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President's Message

Happy New Year PVCI!! Firstly, I want to say a big thank you to all that helped with the holiday event. Thank you to Craig and Gail for the delicious food and excitement! Thank you to Gary for running the food drive and getting all the food and water to the food bank. Thank you to Jennifer Rosenberg, Ruth Strang, Ken & Kendal for helping run the silent Auction and games. Thank you to Ricardo and his family for helping with the activities! A huge thank you to all the people who donated and all the companies who donated and a huge thank you to all who came out to support PCVI. I want to encourage everyone to attend the Scramble hunts and sign up with our Hunt Chairman Gary and if you need a team make sure you reach out to other members or speak with myself or other board members and we may be able to help. As well as the Scramble Hunt's we have the Multi- Hunt coming up on Jan 15th and we need PVCI Members to come out and represent and show how awesome we are! Any questions, please feel free to ask myself or another board member. I Look forward to seeing us win the trophy and seeing our Scramble hunts being more successful.

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Website

https://www.pvci.org

***TO SUBMIT A STORY OR ANYTHING TO THE "PREDATOR TALES" ***

Do you have a story to share about your predator-calling or other story? Well I would love to hear from you. In fact, being the Newsletter Editor, I'm practically begging you to write or type up some type of story about ANY of your experiences and not just doing it once but doing so on an ongoing basis please. **This is YOUR Newsletter** and should include in my opinion stories, tips, experiences, recipes, etc. from YOU THE MEMBERS!. If you send an e-mail, please flag what you send as something for the Predator Tales Newsletter. Please also include a picture or two with your story. If a real picture, I will do my best to return the picture back to you if that is your request. Come on **PVCI** Members, please get involved, it can be so much fun!!!

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Info for new members

Come to all the meetings for one year, you will learn how to hunt, what to hunt with and where to find what you are hunting for. If you become active in the club members will take you out with them and provide personnel guidance. The Club has many activities each year the board member oversees, but they need help!!!! Volunteer to assist them, learn what it takes to do the trail clearing, or fishing derby. Help set up the Christmas party! Every board member needs help! This club is ran by volunteers.

Note from the Membership Chairperson:

DONT FORGET TO RENEW YOUR ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP to stay a PVCI Member! To receive an e-mail Newsletter, you MUST send your info to pvcigroup@yahoo.com Once you receive the E-Mail copy you will be notified by E-Mail when your Membership is due. Please submit proper payment to keep your Membership current. The fee to renew \$35 and should be made payable to **PVCI**. Send payment to **PVCI** c/o **Membership Chairman**, P.O. Box 87153, Phoenix, AZ. 85080-7153. For new members the fee is \$45, and forms are available at the Monthly General Meeting. Questions: Contact Ken E.

Calendar of Events

- Jan. 1 Happy New Year! Year 2021! Archery Deer & Javelina Seasons open many Hunt Units. Check your Hunt Regs.
- Jan. 5 This is the 1st Wednesday. (PVCI Monthly Meeting, 6822 N. 57th Drive, Glendale, AZ.) 7:00p.m.
- Jan. 8 9 PVCI Monthly Skills Hunt.
- Jan. 15 MULTI-CLUB HUNT, Calling Club against the other Calling Clubs in the state. More details to follow as we get more info. If you hunt no other hunt this year, hunt this one day! AZ Game & Fish is normally on hand and takes samples for testing different parasites and DNA Samples and checks for rabies on Fox. APC is providing Food as they were the winners last year.

Check In Ends at 9:00 PM Saturday Only

- Jan. 19 This is the 3rd Wednesday. PVCI Board of Directors Meeting: Garcia's 5695 W Bell Rd. Glendale, AZ 85308 7:00p.m.
- Jan. 20-23 Arizona Predator Callers (APC) Junior Javelina/Predator/Small Game Camp in Unit 37B.

https://arizonapredatorcallers.com/youth-javelina-hunt/

- Feb. 2 This is the 1st Wednesday. (PVCI Monthly Meeting, 6822 N. 57th Drive, Glendale, AZ.) 7:00p.m.
- Feb. Quail Season Ends statewide, Check your Hunt Regs.
- Feb. Handgun, Archery, Muzzleloader (H.A.M.) Javelina Season Opens in many Hunt Units. Check your Hunt Regs.
- Feb. Deadline for the On-Line Big-Game Applications for AZ Elk & Antelope. Must be in by 11:59p.m.
- Feb. 5-6 Arizona Elk Society Wild In The City Check with Dan S. for more information
- **Feb. 5-6** PVCI Monthly Hunt. The Handgun, Archery, and Muzzleloader (H.A.M.)/Optional Rifle & Shotgun Hunt! Rifles & shotguns are still allowed however Extra points given to those that kill with a Handgun, Archery or Muzzleloader.
- Feb. 20 This is the 3rd Wednesday. PVCI Board of Directors Meeting Garcia's 5695 W Bell Rd. Glendale, AZ 85308 7:00p.m.
- Mar. 2 This is the 1st Wednesday. (PVCI Monthly Meeting, 6822 N. 57th Drive, Glendale, AZ.) 7:00p.m.
- Mar 5-6 PVCI Monthly Hunt. Last Organized Hunt for 2021-2022 Season. Possibility this could be a Novice II Hunt??

