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The **March** meeting of the Zia Rifle & Pistol Club is scheduled for **Thursday, March 19th** at 7:00 PM at **Bear Canyon Senior Center, 4656 Pitt NE**. All members are welcome and encouraged to attend. If there is anything you would like to discuss, please contact Secretary, Chris Garrett.

See you there!

January 15, 2026 Zia Annual Meeting Minutes

The Annual meeting of the Zia Rifle and Pistol Club Board and Membership was called to order at 7:05 p.m. on January 15, 2026, at Glory Christian Fellowship Church, with President Pat Mileshosky presiding. A quorum of the BOD was achieved with 18 out of 21 board members in attendance.

Item I Welcome, Introductions, Attendance, and Approval of Agenda and Minutes

The 10% voting member attendance (175 including absentee ballots) was not met.

The meeting Agenda was approved with one addition (provide additional detail on the KAFB situation)

The December meeting Minutes were approved without changes.

Item II - Treasurer's report

Sharon Foreman presented the Treasurer's Report. She provided a detailed year-over-year comparison of the Club's finances from 2024 and 2025. Then she fielded questions from the room, which led to some good discussion. The Treasurer's Report was approved.

Item III Annual Business

Since the quorum for finalizing the annual ballot was not met, the mail-in voting period was extended to March. Ballots must be received by the Club Secretary no later than March 18, 2026. Ballots will be counted at the BoD meeting on March 19, 2026.

Annual Club dues were set to the same as last year (Regular \$175, Senior \$110, Associate \$30, Junior \$10).

The Club President appointed Jay Sullivan, Bill Richardson, Tim Johnson, and Ross Haney to serve on the Annual Audit Committee.

Item III Legislative Action Committee Report

Nate outlined some expectations for the upcoming 30-day legislative session. A "Ban Everything" bill was pre-filed in the Senate that bans the sale of many popular firearms and puts some very heavy new requirements on FFLs. Another pre-filed bill increases penalties for gun violence, and another removes the grace period for red-flag firearm turn-ins. Nate also explained that Santa Fe intended to filter out "form emails", so emails need to be personal. Using online AI tools to help you draft emails was an interesting idea from one of our members.

Item IV - Old Business

Pat Milesosky provided a detailed summary of the KAFB situation: how it started, what we did, and where it stands. Pat let the membership know that construction of new berms on the East Range is being actively discussed amongst the affected Activities. During the discussion, Pat explained the great help to the Club provided by Joe Benevidez and asked that his membership be provided by the Club for an additional year. A motion was made, seconded, and passed.

Item V - New Business

Toma Shaver brought up four of our junior shooters and they gave a report on the recent Winter Air Gun Competition held at the Olympic Training Center. Our shooters thanked the Club for all our support and described their experiences. We have some great youth in the Zia Junior Program!

Bill Richarson described an opportunity for the Air Gun Activity to have an electronic target system of their own. The Burque Bandits have offered to purchase a system for the Air Gun Activity to use if Zia agrees to host it in the Range House. The Junior Activity supports this idea. A motion was made to host the new system at Zia for the Air Gun Activity, seconded, and passed.

Ted Simmons got up to review Zia accomplishments during Pat's tenure as Club President. Ted's list combined with items from the room included recovering from a 100-year flood, getting the lease renewed, multiple improvements to the Range House, two new activities, online membership, a thriving youth program, overhaul of Club financial management, trainings and emergency response procedures to improve range safety, and dealing with KAFB. Pat said it was all possible because of the people around him.

Item VI - Adjourn

After discussing all the items on the agenda, the meeting was adjourned at 8:08 p.m. The next BOD meeting is at 7:00 p.m. on February 19, 2026 at the Bear Canyon Senior Center at 4645 Pitt St. NE.

2026 Board of Directors Meeting Schedule

All meetings are held at the Bear Canyon Senior Center, and begin at 7:00 p.m. All Zia members are welcome to attend. If there is an issue you would like to bring up to the Board, please contact Secretary, Chris Garrett a week prior to the meeting so that you may be put on the agenda.

- April 16
- May 21
- June 18
- July 16
- August 20
- September 17
- October 15
- November 19
- December 17

A Reminder

(yes they are still out there!)

