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President's Column

This year's Women on Target was a great success. In all, 70 participants rotated through each of our ranges from archery, to shot gun on the new ranges, to 50 yard rifle, to the pistol house, to hanging clays, to stationary and then oscillating targets, to higher caliber, and finally to pin shoot. The day began with registration and a light breakfast. At 10am, a special signal was sounded to begin the event. At midday everyone paused for lunch.

After lunch, the rotation continued until each participant had completed every event. Then it was back to clubhouse for fellowship, refreshment, a raffle and reflecting on the day and sharing memories.

Over 90 volunteers worked throughout the day. Most were club members but some were family and friends of club members. On most of the ranges, there was a one-on-one coaching to instruct and ensure safety. Several golf carts were donated and staffed to ferry supplies and water to the ranges. The kitchen crew organized breakfast, lunch, refreshments and clean-up, and the bar staff provided service as requested. Final clean-up on each range was completed by the range teams, and afterward, many of the volunteers remained to share accomplishments and to suggest improvements.

This year had the added challenge of resuming the process after a two-year interruption. Carol Grubb and Deb Thompson picked up the process and guided it until successful completion. Thanks to Carol and Deb and each and every one of the volunteers. We could not have done it with you! Check this newsletter for a list of sponsors, and support them as you are able.

Did you miss out? Are you ready for more? The 2022 Kids on the Range Day (KORD) is scheduled for Saturday, July 30. KORD is very similar in organization and the needed volunteer effort. Val Kabat is the KORD coordinator. The next (and final) KORD planning meeting is Tuesday, July 26, at 6pm in the clubhouse. Join us for the effort and earn volunteer hours.

The WOT and KORD events demonstrate the core of our club, which is volunteer effort. Check the [calendar](#) for committee meeting times and places. Contribute your talents and efforts to the success of the club and earn volunteer hours.

The Kitchen Chair remains open. You can ease your way into the full chair duties by learning the burger night or monthly steak fry. The main requirement is a desire to produce a quality product for the membership, our guests, and rental events. Our kitchen and our volunteers are in place to continue to assist the Kitchen Chair.

July events include two pin shoots, two rifle matches, the monthly IDPA match and IDPA practice nights. The Education Committee has two classes scheduled. The Board meeting is on the 21st, but there is no membership meeting in July or August. The steak fry is on the 22nd.

Recently, the Board voted to allow long gun usage on an action range. The process to gain certification for long gun usage on an action range is parallel to draw-from-holster certification. Both are open to members only. No non-member can participate. Both require demonstration of proficiency from the Safety Committee or its designee. Only the Safety Committee or its designee can confer certification. A special designation will be indicated on the member's badge for each certification and is required to participate. Contact [Range Safety](#) for specifics and to arrange the demonstration of proficiency.

We own a beautiful property and a number of buildings. And just like at home the more you own the more you own that will break and require attention. Recently the Board approved funds to address a number of issues. We rented a large front loader scoop to reconfigure the new ranges and to upgrade the existing ranges. Thanks to Tim Grapentien and Don Hasselbach for your skills adjusting the berms; and to Tim, Don, and John Lehti and Earl Austin in planning. Our main workhorse tractor blew a clutch. Repair required transportation to the repair shop. The tractor is still in the shop. The domed roof on the clubhouse needs to be resealed. The upper floor has two covered

entrances. Both of these vestibules are asphalt-singled covered, and both are in need of reshingling. We are in the process of organizing labor efforts to accomplish both roofing jobs. Our washing machine died months ago. Thanks to Mike Thompson for finding a free replacement and transporting it to the club. Our main pop, water and bottle beer cooler behind the bar recently died. Repair is not possible. We are searching for a replacement. The walk in cooler behind the bar failed quite a long time ago. The estimate for repair is painful. This cooler is a tool that is needed, especially when large parties and weddings pick up. A stand up freezer in the kitchen is holding nicely at 40 F; but it has lost its freezer privileges. Volunteers are addressing these issues.

There is an age old adage that says may you live in interesting times. I believe we are there. The era of July 4, 1776, was certainly an interesting time too. We celebrate the 246th anniversary of the writing of the Declaration of Independence this year. It sets out a logical progression of abuses from a distant authority, attempted remedies and the need for local control and self-government. Take time this Independence Day to read a copy of the Declaration of Independence. Many of the abuses seem unimaginable and distant. Some seem frighteningly near. One abuse that has always commanded my attention is:

He has erected a multitude of New Offices and sent hither swarms of Officers to harass our people and eat out their substance.

