

The Sportsman

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Hello TSC,

Thank you all for your continued support of the club! Lots of things going on. Would like to thank all the volunteers who helped make the sportsman show a success, that is one of our best functions to get our club out to the public. Don't forget the Old Timers Dinner is on Saturday February 21st at 5PM hope to see you all there.

A lot of work is being accomplished by the Land committee, they have had several meetings now and are working on multiple options and will eventually come back to the entire membership with their recommendations for a vote to move forward. We have not seen a schedule for this yet, but we will let you know as soon as they figure it out.

The Land foundation continues to move forward and recently attended the Washington State RCO grant opportunities meeting. They are looking at applying for grants for range improvements.

We have been working diligently at the board level to clean up our accounts; we had several accounts that needed updating with regards to personnel moving on and off the board. Hopefully all this will be settled by the end of February.

Thank you for your support during my first meeting! I will endeavor to get better at it as I go along. Hope you all have a great month!

Thanks,
Mike



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**GENERAL
MEMBERSHIP
MEETING
MARCH 4TH**

**SPECIAL POINTS
OF INTEREST**

FUN SHOOT MAR 1

**STEEL CHALLENGE
MAR 1**

**BUG HOLE SHOOT
MAR 8**

ASI SHOOT MAR 15

600YD SHOOT MAR 22



March

2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1</p> <p>Shotgun sports 10-4</p> <p>Steel Match 8am</p> <p>Fun shoot Noon</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 4-9pm</p> <p>Committee Mtgs</p> <p>Tuesday Social</p>	<p>4</p> <p>General Membership Meeting 7pm</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 10-2 pm</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Old Timers Trap & Skeet 9am-10am</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 9-1</p> <p>Wet Buffalo Archery Shoot</p> 
<p>8</p> <p>Shotgun sports 10-4</p> <p>Bug Hole 200yd Shoot 8am</p> <p>Wet Buffalo Archery Shoot</p>  <p>Spring Forward</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Scuffed Boots 7pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 4-9pm</p> <p>Committee Mtgs</p> <p>Tuesday Social</p> <p>5:30 Picnic Mtg</p>  <p>6:00 Fishing Derby meeting</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 10-2 pm</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Newsletter deadline : committee chairs must have submissions submitted</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Old Timers Trap & Skeet 9-10am</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 9-1</p>
<p>15</p> <p>Shotgun sports 10-4</p> <p>ASI 9am</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17 St. Patrick's Day</p>  <p>Shotgun Sports 4-9pm</p> <p>Committee Mtgs</p> <p>Tuesday Social</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 10-2pm</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Fishing Rod spooling 6pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Old Timers Trap & Skeet 9-10am</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 9-1</p>
<p>22</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 10-4</p> <p>600yd Shoot 8am</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Scuffed Boots 7pm</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 4-9pm</p> <p>Tuesday Social</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 10-1pm</p>	<p>26</p> <p>BOD Meeting 7pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Old Timers Trap & Skeet 9-10am</p> <p>Easter Egg Filling 5pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 9-1</p> <p>Easter Egg Hunt 10am</p> 
<p>29</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 10-4</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Scuffed Boots 7pm</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Shotgun Sports 4-9pm</p> <p>Tuesday Social</p>				<p>*Event details available inside pages of the bulletin</p>



Sunday, February 22d
3:30pm

****Baked Potato Special****

18 years old & over
\$5 non-member
\$2 for intermission & early bird
\$5 for blackout game
\$10 for the main game

Funds raised will directly support the club

As of March 8th, Rifle & Pistol hours
are changing. (YAY!!!)

Last sign in will be at 5pm,
ranges closing at 6pm.
Still opening at 9am,
7 days a week.



Time to
Spring Ahead

Tacoma Sportsmen's Club

16409 Canyon Road E Puyallup WA 98375 (253) 537-6151 www.tacomassportsmensclub.com

25th Annual

WET BUFFALO

3-D ARCHERY SHOOT

Registration:

Saturday: 7 to 11am

Sunday:

Target Assignment 8:30 am

Shotgun Start at 9 am

March 7th & 8th
2026

35 targets
in a natural setting
for 2 great days of 3-D
& Novelty shooting



Master Senior	65 +	\$25	\$30
Senior	55-64	\$25	\$30
Adult	18-54	\$30	\$35
Young Adult	15-17	\$25	\$30

Youth	11-14	\$15	\$20
Cubs	8-10	\$10	\$15
Peewees	7 & under	FREE	
Family (Immediate & 6 Max)		\$60	\$80

\$5 Military Discount
Proof Required

Rangefinders Allowed

Sunday, Target Assignment at 8:30 am.

Shotgun start at 9 am.

Score Cards must be turned in by 1 pm.

Must shoot both days for awards.

Target Removal at 1 pm with Awards to Follow

April Showers 3-D Shoot April 11th & 12th

Camping available on first come first served basis.