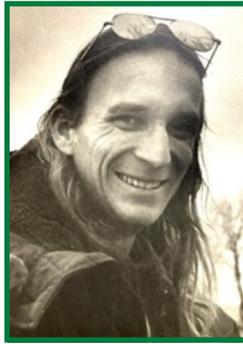
LOOK!



Watch your step!

Yes, we do have snakes at the range! And as the days get warmer, you are likely to see one. Please remember, you **cannot shoot them!** (Member Guidebook, item 9, Policy and Procedures.) Just keep an eye out, and remember: they don't want to be bothered any more than you do! This guy was spotted at the smallbore silhouette range across from the clubhouse. Thank you Joel Martin for the pic!

Member Spotlight Roger Finzel



How long have you been a Zia member?

I have been a member of ZIA since about 1990.

What made you want to join Zia?

I wanted to join as I had enjoyed action pistol shooting and since I came every week I joined.

When did you start shooting?

When I was 14 I sold greeting cards door to door and as a prize the company sent directly to me, a Marlin model 25 .22 bolt action rifle. A neighbor gave me a steel bullet trap which I set up in the basement of my families home in Detroit. I had a range of about 40 feet. I was a Cub Scout, then a Boy Scout and eventually an Explorer Scout. I started practicing 3 nights a week at home. I discovered there was a lot more to learning, on your own, how to shoot straight, than I realized. Eventually I got the hang of it. It would have been so much better if I had a ZIA club to go to.

What do you like most about Zia?

What I like most about ZIA are the many different activities available for all ages, and that we are totally self regulating on the range. Not only does this allow for safe variety of shooting opportunities, but it brings us all together respecting each other. The rules allow us to enjoy what we like and in the process respect and co operate with those on the range.

What activities do you participate in at Zia?

I mostly enjoy pistol shooting with a Glock 19 or a Makarov or a S&W snub nose .38. But I also enjoy shooting all manner of pistols .

Who do you shoot with the most?

I shoot mostly with the folks who shoot Action Pistol. I enjoy the camaraderie and the opportunity to share our enjoyment of the shooting sports without consideration of our jobs or personal politics. We enjoy and realize regardless of what we do we all share more things in common than what we disagree about.

I also enjoy teaching personal protection and that's how I got to try out a lot of other fine handguns. Today my teaching is limited to teaching the Firearms and the Law part of the wonderful Ladies Personal Protection Class, taught by Heidi Chowning.

What are your thoughts on things the Club should do in the future?

I think the club should work closely with, not only the state, but also the city and developers of the Mesa del Sol. Rather than fear

being forced out as developments continue, we should work to integrate our wonderful range as part of the recreational activities in this new community. After all, this is so much better than folks randomly shooting up the undeveloped land to the west. It could then be a compliment to the wonderful city range.

If you could get a shooting lesson from anyone, who would it be and why?

I have had a number of fine instructors that have helped me to be certified as an instructor in all of the shooting categories.

I also took an intense 3 day class with my wife. She couldn't pull the slide back when we started. At the end of the 3 days, she could load and fire from a holster 2 shots to the body and 1 shot to the head at 5 yards in 4 seconds. Thereafter she often carried and felt completely confident as she drove all over the state prosecuting capital cases. I recommend every one get professional instruction.

What is something interesting about you that's completely unrelated to shooting?

In 1963 I was a senior in college. I took to heart President Kennedy's request: "Ask not what your country can do for you. Ask what you can do for your country." That has been my guiding light for my entire life. I joined the US Peace Corps and was sent to India in 1964.

I was a volunteer attorney for 2 years living with and helping to defend the 375 American Indians indicted for their occupation of Wounded Knee South Dakota in 1973.

I was counsel for American Indians Against Desecration, fighting for the return of hundreds of thousands of American Indian skulls, mummies and sacred grave goods stored in the Smithsonian and other museums. With other lawyers assistance we sued to require the return of grave goods taken from Indian graves in Rivers Edge I in Rio Rancho.

After Congress passed the American Indian Graves Repatriation Act in 1990, our work was taken up by all Indian Nations. I became an assistant federal Public Defender to insure everyone charged with a crime got the best honest representation.

Thankyou Roger!



