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*April 2025
NEXT SHOOT, April 27th 2025
RESULTS FOR 7th SHOOT OF THE 41st SEASON ARE IN!
RICH DAVIS
HOA Champion with 188!*



“EVERY SPRING IS A CHANCE TO START FRESH, TO SWING WITH NEW ENERGY AND HIT YOUR MARK”

*~ **Serena Williams***

IN MEMORIAM: GENE CRAWFORD

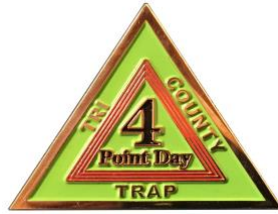
It is with heavy hearts that we share the news of the passing of Gene Crawford on March 13th, 2025. A cherished member and past president of the Tri County Trap Club, Gene was an enthusiastic trap shooter whose passion for the sport and dedication to our club left an indelible mark. His warm spirit shone brightly, whether he was competing on the range or bringing joy as Santa Claus for our club's donations to the Sachs Clinic. Gene's presence will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

To honor Gene's legacy, the Tri County Trap Club is proud to announce a special tribute: a handmade sterling silver belt buckle awarded to the shooter with the highest combined HOA score from their top two out of three months (July, August, September). This award will be presented at our annual October banquet, celebrating Gene's passion for trap shooting and dedication to our community.



Rest in peace, Gene. Your memory will live on in every shot fired and every smile shared at the club.

FOUR POINT PIN



***VALERIE JONES**

Each month, shooters who earn four buckle points in the monthly shoot will be awarded a Four-Point Pin provided they have not already received one in the current shoot year. Shooters scheduled to receive a pin are indicated by an asterisk next to their names.

HUNTER SILVER AWARD

The Hunter Silver Awards are presented in honor of Bill and Ruthie Hunter, whose extraordinary generosity to Tri County and steadfast support of trap shooting nationwide have left a lasting impact on our community. We are deeply grateful for their dedication and contributions. We also extend our sincere appreciation to Rod and Frances Peveler for their generous sponsorship of the 2024/2025 Hunter Silver I. Their invaluable support has greatly enriched our club—thank you, Rod and Frances. Additionally, we heartfully thank Joe and Trista Loutsenhizer for sponsoring the 2024/2025 Hunter Silver II. Your commitment is deeply valued and appreciated.



“WHEN I LET GO OF WHAT I AM, I BECOME WHAT I MIGHT BE”

~ Philosopher: Lao Tzu

MONTHLY AWARDS

The Buckle and Hunter Awards rotate across events, with shooters eligible to win one award per event each shoot year. The Shell Carriers rotate through the Doubles Classes, limited to one win per shooter per shoot year.

