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# THE BULLET-TIN

July 2010

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A Saturday Work Party preparing for the automatic gates. Mike Johnson, Jeff Zwiebel, John Slocum, Bill Schweitzer & Randy Walhood.

Thanks Guys

## Metallic Silhouette Pistol 2010 Schedule

July 24	October 23
August 28	November 27
September 25	No December Shoot

All matches start are held on the 4th Saturday of each month starting at 9:00AM.

Entry fee is \$10. 120 shots will be fired for a full match in strings of 10 shots per 2 minutes. Ranges are 15-yard, 25-yard and 50-yard. We will shoot double rotation so we can accommodate up to 24 shooters per match. Bring ear and eye protection and your favorite .22 pistol.

Match Director: Dan Brown, drdanbrown@att.net

## Club Skeet Results June 6, 2010



HOA -	Richard Kummer - 49 so
B1-	Randy Walhood - 49 so
B2-	Jim Hundley - 49

### 20 Gauge

Lewis I -	Robert Nicholas - 50
Lewis II -	Chris Collinvitti - 47 so
Lewis III -	Richard Kummer - 41

### Doubles

Lewis I -	Donny Penwell- 44 so
Lewis II -	Jim Hundley - 40

The weather is starting to get hot and the start of the monthly club shoots has moved to the morning to beat the heat. The doubles event started around 11:00 with 12 shooters participating. The low turnout was mostly due to the Southwest Classic at the DGC pulling the bulk of the NSSA shooters. A couple members finished early and made it to the club shoot (win outright and no need to stick around for a shoot off was their motto). New members Jay and Ginny Warren shot a full round of doubles for the first time with Jay posting a 31 and Ginny a very impressive 37. We had a great BBQ lunch furnished by the Spirit of Hope foundation and we donated in \$60 for a great organization. The main event ended in a 3 way tie for first with 49's and Richard Kummer winning the shoot off (so). Robert Nicholas posted the only 50 for the day winning the 20 gauge event and Donny Penwell won the doubles event in a 3 way shoot off.

## Range Officer Duty

Sat.	July 3	Terry Cullender
Sun.	July 4	Robert Nicholas
Wed.	July 7	Jim Speer
Sat.	July 10	Brad Fitzgerald
Sun.	July 11	Robb Dunn
Wed.	July 14	Joe Miller
Sat.	July 17	Ted Preston
		Pistol Range Officer - Jim Wagner
Sun.	July 18	Richard Kummer
Wed.	July 21	Rusty Porter
Sat.	July 24	Benny Emmons
Sun.	July 25	Gil George
Wed.	July 28	Jack Martin
Sat.	July 31	Jim Cervenka

## 2010 ARA Match Schedule for GPGC (American Rimfire Association)

July 3	September 18
August 7	October 2

Shoots are on Saturdays at 9:00 AM  
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## Education Classes for 2010

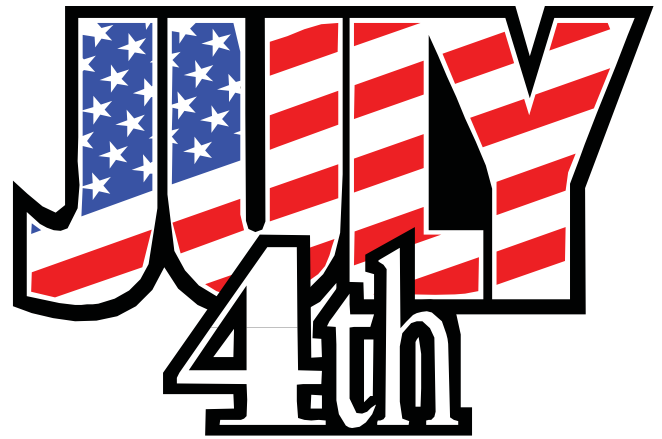
### Student Classes

July 5, 8 and 10	October 4, 7 and 9
August 9, 12 and 14	November 8, 11 and 13
September 6, 9 and 11	December 6, 9 and 11

### Instructor Workshops (Open to the Public)

July 24 - TP&W Public Land Workshop  
September 25 - NRA Reloading Workshop

Grand Prairie Education Committee  
972-641-9940 (leave message)



