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# Sportscaster

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Not receiving Club e-mails?

Contact [Dan.English@TonSportsClub.Com](mailto:Dan.English@TonSportsClub.Com)

Don't miss out on all that is happening at The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club!

# President's Page



**Michael Chotkowski**  
President

Hello, just a little about me. I am a lifelong resident of North Tonawanda and partied down the street on the railroad tracks as a kid (when the tracks were there). I am currently still working, looking to retire in 2 years.

My goal is to look out for the Club, for the best interests of the Club. I support all aspects of shooting. We all enjoy different types. Everyone has their own ideas of what the Club should be. We are all part of the same Club; and we all need to help make it better. Not just the Board Members and the few who come and do things around the building & grounds just to make it function on a day-to-day basis. There are many names. THANK YOU! You know who you are.

With over 850 members, I would think we would have more help. Everything cost money. We are not rich. We all want to see improvements to the Club. Improvements come in small stages.

Things that are being worked on:

**Outdoor Range:** Berms for bays. Permanent fixed bay for steel. Cost unknown.

**5 Stand Course:** Location of machines. Building or shooting spots. Wall or barrier separation from rifle range. Cost unknown.

**Rifle Range:** a lot going on. Big money pit. More improvements are coming, but costs unknown. How much do we shoot at it? Can't make everyone happy.

# NRA at TSC



Did you know you can join the NRA through TSC and get a Club Discount?

Just go to our website:  
[TonSportsClub.com](https://TonSportsClub.com)

and click the Join NRA logo near the bottom of the home page. This will give you the current "Club Rates and Discounts," even for Life Membership.

You can pay by credit card or PayPal.

If you cannot join via the website, you can sign-up by contacting **Rick Wood**:  
[Rick.Wood@TonSportsClub.com](mailto:Rick.Wood@TonSportsClub.com)

## Hunting & Tree Stand Policy

All Hunting on TSC property is for members only. No guests are allowed.

**Effective October 25, 2024, all members are required to sign-in and sign-out when hunting on Club property. Sign-in sheets are in the black box on the corner of the Clubhouse.**

**As a reminder, rifles may not be discharged on TSC property except into a designated backstop.**

**All tree stands / blinds must be removed from Club property by February 1<sup>st</sup>**

<https://TonSportsClub.com/club-procedures-range-rules-safety-notice>




# Bylaw Updates

Stay up to date with the Club's bylaw changes at:

<https://tonsportsclub.com/bylaw-update-january-2025/>

**Thank You for Supporting *The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club!***



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## Kitchen & Bar

**OPEN**

Wednesday: 5 PM – 9 PM (*last call 8:45 PM*)  
Saturday & Sunday: 9 AM – 4 PM (*last call 3:30 PM*)

**FISH FRY**

Fish Fry Special  
Wednesday, February 12 @ 5 PM

**CLOSED**

Sunday, April 20, 2025  
Happy Easter!

# News from the Shoot Room

**OPEN**

Wednesday: 5:30 PM – 9 PM (*last call 8:30 PM*)  
Saturday & Sunday: 10 AM – 3 PM (*last call 2:30 PM*)

**CLOSED**

Sunday, April 20, 2025  
Happy Easter!

Ammo available for purchase by TSC Members:

- 12 Gauge
  - RIO 1-1/8 ounce, # 7.5 shot, 1200 FPS
  - Nobel Sport 1-1/8 ounce, # 8 shot, 1145 FPS
- 16 Gauge
- 20 Gauge
  - Nobel Sport 7/8 ounce, # 8 shot, 1275 FPS
- 28 Gauge

One flat (250 rounds) per transaction.