Tacoma Sportsmen's Club's
Annual Community

EGG HUNT

Check in at 10am for games and activities,
hunt at 11.

SAT. MARCH 28, 10AM

Tacoma Sportsmen's Club
16409 Canyon Rd E Puyallup

****come help fill Easter
Eggs Friday, March
27th 5pm**

****donations needed:
candy & plastic eggs**

Raffle

Win a hand crafted pen

\$5 per ticket

CASH ONLY

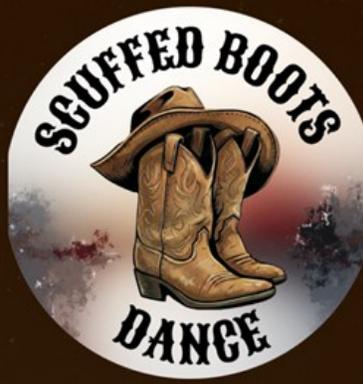
Fund Raiser for
TSC annual Egg Hunt

Drawing will be held March 4.
3 winners



Pen descriptions

1. Big Ben twist pen with ebony & ivory wood.
2. 30 cal bolt pen with wood finish.
3. Deer antler twist pen with gun metal accents.



TSC MEMBER \$5
NON-MEMBER \$10

AGES 16 & UP

LINE DANCE LESSONS

MARCH 9th, 23rd and 30th

LINE DANCE LESSONS 7:00 - 8:00 PM

ALL DATES INCLUDE SOCIAL/PRACTICE TIME
TILL 10:00 PM

NO MISTAKES, JUST SOLOS!



www.scuffedbootsdance.com



Volunteers needed!

74th Annual Kids' Fishing Derby
Saturday, May 16, 2026
7am-Noon

Bradley Lake 531 31st Avenue SE, Puyallup

Kids 14 and under can come fish for free



Car Show Committee

Hot Wheels & Matchbox Car Drive

Donations of new, in the package cars
to be given away at our annual car show.

Please drop off all donations

To the TSC office



Volunteers needed!

Tacoma Sportsmen's Club Car Show August 29th



*REGISTRATION STARTS
AT 8AM
AWARDS
AT 1:30*

*MUSIC
FOOD & BEER GARDEN
RAFFLE PRIZES
12 DIFFERENT AWARDS
MEMBERSHIP DRIVE
HOTWHEELS FOR THE KIDS*

Sportsman's Show Fishing Pond



I would like to thank Roy Rodrick and Greg Willis for stepping up and doing an amazing job running the trout pond in my absence this year. The volunteers that swam upstream to help the excited kids catch their very first fish was a sight to see. Thank you to everyone that made this work.



Sincerely,
The Rodrick Family

- * Volunteers and prize donations needed for Bingo 2/22/26
- * Volunteers needed for Old Timers dinner 2/21/26
- * Volunteers & donations needed for Egg Hunt 3/28/26
- * Bartender volunteers needed, contact Rick Yorkk 253-606-7425



• **Donations & volunteers are needed for all TSC events**

• **we are 501c3

- Teens—looking to fulfill your required volunteer hours? Contact the office to learn how you can help out at the club



Also:

Painters	Carpentry	Roofing	Welders
Electrician	Wood splitting	Cutting & Making Target Stands	
Range Officer Assistance			
Mechanics: small engine repair/Golf cart maintenance			

Remember....

Volunteer a minimum of 20 hours & save \$150 on your renewal!

Pick up a volunteer card in the office. If you have any questions contact the office at 253-537-6151



ARCHERY CLASSES



\$20 per person per class non-members, \$10 members

MUST register the Friday prior to class, Minimum age is 3ys old

Contact: Rick Johnson at orlanjohnson1993@gmail.com

Class is Tuesdays 5-9pm at the Archery Flat Range

Compound and/or recurve bows—NO crossbows

We have some Genesis compound bows as well as 20# recurves to use

But your own bow is optimal!

Peil Range Fun Shoot

10am—2pm Register at the Range

1st Sundays of each month

(Dates are tentative if we have a volunteer to run the shoot)

Half range for silhouettes/Half range for targets

\$10 first gun, \$5 each additional

Under 16yo FREE

Targets supplied, 50 gauge small bore match

Swing targets, stationary targets plus target range

This is a great place to sharpen your skills, just have some fun, bring **first time** shooters and **kids** without competing with the noise of big bore rifles.

