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### First Quarter January to March 2021

For updates and TRPC calendar, please go to TRPC website: <http://www.trpc.net>

**NEXT GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING WILL BE WEDNESDAY,  
JANUARY 13, 2021 - 7:00 PM  
AT THE TRPC RANGE PAVILION**

**NEXT WORKDAY IS SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2021 - 8:00 AM**

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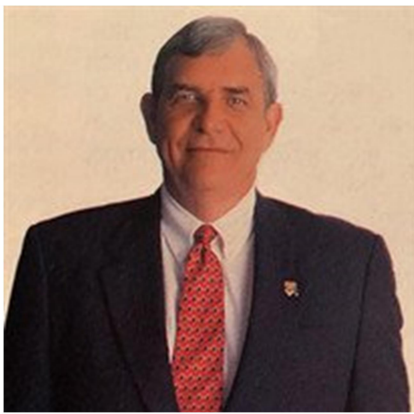
## PLEASE REMEMBER

**General Membership Meeting  
January 13, 2021, at 7:00 P.M.  
@ TALLAHASSEE RIFLE &  
PISTOL CLUB PAVILION**

**NEXT RANGE WORK DAY  
JANUARY 30, 2021  
8:00 AM**

## IN MEMORY OF RANDY MILLER

On the afternoon of Friday, November 27, 2020, Park Randall "Randy" Miller of Tallahassee was called to Heaven after a sudden battle with COVID19. Randy was born in Tallahassee on April 9, 1947, the son of Park Earl Miller and Marie Strickland Miller. A 1969 graduate of Florida State University with a BS in Accounting, he proudly served his country as an officer in the United States Army from 1969 to 1971. He is survived by his wife, Wendy Lawson Burnett, his daughter, Holly Randall Moore, and son-in-law Justin Moore. Randy has been a big part of Tallahassee Rifle & Pistol Club and has served as club treasurer for the past 3 years. He has made a great many friends at TRPC and we will miss him very much. Rest in peace my friend.



## SECRETARY'S UPDATE

The next workday will be Saturday, January 30, 2021, @ 8:00am. Most likely it will be a shortened work day with no lunch being served. The final decision will be made at the January meeting. The range will need just the basic upkeep on work day. Please make plans to attend.

The nominations I have received so far for the 2021 Board of Directors is as follows.

**President – Aaron Cohen**

**Vice President – Matt Morris**

**Treasurer – Rob Aguilera**

**Secretary – Gary Rickard**

**Board Members at Large – Craig Carson, Billy Hartsfield**

We will take any additional nominations at the meeting and are in need at least one more nomination for Member at Large. If you are interested in running for any of the offices, please contact me. Other than elections, we do not have any other items currently on the agenda.

Our membership continues to grow. TRPC had 54 new members in 2020, bringing our total membership to 418. Please continue to recruit as you are our best advertising.

The youth program is back in full swing after several months of cancelations due to the pandemic. Please talk up the program to family, friends, and neighbors. It will take some work to get the kids coming back again.

Gary Rickard, Secretary TRPC

## Fall Sporting Clays is a Great Success

With balmy temperatures and clear skies, forty one shooters participated in our first Sporting Clays Fun Shoot for 2020/21. The Fun Shoot was held on Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 8:30 and lasting into the afternoon. A fun time was held by all and everyone enjoyed the challenging targets and camaraderie.

Sporting Clays is a challenging shotgun game where shooters move from station to station and are presented with a mix of targets. The course consists of 10 stations, or shooting locations. Five targets are thrown from each in the following order: a single target, a report pair of targets where a single target is thrown and a second follows upon the report of the gun, and finally a true pair, or two targets thrown simultaneously. Targets vary in size, speed and direction, and may be thrown through the air, or "rabbits", which are rolled across the ground.

This event raised over \$600 for our junior program. TRPC appreciates the sponsors of this event which included We Wash Windows and DSH Firearms. If you or your business would like to help sponsor the next event, please call or email the match director or club secretary.

Our warmest thanks to the TRPC members who contributed to making the event so successful; Andy Randall, Gary Rickard, John Schmidt, Henry Gainer, Rob Aguilera.

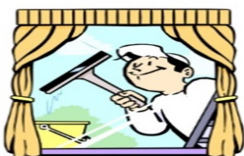
Our next Sporting Clays fun shoot will be Saturday, February 7th. Look for an announcement on the website and across the range. Expect to see some different presentations, the green bird event will be back, and perhaps a gimmick or two!



*Bruce Rutledge with his squad and family members. Bruce has participated in every event since 2015*



*Matt Kistler looks on as Jeff Snyder takes his shot at a rabbit.*



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**DSH FIREARMS & TRAINING**

You may have heard that Tom and I are moving to Tennessee. I am a life member of the TRPC and have been a big advocate of TRPC for many years. DSH Firearms & Training/Shop/Property is for sale @ \$399K. It is located on the corner of Centerville Road and Fleishmann Lane adjacent to the new Canopy at Welaunee development. This is a great opportunity for new owner(s) especially at such low interest rates! We have First Responder programs in our shop that no one else has in Tallahassee. We also now have an ammunition source that has asked for an introduction to the new owner(s). Our shop has an A+ training reputation that can also be carried on and we have an A+ loyal customer base. We will be leaving the display cases, desks, and much more. It will be walk-in ready to operate. We will also help the new owners learn the paperwork and operations. We are hoping someone will buy the shop and love it as much as we have. We will miss you all! Dawn Hoffman

## OCTOBER 7, 2020 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

- Quorum verified
- Motion to approve minutes from July 8, 2020, passed by GM
- No vacancies on the board
- President/Youth Program – Youth program will resume on October 11, 2020.
  - Boy Scout Fun Shoot had 88 scouts – thanks to all those that volunteered
- Vice President –
  - Steel house and Arcade on B Range has priority on range usage. 10, 15, & 25, yard target frames are available on A2 Range. Please be courteous to members wanting to utilize the steel targets. Please report any damages or broken plates on the steel targets
  - The 25 & 50 yard berms on D Range need to be raised
  - Ensure you are using the appropriate plates for the Texas Star
- Treasure's Report
  - The club is in good financial shape. Financials are available for review at any time.
  - The replacement cost for the new gate operator was \$15,000.
  - Please make sure guest fees are paid
  - Treasurer's report approved by GM
- Secretary
  - Membership stands at 412 –
  - Please be patient with the gate as it opens a little slower than the old gate.
  - October 31, 2020 workday will be 8:00 to 10:00 with no lunch served.
- Thanks to Billy Hartsfield for the RSO course conducted
- NRA Action – had 8 shooters in September
- Motion to move Steel Challenge from 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday to 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday – Steel Challenge match chairman requested the change to increase participation. The match was originally held on 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays and was better attended - after discussion – motion was approved by majority vote of membership
- Discussion regarding TRPC rules prohibiting fully auto firearms.
- Motion to adjourn