Results of the Small-Bore Rifle Silhouette Match February 1, 2026

What a day it was! The weather was great and so was the food. Oh, yeah, I guess that I should mention how fun the match was too. We had 22 shooters and 3 relays. All the first-place winners scored very well. Many 5 and 10-in-a-row pins were awarded. I'm telling you, if you haven't tried this type of shooting before, please come and see what it is all about. Once you do, you may be hooked like the rest of us!

½ Size Target Results

COMPETITORS NAME	CHICKEN	PIG	TURKEY	RAM	TOTAL	CLASS
Jerry C.	10	9/5	8/5	9/5	36	M
Sharon F.	9/5	10	10	6	35	M
John B.	9/5	9/5	8	8/5	34	M
Gary B.	8	10	7	9/5	34	AAA
Bill S.	8	8	8	8	32	N/C
Javier C.	9/5	10	5	8	32	AAA
Cohen A.	6	8	10	7	31	M
Tom F.	7	8	4	9/5	28	M
Casey A.	7	7	8/5	5	27	AAA
Nathan H.	7	5	9/5	5	26	AA
Guy N.	8	7/5	5	5	25	AA
Gary D.	6/5	8	5	6	25	AAA
Kaylee H.	5	9/5	8	2	24	AAA
Dennis B.	5	4	5	9/5	23	AA
Bill S.	10	7	1	3	21	AAA
Vic E.	4	9/5	5	3	21	AA
John R.	5	6	5	3	19	A
Lucinda S.	0	9/5	9/5	0	18	S
Wayne	6	4	1	2	13	AA
Dennis B.	1	6	1	4	12	I
John L.	2	0	1	2	5	B

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1/5 Size Target Results

COMPETITORS NAME	CHICKEN	PIG	TURKEY	RAM	TOTAL
Cohen A.	6	7	4	9/5	26
Jerry C.	5	5	4	5	19
Casey A.	6	3	7	1	18
Dennis B.	9/5	3	4	1	17
David B.	7	4	5	1	17
Guy N.	6	3	3	2	14
Kaylee H.	3	4	4	3	14

Highlighted scores indicate class winners.

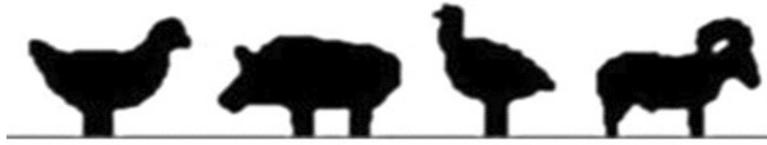
Please note the 5 and 10 in a row pin winners as indicated in the results tables.

The matrix for this class structure is:

Master 34 40
 AAA 28 33
 AA 21 27
 A 15 20
 B 0 14

This class structure has no bearing on any classifications or qualifications outside of this specific match. The purpose is to allow everyone a fair chance at competition and provide a structure for advancement. The way you advance to the next level is to shoot 3 subsequent scores within the higher range(s). New shooters will shoot “unclassified” and once a score is recorded, that will be the class in which they will shoot until higher scores move them “up”.

Small Bore Silhouette shooting is one of the most challenging sports for individual marksmanship. Many great shooting competitions offer challenging shots at long range from a bench or other supported position. All our shooting is done from a standing position swaying in whatever breeze there happens to be. We shoot 10 chickens at 40 yards, 10 pigs at 60 yards, 10 turkeys at 77 yards, and 10 rams at 100 yards. A total of 40 rounds are needed for a match plus sight in rounds. We shoot with .22 rim fire rifles with scopes or open sights. Any standard velocity or high velocity .22 short, long, or long rifle ammo is permitted but the extra hot rounds such as the STINGER or VIPER rounds and magnums are prohibited.



The following is information taken from the NRA Silhouette Rifle Rule book and explains the match time sequencing:

Time is not checked on each shot but is computed on the indicated allowance for each five-shot string. The Range Officer may terminate any relay before completion of the full-time allowance, if all competitors in that relay have completed firing.

Time Allowances:

- Ready Time - Fifteen seconds will be allowed after the command **READY** is given before the command **FIRE**.
- Two- and one-half minutes will be allowed to fire one shot on each target of a bank of five targets. Targets are shot in sequential order from left to right.
- Alibis** - 30 seconds will be allowed for each unfired round of the series in which the alibi is allowed.
- Shoot-offs** - 30 seconds will be allowed for each shot fired in a shoot off of ties.
- A minimum of 30 seconds will be allowed between the commands CEASE FIRE and READY.

