



TRI-CITIES METALLIC SILHOUETTE ASSOCIATION

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Meeting Notice:

Next Meeting: March 4th, 2010 7:00 PM Griggs Department Store Pasco Hunter ED classroom

Schedule: April 1st, 2010 7:00 PM Griggs Department Store Pasco Hunter Ed. classroom.

Schedule: May 6th, 2010 7:00 PM Griggs Department Store Pasco Hunter Ed. classroom.

Association Officers:

President: Gaylord Baker 628-9044
Vice President: Dave Baalman 946-6443
Treasurer: Richard Kilgore 586-2354
Secretary: Cosette Baker 628-9044
Membership: Bill High 547-1052
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Board of Directors:

Chairman: Wally Ruff **Secretary:** Marlee Parks
Members: Steve Schlegel, Bob Birney, Mark Kimmell, Lee Haberling and Ray Vollert
Standing Committees:
Range Maintenance: Greg Hagen 545-4705
HBR Match Director: Wally Ruff 509-967-5087

Announcements

- **Do Not** give out the gate combination to friends or relatives and do not “short lock” the gate lock. **You** are responsible for safety and cleanliness at the range. **Read and follow the rules.** The continuation of our ability to have a place to shoot depends on it.
- **If your phone number has changed please contact Bill High so that he may update his records. This is important if you want to be notified of meetings and special events.**
- **Range modifications have been completed. The pistol area has moved to the east end next to the shotgun range. The High Power range is now at the west end and has been extended to 200yds. All other berms have been reworked and raised.**
- **Members at the Range that witness an incident must fill out an Incident Report to make the “self policing” system work.**
- **Be sure unfired(dud) ammo is put in the proper container(dud box) and not in the garbage can.**

Safety Rules: **Remember!! DO NOT HANDLE FIREARMS** when the range is in the cold condition and people are down range.

2010 Hunter Bench Match Schedule. The range will not be available during matches:

Matches start at 9:00 AM Contact Wallace Ruff (509-967-5087)

January match winners were Greg Swazey in HBR and Dick Mayer in Varmint

Club Matches	Registered Matches (100 & 200)
Jan 30, 2010 (200)	Mar 27, 2010 5th Annual Allen Bench Memorial
Feb 27, 2010 (100)	Apr 24, 2010
Oct 30, 2010 (200)	May 15, 2010
Nov 20, 2010 (100)	June 26, 2010
Dec 18, 2010 (200)	July 31, 2010

All members are invited to participate in the matches; you do not need special guns to participate, and you will compete against participants with similar equipment. Old time shooters are more than helpful to less experienced participants

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2010 High Power Match: Matches start at **8:00 am** sign in at **7:30**. Match typically lasts 2.5 hours. 80 round course of fire. Contact Gaylord Baker for match information and to help out. 628-9044

Jan 2	Feb 6	<u>Mar 6</u>	Apr 3	<u>May 1</u>	June 5	<u>July 3</u>	<u>Aug 7</u>	Sept 4	Oct 2	Nov 6	Dec 4
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Date underlined indicates a 10:00AM bolt gun match after the regular High Power match.

Hunter Education (2010 dates)

(Clare Cranston) Classes for the 2009-year are listed below. Inquire in person at the Griggs sporting goods counter for class times and other details for 2010. Paradigm range time starts after 12:00 noon

Hunter Ed	Mar 13		May8		July 17	Aug 21	Sept 18	Oct 23
Paradigm	Apr 3	Jun5		Sept4				Oct 2

(Butch Buffalo) Inquire at Hole in the Wall (873-1111) or Wholesale Sports (783-2200) for class times and other details for 2010.

Feb 13	Mar 13	Apr 10	May 8	July 10	Aug 14	Sept 11
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Please note that members may use the range during Hunter Ed classes. The Hunter Ed class instructor will be the designated range master and all shooting will be coordinated with him.

Hunter sight-in days: Sunday September 5th and Saturday September 11th

Board of Directors / Officers Reports

The law suit from the range fire is going forward and looks to go to court sometime March-April.

Help Save TCMSA Money, Save a Tree! Members with Web Access are encouraged to "opt out" of the newsletter mailing list, and use the Web Site www.tcmsa.org instead. Simply send your EMAIL address to the club Secretary at TCMSAMAIL08@TCMSA.org with instructions to be dropped from the postal mail list. E-mail members will receive a simple note when the website is updated; you can then get the latest news from our site. At present, over 80% of our membership receives a mailed newsletter, costing the club around \$140 per month and about 6 hours to prep and send out the newsletter.

Membership & Renewals: In order to reduce delays at the meeting you can renew by mail.

Applications can be handled at our regular meetings or by mail by sending a signed application, a check, and a photocopy of your current NRA membership card or mailing label from your monthly NRA magazine to: TCMSA, P.O. Box 4587. Pasco, WA. 99302-4587. *Dues are \$60.00 for new (first-time) members and \$50 for renewals, subject to participation in a work party during the membership year (March to March). If you participated in a work party during the membership year, there will be a \$25.00 reduction. (\$25.00 Total). Proof of current NRA membership is required of all members; your check will be returned if your active membership in the NRA cannot be verified. Memberships renewed between December 1, 2009 and March 31, 2010 will be honored through March 31, 2011. Please note members that do not renew prior to Apr 1, 2010 will not be given the new combination. Members not renewing prior to Dec 2010 will be required to re-apply for membership (\$60.00). Note that new members may join the club but will not be given range access until they complete orientation*

WORK PARTIES: March 14th- General clean-up, tumbleweeds, paper,etc. 8:00AM

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