

NATURAL RIGHT

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

It is hard to believe we have had 2 ½ years of USPSA matches. The shooting range is doing exactly as I was hoping it would. We have been hosting Steel Challenge matches the first Saturday of each month and a USPSA match the third Saturday of each month. The surprising stat is the attendance to the matches comes predominantly from the coast, New Orleans, Jackson area and even from Alabama. The goal for the next year is to get more Forrest County residents involved in the practical shooting sport.

Range membership is growing some. We are seeing more hunters needing to sight in rifles. With 300 yards they have plenty of room to improve accuracy about as far as you would like to shoot any live targets in south Mississippi.

system to Range officer certifications, to adherence to rules and procedures.

Natural Right Firearms became a USPSA club (MS20) in September of 2021. The year was a success from the standpoint of having local Steel Challenge and USPSA matches. In 2022 we became even better organized as a club. We held 10 Steel Challenge matches and 10 USPSA matches in our second but first full year as a club. In 2023 we improved even more to shoot 8 steel challenge and 14 USPSA matches.

I share all these stats to say my goal as a range master of NRF Club is to host fun, challenging, competitive, yet safe matches. My goal has never been to be the best shooter or to gain classifications with every type of gun. My goal has been to provide the venue for local participants to be able to compete for those achievements. USPSA has for the last three years been the partner organization we needed to accomplish this goal.

Recent news within the organization have caused me to question my confidence in USPSA. In fact, I am embarrassed to see how an organization of this scale could be acting as childish as they are. This organization is supposed to be for the members. All the comments I have read in social media about sharing classified documents seems juvenile when you consider the board should be acting for the members. What could be classified unless it is to hide improprieties by the board itself? Hopefully USPSA will get its act together or clubs like NRF will have to

ACHIEVEMENTS

I love to see people achieve their goals. People who work hard to achieve success deserve recognition. Within USPSA there are several divisions which shooters can obtain classifications. People who first join are U -or unclassified. Then within each division they can move to D class, C class, B class, A class, Master and finally Grand Master. In 2023 NRF Club has seen three members achieve some great goals. Billy Herrington and Jamie Fuqua both reach Grand Master in Carry Optics division and Brayden Herrington, a junior shooter, reached Master class in Open division. While the range had nothing to do with their sacrifice and practice, we want to publicly congratulate them for their hard work.



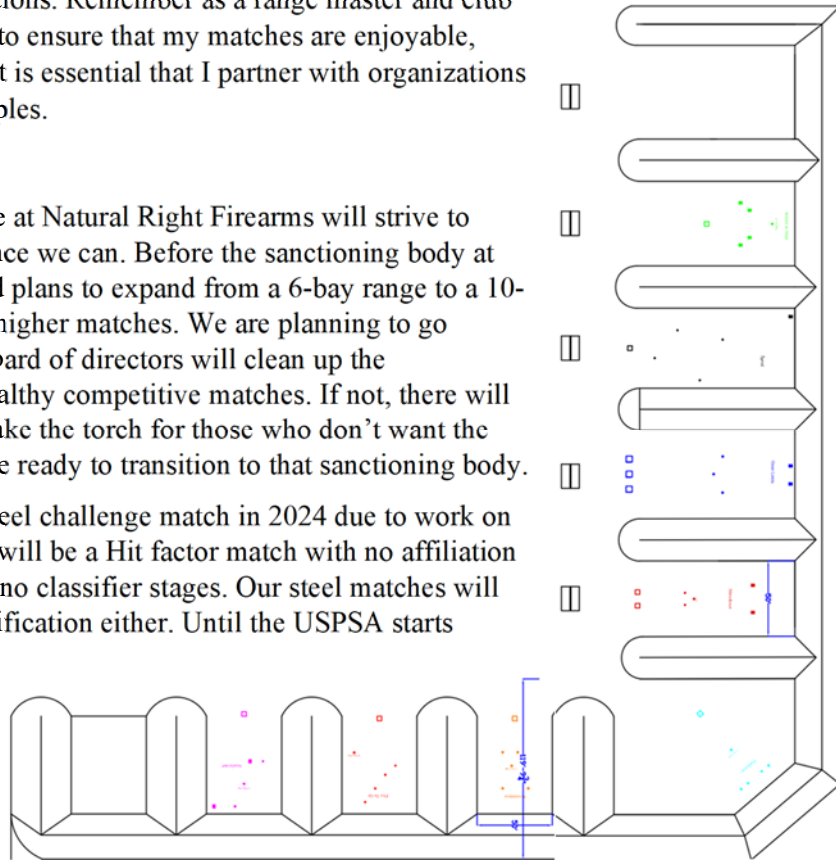
On a more subdued note, in 2021 I built NRF shooting range. My primary goal for building the range was to charter a USPSA club and provide fun challenging practical shooting competitions utilizing Unite States Practical Shooting Association. I did some research and found USPSA and Steel Challenge to be one of the best organizations from their classification

consider optional sanctioning organizations. Remember as a range master and club organizer my primary responsibility is to ensure that my matches are enjoyable, challenging, and safe for participants. It is essential that I partner with organizations that share commitments to these principles.

THE RANGE

Regardless of the actions of USPSA we at Natural Right Firearms will strive to provide the very best shooting experience we can. Before the sanctioning body at USPSA lost its direction we had started plans to expand from a 6-bay range to a 10-bay range so we could host Level 2 or higher matches. We are planning to go forward with those plans hoping the Board of directors will clean up the organization and we can get back to healthy competitive matches. If not, there will be another sanctioning body that will take the torch for those who don't want the politics just the competition. We will be ready to transition to that sanctioning body.

Plans for January are to skip the first steel challenge match in 2024 due to work on the range. The first run and gun match will be a Hit factor match with no affiliation to any sanctioning body. There will be no classifier stages. Our steel matches will not count toward Steel Challenge classification either. Until the USPSA starts conducting organizational business in a more ethical manner Natural Right Firearms does not plan to re-affiliate with them.



CLASSES

MS Enhanced Carry Class

Saturday February 27th 8:00am to 4:00pm

Follow the link below to register.



The class limit is 10 participants.

Details

Event by: Natural Right Firearms
Location: 188 J.B. Horne Road, Hattiesburg MS 39401

Price: \$120.00

Requirements

- Functioning Handgun
- Eye and Hearing protection
- At least 50 rounds of ammunition

Course Outline

- Introduction
- Developing a Personal and Home Protection Plan
- Self-Defense Firearms Basics
- Defensive Shooting Fundamentals
- The Legal Use of Force
- Violent Encounters and Their Aftermath
- Renewal Procedure
- Permit Requirements
- Places off limits when carrying.
- Enhanced Permit Endorsement
- Places off limits with enhanced carry endorsement
- Live Range Fire Exercises



Go to

www.naturalrightfirearms.com/EnhancedCarry.html Fill out and submit class registration form to attend.

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