The small-bore rifle silhouette match is held on the first Sunday of each month.

Setup starts at 8:00am. We will have a sight in/practice period starting after set-up and will start the match promptly at 9:00am.

This event is open to any Zia member/guest, and all are welcome. Juniors are encouraged to try this fun and challenging shooting sport.

The adjacent bench rest/plinking range to the immediate West of the Small-Bore Rifle Silhouette Range will be closed for the duration of our matches. This will allow us to provide participants with a higher level of safety.

For additional information contact Sharon Foreman, email: treasurer@ziarifleandpistolclub.com

The Critical Role of Eye and Ear Protection at the Zia Rifle and Pistol Range **Safety First: Protecting Your Senses While Shooting**

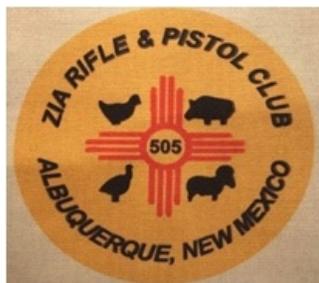
Whether you're a seasoned marksman or a newcomer to the sport, safety should always be your top priority at the Zia Rifle and Pistol Range. Among the most essential and often overlooked elements of range safety are eye and ear protection. The use of these protective devices is not only strongly recommended, but vital for preserving your long-term health.

Eye protection helps shield you from potential hazards such as flying debris, spent casings, and accidental firearm malfunctions. Even a small fragment or a splash of gunpowder can cause serious injury, so wearing safety glasses is a simple yet effective way to avert permanent damage.

Equally important, ear protection is necessary to guard against the intense noise generated by gunfire. Exposure to loud sounds can result in irreversible hearing loss or tinnitus, making the use of earmuffs or earplugs a must for every shooter. Consistent use of ear protection ensures you can continue enjoying the sport without sacrificing your hearing.

At the Zia Rifle and Pistol Range, adhering to these safety practices is more than just following rules it's about fostering a safe environment for everyone. Make it a habit to wear your eye and ear protection every time you shoot, and encourage others to do the same. Your senses are irreplaceable, so protect them every time you visit the range.

**Results of the Long Range/Xtended Long Range
Bench Rest Rifle Silhouette Match
February 8, 2026**



New For 2026!!

Economy class for both Standard and X-tended long-range competition:

For those wishing to use American made bulk type ammo at a lesser cost than imported premium ammo. This allows shooters to use less expensive ammo and compete with like-minded competitors.

Open Class for both Standard and X-tended long-range competition:

For those wishing to use premium ammo the Open Class is available. There is no limit of quality, cost or brand of ammo to use.

Results of the Standard Long Range:

COMPETITORS NAME	CHICKEN	PIG	TURKEY	RAM	TOTAL	CLASS
Guy N.	10	10	10	9	39	Open
Nathan M.	10	10	9	5	34	Open
John R.	8	10	9	7	34	Open
Kevin B.	9	9	9	8	34	Open
Tom F.	9	10	8	7	34	Economy
Karl K.	10	10	7	7	34	Open
Paul M.	10	10	6	6	32	Economy
Greg R.	6	8	5	6	25	Economy
John L.	5	10	7	1	23	Open
Erick L.	9	5	5	2	21	Economy
Javier C.	10	8	1	2	21	Economy
Gary D.	8	7	2	4	21	Economy
Jerry C.	5	8	1	5	19	Economy
Dennis B.	5	6	2	1	14	Economy

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Results of the X-tended Long range:

COMPETITORS NAME	CHICKEN	PIG	TURKEY	RAM	TOTAL	CLASS
Guy N.	10	8	8	9	35	Open
Lyn C.	9	8	10	8	35	Open
Frank C.	8	9	7	5	29	Open
Tom F.	7	8	6	6	27	Open
Ryan P.	10	5	4	5	24	Economy
John L.	7	4	4	3	18	Open
Paul M.	4	6	5	1	16	Economy
Dennis B.	1	4	2	1	8	Economy
Tavis	2	1	1	0	4	Economy

The bench rest rifle silhouette (formerly known as “Mouse Gun”) match is held on the second Sunday of each month.