2024-2025 Tri County Monthly Shell Carrier, Buckle and Hunter Awards

Shoot	Shell Carrier	Buckle 1	Buckle 2	Hunter Award I	Hunter Award II
October 6th	A Doubles	20 Yds	HOA	A Singles	Ladies-Singles
Oct. 2024	MARK HARP	TANNER GUTHRIE	NADER NAJM	STEVE HEINTZ	JOHANNA STERLING
November 3rd	AA Doubles	HOA AAA	HOA D	B Singles	Seniors-HC
Nov. 2024	MICHAEL HUNN	BILL SERGENT	JAMES MYERS	MARK ROCKHOLD	RICH DAVIS
December 8th	D Doubles	C Singles	27 Yds	25-26 Yds	Juniors-Doubles
Dec. 2024	RUSSELL HAWES	GORD FOWLER	RICH DAVIS	LISA SALT	TANNER GUTHRIE
January 5th	AA Doubles	B Singles	AAA Singles	HOA C	Ladies-HC
Jan. 2025	KEN SEUMALO	GORD FOWLER	JAMES SCHOOLER	AUSTIN VENEGAS	LISA SALT
February 2nd	AAA Doubles	HOA AA	A Singles	D Singles	Seniors-Doubles
Feb. 2025	MARK JOHNSON	HERB JONES	MICHAEL HUNN	ANDREW BEZI	PATRICK KELLY
March 2nd	C Doubles	D Singles	HOA AAA	HOA A	Juniors-Singles
Mar. 2025	BOB BARTON	LUCAS PEREIRA	MICHAEL SILFIES	GORD FOWLER	MIA VANDIEST
April 6th	B Doubles	HOA C	AAA Singles	22-24 Yds	Ladies-Doubles
Apr. 2025	BRYAN WRIGHT	VALERIE JONES	JOHN DRAGOTTA	STEVE HEINTZ	LISA SALT
April 27	A Doubles	27 Yrds	HOA B	21 Yds	Seniors-Singles
May 2025					
May 4th	D Doubles	HOA	21 Yds	C Singles	Juniors-HC
Jun 2025					
June 1st	AAA Doubles	25-26 Yds	AA Singles	HOA B	Ladies-Doubles
Jul. 2025					
July 13th	B Doubles	HOA AA	22-24 Yds	20 Yds	Seniors-Singles
Aug. 2025					
August 3	C Doubles	AA Singles	HOA A	HOA D	Juniors-HC
Sep. 2025					

HANDICAP JACKPOT

To enter, participants must pay \$2.00 and have competed in the handicap event for six shoots to establish their handicap distance and eligibility. The full jackpot is awarded for 50 straight wins, while a score of 49 wins half of the pot. If the pot is less than \$50.00 for full jackpot winners or \$25.00 for half jackpot winners, the Club will make up the difference. Jackpot balances for the April 27th shoot.

27 yds.	\$ 214.96
25/26 yds	\$ 272.00
22/24 yds	\$ 384.00
21 yds	\$ 317.50
20 yds	\$ 322.50

CONGRATULATIONS

The following shooters achieved a new class advancement in Singles, Doubles and Handicap, respectively!

**ROBERT VAN VACTER AAA, JIM TYNER AA, MARK HETZ A
BOB BARTON B & JEFF KLEIN C**

MIA VAN DIEST AAA, LISA SALT AA & ANDREW BEZI B

MICHAEL BATES 27, STEVE HEINTZ 23 & JEFF KLEIN 22

**50/50 RAFFLE
VALERIE JONES \$108.00**

RAFFLE PRIZE

*Tickets for our monthly raffle at the Tri County Trap Club are priced at \$1.00 each or \$5.00 for six, with half the proceeds awarded to the winner and the other half supporting the Club's treasury. We sincerely thank our members for your generous contributions to these raffles. Special appreciation goes to **MIKE WIRZ** for his generous donation of two boxes of shells and to **JIM TYNER** for providing a Sight Trax, which helps shooters understand how their barrel alignment and sight picture affect their shot pattern. Your donations greatly enhance both our enjoyment and the Club's funds.*

Thank you to **SHERRY HETZ** with our 50/50 raffle, **BRITTINY BROOKS** for squadding, **VALERIE JONES** for cashiering, and **LISA SALT** our photographer.

PRE-SQUAD AND/OR SPEED LANE

*Speed Lane means prepaid and pre-squadded. Pre-squad is the regular sign up line, but you have reserved your squad position in advance. Please send notice by the Wednesday before the shoot if you cannot make it. **ALLISON RANGEL** or **BRITTINY BROOKS** at 909-335-8844 or email, attention Brittiny: scorekeeper@tricountytrap.club*

*Handicapping/Classification Questions: If you have any questions, concerns or requests, please feel free to contact **MIKE HUNN** at handycapper@tricountytrap.club.*



“SUCCESS IS NOT BY ACCIDENT. IT IS THE RESULT OF DISCIPLINE DAY AFTER DAY, UNTIL YOU HAVE MASTERED THE LITTLE THINGS”

~ Mia Hamm

We had 57 Shooters, 56 Single shooters, 55 Handicap and 54 Doubles Shooters. All in all, shooting 11,050 targets!