## Upcoming Events

- Jul. 1 - 7:30 PM GPGC Board of Directors Meeting
- Jul. 3 - 9:00 AM ARA Rimfire Rifle Match
- Jul. 4 - 11:00 AM Club Skeet Shoot – BIG BANG  
Independence Day
- Jul. 5 - 6:00 PM Handicap Trap League
- Jul. 5 - 7:00 PM Hunter Education Class
- Jul. 8 - 7:00 PM Hunter Education Class
- Jul. 10 - 8:00 AM Hunter Education Class
- Jul. 12 - 6:00 PM Handicap Trap League
- Jul. 17 - 9:00 AM Skeet League Shoot-off/DeSoto GC
- Jul. 17 - 1:00 PM Public Day
- Jul. 18 - 1:00 PM 5 Stand/Sporting Clays Shoot
- Jul. 19 - 6:00 PM End Handicap Trap League
- Jul. 24 - 8:00 AM TP&W Public Land Workshop
- Jul. 24 - 9:00 AM .22 Pistol Metallic Silhouette Match
- Jul. 24 - 1:00 PM Kids Shoot
- Jul. 29 - 5:30 PM Begin Skeet Doubles League

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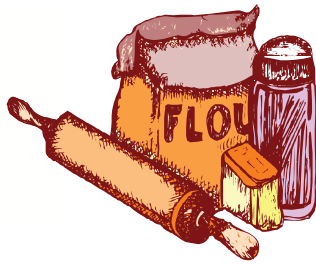
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## NEW TIME

## Bullseye Pistol Match

Every Wednesday at 7:00 PM

# Recipe Corner



## Buffalo Stew

1 Buffalo (large)\*  
2 jack-rabbits  
Salt and Pepper  
Spices to taste

Cut buffalo into bite-sized pieces. This will take a while so start early, maybe about 2 months. Place in large caldron. Add enough gravy to cover.

Cook over mesquite-wood fire for 4 weeks, or until you run out of wood, at 350 degrees.

This will serve 1,700 people. If more are expected, 2 rabbits can be added, but this should be done only if necessary, as some people are cranky and do not like to find hare in their stew.

Source: Texas Longhorn Cookbook

\*Can substitute a medium sized Longhorn steer

## Fried Shrimp in Mustard

Seasoning recommendation.

In East Texas many cooks smear French's yellow prepared mustard all over fish filets before dredging the filets in their favorite batter or flour/cornmeal mixture.

The fish will not taste like mustard. They will just taste seasoned and are delicious.

## Sporting Clays/5 Stand Schedule 2010

Sunday, Jul. 18      Sunday, Oct. 17  
Sunday, Aug. 15      No shoots Nov. - Jan.

1:00 PM afternoon Flight  
Last shooter at 2:00 PM

Shoot-offs and awards immediately following.

Match Director:      Jason Foshea  
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## Thanks

Saturday Juneteenth

We had a great turn out of helpers to load houses on the shotgun fields. Thanks to **John Slocum** on the tractor we were able to set pallets out at all the skeet and trap houses for ready volunteers to load into the houses. We had a slight issue getting the garage door open for the tractor but **John, Brad Ambrose** and **Jason Foshea** were able to manually open it. The gator was utilized as well to load fields 4 and 5 while the other fields were prepared with the tractor. Thanks to everyone's help we were finished working about 11:30 am. Several volunteers emptied trash cans, cleaned houses and maintained the grounds around the club as well.

A great thank you to everyone who came out to help work:

**Adriana Gentilini**  
**Peter Bonner**  
**Jim Hundley**  
**Walter Kilroy**  
**Hal Taylor**  
**Steve Potter**  
**Jeff Zwiebel**  
**Jason Foshea**  
**John Slocum**

**Maryann Jenkins**  
**Ted Preston**  
**Jay Phillips**  
**Mike Johnson**  
**Ed Mooberry**  
**Jay Warren**  
**Beth & Joe Lowe**  
**Bill Schweitzer**  
**Brad Ambrose**



*Steve Potter, Ted Preston, Jay Warren, Peter Bonner & Maryann Jenkins loading skeet houses*

# GPGC Bullseye Pistol June 2010

On June 2, Hoa Nguyen won with a 265-1X; Second was Ed Dotson with 263- 2x's; Third was Clint Freeman with 254-3X's.

On June 9, Jim Grabbe won with 268-2X , Second was Ed Dotson with 262-2X; I was third with 237-3 X.