For those of you that are wondering what we do...

For the Standard long range competition:

We take a scoped .22 rifle that has plenty of elevation adjustment and shoots long rifle ammo (**no stingers or hyper velocity**) and we shoot at 1/5 scale targets, whereas the chickens are set a 60 meters and are roughly 2”x2” in size. The pigs which are roughly 3”x4” are set at 100 meters, the turkeys, roughly 3”x5” tall are set at 150, and the rams 6”x4” are at 200 meters.

Relays consist of 10 chickens at 60 meters, 10 pigs at 100 meters, 10 turkeys at 150 meters, and 10 rams at 200 meters.

For the Xtended long range competition:

We shoot chickens at 150 yds. pigs at 200 yds., turkeys at 290 yds., and rams at 325 yds. The size of these targets are 3/8 scale much bigger than the standard 1/5 scale targets, but further away.

In order to shoot either long range match:

All you need is a sand bag, maybe a bipod, or perhaps a fancy bench rest rig, it doesn't matter as any type of rest is allowed. Following a 15 second “ready” each 10 minute relay allows for unlimited “sighters” at the beginning sighters being shots that are fired at a 8”x11” steel plate set at the same distance at each of the targets. When you are pretty sure that your rifle is sighted in good enough for that bay of targets, the “sighters” stop and you shoot 10 shots in left to right order in what is remaining of the 10 minute time allotment for score. This all done while sitting at a bench. It is a relaxed atmosphere and a ton of fun! A total of 40 rounds are needed for a match plus “sighters”.

Economy class for both Standard and X-tended long-range competition:

For those wishing to use American made bulk type ammo at a lesser cost than imported premium ammo. This allows shooters to use less expensive ammo and compete with like-minded competitors.

Open Class for both Standard and X-tended long-range competition:

For those wishing to use premium ammo the Open Class is available. There is no limit of quality, cost or brand of ammo to use.

Setup starts at 7:30 am. We will have a sight in/practice period starting after set up if possible, and will start the match promptly at 8:00am.

I encourage anyone with a .22 rifle to come out and give this a try! Most folks that have are now hooked.

If you have any questions, please call or text Tom 505-350-4026

Please note, on the 2nd Sunday of each month when this match is held on the East range, the F-Class range and the Precision Tactical range is closed for the duration of this event.

CONGRATULATIONS JUNIOR SHOOTERS!



L-R Tesa Fernandez, Cora Brown, Rhiannon Moore, Nevaeh Hoycot



James Tucker



Calling All Competitive Shooters!

Do you shoot competitively? Have you placed or won a trophy in a match recently? If so, please let us know. We want to hear all about it. Send us your accomplishments as well as the information on the match, when it was, where and what type match it was. Please include a photo, and we will put it in the newsletter.

You can send it to:
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NEW MEXICO 2026 Junior Olympic Qualifier RESULTS MATCH RESULTS				USA SHOOTING		NEW MEXICO	
SW = State Winner (Automatic Qualifier) PROBABLE/POSSIBLE = Guess based on 2025 invites - 2025 2nd Round cut scores - AGE GROUPS shown are as per ISSF Rules							
WOMENS AIR RIFLE				MENS AIR RIFLE			
Auto=585				Auto=585			
Name	60 Shot	Invite		Name	60 Shot	Invite	
GOLD MOORE	Rhiannon	587	SW	GOLD TUCKER	James	577	SW
N/E MUJAWAR	Shibani	580	Pass 2nd RND	SILVER AHNER	Cohen	568	
SILVER FERNANDEZ	Teresa	579	Pass 2nd RND	BRONZE JONES	Zaeder	545	
BRONZE SPOONAMORE	Jamie	575	Pass 2nd RND	DURHAM	Karson	543	
BROWN	Cora	570					
HOYCOTT	Nevaeh	564					
RAY	Alex	548					
ARELLANO	Alexis	548					
GARCIA	Aliyana	540					
WIERSEMA	Mariah	515					
HIGGINBOTHAM	Kaylee	511					
N/E = Not Eligible for State Awards							
WOMENS SMALLBORE RIFLE				MENS SMALLBORE RIFLE			
Auto=577				Auto=577			
Name	3x20	Invite		Name	3x20	Invite	
GOLD MOORE	Rhiannon	572	SW	N/E SVINKY	Brady	580	1st Rnd
SILVER BROWN	Cora	567		GOLD AHNER	Cohen	575	SW
BRONZE HOYCOTT	Nevaeh	559		SILVER TUCKER	James	562	1st Rnd
FERNANDEZ	Teresa	553		N/E FORRESTER	Jake	524	
HIGGINBOTHAM	Kaylee	528		BRONZE CHRISTENSEN	Lucas	293	
N/E = Not Eligible for State Awards							