*The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club is required to charge \$2.50 per transaction for New York's National Instant Criminal Background Check System.*



**Trappers Needed**  
**Part-Time - \$15.50 per hour**

Must be 16 years of age or older,  
and available to work:

Wednesdays 5 PM – 9 PM  
Saturdays 10 AM – 4 PM  
Sundays 10 AM – 4 PM

See **Jake** in the  
Shoot Room for more info

**TSC**

**Bring your Valentine!**

**I LUV TRAP SHOOT**

**Saturday February 15th**

**100 Bird Shoot**

Lewis Class Scoring

**Breakfast Buffet at 9:00AM**



25 BIRDS 27 YARD HANDICAP  
 25 BIRDS WOBBLE TRAP  
 50 BIRDS DOUBLES

**\$40.00**

Does not include Buffet  
**9:00AM Signup**  
**10:00AM Start**

**\$10.00 per shooter is prize money**

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# TSC Irish Ironman Shoot

Sunday March 16th

9:00AM Sign-up

10:00AM Start

9:00AM Breakfast Buffet

\$40.00 per Shooter

Does not include Breakfast

\$10.00 per shooter prize money

Lewis Class Scoring

**50/50**

50 Birds Sporting Clays  
25 Birds Wobble Trap  
25 Birds Skeet

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# Trap & Skeet

Join the fun!

Wednesday

5:30 PM to 9 PM  
*(last call 8:30 PM)*

Saturday

10 AM to 3 PM  
*(last call 2:30 PM)*

Sunday

10 AM to 3 PM  
*(last call 2:30 PM)*

TSC Members: \$6.00

Non-Members: \$9.00

Kitchen & Bar also open

**Kitchen, Bar, and Shoot Room will be  
CLOSED on Sunday, April 20.  
Happy Easter!**

## Trap Shooting

In trap shooting, shooters stand in a line or in individual shooting stations arranged in a semicircle. The shooting stations are usually positioned at different angles from a central trap house.

In each round, shooters take turns calling for a target, and the trap machine randomly releases a clay target, sending it flying away from the trap house.

The objective is to break or shatter the clay target with a shotgun blast. Shooters are scored based on how many targets they hit out of the total number attempted.

## Skeet Shooting

Skeet shooting is typically done on a designated field with two trap houses, one high house and one low house. There are eight shooting stations arranged in a semicircle between these two houses.

In skeet shooting, targets are thrown from both the high and low houses in a specific pattern, with one high and one low target released simultaneously at different points along the field.

Shooters move between the stations in a predetermined order, taking shots at the targets as they fly across the field.

The objective is to break both the high and low targets for each station. Skeet shooting is known for its challenging crossing shots and requires quick target acquisition and accuracy.

# Paper Fun! – Indoor Range Event

- When:** Every Monday in February (February 3, 10, 17, 24)  
3:30 PM - 6:30 PM. Open House style, come and go as you like
- Where:** Indoor Range
- How Much?** TSC Members: **FREE** Guests: \$10.00
- What to Expect:** 2 relaxed/easy courses of fire, similar to Steel Challenge.  
Work 1-on-1 with a Range Officer.
- What to Bring:** 22 Pistol/Rifle or Centerfire Handgun (9/40/45). Irons/Optic OK  
Magazines, Ammo (~50 rounds), Hearing and Eye Protection.

Please arrive at the range with firearms unloaded and bagged/cased.

## Women's Shooting Event

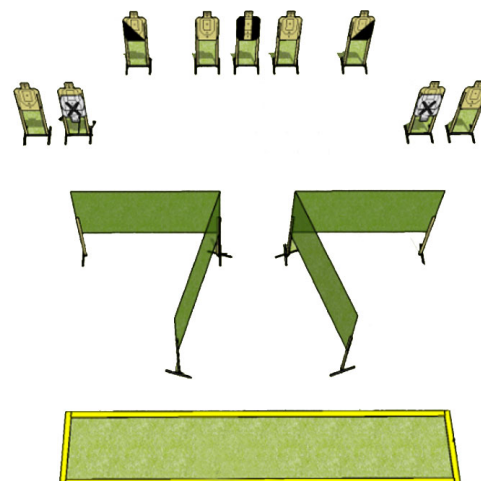
### CLUB SPONSORED WOMEN'S SHOOTING EVENT

Shooting event for women, by women! Come in and meet other women shooters at TSC for a fun-filled shooting event with fun shooting challenge. **Bring any pistol or rifle allowed at the indoor range, hearing and eye protection, 100 or more rounds of ammunition, and a case for your firearm.**

- WHO:** Members and wives & daughters of members  
**WHEN:** Wednesday Feb 26th from 6p-8pm  
**WHERE:** Indoor Range

**WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- 1-on-1 work with a range officer.
- A fun shooting stage.
- Range will be 'COLD' (no loaded firearms and no magazines in the firearms).
- All firearms must be bagged or boxed.
- Magazines and ammunition must be accessible w/o opening the firearm compartment.