To the continuation of Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness,

[Stuart Berry](#)



Memorial & Wellbeing Celebration & Thanks

Please keep Jon Yost's family in your thoughts and prayers. His mother, Esther Lillian Yost passed away in June at the young age of 97.



In addition, to Jon (Denise), she is also survived by son Stephen (Muriel) and six grandchildren, including Nate (who is also a Tri-County member). Her husband, Reverend Don A. Yost, preceded her in death in 2002, as did infant son Neal in 1962.

[Ed. note: This may go into more detail than usual, but I'm a pseudo (or maybe wannabe) musician and found her life fascinating.]

Esther graduated from the University of Louisville in 1945 and from Juilliard School of Music in 1949, and she was a member of the original Robert Shaw Chorale. While an Instructor of Voice at Oberlin College Conservatory of Music in Ohio, she met and married Don and continued using her vocal talents in the three churches where her he was pastor. She sang in many churches, gave recitals, and sang for many years with the Ann Arbor Cantata Singers. After attending Eastern Michigan University, she taught vocal music and preschool in the Head Start program in Willow Run Community Schools for 19 years. In 1999 Esther was honored for her 30 years of service as Choir Director at Ann Arbor's Northside Community Church where her husband was Pastor Emeritus. In addition to her family and her faith, she counted singing and choir directing as among her greatest joys.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made via [PayPal](#) to Northside Community Church.

Please send items for this column to newsletter@tcsi.org.



Membership

Five people submitted applications this month and were approved by the board of directors. They include:

Denice Denoyer - Associate
Jordan Martin - Probationary
Joshua Schmitt - Probationary
Laird Spearman - Probationary
Donavyn Lovely - Probationary

Three people attended the April orientation session. They are all probationary members—except John, who attended with a friend as a refresher—and include:

John Rose
Joshua Schmitt
Laird Spearman

We currently have 384 voting members of the club and 39 non-voting members who are associates and juniors. There are 231 regular members, 49 probationary, 66 seniors, 7 past presidents, 26 life members, 4 young adults, 1 military, 28 associates, and 11 juniors.

Current probationary members' renewal notices will be sent to them 4 to 6 weeks before their membership expires. Please check your membership card for the expiration date.

Thanks.

Charlie Unbehaun
Membership Secretary

TCSL RANGE HOURS

Monday-Saturday:
Shooting may begin
no earlier than 10am

Sunday:
Shooting may begin
no earlier than 12noon

Every Day:
Shooting must cease
by 8pm or sunset, whichever
occurs earlier.

2022 Rifle Match Schedule

7/2 – Trench Match
7/16 – Military Match
8/6 – Cavalry Match
8/20 – Military Match
9/3 – 185 yd Bench Match
9/17 – 100 yd 22LR Bench Match
10/1 – Trench Match
10/15 – Military Match
10/29 – 100 yd 22LR Bench Match
11/19 – 185 yd Bench Match (starts at noon)
12/17 – White Elephant Match

Dave Vandermark
rifle@tcsi.org



Women On Target

THANK YOU - THANK YOU - THANK YOU

Beautiful weather, a full roster of 70 women participating in Women On Target 2022 and a full schedule of fun and challenging events made the day perfect. The comments and reviews from the ladies were overwhelmingly positive!

But fantastic weather, 70 women on the ranges, and lots of fun memories for everyone involved would never have been possible without the generosity and hard work of over 100 Volunteers. Your dedication to our club and willingness to share your time and expertise with these women has already resulted in requests for additional gun safety and handling training and information on our club.

A special thank you to those of you who gathered and donated items and baskets and flowers, making this year's raffle a huge success. Women On Target is only one of many events held by our club. Many of these same volunteers are now going to move on to help with the other events. Kids On Range Day is coming up on July 30. We wish KORD the beautiful weather, the full roster of kids and the host of dedicated volunteers who are already stepping forward to make the day perfect.

Let's do it again next year!

Thank you all!



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Deb Thompson - 734-649-5313
wot@tcsi.org

PS. Check out the [TCSL Women On Target Facebook](#) page for photos from the event.