Sporting Clays February 15, 2026

Bob Tottman	95
Anders Johansson	92
John Hunt	91
John Stroud	85
David Yee	84
Peter Gregory	83
Tim Johnson	81
Ralph Jordan	79
Beth Hanson	76
Ron Bjornberg	75
Vic Echeverria	74
Al Osmund	74
Clay Kuehn	73
Lyn Carter	72
Larry Railey	72
Rob Baldinell	71
Dean Pappas	68
Ben Sisk	66
Ken Cox	65
Dave Curry	58
Tim Cornish	58
Jim Hess	57
Andrew Kuehn	57
Jerry Shipman	56
David Neale	56
Seth Holcumb	54
Pat Snyder	53
Pete Makarenko	46
Sam Tabet	46
Emily Ortiz	33
Jordan Hinojos	26
Jody Howell	22

We had 32 shooters on the course today and the weather was fabulous for February. I hope everyone had fun! Thanks to those who helped set up squad, and clean up.
Tim Johnson



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Zia Rifle & Pistol Club



Please Read the Emails. Every One of Them.

Let's address something directly.

When the club sends an email, it is not optional reading.

Every month—sometimes every week—we receive questions, complaints, or frustrations about issues that were clearly communicated, in advance, via email. Range closures. Schedule changes. Policy updates. Legislative alerts. Lost and found notices. The information was sent. The information was clear. The information was timely. And yet, too many members still say, "I didn't see that."



Email is the primary and most effective way we communicate with a membership base of this size. It allows us to reach everyone quickly, consistently, and in writing. Social media is supplemental. Word of mouth is unreliable. Bulletin boards are limited. If you want the most

accurate and up-to-date information about your range, it will come through your inbox.

When we announce a range closure, it's not casual. It may be due to maintenance, safety concerns, weather conditions, special events, or necessary improvements. Showing up to a closed range because you didn't read the notice creates frustration for you and unnecessary strain on staff and volunteers.

When we communicate schedule changes, it's because something has shifted—sometimes with very little lead time. These adjustments are made carefully and for good reason. Ignoring those messages leads to confusion and avoidable conflict.

When we share lost and found notices, it's because members have left behind valuable firearms, equipment, or personal items. Reading those emails protects your property.

When we communicate range policy updates, those changes matter. They are tied directly to safety, liability, and the long-term health of this club. Policies are not suggestions. They are conditions of membership. If you are unaware of them because you chose not to read the email, that does not exempt you from compliance.

And when we send legislative alerts regarding attacks on the Second Amendment, that communication may be time-sensitive. These messages often include calls to action that can directly impact your rights as a firearm owner. Waiting days—or missing the message entirely—can mean missed opportunities to engage when it matters most.

We do not send emails casually. We are mindful of inbox fatigue. If you are receiving a message from the club, it is because the information is important, relevant, and necessary.

If you find our emails going to spam, fix it. Add the club address to your contacts. Adjust your filters. Take ownership of receiving the communications that protect your access, your privileges, and your rights. Membership in a private shooting range comes with responsibilities. Staying informed is one of them.

We are committed to transparency and timely communication. In return, we expect members to meet us halfway by reading what is sent.

It takes less than two minutes to scan an email. It saves hours of confusion, frustration, and preventable issues. Please read the emails. Every one of them.