Questions? Email [women-shooters@tonsportsclub.com](mailto:women-shooters@tonsportsclub.com)

# Winter League Standings

## Stage 2

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	Team Rexford	8-0
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Trap Brats	7-1
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Jack's Pack	7-1
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	Non-Members	5-3
5 <sup>th</sup> Place	TB Shooters	4-4
6 <sup>th</sup> Place	F Troop 1	4-4
7 <sup>th</sup> Place	Blind Willie	2-6
8 <sup>th</sup> Place	The Wright Stuff	2-6
9 <sup>th</sup> Place	Pigeon Preservation Society	1-7
10 <sup>th</sup> Place	F-Troop 2	0-8

**13 Rounds Must Be Shot By February 23rd**

**Team Rexford continues their romp at a Jack's Pack pace. Former pace that is... The Non-Members and F-Troop 1 both moved up a position! TB Shooters and Blind Willie dropping one place. Stage 3 looks to be quite interesting. Former Champs Jack's Pack better start eating some carrots!**

**Nothing is out of reach shooters! Follow through and have fun!!**

**13 rounds must be posted by Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**18 rounds must be posted by Sunday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**





# Cinco de Mayo Sporting Clays Shoot Sunday May 4th



**\$30.00 per Person**  
**\$10.00 goes for prize money**



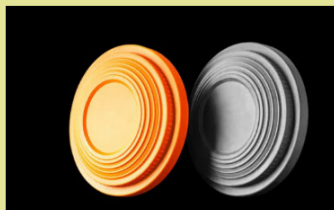
**50 Birds**  
**Lewis Class Scoring**

**9:00 Sign-up**  
**10:00 Shotgun start**

Breakfast buffet @ 9:00  
Not included in shoot fees



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# Sporting Clays

Looking for something to do this weekend?

**Saturday**

**10 AM to 3 PM**  
(last call 2:00 PM)

**Sunday**

**10 AM to 3 PM**  
(last call 2:00 PM)

TSC Members: \$17.00  
Non-Members: \$22.00

**Kitchen, Bar, and Shoot Room  
will be CLOSED  
on Sunday, April 20.  
Happy Easter!**



## What is Sporting Clays?

Sporting clays is a dynamic and versatile form of clay target shooting that simulates various hunting scenarios. Participants move through a course, set in a natural outdoor environment, where clay targets are launched in a variety of trajectories, speeds, and angles to mimic the flight patterns of game birds and the paths of ground rabbits. The benefits of sporting clays are numerous.

Firstly, it offers a highly realistic and challenging shooting experience, allowing participants to practice their shooting skills in scenarios that closely resemble actual hunting situations. This makes it an excellent training tool for hunters looking to improve their accuracy and effectiveness in the field.

Secondly, sporting clays fosters mental acuity, as shooters must quickly adapt to changing target presentations, enhancing their cognitive skills.

Lastly, the sport encourages outdoor activity and provides an opportunity for individuals to connect with nature while enjoying a recreational pursuit.

Overall, sporting clays is not only a fantastic way to refine shooting abilities but also a rewarding outdoor pastime that promotes physical and mental well-being.

June 2025

# Handgun-A-Day Giveaway

Every day in June

The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club  
is giving away a GUN (or \$400)!

**30  
Winners!**

**Winner's choice  
from  
21 guns or \$400**

**One winner daily from  
NY Lottery NUMBERS  
evening drawing**

You can win more than once in June!

Winner has the option of taking a \$400.00 cash prize instead of a firearm. Firearm will be shipped to a FFL of the winner's choice.

\* Winner is responsible for the payment of any and all fees or taxes required by their chosen FFL \*



**Donation: \$25.00 per ticket**

Raffle Tickets available at the Club's bar or:

<http://TonSportsClub.Online>

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## ***Handgun-A-Day Giveaway***

Donation: \$25.00 per ticket

### **June 2025 - 30 Winners!**

One winner daily from NY Lottery NUMBERS evening draw.