On June 16, Clint Freeman won with 267-1X , Second was Ed Dotson with 260-2X, and Hoa Nguyen was third with 259-3X.

On June 23, Hoa won with 262-4X's, Second was Ed Dotson with 254-2X's and Ron McCuller was 3rd with 223-1X.

Ed, congratulations on your consistency of being second for all 4 matches this month.

We have had participation of 10-12 shooters every time, which is gratifying considering the heat.

The new fans have been up for a week now and they really do move the air and they sure help make it feel less hot..

Jim Grabbe brought his 3rd daughter Joanna Brochu, shooting on June 23 , and she used his Browning Medalist .22 to shoot a 208 on HER FIRST MATCH . Dad was coaching the entire time... Jim's other daughters Meredith Turney and Jana Whaley are regular competitors in these matches. Jim's 4th daughter is in New York, and when she comes back home this summer he will bring her shooting too. Talk about family involvement in a sport! A SHOOTING sport ! Wow!

We took a vote Wednesday and decided to move the match starting time back to 7:00 PM to try to get away from some of the heat. This move of shooting time will stay in place at least until the first week in September, when we will revisit this, and probably go back to the regular 6:00 PM match starting time.

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*Ed Dotson, always a bridesmaid*



*Ed Mooberry, Clint Freeman & Hoa Nguyen*



*Kris McCuller concentrating on slow fire*



*Jim Grabbe teaching number 3 daughter, Joanna, the joys of shooting*



*Scorekeepers, Meredith and Dan*

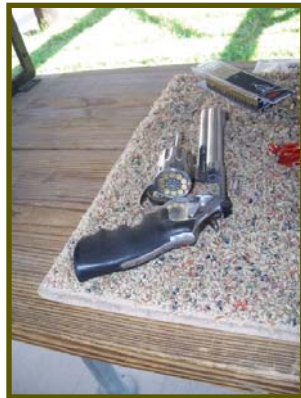
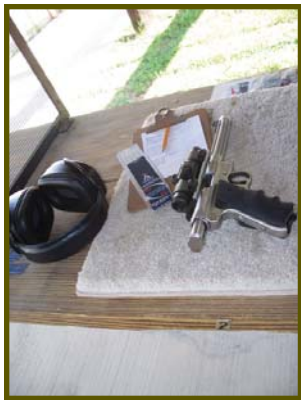


Dan Brown

## .22 Pistol Assortment

These pictures showcase some of the diverse assortment of .22 pistols that appear at the Metallic Silhouette matches on the fourth Saturday shoots. There is everything from single shot handguns and revolvers to Euro style target pistols as well as the ever present S&W model 41's. And of course the venerable Ruger Mark II is a popular choice and has turned in many winning performances.

*Ed Dotson*



## Club Skeet Schedule 2010

Robert Nicholas - [Nicholas.robert@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Nicholas.robert@sbcglobal.net)

July 4* - BIG BANG Shoot	Nov. 7 - Vintage Shoot
Aug. 1 - 28 ga.	Nov. 21 - Turkey Shoot
Sep. 5 - .410 bore	No shoot - Dec. or Jan.
Oct. 3 - 20 ga.	

\*BIG BANG Shoot will be 100 doubles and 100 12ga. Main Event

New order of events this year:

Lunch at noon, 1:00 PM will be Doubles.

2:00 PM 50 12 ga. Main Event, followed by the Sub-Gauge.

Summer schedule in June, July and August: Will move the Doubles event to 11:00 AM. Lunch at noon with Main Event at 1:00 PM, followed by the Sub-Gauge.



*A couple of rifle shooters enjoying the coolness from the new oscillating fans. A big help in the heat.*



*New field markers designed by Terry Cullender and Randy Skinner; built by Steve Gilmore and installed by Bill Schweitzer and Terry. I think they dress up the pavilions.*

# .22 cal. Pistol Silhouette Shoot June 26, 2010

We had 10 shooters this morning and a few spectators. It was hot, but we had fun anyway. Hoa Nguyen is maintaining his winning streak by earning a perfect score (60 out of 60) and winning the scoped category. Jim Grabbe and Jana Whaley (Jim's daughter) tied with 51 out of 60 in the open sites category. The next match is Saturday, July 24th at 9am. Come out and join us!

Attached is the averages after today's match.

