



AGC NEWS

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Mark your Calendar

- **May 26-28:**
Panhandle Championships
ATA Registered Trapshooting
- **June 2:**
AGC Sporting Clays Classic
Quarter Circle Heart Ranch
Clarendon, Texas
- **June 9-10:**
4-H Shoot
- **June 28:**
Texas Shrine Assoc. Shoot
- **June 30-July 1:**
Firecracker Championship
ATA Registered Trapshooting
- **July 19-22:**
ATA Southwestern Zone Shoot

Sporting Clays Classic Scheduled for June 2nd

The Amarillo National Bank and the Amarillo Gun Club present the first annual Quarter Circle Heart Ranch Sporting Clays Classic, scheduled for Saturday, June 2nd outside of Clarendon TX. This event will feature a true ten-station sporting clays course, Lewis classes, and multiple chances to win a shotgun. Early registration is \$150 per shooter. Lunch will be provided by Amarillo National Bank.

More information is available from the AGC office or by contacting Sam Lowe at 679-8630 or Brad Clark at 676-9127. Maps and detailed shoot info will be mailed to each paid shooter. Don't miss this instant classic!



AGC to Host Major 4-H Shoot

The weekend of June 9 and 10 will bring youth shooters from throughout the region to the AGC for its 4-H open classic. Shooters will shoot 100 Skeet targets and 100 Trap targets. Trophies will be awarded.

For more information about the 4-H shoot, contact Bob Altman at 358-6500/raltman@bsamail.com or Corky Parker at 622-0726.

Attention AGC members: volunteers are needed for a smooth shoot. This will be a wonderful opportunity for active shooters to "give something back" by helping these young shooters enjoy a successful shoot.

Summer Hours

The Amarillo Gun Club has returned to summer hours. The Club is again open on Thursday evenings at 4:00 p.m., in addition to Saturdays and Sundays, weather permitting. Contact the club office about skeet leagues and other club activities.

www.amarillogunclub.com

Panhandle Championships Memorial Day Weekend

The 98th Annual **Panhandle Championships** Trapshoot is set for Memorial Day weekend, May 26-28. The event will feature 800 registered ATA targets. Trophies will be awarded in all championship events.

Here is the program:

Saturday: Doubles Championship; 100 Singles; 100 Handicap
Sunday: Singles Championship (200); 100 Handicap
Monday: 100 Handicap (prelim); Handicap Championship (100)

The Club is scheduled to be open for practice Friday afternoon, May 25.

A special event is scheduled for the Sunday handicap events.



June ATA Shoot Cancelled

There will be no first-weekend ATA shoot in June. The cancellation will allow AGC shooters to participate in the **AGC Sporting Clays Classic** on June 2 or travel to El Reno for the **Oklahoma State Shoot** that weekend.

Releases Required From All Shooters

In furtherance of AGC's risk prevention and insurance program, all shooters are required to sign a release as a condition to participating in any AGC event, including practice or recreational shooting.

Shooters are reminded to practice safe firearm practices—no loaded guns anywhere but on the firing line, one shell for singles; two for doubles, and open, unloaded guns at all other times!

Please help AGC enforce this policy and be sure to help others, especially newcomers, practice safe shooting.

Trapshooting Update

Here are the remaining 2007 trap year registered shoots at AGC: **Panhandle Championships** on **Memorial Day weekend, May 26-28**; **Firecracker Shoot, June 30— July 1**; **ATA SW Zone, July 19-22**; **August 4-5**. As usual, the Sportsman Classic is set for Labor Day weekend, which will kick off the 2008 trap year.

The AGC has been selected as a host site for the **ATA Southwestern Zone Shoot**, scheduled for **July 19-22**. This will be featured in a later newsletter, but mark your calendar for this exciting event. Local shooters will shoot in their own tournament, while also competing for ATA championship trophies against shooters at four other sites in the Southwestern Zone.

Other area ATA shoots: June 10— South Plains GC; June 15-17—Iowa Park (TTA Zone); June 24—Abilene Clay Sports.

Oklahoma State Shoot: May 30—June 3, OTA Shooting Park, El Reno

Texas State Shoot: July 3-8, National Shooting Complex, San Antonio

Braggin' Rights:

Bonnie Schuch - category win in a preliminary handicap at the Southwestern Grand.

Jimmy Borum - 99 in the Briley Doubles at the SW Grand, to take the AA runner-up trophy.

Mike Kendall - 100 in the May ATA singles event at AGC.

Be sure to congratulate **Gary Sherrod** of Lubbock for his 200,000th registered handicap target.

For schedule updates, visit the TTA at www.texastrap.com; the ATA at www.shootata.com; and the AGC at www.amarillogunclub.com.





Running ‘em . . .

AGC's **Mike Kendall** runs a perfect 100 at the club's monthly ATA Trapshoot held May 6th. Andy Gray of Lubbock was handicap high gun. Singles class winners included James Holmes, Kendall, Roger Cox, Everett Horner & Claudia Cook. Holmes, Kendall, Gray, Phillip Reich & Doug Gray took doubles class wins, with Kendall posting the high doubles score.

Save on your cost of practice rounds and support the AGC. Contact the AGC about a membership today. Annual members: don't forget to renew your membership!

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