



## INFORMATION & RULES

### MISSION

The Magpul Texas Youth Action Shootout (TYAS) is a freestanding match series provided by the TSRA Foundation, Inc. The series provides the opportunity for our Texas Youth and Coaches to come together, practice safe firearm handling, have fun, work as a team in an competitive environment, socialize with other like-minded individuals around the state, build confidence in marksmanship and prepare those athletes traveling to compete in the Scholastic Action Shooting Programs (SASP) in Texas, around the nation and at the SASP National competition each July

The series is governed by the Scholastic Action Shooting Program (SASP) handbook; however TYAS exceptions take precedence over governing body rules. Rule exceptions are extremely limited with focus on:

- a. One day competitive format, limiting expenses for travel and overnight stays
- b. Simplifying match administration and team registration and enhancing team participation

It is the responsibility of the athletes and coaches to know and comply with all rules of this competition.

The TYAS series is privately funded by the TSRA Foundation and from the solicitation of Texas based community supporters and industry partners. The TSRA Foundation does not expect, nor receive any financial assistance from the Scholastic Shooting Sports Foundation (SSSF) or the Scholastic Action Shooting Program (SASP).

### TYAS TEAM ELIGIBILITY & REQUIREMENTS

TYAS participants (athletes or coaches) do NOT have to be a registered member of the governing body SASP to participate in the series. SASP team and athlete membership is at the discretion of the coach/team manager. Teams may be comprised of athletes of mixed gender and from various communities and or youth organizations. Youth organization examples include but are not limited to; gun clubs, 4-H, FFA, boy or girl scouts, V.F.W posts and much more.

### REGISTRATION & ENTRY FEES

\$40 per gun ~ Athletes may enter 1 firearm discipline per match. The Match Director has discretion to allow for a second firearm discipline to fill a competitive squad and pre-approval is required. The 2<sup>nd</sup> firearm will NOT be eligible for HOA. The intent of this rule is to allow a squad short one or two shooters to compete as an actual squad, not as a Ghost Squad. Our goal is to successfully complete all matches in a 1-day format to limit expenses for shooters and teams.

- Registration is maintained using the Practiscore system. Each match will have its own individual registration section in practiscore and may be found [HERE](#) for their respective date.
- Registration will CLOSE seven (7) days prior to scheduled match. IF you have a registered shooter cancel after registration is closed, you are still responsible for entry fees.



- Entry fees will be collected on-site at the match. We would request each participating team designate one (1) person to turn in fees to make check-in easier on everyone.
- Cash and checks (payable to: TYAS/TSRAF) are preferred.

### **2018-2019 Season Disciplines:**

Rimfire Pistol

Centerfire Pistol

1911 Pistol - Centerfire 1911's are not permitted to compete in the same discipline as the Centerfire Handgun Discipline / Stock Service Pistol.

Rimfire Rifle Optic

Rimfire Rifle Iron

PCC (Pistol Caliber carbine)

### **WAIVERS**

Coaches, please provide athletes with and collect the following prior to the first match of the TYAS season for participating athletes. At times a range may request additional waivers and those will be communicated to you.

- **TSRAF WAIVER, RELEASE OF LIABILITY & ASSUMPTION OF RISK**
- **TSRAF PHOTO RELEASE**
- **Range facility as requested**

### **2018 – 2019 MATCH SCHEDULE**

The TYAS matches will ONLY be held in a 1-day format in order to continue to keep the out of pocket costs to a minimum for participating athletes and families.

- October 27 Match #1 Season Opener ~ Dripping Springs, TX – Hog Heaven
- December 1 Match #2 TYAS State Rifle Match ~ Corpus Christi, TX – CC Rifle & Pistol Club
- February 2 Match #3 Corps of Cadets ~ Navasota, TX – CCC Shooting Complex
- March 30 Match #4 ~ Reveille Peak Ranch – Burnet, TX TENTATIVE
- May 4 Match #5 TYAS State Pistol Match ~ Reveille Peak Ranch – Burnet, TX

### **HEAD & ASSISTANT COACH /ADULT VOLUNTTER REQUIREMENTS**

Please refer to SASP handbook for details. TYAS is working on additional training and education for our coaches, athletes and volunteers. More information to come.



## TYAS COMPETITIVE SQUAD(S) RULES

### DIVISION SQUAD

- Consists of at least four (4) athletes in the same TYAS division with NO ghost entries. Example: Four (4) Intermediate athletes = Division squad (Intermediate Team Award)
- 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> place will be awarded by division and discipline

### OPEN SQUAD

- Consists of 4 athletes from multiple divisions and NO ghost. Example: One (1) Intermediate athlete + Two (2) Varsity athletes + One (1) Collegiate athlete = Open squad (Open Team Award)
- Must have prior approval by TYAS management.
- 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> place will be awarded as OPEN and discipline

If you are unable to make one of the above two squads (Division or Open) your team will have the choice of the following:

- A. **GHOST SQUAD** – Teams with this option have to decide on one of the following for their entries:
- Consists of a minimum of 3 athletes of the same division and 1 ghost entries. Example: Three (3) Intermediate athletes + 1 ghost = Intermediate squad (Intermediate Team Award)
  - Must have prior approval by TYAS management.
  - Scoring for a GHOST squad ~ Ghost score will be entered with a maximum of 120 seconds
  - Awards for GHOST squad ~ The squad will NOT be bumped to the OPEN squad for awards. Squad award will be Division and discipline.
- B. **INDIVIDUAL SCORE** – athletes will only be competing for HOA score and awards.

## TYAS DIVISIONS

Competitive squads are organized by TYAS division and discipline only

Rookie (rifle only)	Grades 5 and below (Rifle ONLY)
Intermediate	Grades 6-8
Varsity	Grades 9-12
College	Full time enrolled student. May compete with prior TYAS/SASP team; however may not NOT be squadded with HS age or younger. Variances may be considered on a case by case basis.

\*\* Coaches may use their discretion, and with prior approval from the Match Director, allow an athlete younger than 5<sup>th</sup> grade to participate on their team and at a TYAS match in the ROOKIE rifle division only. Should the athlete at any time not be able to demonstrate the ability to SAFELY handle a firearm they may be asked to be dismissed from a TYAS match.



## AWARDS

High Overall Awards:

Male & Female HOA – Rimfire / Centerfire / 1911 or PCC

Male & Female HOA – Rifle OPTIC

Male & Female HOA – Rifle IRON

Team Awards: 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> place with more than 1 competitive squad. If there is only 1 squad in that discipline & division NO award will be given, only recognition during awards. Example: if there is only 1 (one) 4-man squad entered into the 1911 discipline, only recognition will be given, no plaque or HOA.

### 2018-2019 Tippman Arms Rifle Drawing

The TYAS series has purchased two (2) M4-22 Elite L Tactical rifles. The firearms will be made available during the series to try out. One (1) athlete and One (1) team will be awarded a rifle at the end of year match in 2019. Entry to win will be given as followed: Each time an athlete participates in a match their name will be entered to win. Each time a Team participates in a match the team name will be entered to win.

NEWS / UPDATES & GENERAL INFORMATION:

[TYAS Facebook](#)

[TYAS Website](#)

[TYAS Facebook Coaches Forum](#)

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