

2014 SW Zone

Upcoming SW Zone:

The OTA Shooting Park will be one of the sites for the SW Zone. The tournament will be from Friday July 18 - Sunday Jul 20. The program details are [HERE](#).

OTA Cleanup Day for SW Zone:

ATTENTION OTA MEMBERS, WE'RE LOOKING FOR SOME VOLUNTEERS. There will be a general field day at the OTA homegrounds on Saturday, July 12 from 9 AM to 1 PM to prepare for the SW Zone on July 18-20. We could use some help picking up around the grounds, to support local 4-H clubs who will be helping us out. Also there is a need for some work with finish mowers and weed eaters around the site to get the grass growth cleaned up. If you've got some time, stop by Saturday morning and lend a hand.

Skeet Shooters:

We now have all 3 skeet ranges open! We are considering hosting a **Skeet Fun Shoot** at the club on Tuesday evenings. The event would be a **50 target event** - 1 round of regular skeet and one round of what I will call "**El Reno Doubles**". This will consist of one pair of doubles on Skeet positions 1 through 7 - one pair of doubles from trap positions 5, 3, and 1 - and then finish up with two pairs of doubles from Skeet position 8.

The cost will be **\$15.00** with \$10 (or two card punches) going for targets and the remaining money into the prize pool to be distributed with a 50-30-20% split to the winners. We will probably start with everyone in the same class and then if warranted split shooters into 2 or 3 classes depending on participation levels and skill levels. In addition we will sell "**Mulligans**" to add a little more fun. A Mulligan will allow you an extra shot. One Mulligan for \$2 or two Mulligans for \$3. You can also earn a free Mulligan by breaking two targets with one shot on any doubles station. The money from the Mulligans will be added to the prize pool and Mulligans must be used during the current evening's events, they cannot be carried over to another week.

If you would be interested in participating in this **Skeet Fun Shoot**, then please respond to this e-mail and let us know.

Road Construction:

The **Banner Rd. bridge over I-40 is closed** and will likely be closed for the next six months. You will need to follow this detour if you are travelling on I-40 from OKC. Exit Banner Rd. and go 1/2 mile north to Route 66. Go 3 miles West on Route 66 to Radio Rd. Turn south on Radio Rd. and proceed 1 Mile south to Jenkins Rd. Turn East on Jenkins Rd. and go 1 mile east to Evans where you will be able to see the club.

Thursday Evening July 17:

We will be opening the club for **BIG 50's** or practice from **4 - 6 pm** or later if there are still those wanting to shoot. We will also open the **Classification and Squadding/Cashiering** positions for those that want to get squadded early and avoid the long line on Friday morning. Remember, the earlier you get squadded the better choices you will have.

Blocked Squads or Positions:

Since our Computrap system does not provide the functionality to attach a name to a blocked post we have run into some situations where the wrong blocked position was inadvertently sold to another shooter, obviously causing some hard feelings and confusion. As a result, the OTA Board has decided to implement a new policy regarding blocked squads or posts for our large shoots (**State Shoot and Zone Shoot**). **Any Blocked position that has not been paid for by 9 am on the day of that event will be released for sale.** We will not implement this policy for our normal weekend shoots.

Bank Assignments:

We will run **4 banks** on **Friday** - two traps per bank and 50 targets per trap. On **Saturday and Sunday** we will run **5 banks** - also two traps per bank and 50 targets per trap. Banks 1 thru 4 are on the **West** side of the clubhouse and bank 5 is on the **East** side of the clubhouse.

Skeet Fields:

Since we are running 5 banks of trap on Sat and Sun the **skeet ranges will be closed that weekend.**

Junior Discount:

We will be offering a **Junior Discount of \$24** per 100 targets for the Zone. If a Junior shooter takes advantage of the Junior Discount they are **ineligible to play the options.** Whether a shooter takes the discount or doesn't take the discount it has **NO AFFECT** on their classification.

Hospitality:

Each morning the OTA will provide **complimentary** fresh hot **Coffee**, Assorted **donuts** and **cookies** (Wal Mart's finest), and **orange juice** for all shooters and their guests.