*Meredith*



*Jana, Ron, Brett & Clint*



*Jim, Michelle Lindsey, Meredith, Jana, Ron, Brett, Clint, Hoa & Floyd*



*Brett, Floyd & Clint at 50 yds.*



*Jim knows a chicken laying down doesn't count*



*50 yd. pigs don't get hit often*



*Match Winners - Jim Grabbe, Jana Whaley & Hoa Nguyen*



*Floyd knocks the turkey over, but not off*

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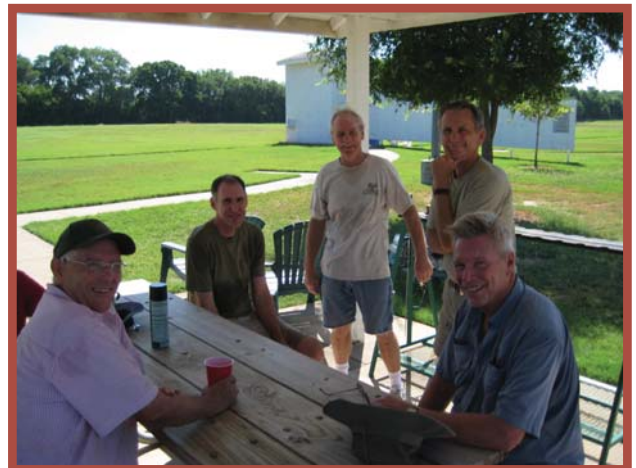
## GPGC METAL SILHOUETTE SHOOTERS 2010

	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI	*	01/23/10	02/27/10	03/27/10	04/24/10	05/22/10	06/26/10	07/24/10	08/28/10	09/25/10	10/23/10	11/27/10	No Dec	AVG	COMMENTS
1	Nguyen	Hoa		**	59	59	59	A	58	60							59.00	
2	Grabbe	Jim			A	49	A	A	A	51							50.00	
3	Whaley	Jana		*	A	43	43	A	A	51							45.67	Guest Jim Grabbe
4	Freeman	Clint			45	53	49	A	52	49							49.60	
5	Jester	Floyd			A	A	49	A	53	48							50.00	
6	Wilson	Jim	K		51	57	53	A	52	45							51.60	
7	Turney	Meredith			31	32	28	A	39	41							34.20	
8	Burnett	Brett			A	A	A	A	A	30							30.00	
9	Lindsey	Michelle		*	A	A	A	A	A	22							22.00	Guest John McGlone
10	McCuller	Ron		**	19	30	7	A	19	20							19.00	
11	Ambrose	Don			A	A	41	A	A	A							41.00	
12	Brown	Dan			A	53	47	A	48	A							49.33	
13	Cullender	Terry			A	51	45	A	A	A							48.00	
14	Dodd	Jon		*	A	51	A	A	A	A							51.00	Guest Jeff Paladini
15	Dotson	Ed		**	A	A	53	A	51	A							52.00	
16	Elliott	Van			35	A	22	A	A	A							28.50	
17	Holder	Dale		**	45	A	56	A	A	A							50.50	
18	Knizner	Bob		*	18	A	A	A	A	A							18.00	Guest Van Elliott
19	Leverett	Kent		*	48	52	A	A	39	A							46.33	Guest John McGlone
20	McCuller	Kris		*	27	A	32	A	19	A							26.00	Guest Ron McCuller
21	McCuller	Roxcie			21	A	A	A	A	A							21.00	
22	Paladini	Jeff			A	52	A	A	A	A							52.00	
23	Pennington	Ron			A	A	8	A	A	A							8.00	
24	Wyer	Andrew			A	A	28	A	A	A							28.00	
		<b>GUEST</b>		*														
		<b>SCOPED</b>		**	<b>WINNER</b>													
		<b>OPEN</b>			<b>WINNER</b>													
		<b>TIE</b>			<b>NO TIME FOR SHOOT OFF</b>													

## Loading Houses



*Jay Phillips, Mike Johnson, Steve Potter and Ted Preston loading more houses*



*Finished!!! Jay, Jeff, Hal, Steve and Peter relaxing*

# GPGC Ladies' Beginning Skeet

The ladies' beginning skeet class kicked off in April with great anticipation and eager participants. Led by our amazing instructor Debra Altenbaumer, the members of our group included Liz Watkins, Mary Ann Jenkins, and Cindy Tarrant.