### **Winner's Choice (pick one)**

\$400 cash

Glock 17 Gen 5 9mm

Glock 19 Gen 5 9mm

Glock 20 SF Gen 3 10mm

Glock 30S .45 ACP

Glock 43X MOS 9mm

Ruger SR22 .22 LR

Rock Island M-1911 GI Standard FS 9mm

Sig Sauer P320 Compact 9mm

Smith & Wesson M&P 45 Shield M2.0 .45 ACP

Smith & Wesson M&P 9 Shield EZ M2.0 9mm

Springfield Hellcat Micro-Compact OSP 9mm

Springfield Hellcat Pro 9mm

Springfield XDM Elite 9mm

Springfield XD Tactical .45 ACP

Taurus 1911 .45 ACP

Taurus 44 Revolver .44 Magnum

Taurus Model 65 Revolver .357 Magnum

Walther CCP M2 .380 ACP

Walther PDP Optic Ready 9mm

Walther PPQ M2 .22 LR

Walther PPS M2 9mm

\$400 cash

Get your orange ticket by May 31!

30 Winners, one winner each day  
in June 2025.

\$25 per ticket

**\*\* All prize choices available to all  
winners \*\***

(first winner will have the same  
prize options as the last winner)

Firearm will be shipped to a FFL of  
the winner's choice.

Winner is responsible for the  
payment of any and all fees or  
taxes required by their chosen  
FFL.

Raffle Tickets available at the  
Club's bar or:

<http://TonSportsClub.Online>

Pick your 3-digit ticket number at:

<http://TonSportsClub.Online>





# GUN RAFFLE

**Saturday, March 22, 2025**

**Doors open at 1 PM – First winner pulled at 2 PM**

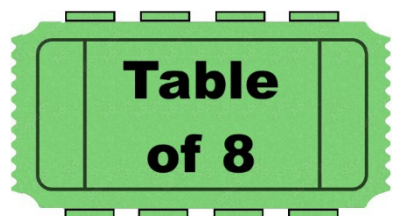
**Tickets Available at Club's Bar or  
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**\$15 Admission Ticket**

*\$20 at the door*

*or*



**\$100 for Table of 8**

\* Admission Ticket Sold Separately from Raffle Tickets \*



**\$100**

**Golden Envelope  
Package**

Includes:

- **One green Single Admission Ticket**  
(includes draft beer, soda, catered lunch)
- **Three yellow Main Raffle Entry Tickets**  
(with 16 chances to win per ticket!)
- **Three red Side Raffle Tickets**  
(Savage 93R17 17 HMR Bolt Action Rifle)
- **Three blue Side Raffle Tickets**  
(Henry Classic .22 S/L/LR Lever Action Rifle)

***Admission ticket includes draft beer, soda fountain drinks, & catered lunch:***

*Meatballs, Beef Roll-Ups, Pulled Chicken in BBQ Sauce  
Macaroni & Cheese, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, German Potato Salad  
Cole Slaw, Potato Salad, Bread Roll, Cookies, Brownies*

# GUN RAFFLE

**Saturday, March 22, 2025**

**Doors open at 1 PM – First winner pulled at 2 PM**

**Tickets Available at Club's Bar or  
TonSportsClub.Online**



**\$20 Main Raffle Ticket**

with 16 chances to WIN!

1. Stoeger Condor Competition AA Grade 12 Gauge Over/Under Shotgun
2. Browning X-Bolt Hunter 6.5mm Creedmoor Bolt Action Rifle
3. Taurus 692 (Interchangeable Cylinders) 38 Special / .357 Mag / 9mm Revolver
4. \$500 Cash
5. Benelli Nova 12 Gauge Pump Action Shotgun
6. Canik Mete SFT Full Size (Optic Ready) 9mm Semi-Auto Pistol
7. Ruger American .30-06 Springfield Bolt Action Rifle
8. Sig Sauer P365 Macro Compact 9mm Semi-Auto Pistol
9. Tikka T3x .270 Win Bolt Action Rifle
10. Canik TTI Combat (Optic Ready Slide) 9mm Semi-Auto Pistol
11. Savage A17 Target Thumbhole .17 HMR Semi-Auto Rimfire Rifle
12. \$500 Cash
13. Sig Sauer P365 Rose with Red Dot .380 ACP Semi-Auto Pistol
14. Henry Big Boy Side Gate Full Size .357 Mag/.38 Spcl. Lever Action Rifle
15. Ruger Mark IV Competition .22 LR Semi-Auto Pistol
16. Savage 220 Thumbhole Slug Gun 20 Gauge Bolt Action Shotgun

