

July 3rd 9 am till 7 pm

Lone Star Gun Range

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ANNUAL Free - Free Shooting, Free BBQ, Free firearm rental - To celebrate our 4th year in business, our Independence, and Your right to “Keep and Bear Arms”!

Free BBQ while it lasts. Purchase of ammo from range required for free firearm rental.

Ross and Dottie will be cooking so come by and see us and enjoy some good eats.

Lots of talk about bills on 2nd Amendment Rights of carry rights being proposed in the US Congress but at this time do not know of any that have any interest or of progress being made because of lack of backing on both sides of the isle. Lots of people are up for elections this fall so keep on top of information so you can chose the best candidate.

Austin Area NRA Friends Banquet

Banquet and Auction to benefit the

<http://www.nrafoundation.org/>

Tuesday Evening, August 17, 2010

at the Balcones Country Club 8600 Balcones Dr., Austin, TX 78750

Tickets are \$40 each or \$75 per couple

Available at fine supporting merchants in the Austin Area:

- * McBride's Guns
- * Red's Indoor Range Pflugerville and Oak Hill
- * Heritage Firearms

Memo from Alice Tripp at TSRA

They need volunteers from around the state to help in short term office and political campaigns. Contact the Austin Office if you can help out. email at svc@tsra.com

Guess the new rush of information and new legislation is starting. So will preview some of the things coming up. At the end of this newsletter, I have set out the new processes for applying.

Went to hear Alice Tripp speak and they are hoping that the new legislators will again be open to improving the concealed handgun laws even further. Keep in touch with them, or get on our e-mail or whatever you need to be sure you are alerted if they need people to contact legislators on specific legislation and what the outcome is.

NEW PROCESSES FOR APPLYING FOR A NEW LICENSE

You can start your application for a concealed handgun license in two different ways.

1. GO ONLINE

(http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/administration/crime_records/chl/chlindex.htm),

- complete the online application
- complete your affidavits online

When you complete payment, it will give you a receipt. You **must print** out the receipt/notice/checklist that appears telling you any additional paperwork needed. **It will have a barcode and must be included with the additional items.**

Be sure you understand what you are swearing to when you complete the process. You will not receive an application packet in the mail.

Set up a class date and come to class with your printed out checklist and identification. We will complete your photographs and fingerprints in class. You will be issued a CHL 100 showing that you have passed.

Mail the required documentation to DPS for them to process the background checks and issue your license.

OR YOU CAN JUST COME TO CLASS

2. We will have application packets and go over the eligibility requirements and documents. We can notarize your affidavits, do your photographs, fingerprints, do the range qualification and the 10 hours of training. .

You will be issued a CHL 100 showing that you have passed. This must also be included in the documentation.

Mail the application packet to DPS to process the background checks and issue your license.

If you make arrangements to have your fingerprints done by the DPS Crime Records (Fast Data) people, remember you must still send in two passport photos.

RENEWAL APPLICATIONS - You can begin the process 6 months prior to your license expiration date. If you have taken the class, gotten your license and renewed one time, a second time and this is your third time to renew, call DPS as you may not have to take the class and range qualification but every 10 years.

RENEWAL APPLICATIONS NO LONGER REQUIRE THE FINGERPRINTS AND PHOTOGRAPHS. If license is already expired, you must renew before your next birth date or you will have to start over. The renewal process can be completed by

1. Go ONLINE

(http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/administration/crime_records/chl/chlsindex.htm),

- complete the online renewal application

- complete your affidavits online

When you complete payment, it will give you a receipt. You **must print** out the receipt that appears telling you any additional documents/paperwork needed. **It will have a barcode and must be included with the additional items needed by DPS.**

Be sure you understand what you are swearing to when you complete the process. You will not receive an application packet in the mail.

Set up a class date and come to class with identification. When you complete the class, you will be issued a CHL 100. Mail the required documentation to DPS to process the background checks and issue your renewal license.

2. OR

Call DPS 512/424 7293 and request your renewal application packet

Set up a class date and come to class with identification and your renewal papers.. We will notarize your affidavits.

You will be issued a CHL 100. Mail the renewal application with payment attached, affidavits and any other required documentation to the DPS to process and issue your renewal license.

Know all of this is confusing so please give us a call if you have any questions.

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