Although Liz has become quite a hunter, she was a novice to skeet, and I had only attempted this sport two or three times with the kind guidance

of Terry Cullender. Mary Ann had been shooting skeet and taking private lessons for about six months, so she definitely has advanced skills. We all began with safety and basic shotgun skills, and Debra led us through the fundamentals of skeet such as form, acquiring the target, and follow through.

Every week brought new challenges, but most of all, fun for everyone. We celebrated on the last evening and surprised Debra with hors d'oeuvres, sparkling cider, and a gift card to Cabela's (every lady definitely needs one of those!). Our 8-week journey concluded with not only tremendously improved skills but also with true camaraderie and bonds of friendship that I hope will continue for many years. We have, hopefully, persuaded Debra to continue working with our group, and we look forward to our next adventure coming in the fall with Debra at the helm again.

*Cindy Tarrant*



*Debra & Cindy*



*Mary Ann, Liz, Debra & Cindy*



*Happy Birthday, Joe Miller, born on Juneteenth 80 years ago.*



*S.O.P. mounted on wall in office. Thanks, Van Elliott.*



*John Slocum*



# Competitive Skeet League

Congratulations to Dead and Dead winning in the shootout with Duh-Boys for first place. Also, congratulations to Mike Gerschick winning High Overall with a 481 out of 500, Glen Hughes win in the shootout for most straights and Haden Herring winning most improved by increasing his average from week 3 by 3.5 birds.

We will host a team skeet shoot on Saturday July 17, 2010 with the Desoto Gun Club. Dead and Dead and Duh Boys have a free entry for their team into the tournament for winning the league. If the teams do not participate, the free entry will go to the next available team on the list. Please let me know as soon as possible if your team or part of your team would like to participate.

The shoot will start in the morning around 9:00 and we should be finished by 1:00 or 2:00 in the afternoon depending on the number of teams participating. DeSoto Gun Club will host a similar tournament in the fall for the doubles skeet leagues.

The doubles skeet league will start around July 29th. I will send out flyers shortly but please let me know if you team will be back. Also, please let me know if you need new shooters.

I will also continue to have the range open on Thursday evening if anyone is interested in shooting.

Respectfully,  
Robert L. Nicholas, P.E.



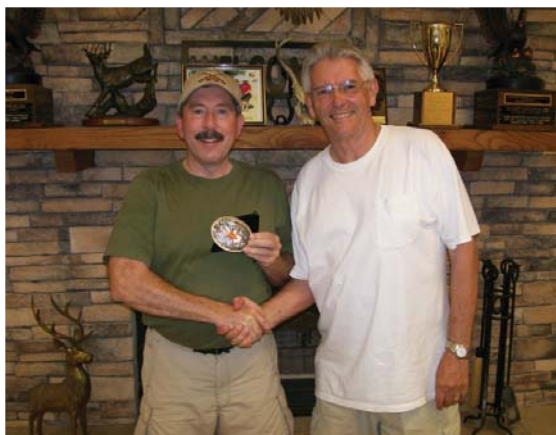
*HOA - Mike Gerschick*



*Winners "Dead & Dead" Josh, Mike, Jim & Mike*



*Second "Duh Boys" Glen, Ken & Dave*



*Most Straights - Glen Hughes*



*Most Improved - Hayden Herring*

## Handicap Trap League Underway

June 14th a new Trap League was started on Monday afternoons. About a dozen shooters are participating and it is a graduated 2 yds back each night. Started at the 18 yd. line and will end at the 27 yd. line. It has been a while since we had a trap league and the scores show it. There are no clear leaders so far and the field is open to anyone.

Kerry Williams is running the league.



*Jeff Zwiebel mounting a new fan with help from Don Ambrose & Bill Schweitzer*



*Charles Richerson has a new toy to carry his shooting gear.*



*Mike Shuping*



*Jim Barrett*



*Benny Emmons*

# Sporting Clays



*Devin Barge & Jason Foshea riding to the next station*



*Jason, Will watching Devin shooting*



*Brittany Foshea & Laura Chisum smiling for the camera*



*Rachel Grimes, Laura Chisum with Brittany shooting*



*Proper footwear for driving the gator*

# Pistol Range Fans Installed

New fans were ordered a few weeks ago by Dale Holder and then the team of Hoa Nguyen, Ed Dotson, Jim Wilson and Dan Brown took on the job of installing them. There were 2 - 24" oscillating fans for the pistol range and 2 - 30" fans for the rifle range. Naturally they did not come with mounting brackets.