*\* Admission Ticket Sold Separately \**

**\$5 Red Side Raffle Ticket**

**\$5 Blue Side Raffle Ticket**

**Savage 93R17 with Next G1 Camo Stock  
.17 HMR Bolt Action Rifle**

**Henry Classic Large Loop (H001LL)  
.22 Short, .22 Long or .22 LR  
Lever Action Rifle**

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# FREE

# Trap Shooting

# Training Clinic

Friday, March 14, 2025 from 6 PM to 9 PM



Never shot trap before?

Not even sure what trap is?

All these questions, and more, answered on

Friday, March 14, 2025 from 6 PM to 9 PM at:

MARCH
14
6 PM to 9 PM



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Bring your shotgun with 12-15 rounds of ammo, eye and ear protection.

Free food. Cash bar will be open 5:30 PM to 9 PM.

\* Clay targets, expert training, and food will be provided by The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club.



# TSC Easter Bunny Fun Shoot

## Saturday April 19th

All bunnies are safe!!  
Flying targets only!



**\$40.00 per shooter**  
**\$10.00 is prize money**

- 100 Bird Shoot**
- 1 Round Doubles Trap**
- 1 Round Skeet**
- 1 Round Wobble Trap**



**Lewis Class Scoring**

**9:00 am Sign-up**  
**10:00 am Shotgun Start**

**Breakfast Buffet @ 9:00**  
**Additional fee**

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# Family Easter Party

**Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club**  
**Saturday, April 19, 2025**  
**Events Start At 1 PM**

**Easter Crafts**

**Free Buffet for Kids**

**Coloring of Easter Eggs**

**Easter Egg Hunt**

**Pictures with the Easter Bunny**  
**(1 PM to 1:30 PM)**



# League Updates

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**Western New York Practical Pistol League (WNYPPL)**  
**International Practical Shooting Confederation (IPSC)**  
**United States Practical Shooting Association (USPSA)**

Practice is every Thursday from 4 PM to 7 PM.

Visit <https://practiscore.com> and sign up for scheduled matches.

Contact **Paul Hudson** for more information on WNYPPL, IPSC, or USPSA:  
[Paul.HudsonTWC@GMail.Com](mailto:Paul.HudsonTWC@GMail.Com)



## TSC Suburban Pistol League

TSC is part of the Suburban Traveling Pistol League which runs from October until February.

Matches are typically on Monday night  
 (Sign-Up: 7 PM. Match: 7:30 PM to 9 PM)

The match is a .22 bullseye format.

Contact **Chris Metro** if you're interested or have any questions about bullseye pistol shooting:  
[CMetro@GMail.Com](mailto:CMetro@GMail.Com)



## Steel Challenge

Steel Challenge is a thrilling shooting sport that combines speed and accuracy. Participants engage in a series of steel targets, aiming to hit them as quickly and precisely as possible. It's a dynamic and competitive sport that attracts shooters of all levels, testing their skills in a fast-paced environment.

Contact **Dave Wilde** for more information:  
[Dave.Wilde@TonSportsClub.com](mailto:Dave.Wilde@TonSportsClub.com)

# League Updates

## TSC Saturday 900 Pistol Match

Sign-Up at 9 AM

Shoot at 10 AM

Cost: \$7 per match and \$1 50/50



### 2024

~~October 12~~  
~~October 19~~  
~~October 26~~  
~~November 9~~  
~~November 16~~  
~~November 23~~  
~~November 30~~  
~~December 14~~  
~~December 21~~  
~~December 28~~

### 2025

January 11  
 January 18  
 January 25  
 February 8  
 February 15  
 February 22  
 March 8  
 March 15  
 March 22

