

## OTA March 2013 News

It's March and the first OTA registered shoot will be the 9-10th. The weather may be iffy, but we hope it holds out.

We have already started preparing for the state shoot. OTA may be hosting 2 4-H shoots this spring, that is to be determined yet. All Oklahoma clubs are gearing up for registered shoots so at least attend the ones in your area. I probably will not print up the cardboard shoot cards this year. We may print a paper version and have them at the clubs. The printing costs and the postage costs can be used elsewhere. If you are reading this you can print the [current schedule](#) or copy it. Any updates will be made as they are needed.

Mike Smith has graciously donated 8 new sets of speakers to the OTA, and is repairing other speakers and equipment associated with the voice call system. It will all be in place soon. He has done this in the memory of HC Brown, Bill Sullivan, and Jack Ketchum along with Marie. These people were mentors to him and many others in Oklahoma shooting.

The board will have a meeting on the 10th after the registered shoot to finish some old business and try to get the State shoot mostly organized. The credit card machine has been fixed so everyone can use it if they need to again. I will try to sort out the camping spots as soon as I can - hopefully I will have an update soon.

We will be trying some different formats with trophies such as some money, some trophies, or some combinations of money or trophies whichever you prefer.

Lastly, everyone should go to the ATA website and there is a [link that you can click](#) to a survey by the ATA itself. It's probably a 10 minute deal. **MAKE SURE YOUR OPINION IS HEARD.** Rarely have I been asked much by the ATA directly and that is what this is. If you want to have some input, take the time to fill it out. I believe that's all I have at this time.

**Larry Parsons OTA Prez.**