

March 28th, 2010 KTSA 3 – Gun Fun Match

I would like to give a huge hand to all the volunteers that spent many hours doing set up and tear down at this Spring's Multi-Gun Fun Match. Without your help I could never have put it all together. I hope everyone enjoyed themselves and had a fun but challenging time.

The turnout was better than anticipated, which shows me the interest level is growing. With enough volunteers and interest from other clubs we may one day turn this into a league of its own.

As with anything new there are growing pains and this match highlighted quite a few. Several people were disqualified from individual stages for breaking 90 degrees, and others should have been. Warnings were given for using inappropriate equipment and there were some issues with sharing firearms and using more than the 3 firearms started with. There was even talk of a dropped firearm, with no repercussions.

The Range Officers could have been stricter and in future matches, instructions to them will be improved to ensure the high level of safety that this sport is noted for is maintained. We will keep the spirit of a 'fun' match, but not provide competitive advantage by ignoring the rules.

With the inconsistency between the squads the match committee has decided not to compile the scores and produce standings.

Our next Multi-gun match is September 18th, 2010.

I look forward to seeing everyone out again, and hope those who attended from other clubs start looking at putting their own match on.

Thank you,

Geoff House