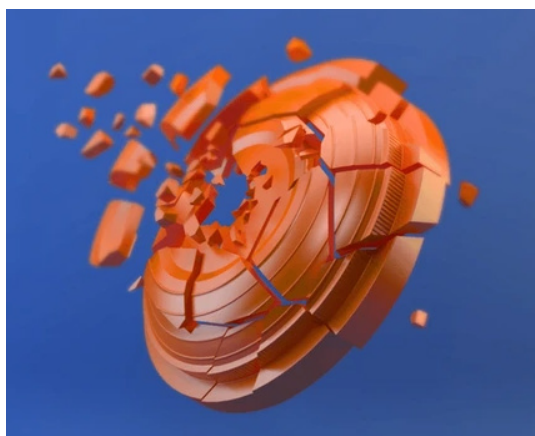
Contact **Bob Metro** for more information:  
[BMetro3@GMail.com](mailto:BMetro3@GMail.com)

## Winter League

**13 rounds must be posted  
 by Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**18 rounds must be posted  
 by Sunday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**

Contact **Jim Trotman** for more information:  
[JTrot63894@Hotmail.com](mailto:JTrot63894@Hotmail.com)





# Range Rules & Safety

## Rifle Range (RR)

- All Shooting must take place from the bench under the shelter at fixed distances with no portable stands.
- Shoot only at targets in your lane. Cross-lane shooting prohibited.
- (10) Rifle Stations: Only long guns and Carbines can be shot at these stations.  
Shotguns with deer slugs only.
- (2) Pistol Stations: Only Pistol Calibers and Rimfire can be used at these stations.

## Outdoor Range (OUT)

- Shooters using the target frames must be on the same line.
- Bring 24" x 18" to 24" cardboard with you, down to the frames to staple or tape your target onto and place into the target frame.
- If you wish to have a table to set equipment on, bring your own.
- Only Pistol Calibers and Rimfire can be used on this Range.
- Please see the complete list of rules posted inside the Club near the Shoot Room.

## Indoor Range (IN)

- Access to range is granted only after attending the indoor range safety course.
- All rules of the indoor range will be covered in the safety course; all attendees are required to fire and hit a 12" target 5 out of 5 times at 20'.

## Trap, Skeet, Sporting Clays

- Field/Sporting shotguns only with 7 ½ to 9 shot size.
- Lead ammo only; NO steel shot.
- While trap shooting with a semi-automatic shotgun, a shell catcher or rubber band are required to be used!

For complete range rule books, go to:

<https://tonsportsclub.com/club-procedures-range-rules-safety-notice>

# Mandatory Range Safety Classes

Prior to using any of the Club's ranges, you must take the MANDATORY Safety Course for that range.

A separate MANDATORY Safety Course is offered for each of the three ranges:

- Rifle Range (RR)
- Outdoor Range (OUT)
- Indoor Range (IN)

Upon completion of the Rifle Range (RR) course, you will be issued a BLUE lanyard.

Upon completion of the Outdoor Range (OUT) course, you will be issued a YELLOW lanyard.

Upon completion of the Indoor Range (IN) course, you will be issued a key FOB for range access.

An e-mail will be sent each week with class dates & times for the following week. After receiving this e-mail and deciding on a training date:

1. Go to [TonSportsClub.com](http://TonSportsClub.com) > "Information Center" > "Club Procedures, Range Rules & Safety Notices"
2. Pull down and read through the rules for each course you will be attending.
3. E-mail [Ranges@TonSportsClub.com](mailto:Ranges@TonSportsClub.com) with your name and the date you will attend the class.
4. Take the class, sign the paperwork & receive your lanyard or key fob.

Questions? E-Mail: [Ranges@TonSportsClub.com](mailto:Ranges@TonSportsClub.com)

# Safety at TSC

It is each members responsibility for shooting safely. If you see something, say something. If you're hunting, merely asking "safety on?" after someone shoots is good common sense.

Correcting a newcomer at any range will create safer surroundings for all. Be nice; we all were new to shooting sports at one time. Helping another shooter practice safe firearm procedures is win-win.

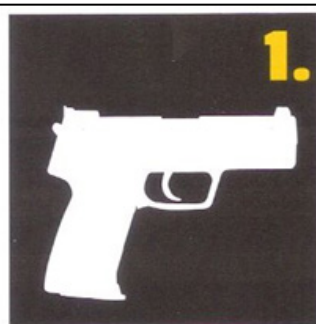
This is OUR Club; therefore, ALL members need to be aware of their surroundings; whether eating, shooting, or walking to your vehicle. If you're new to firearms, please ask for assistance, someone is always happy to help.