After the initial attempt to install the fans Hoa came up with a design for brackets and fabricated them in his shop. Then the group of four met again for another attempt at installation. This time all was successful and the range is cooler.

The rifle range fans were larger so Hoa modified his bracket design and customized the fit for the 30" fans.

As usual the FANTastic Four, Hoa, Jim, Ed and Dan installed those as well.



*The FANTastic Four - Hoa, Jim, Ed & Dan*



*Jim Wilson, Hoa Nguyen & Dan Brown*



*New fans on pistol range*



*Everyone is happier with a fan behind them.*



*That didn't work!!*

# Spirit of Hope



*First Place Team: Jeff, Mystii, Benny, Trey & Donny*



*Second Place Team: Terry, Forrest, Vic, Bill & Parker*



*Third Place Team: Brad, Gene, Kerry, Bob & Keith Shoemaker*

Thank you Grand Prairie Gun Club members for coming out to the 3rd annual Sporting Clay Fundraiser for The Spirit of Hope Foundation.

Close to half of the 50 entries came from our own Grand Prairie Gun Club and their family members and friends. It is always a pleasure

to see that a great organization like GPGC has members that give their support to another great organization like The Spirit of Hope. We rose over \$3500.00 and this money will go to a program that occurs every July. Around 80 children are invited to a

day where we take them to Putt Putt and then to Target to shop for school supplies and school uniforms. Your support allows them to feel part of something bigger than they would ever experience without it.

Enjoy the pictures of the top shooter in each of our category. You will recognize all of them as your family at the Gun Club.



*Top Female: Mystii Nekuza*



*Top Shooter: Jeff Nekuza*



*Top Youth: Parker Marshall*

# ARA June Match



ARA June match was hot, slight breeze help little to keep cool, but made for some good shooting and high scores. We had 11 shooters, 2 new shooters, and one came from the Arlington Sportsman Club, Dale Smith. Dale thought our club was the best he's seen, and I agree.

American Rimfire Association										
Date		6/5/2010								
Name of Club		Grand Prairie Gun Club								
#	ARA #	Name	T1	T2	T3	T4	Total	Agg.	Points	Agg+Pts
1	3258dwh	Danny Hoover	2400	2300	2300	2200	9200	2300.0000	44	2344.0000
2	4074ccp	Chris Peet	2300	2275	2350	2000	8925	2231.2500	40	2271.2500
3	4995blr	Billy Russell	2200	2300	2225	2200	8925	2231.2500	36	2267.2500
4	8305jwp	James Pappas	2075	2000	2250	2225	8550	2137.5000	32	2169.5000
5	1040mwp	Mike Pallett	2225	2050	2025	2100	8400	2100.0000	28	2128.0000
6	0003fmb	Fran Barletta	1825	2200	2200	2000	8225	2056.2500	24	2080.2500
7	4245jdp	Jerry Pickard	2100	1925	2075	1975	8075	2018.7500	20	2038.7500
8	8448gil	George Lavender	1850	1975	2075	2125	8025	2006.2500	16	2022.2500
9	5239hrq	Herb Gibson	1695	2100	2075	2100	7970	1992.5000	12	2004.5000
10	4598dhs	Dale Smith	1875	1950	1975	2150	7950	1987.5000	8	1995.5000
11	4539gbp	Grant Pickard	1725	1760	1975	2150	7610	1902.5000	4	1906.5000



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**Be Courteous!**  
**Reload the houses when you finish shooting. Pick up your hulls - clean up the area a little - use trash cans!**

**Hours of Operation**

Rifle/Pistol  
 8:30 am until legal sunset

Shotgun  
 Wed., Sat., Sun. - 1:00 pm until dusk  
 Mon. - 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm

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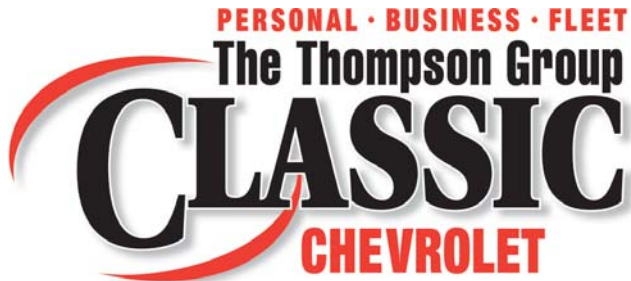
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