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Board of Directors Election

Every year, four of the eleven Board positions are up for election, except for the one year when only three positions are expiring. This year, the following Board positions are up for election: 1) Vice-President held by Jerry Nations; 2) Executive Director held by Kevin Svetlik; 3) Membership Director held by Kevin Pierce; and 4) Rifle Director held by Randy Parker. All of these gentlemen have announced that they are running for reelection. Any eligible Club Member wanting to run for one of these positions must notify the Club Secretary, David Kimbrough, by emailing him at <u>Dave@PSCshootingClub.com</u> no later than midnight, March 10, 2017. Per Club Bylaws, in order to be eligible, one must have been a Club Member in good standing for a minimum of seven consecutive years prior to the date they register to run for the Board.

Club Renewal Season Opens Soon - Renew Early!



Keep up with the Texas Legislature and the Texas shooting community by subscribing to the Texas Firearms Coalition Podcasts. TFC Podcasts are available on <u>iTunes</u>, <u>Stitcher</u> and <u>TexasFirearmsCoalition.com</u>.

Get involved, protect your Second Amendment rights!



Club renewal season begins on March 15th and closes at mid-

night on June 30th. The procedure for renewing is the same as last year. A new ten minute video has been produced explaining the procedure in detail, but it is not complicated. The video will be released on March 14th.

In summary, Members will 1) log into the Club's website at <u>www.PSCshootingClub.com</u>; 2) select the renewal "event" under the registration tab; 3) fill out the renewal form; 4) click the "Submit" button to save your renewal form in the Club database and be transferred to the Club's PayPal account; and 5) pay your dues with any credit card. Logon credentials have changed for this year and they will be emailed to Members on March 14th. Be sure to verify that the Club has your current email address by going to PSCmembers.com and logging in.

Please renew your Club membership early to avoid a delay in getting your new Member Badge for the 2017-2018 membership year. The first batch of Member Badges will be mailed on June 1, 2017. If you have not renewed by May 15th, you will not be in this first batch, due to time constraints with our printer. If you renew after June 1, 2017, you will not get your new Member Badge before July 1st and it will likely arrive well into July. Remember, no one can be on Club property without a current Badge, so please renew early!

The two most common causes of delay in receiving your Member badge for the upcoming membership year are 1) bad addresses; and 2) lack of NRA membership verification. Remember, your NRA membership must expire on or after June 30, 2018. If you are a Life Member, or a multi-year annual member whose membership has already been verified (check PSCmembers.com), then there is nothing NRA-related for you to do to renew this year.

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FIREARM SAFETY THROUGH TRAINING, MENTORING AND MATCHES

The mission of the PSC Shooting Club, Inc. is to promote safe and responsible firearms ownership and use. The Club achieves this goal through a multi-prong approach that includes providing an excellent facility and training opportunities, as well as matches and other special events that allow shooters to hone their skills. Club matches, events and training opportunities are open to both Members and non-members to promote firearms safety and responsibility to the entire surrounding communities.

Remember, PSC is not just a gun range, we are a club. Come to your Club often, get involved in Club programs and help promote safe and responsible firearms ownership and use. We are all ambassadors for the Second Amendment.

Restroom, YAPL & Rule Change

Pistol Area Restroom:

The new restroom in the pistol area is finished and open for "business!" This was a much-requested feature and it saves some folks from walking from the Pistol Bays to the restroom at the Blue Building. Yes, a number of ladies have been especially happy to see the new restroom. There's just something about a porta-can that doesn't really appeal to our female shooters. We guys must admit that we like it much better too.

Youth Action Pistol League (YAPL):

The 2017 YAPL shooting season kicks off on Tuesday, March 14th at 6:00pm. We will keep the same schedule and will be shooting on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, from 6:00pm until 7:30pm. At this point, YAPL matches will remain on the fifth Saturday of a month, meaning there will only be four matches annually. This could change if our kids want to have more YAPL matches. Some of our training procedures will change this year, but we will continue to have an "Advanced Team" for kids that want to shoot the monthly IDPA match. We will also have a "Basic Training Team" for kids joining YAPL. Those with prior shooting experience will not be on the Basic Training Team for long. Those new to shooting will feel comfortable that they have the necessary skills to participate safely before leaving the Team.

Range 3 Rule Change:

Due to the advancement in technology with the .17 caliber firearms and with air guns, it has become necessary to change the rule for allowable calibers on Range 3. No .17 caliber firearms can be shot on Range 3 and air guns are limited to .22 caliber. Yes, there are .17 caliber firearms that do not damage the backstops, but with a new flavor of ".17" coming out twice a month, allowing some but not all .17's would be unworkable for our Range Officers. As for air guns, there are some .45 caliber air guns pushing pellets at 1,000 fps or faster! That will not work on Range 3. ".17's" and air guns larger than .22 caliber must be shot on Ranges 1 or 4.