Remember, there is no "ego" in safety. A smart shooter is always learning.

A "know it all" is usually the one to do something stupid, with a lame excuse that can never undo an unsafe act.

We are all human and we will make mistakes; but if we watch out for each other, we can prevent mistakes from happening.

Safety never sleeps.



## ALWAYS

**keep the gun pointed in a safe direction.**



## ALWAYS

**keep your finger off the trigger until ready to shoot.**



## ALWAYS

**keep the gun unloaded until ready to use.**

### When Using or Storing a Gun, Always Follow These NRA Rules:

- Know your target and what is beyond.
- Be sure the gun is safe to operate.
- Wear eye and ear protection as appropriate.
- Store guns so they are not accessible to unauthorized persons.
- Know how to use the gun safely.
- Use only the correct ammunition for your gun.
- Never use alcohol or drugs before or while shooting.
- Be aware that certain types of guns and many shooting activities require additional safety precautions.

# TSC Library



Increase your knowledge! Borrow a book from our library located near the main entrance.

Our free library has valuable and entertaining information about shooting sports, gun safety, maintenance, hunting, collecting, and everything relating to the outdoors.

Please feel free to donate any books or informational resources you have on hunting, fishing, firearms, and conservation.

Hardcover and softcover books accepted.

Much thanks to our librarian:  
**Greg Metzger**

Your feedback is wanted to improve our library and educational resources.

Please take our short TSC Library survey:



<https://forms.office.com/r/AJZtPqneRJ>



# Range Hours for TSC Members

## Indoor Range (IN)

8 AM – 9:45 PM daily

## Outdoor Range & Rifle Range (OUT & RR)

Mon – Fri: 9 AM – 8:59 PM or dark (whichever is first)

Sat & Sun: 10 AM – 8:59 PM or dark (whichever is first)



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# Range Rental Information

Range Rentals are a part of TSC's income and subsidize a portion of our expenses.

We try to schedule all rentals on the Outdoor Range (OUT) first.

The Rifle Range (RR) is used as overflow. This allows Club members who want to shoot pistol or rifle to have an open outdoor range.

Range Rental Contact: [Range.Rental@TonSportsClub.com](mailto:Range.Rental@TonSportsClub.com)

# February 2025 Range Rentals

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
						IN, OUT, RR 11:30 AM - 3 PM New Member Range Orientation
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	IN 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM Paper Fun!	IN RENTED 6:30 PM - 8 PM 4-H		OUT RENTED 12 PM - 4 PM IN 3 PM - 7 PM WNYPPPL Practice	IN 2 PM - 4:30 PM CLOSED for cleaning	IN 9 AM - 12 PM TSC 900 Pistol Match
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	IN 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM Paper Fun!	OUT RENTED 12 PM - 4 PM		IN 3 PM - 7 PM WNYPPPL Practice		IN 9 AM - 12 PM TSC 900 Pistol Match
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	IN 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM Paper Fun!			IN 3 PM - 7 PM WNYPPPL Mini Match		IN 9 AM - 12 PM TSC 900 Pistol Match IN 2 PM - 6 PM WNYPPPL Setup
23	24	25	26	27	28	March 1
IN 8 AM - 3 PM WNYPPPL Match	IN 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM Paper Fun!		IN 5 PM - 8 PM Women's Shoot	IN 3 PM - 7 PM WNYPPPL Practice		

OUT: Outdoor Range

IN: Indoor Range

RR: Rifle Range

# February 2025 Club Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
						Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM New Member Range Orientation 11:30 AM - 3 PM
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM	Paper Fun! 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM  Work Party 3:30 PM - 6 PM	Elite Skeet 10 AM - 12 PM	Trap & Skeet 5:30 PM - 9 PM			Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM	Paper Fun! 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM  Work Party 3:30 PM - 6 PM	Elite Skeet 10 AM - 12 PM	Trap & Skeet 5:30 PM - 9 PM  <b>Fish Fry Special 5 PM</b>			Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM  I Luv Trap 100 Bird Shoot 9 AM
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM	Paper Fun! 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM  Work Party 3:30 PM - 6 PM	Elite Skeet 10 AM - 12 PM	Trap & Skeet 5:30 PM - 9 PM			Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM
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Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM  Winter League 13 Scores Due	Paper Fun! 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM  Work Party 3:30 PM - 6 PM	Elite Skeet 10 AM - 12 PM  New Member Orientation 7 PM - 9 PM	Trap & Skeet 5:30 PM - 9 PM  Women's Shooting Event 6 PM - 8 PM			Trap, Skeet & Sporting Clays 10 AM - 3 PM