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Won't you please **support all these great businesses** whose generosity is helping to make this year's **Women On Target** event a success. **A heartfelt thank you to all!**

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Earth Art Nursery
Fenix Ammunition
Haley Mechanical
Harry's Auto Service
Holiday's Restaurant
Johnson's Sporting Goods
KBK Garden Center
Mac's Seafood Shack
Mark's Midtown Coney Island
Metzger's
Milan Ace Hardware
Milan Elevator
Mullins Auto Supply
National Rifle Association
Olight World
O'Reilly's Auto Parts
Prelips/Mohr Greenhouse
Salt Springs Brewery
Sell Farm and Greenhouse
Sperry Ballistics
The Barn
The Grateful Crow
The Painted Trout
Tractor Supply
William's Gun Sight & Outfitter
Zywicki Greenhouse



Bowling Pin Shoot - Open to The Public

Bowling pin shooting is a fun, but challenging, event. We welcome the skilled shooter, as well as the novice. We guarantee you'll enjoy yourself, while enhancing your shooting skills. Members and non-members are encouraged to bring friends/family along with them.

PCC & .22 Rifle Bowling Pin Shoot

Sundays: July 31, September 4

11:30am until 4:00pm

Shooting starts at 12:00noon.

The cost for each relay (20 pins = 5 pins x 4 tables) is \$5.00.

The shooter stands **20 yards** away from a structure, with 5 bowling pins on it. A safety officer, with a timer, will give the command to commence firing, at which time the shooter will begin shooting until all 6 pins are knocked down. The time it takes to knock 5 pins down is recorded. The average time of the shooter's best 3 tables will determine his/her score. Bragging rights are determined by the lowest shooter's score.

If you don't own a PCC or .22 rifle and would like to participate, there are several members on site who are willing to loan you their .22 rifle for this event.

Contact: Jim Walter • 734-478-3946 • jdwalter54@comcast.net

Handgun Bowling Pin Shoot

Sundays: July 10, August 14, September 18

11:30am until 4:00pm

Shooting starts at 12:00noon.

The cost for each relay (20 pins = 5 pins x 4 tables) is \$5.00.

The shooter stands **25 feet** away from a structure, with 5 bowling pins on it. A safety officer with a timer will give the command to commence firing, at which time the shooter will begin shooting until all 5 pins are knocked down. The time it takes to knock 5 pins down is recorded. The average time of the shooter's best 3 tables will determine his/her score. Bragging rights are determined by the lowest shooter's score (time).

If you don't own a handgun, PCC or .22 rifle and would like to participate, there are several members on site who are willing to loan you their .22 handgun or rifle for this event.

Contact: Mike Cowhy • 313-530-7789 • car64mc@peoplepc.com

Results of PCC/.22 Rifle Bowling Pin Shoot - Sunday, June 5

Another great success! The day was beautiful, and we had a good turnout. Thank you to everyone who came out. I hope everyone had a great time.

[Jim Walter](#)

SHOOTERS BEST TIMES BY FIREARM USED

.22 Rifle - S.A. With Optics		Time
NAME		(seconds)
Tom	Hammonds	2.30
Mike	Cowhy	2.77
Rick	Parsons	3.09
Jason	Tizedes	3.21
Jim	Walter	4.11
Asher	Bautell	4.44
Jason	Larke	5.06
Reenee	Tellas	5.40
Josh	Bautell	6.66
Nancy	Linderman	9.02

PCC - S.A. With Optics		Time (seconds)
NAME		
Rick	Parsons	3.90
Rob	Grubb	4.18
Jason	Tizedes	4.37
Robert	Candito	5.43
Carol	Grubb	5.90

PCC - S.A. No Optics		Time (seconds)
NAME		
Josh	Bautell	5.43

PCC - Bolt Action - No Optics		Time (seconds)
NAME		
Carol	Grubb	20.33

Handgun - With Optics		Time (seconds)
NAME		
Rob	Grubb	12.74

Handgun - No Optics		Time
NAME		(seconds)
Asher	Bautell	8.68
Jason	Tizedes	9.14
Matt	Thomas	9.96



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SHOOTERS OVERALL BEST TIME BY FIREARM USED

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TCSL STEAK FRY



Friday, July 22, 5-7pm

**At Tri-County Sportsmen's League
8640 Moon Road, Saline**

Take the night off from cooking and join us.
This is the best dinner money can buy!

Open to the public, so bring friends and family along.
Great time to connect with other TCSL members!

Choose from a Steak, Chicken or Salmon,
and watch it get cooked over a huge outdoor grill.
Then choose from an assortment of side dishes.

Meal includes:

Salad, Roll, Potatoes, Vegetable, Baked Beans, and Dessert.

Now offering kids meals:

Hamburger or Hot Dog, Mac & Cheese.