Questions? Email macavella@comcast.net

Or call the office @ 253-537-6151



TSC STEEL MATCH

A Speed/Time Based Steel Plate Competition

1st Sunday of each Month

Match Fees:

First 2 Guns \$20

Additional Guns \$5 each

8am registration—9am match begins

Classes: Centerfire, Rimfire, Revolver, PCC, Optics

Each match will be 4stages with 5 steel plates, shot 4 consecutive times per stage (subject to change)

Course design will be different for each stage

Caliber restrictions apply (no magnum or bottleneck rifle cartridges)

ASI Match @ Tacoma Sportsmen's Club

3rd Sunday of the month, held in the Action Bays

New shooter orientation @ 9am—Match starts @ 10am

\$20 for TSC Members, \$25 Public shooters, \$15 Junior shooters (17 & under)

If you're looking to expand your training outside of stationary shooting at the flat range, come to our monthly event! ASI stands for Action Shooting International—is a move & shoot sport for everyone. If you're a seasoned shooter looking to get more trigger time in or if new to firearms looking to get some more experience in a fun & safe dynamic environment, come check it out. No previous training required, no specific equipment required—as long as you have a pistol caliber fire-arm, ear & eye protection you're all set! This match is **not** just for members—its open to the public so bring your friends!



Pre register at
practiscore.com by
searching "Tacoma
Sportsmen ASI" or by using
the QR code



Questions? Reach
out to
tsc.action@gmail

Bug Hole shoot
Is a 200 yard 20 round shoot

A cartoon illustration of a bee with large, translucent wings and a friendly expression, positioned to the right of the text.

JAN 11, FEB 8, MAR 8, APR 12,
MAY 10, JUN 14, JULY 12, AUG 9,
SEP 13, NOV 8, DEC 6

&

600 Yard Shoot

JAN 25, FEB 22, MAR 22, APR 26,
MAY 24, JUN 28, JUL 26, OCT 25,
NOV 22, DEC 13



Information for BOTH shoots:

\$21 TSC members, \$26 Public shooters,
\$16 every additional rifle

Questions? Call or email:

Rick 253-318-7845, RDR66@comcast.net

or

Daniel 253-678-2580,
Da.perez87@outlook.com



Welcome

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New members
will be sworn in
at the
March 4th
General
Membership
meeting

Tracey Ackerman
Nicholas Anthony
Roger Askew
Robert Baker
Ehren Flygare
Elijah Keller
Bruce Lyon
Dave Martin
Tom Mehohn
Mason Myers
Lisa Olsen
Sean Parshall
Arnonld Pizoh
Wyhatt Plattner
Allen Sensel

**TACOMA SPORTSMEN'S
CLUB**

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Office Hours

Monday—Friday
9:00am—4:00pm

Saturday & Sunday
9:00am—3:00pm

****HOURS CHANGE 3/8****

Range Hours

Members Rifle & Pistol
Mon-Sun 9am-4pm
Last sign in at 3pm

Public Rifle & Pistol
Mon-Sun 9am-4pm
Last sign in at 3pm

*Archery—9am-9pm for
members,

Shotgun hours

Saturday 9am-1pm
Sunday 10am-4pm
Tuesday 4pm-9pm
Wednesday 10am-2pm
Friday 9am Mbrs & Guests

Bar Volunteers

MAR 3— KURT R

MAR 4— SABRA

MAR 10— MIKE HAWKINS

MAR 17—**HELP NEEDED

MAR 24—**HELP NEEDED

MAR 31—**HELP NEEDED

Kitchen Open:

Tuesdays 5pm-7pm

Deepest Sympathy

To the family of Dan Riddle lifetime
member #269.



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Jess Mathews	(2027)	Igor Strupinskiy
Sally Boyle	(2029)	Charlie Parker
Jana Naleway	(2030)	Pat Blackwell

Meetings

Don't forget to come out for Tuesday night
Committee Meetings!

1st Tuesday of the month
Shotgun 5:30pm
Archery 7pm

2nd Tuesday
Rifle & Pistol 7pm

3rd Tuesday
Ways & Means, House &
Membership Meetings 7pm

Want to know what's going on or volunteer for a
particular interest you have? Come out for a meeting
or just hang out. Bar & Kitchen open at 5pm. Have
some suggestions? This is the best place to start!

Need to rent a space?

We have Picnic grounds, the
Chateau, Foyer and Beer Garden
available.

Members and non-members
Email or call the office!



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ATTENTION TACOMA SPORTSMANS CLUB MEMBERS

Our good friend Jim Shaw is looking for a place to live. A year ago Jim was forced to move to Connecticut due to circumstances beyond his control. Now Jim is hoping to get back to Washington, where he is from and spent most of his life before the reluctant move.

Jim is a veteran serving honorably in the US Navy during the Vietnam era.

He also is a gunsmith, helping many gun owners over the years. Jim is a lifetime member of the Tacoma Sportsman's Club, and an avid target shooter. Jim is currently in search of an apartment for rent that is wheelchair accessible either short or long term. A mother-in-law apartment would be ideal although at this point he is not being to selective, just looking to get back to this area near friends and family.

He has 40+ years rental referrals if needed.

Anyone who knows of a favorable situation for Jim please call or text him at 253-922-1097

Even if you don't know of an apartment for rent you can still help. A VENMO account has been set up for @gunsmithjimshaw or you can mail a check to:

Jim Shaw
90 Main Street Apt 15
Broad Brook, CT 06016

If you have any questions contact Frank Ford 206-963-1863