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Zia Activity Calendar March/April 2026

High Power	Shotgun	Small Bore Silhouette	Action Pistol Berms	Indoor	Saturday	Sunday	High Power	Shotgun	Small Bore Silhouette	Action Pistol Berms	Indoor
			Action Handgun	Junior Practice	February 28	March 1	600 Yard Prone F-Class		SB Rifle Silhouette		NMO 0900 - 1200 Lois 281-2800
			Family Rimfire Steel	Junior Practice	March 7	March 8	SB Benchrest Silhouette				
Closed for term work			Action Handgun	Junior Practice	March 14	March 15	Hunter Pistol Silhouette RF & CF	Sporting Clays			
Precision Tactical Rifle			3 Gun Tactical Berms 2 & 3	Junior Practice	March 21	March 22		Wobble Trap			
3 Gun Tactical			Action Handgun	Junior Practice	March 28	March 29					NMO 0900 - 1200 Lois 281-2800
			Family Rimfire Steel	Junior Practice	April 4	April 5	600 Yard Prone F-Class		SB Rifle Silhouette	<i>Cancelled for Easter</i>	
			Action Handgun	Junior Practice	April 11	April 12	SB Benchrest Silhouette				
Precision Tactical Rifle			3 Gun Tactical Berms 2 & 3	Junior Practice	April 18	April 19	Hunter Pistol Silhouette RF & CF	Sporting Clays			
3 Gun Tactical			Action Handgun	Junior Practice	April 25	April 26		Wobble Trap			NMO 0900 - 1200 Lois 281-2800

***Note to non-members: Please coordinate with the Activity Director prior to the activity to ensure you can get onto the range.**

Activity	Setup/Sign In	Match	Contact
3-Gun Tactical	0800	0900	Ross 350-2557
600-Yard Prone (F Class)	0830	0900	Pat 266-8904
Action Handgun	0800	0900	Vic 239-2516
ARA Benchrest	0700	0800	Jay 717-5633
Family Rimfire Steel		0900	Ted 737-8580
Hunter Pistol Silhouette RF & CF	0800	0900	Dennis 239-4016
Junior Practice		0930-1530	Toma 307-2273
Precision Tactical Rifle	0730	0800	Steve 239-7554
SB Benchrest Silhouette	0730	0800	Tom 350-4026
SB Rifle Silhouette	0800	0900	Sharon 250-8546
Sporting Clays	0900	0930	Tim 520-310-9374
Wobble Trap		1000-1200	Peter 417-1495

Air Gun Activity

**Indoor Range
1st & 3rd Wednesday of Each Month
Bill - 385-6022**

Practice (Veterans Only) 0800-1400

Match (Zia Members) 1800-2000

March 4	April 1
March 18	April 15



Burque Bandits



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ziasignup@gmail.com



Please see following page for adjacent range closures.



Important! Please Read!

**Scheduled Match in Progress
Adjacent range(s) closed for
duration of match**

You will start to see this sign at some of the scheduled matches starting in November. For safety purposes and as documented in the by laws, Article VIII, Section 2(b) states:

Matches or tournaments will take precedence over other shooting activities at the Range and for safety reasons certain ranges will necessarily be closed during the hours of the match or tournaments.

Every effort will be made to publish range closures in the Club Newsletter and on the web site prior to such a match or tournament. The Range Officer in charge of the match shall have the authority to halt firing on any adjacent ranges which he deems unsafe to the competitors or other shooters.

Closures will be as follows:

Day Scheduled	Event	Range(s) closed
1st Saturday	ARA Bench rest	Small bore silhouette & 200 yd. rifle sight in range
1st Sunday	Small Bore Rifle Silhouette	ARA Bench rest & 200 yd. rifle sight in range
1st Sunday	600 yd. Prone (F class)	Precision Tactical Rifle and Hi-power Silhouette
2nd Sunday	Small Bore Bench rest Rifle Silhouette	Precision Tactical Rifle and 600 yd. prone (F class)
3rd Saturday	ARA Bench rest	Small bore silhouette & 200 yd. rifle sight in range
3rd Saturday	Precision Tactical Rifle	Hi-power Silhouette and the 600 yd. prone (F class)
3rd Sunday	Hunter Pistol Silhouette RF & CF	Precision Tactical Rifle and 600 yd. prone (F class)

*Your best bet is to check the monthly calendar for schedule changes. However, no matter the day/date scheduled, **when the scheduled match is being held, the indicated adjacent range(s) will be closed.***

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