Steak Dinner	\$20.00
Salmon Dinner	\$15.00
Chicken Dinner	\$10.00
Children (12-5)	\$ 6.00
Children (under 5)	Free



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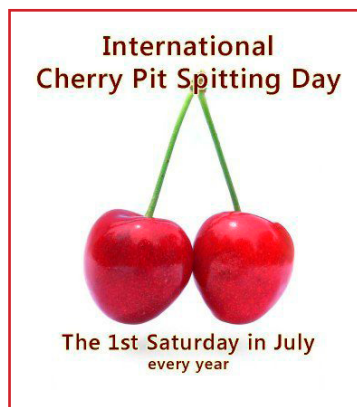


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Donations Needed

We are looking to have a sale at TCSL later this spring, but we are still in need of any donations you might have for the club. Anything outdoors- or tool-related would be much appreciated, but other items could be used as well. Wonder if what you have is a good fit? Email Dave Vandermark at rifle@TCSL.org with any questions. Donations can be brought to the Club marked "attn: Dave V. for Sale" and dropped off inside the clubhouse, or arrangements could possibly be made for a pickup. Thank you!



Hunters' Ed

From the Hunter's Education Committee

The next and last one this year, Hunter Education Field Day. It is scheduled for September 25th 2022. Registration opens on August 27. Go to <https://michigan.storefront.kalkomey.com> and make an account. Take the online Hunter Education course sign up for the field day. Pro-tip sign up on the 27th the class fills up fast and is the last one before deer season starts.

To purchase a hunting license in Michigan, an individual born on or after January 1, 1960, is required to successfully complete an approved hunter education course.

Summer is here and a good time to polish your marksmanship skills. So get to the range and get some trigger time in. Don't forget that new hunting rifle with a scope on it needs to be set up with heavier clothes in mind for the correct eye relief come hunting season.

See you at the range.

Until then
Gone Fishing

[Jon N Yost](#)
[Hunter Education](#)

Kids on the Range Day Saturday, July 30

As of this writing (June 26), all slots for the older group (12-18) are full, and we have only five spots left for the younger ones (8-11). Registration and waiver forms are still available on the [Club's website](#), and I'd love to see those final five spots taken; but depending on the age of the applicant, they may just have to be added to the waiting list.

Something new this year: We have a bit of extra money available for financial assistance. If you know any kids who'd like to participate but feel it's too much of a financial stretch, please let me know.

Remaining Meeting:
Tuesday, July 26, 6pm

This meeting should be short. I just want to make sure that all the loose ends are tied up before the event. Little things like: Do we have enough ammo? Do we have enough volunteers?

We continue to need volunteers for some spots. There are a variety of areas available, so I know we have a place for YOU! Many of you have worked this event before and know that it's a terrific way to introduce kids to the fun of sport shooting.

As you may have read in this newsletter, WOT was lucky enough to have 92 volunteers helping. While we don't need that many, a few more would be greatly appreciated.

Just a reminder: All KORD volunteers need to submit a background check, which can be obtained via the Michigan State Police. It's easy to do and costs just \$10. (It would be greatly appreciated if each Let me know if you need instructions—or if you'd like me to take care of it for you.



contact: Val Kabat
KORD@tcsl.org

August Newsletter

Absolute deadline for article submission:
July 24
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The mission of the Booster Club is to raise funds to supplement TCSL's traditional funding through member dues. These funds will help to ensure that TCSL can continue to: Promote sportsmen and women in the betterment of hunting, fishing, hiking, camping, boating, shooting.

- Host social activities for our members.
- Provide leadership for our youth.
- Participate in citizen action in the legislative process.
- Protect our environment.

WANTED

Bartenders are needed for the following upcoming Hall Rentals.
Earn hours. Will train.

Saturday, December 3, 3pm-1am
Wicked Jeeps Christmas Party
(2) upstairs, (3) downstairs

Sign up in the book or reply to
reservations@tcsl.org

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
RSO On Duty: Charlie U. 9am - Graduation Party @ 12pm - PCC & .22 Rifle	RSO on Duty: Mark B. 12pm - Friends of 7pm - BSA Troop 439	5pm - IDPA Practice	RSO on Duty: Mark S. 10am - Wednesday Range	12pm - Friends of		9am - Trench Match (100)
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RSO On Duty: Charlie U. 8am - NRA CCW Course	RSO on Duty: Mark B. 12pm - Friends of 6:30pm - Safety 7pm - BSA Troop 439 7:30pm - Finance	5pm - IDPA Practice	RSO on Duty: Mark S. 10am - Wednesday Range	12pm - Friends of 6:30pm - Board Meeting	5pm - Flame Broiled	8am - IDPA Match (All 4pm - Private Party
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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31	1	2	3	4	5	6
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For up-to-date information, please see the online calendar.

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