 caliber on September 4<sup>th</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month. Our next lady's night will be held on August 26<sup>th</sup> 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 nonmembers. 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.

# August Gun Show – Sales Table

The club will have a sales table in the August Gun Show for members. This table will be reserve for you to sell your firearms with the club getting \$10 to help pay for the table.

# TPPC Contact Information:

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# Bobby's Top 5 List for August 2021:

Top 5 Hunting Game for TX

- 1) Dove
- 2) Boa
- 3) Dee
- 4) Pheasant
- 5) Turkey

Be sure to plan now and get your Hunting, Fishing license for this year:

Hunting Licenses,

Permits & Endorsements

— Texas Parks & Wildlife

Department

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



Season: By Gun Digest Editors – 12/29/2020

I have linked this article by the JSD Supply. Here is information from the article and I would encourage you to read it from yourself.

Check the Regulations, Laws, and Permits - Nothing will ruin your hunting season quite like forgetting to make sure your permits or licenses are up-to-date and that laws haven't changed. A current big game or small game license is a good place to start. You may need extra licenses or state validations depending on your game of choice.

Check You Gear - Don't wait until a week before the season to get out your gear and give it a once-over. Check for holes in your soft gear, like your sleeping bag or safety harness. Sharpen your hunting knives and put new batteries in any equipment that needs them. Practice, Practice, Practice - Other essential hunting tips include sighting your rifle or bow and practicing with it. Get to the range early and often to not only avoid crowds but also to ensure you have the skills to pull off a clean shot

Talk to Landowners and Farmers - A lesser-known hunting tip is that some of the best lands to hunt are privately owned. Long before the season, visit the landowner and ask permission to hunt on their property.

Get in Shape - One of the best hunting tips is to get in shape. Know the area in which you'll be hunting and prepare yourself physically to do so.

# **Amazon** Affiliate

You want to do something for the club by doing something you do almost on an everyday basis? Use our Amazon Affiliate 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.

From Computer



From Mobile Device:





# What is happening at the Club

Simulator Room
The simulator room is
completed for the remodel. T
The computer is installed,
running, and tested; will need
to get the camera installed to
complete the project.

It was stressed in the membership meetings that No Live Ammo is to be in the Simulator Room. We got to keep safety in mind. Training will be provided before obtaining access in the room. There are lockers in place to put your live ammo and belonging prior to go into room.

If you are caught with live ammo; it will result in being expelled from club membership.

Video Safety Training and Range Orientation The video has been captured and editing is complete.

Moral Patches
TPPC Moral Patches will be
coming in soon. These will be
\$10 or less once they do
arrive.



Nomination Committee:
Harley Reynold's is leading this
committee. Please see him if
you are interested or would like
to nominate someone for:
Treasurer, Events Coordinator,
or VP of Administration.

Nomination so far to date are:

VP of Administration is Jim Gilbert.

Treasurer is Marcus Alexander

Events Coordinator is Leonard Eubanks

Again, nominations are still open.

# 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, check phone messages, change furnace filter, clean admin building, and prepare target backer boards.

# 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

## Dry Firing – G-Sight

G-Sight (following information it from their website)

Take your training to the next level with the G-Sight ELMS+ ProPack. This package contains an ELMS+ training cartridge, a large heavy-duty tripod/phone holder, and the award-winning G-Sight Laser Training Pro app so that you're ready to go right out of the box. The tripod is placed on the floor and extends up to 57 inches, giving you more freedom to choose where you train. The package also includes the BASIC SHOOTER Fun Target. This 11" x 15.5" Wall Target printed on heavy weight premium matte card stock. Custom designed for the ELMS phone app; this target features a shooter's scoring bullseye zone.



## <u>House</u> <u>Republican</u> <u>sounds alarm on</u> ATF's gun control moves

Rep. Richard Hudson, a staunch Second Amendment advocate, is sounding off on what he sees as a new, growing threat to gun ownership posed by the federal government.

Republicans have also been vocal about Mr. Chipman's open support for assault weapons bans and his push for universal background checks, two initiatives backed by President Biden.

Mr. Hudson also weighed in against a proposed ATF rule that would regulate some pistol-stabilizing braces, which would aim to reclassify the weapons as short-barreled rifles.

#### NICS and Gun Sales

Excerpt from The Gun Feed (NICS GUN CHECK DATA: 2ND HIGHEST JULY ON RECORD)

The month of July 2021 was the second-highest July in terms of federal background checks for gun transfers since the system was established over 20 years ago. The unadjusted figures of 2,860,476 checks conducted through the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Instant Criminal Background Check System last month, while a 20.9 percent drop from the unadjusted FBI NICS figure of 3,614,192 in July 2020, are still much higher than years prior to that black swan event which was driven by COVID fears, a tense election cycle, and a wave of urban unrest.

#### **Political Contacts**

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# Club Calendar

## **TPPC Calendar of Events** Print Week Month Agenda ▼ Today August 2021 ▼ Wed Aug 1 8:30am Club Meeting 6pm Range, LTC Pra 9:30am Pit Cleaning 1pm 40 APC Shoot F 6pm Range/Classroo 6pm IDPA 7pm Club Meeting 8am Malcolm Carter 11:30am Malcolm Car 6pm Range, LTC Pra 9am Gun show 9am Gun show 6pm IDPA 29 30 31 8:30am Club Meeting 6pm Range, LTC Pra 9:30am Pit Cleaning 1pm 45 APC Shoot F Today September 2021 ▼ Print Week Month Agenda ▼ Wed Tue Sep 1 8:30am Club Meeting 6pm Range, LTC Pra 9:30am Pit Cleaning 1pm 45 APC Shoot F 6pm Range/Classrod 6pm IDPA 7pm Club Meeting 6pm Range, LTC Pra 24 6pm IDPA 27 Oct 1 6pm Range, LTC Pra 8:30am Club Meeting 1pm Halloween Shoo 1pm Halloween Shoo