June 2025

# Handgun-A-Day Giveaway

## Raffle Ticket Order Form

Save a stamp: purchase tickets at <http://TonSportsClub.Online>

First & Last  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(with area code)

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred notification/communication method:  
(text messages/phone calls will come from 716-907-8783)

E-Mail

Text Message

Phone Call

**30 Chances to Win!**

**You can win more than once!**

**One Winner Daily: June 1 – June 30, 2025 from NY Lottery NUMBERS evening draw.**

See reverse for official rules.

Number of tickets desired: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25.00 each = Total Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred 3-digit ticket number(s) \*

\_\_\_\_\_

\* All 3-digit ticket numbers are based on availability. There is NO guarantee the raffle ticket(s) mailed to you will contain your preferred 3-digit ticket number(s). If your preferred 3-digit ticket numbers are not available, The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club will select your ticket number(s) at random from the tickets remaining.

Send this completed order form, along with payment (check or money order), for the total amount above to:

The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club, Inc.  
5657 Killian Road  
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

or purchase at <http://TonSportsClub.Online>

# THE TONAWANDAS SPORTSMEN'S CLUB, INC.

## Handgun-A-Day Giveaway

### Official Rules

1. Must be 18 years of age or older to purchase a raffle ticket, and 21 years of age or older to take possession of a handgun.
2. Donation is \$25.00 per ticket.
3. A maximum of 1000 tickets will be sold, numbered 000-999.
4. Ticket holders need not be present to win; winner will be contacted by The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club. It is the responsibility of the raffle ticket holder to notify The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club of any change to the raffle ticket holder's contact information.
5. The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club is not responsible for illegible, incorrect, or incomplete winner contact information.
6. All sold tickets and corresponding donation must be received and in the possession of The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club by 4 PM on Saturday, May 31, 2025. Any tickets/money received after 4 PM on Saturday, May 31, 2025 will be invalid and will be returned to the submitter.
7. Each calendar day in June 2025, the winning ticket that matches the NY Lottery NUMBERS evening drawing in its exact order (straight play) will have the option of selecting one (1) prize from the list of a prizes shown on the raffle ticket.
8. All prize options are available for selection by all winners; the first winner will have the same prize options as the last winner.
9. If for any reason the NY Lottery NUMBERS evening drawing is not conducted, the NY Lottery NUMBERS evening numbers from the previous day will be used in reverse order. Example: the NY Lottery NUMBERS evening drawing on June 4 is "116", and no NY Lottery NUMBERS evening drawing takes place on June 5, the winning numbers for June 5 will be 611.
10. All firearm transfers are subject to a successful NICS check, presentation of proper identification and credentials, and compliance with all federal, state, and local requirements.
11. Winner has the option of taking a \$400.00 cash prize instead of a firearm.
12. Winner must claim their firearm, or \$400.00 cash prize, by December 31, 2025. Any firearm or cash prize not claimed by December 31, 2025 will be forfeited, with no compensation to the winner.
13. If for any reason a winner is deemed not satisfactory to carry a firearm, the cash prize of \$400.00 will be awarded instead.
14. Firearm will be shipped to a FFL of the winner's choice. Allow a minimum of three (3) weeks for delivery. **Winner is responsible for the payment of any and all fees or taxes required by their chosen FFL.**
15. The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club reserves the right to substitute the winning firearm with a firearm of equal or greater value.
16. If any disputes or discrepancies should occur, The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club, Inc. has the final say.
17. The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club, Inc, its members, and all agents acting on behalf of The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club are not responsible for: any injuries or liabilities that may occur from any use of the firearm issued to a winner, nor for any injuries or liabilities that may occur from a winner's inability to safely handle a firearm.

**The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club strongly encourages  
the safe and responsible use and storage of firearms and ammunition.**

<https://gunsafety.ny.gov>