Gary & Ginger – Christmas Charity

We have been doing this since 2002 with PVCI at the annual Christmas Party. This last Christmas 2021 the club donated 2016 lbs of Water & canned goods to Desert Mission Food Bank on 3rd St & Hatcher in downtown Sunny Slope. This is a big help for the surrounding area at the holidays for those that are in need.



2021 Christmas partyAnother great year. Hope you all had fun coming out to the 2021 Christmas Party. May your 2022 year be filled with happiness and joy. Craig & Gail did a fantastic job preparing the evening meal.





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Ricardo - Purchasing a Firearm

Things to bring when purchasing a firearm

Don't forget your driver's license and it must have current address

CCW card

Steve L - Javelina Street Tacos

One javalina shoulder, butt, or both depending on how much you want! Use byrons butt rub from Costco.

Apply generous amounts and wrap in cellophane. Set in fridge over night!

Depending on the type of smoker you have, adjust it to 175-225 degrees. Use an internal temperature probe to watch the temp as to not have to open the smoker each time! You lose way to much heat doing this. Cook until internal temp is 175-195 deg. Move meat to an aluminum pan and cover with green enchilada sauce, and green chilies. or red enchilada sauce and chipotle peppers chopped up. Cover with aluminum foil and raise smoker temp to 300 deg. Cook until internal temp is 225 deg for about an hour and a half. Remove aluminum foil, meat should shred just by stick a fork in it, or the meat will be pulled loose from the bone! Remove meat and shred in a pan or bowl. Add drippings/juice from your cooking pan as needed to make moist. Serve with tomatoes, onions, cilantro, and your favorite hot sauce. in a corn or flour tortilla.

Wayne W - PVCI Member - Product Review



Rock Island Armory 22 TCM (FS)

https://www.armscor.com/firearms/ria/tcm-series/

Member Review

If you've ever seen a 22 TCM, it kind of makes you wonder . . . what were these guys smoking when they created this thing? A 22 caliber pistol in a 1911 format that will shoot a 39gr hollow point at 2,000+ fps out of a 5 barrel? This I had to see.

Many of you will know that I'm a pistol fanatic at heart, but prefer a rifle for song dogs due to distance and need for terminal velocity and energy transfer. When I first heard of the 22 TCM I was intrigued to say the least.

I was able to get my hands on the FS single stack model which came with both a 22 TCM as well as a 9mm conversion barrel and spring. The single stack magazine holds 10 rounds, plus one up the pipe. (The double stack model holds 17+1). It shipped from the factory set with the TCM barrel, although the conversion to 9mm takes all of about 20 seconds once you've done it once or twice and the magazines are interchangeable with the 9mm!

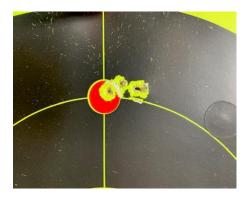


39gr 22 TCM size comparison to a standard 223 - 55gr

When I pulled it out of the box the first thing that impressed me was the stippled polymer grip and smooth action of the gun. The adjustable rear sites and dovetail fiber optic front site made it easy to get on target and stay there.

A commonly compared neighbor to the 22 TCM is the 5.7x28, which runs about 2200 fps, (150-200 fps faster than the TCM) and has a greater variety of bullets. In my research, the TCM cost nearly a grand less, and (my opinion) was just a prettier sidearm due to my love for the 1911 format. Ammunition as of December was roughly \$27.99 for a box of 100 and readily available at almost any Cal-Ranch store where the 5.7x28 was roughly 2-3 times that – if you can find it.

The 5.7 is touted as more of a law enforcement round, due to its ability to penetrate body armor, but I don't need that, (though likely still possible) for my quarry is more into speed and stealth than body armor. I was able to test the TCM on some 2" hardened steel, and can safely say if I see a varmint behind that much steel, he's pretty safe anyway.



Shooting impressions and accuracy: If you love a buttery smooth trigger and almost no recoil, with a pistol that probably already fits in a holster you already own, you're going to like this gun! The gun functioned flawlessly through the first couple hundred rounds without a single malfunction. Accuracy is excellent, and if you get a chance to shoot it in the evening, the 4 foot flame that comes out the barrel is quite impressive. And all with almost no recoil! I've taken two coyotes with this round so far, and have to say, within typical pistol ranges, this thing really packs a punch!



Long Term: I have to say this pistol is not likely to go anywhere soon and has a permanent place with my hunting gear. With the available ammo, and now the reloading components being more readily available from Armscor, this heavy hitting, fire breathing dragon is a keeper!



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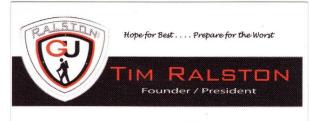


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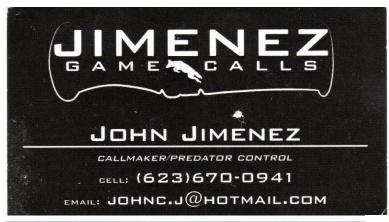
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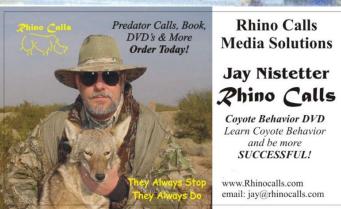
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