3M Club Trap and Skeet Club 2022 Club Membership Letter and Registration Packet

February 5, 2022

Greetings 3M Club Trap and Skeet Shooters!

I would like to announce that the 3M Trap and Skeet club will have a 2022 Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand season. We are planning on a full slate of teams similar to 2019 (pre-pandemic) for Trap and Skeet, pending any restrictions which may be imposed by the 3M Club or 3M Corporate. At this time we do not have exact information regarding social distancing, mask usage or other Covid protocols which we may have to abide by.

Summer Clubhouse Opening: On March 19th weather permitting or March 26th, will be the opening of the Summer Shooting Season, starting at 11am, all club members are encouraged to participate in assisting with clubhouse opening activities. Once all tasks are completed open shooting there is open shooting until 4pm.

Summer Shooting:

To begin the 2022 summer season the range will open at 3:00 PM on Tuesdays and Wednesdays - April 5th and 6th and 12th and 13th - for practice shooting and registered league shoot-ahead rounds. Summer Trap League officially begins on April 19th and 20th and ends in late August. We are planning on a full 16 week schedule of trap shooting a full 18 week of skeet shooting and a 10 event 5-stand league season (between May 2nd and August 31st)

Important items for 2022:

- How we operate and assemble for shooting may be similar to last year. We will be required to follow 3M Club and 3M Cottage Grove COVID-19 Protocols.
- If we cannot hire trappers for the 2022 season we will have to recruit individuals to assist in operating the ranges. At this time the compensation may be in the form of a shooting card and a box of shotgun shells for every 1 hour block of time. Please let us know if you are interested.
- If we cannot hire trappers additional duties will be assigned to the trap teams besides filling the houses. We truly appreciate your assistance with these tasks.
- If you do not designate which day you prefer your trap team to shoot, your team will be assigned a night to shoot, which should be the same as the night you normally shot for leagues in 2019. Part of our COVID-19 Operational procedures is to have no more than 150 people at the range at any one time.

Lastly, please honor the policy that teams cannot begin loading trap houses until after 7:30 pm or when most trap shooting is complete. A team trap loading schedule will be released prior to the summer league season with guidelines on loading quantities.

High School Participants: The 3M Trap & Skeet Club continues to promote and support the sport for our youth and as a consequence we will again balance our calendar to allow high school students to utilize our facility. Last season Club members donated over \$1000 to support the fastest growing High School sport and it was well received by the teams. Please continue to support this endeavor with your donation located in the Registration packet. Teams will shoot on Sundays and Mondays.

Practical Shotgun: Back by popular demand, the Practical Shotgun events will return. Details to follow in March.

3rd Annual 3M 100 Trap Shooting Event: Scheduled for August 30-31 more info to follow.

Fall Open Shooting: The 2022 season ends with Fall Open Shooting beginning Sunday, September 11 from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM and on each Sunday thereafter until October 23. This is also the day we closedown and winterize the summer clubhouse. If the club elects to have open

This is also the day we closedown and winterize the summer clubhouse. If the club elects to have open winter shooting in 2022 we will move the necessary items from the summer club house to the bird house.

Annual 3M Trap and Skeet Club Banquet and Awards: Scheduled for September 15 at the VFW Red Barn, Cottage Grove. Invitations will be sent to members as event gets closer.

New and Updated 3M Trap and Skeet Club Policies: Posted on the website http://claytargets.wixsite.com/3mclubtrapandskeet

- 1. Guest Membership Policy
- 2. On Field Training Policy
- 3. Foul Weather Policy (3M Trap, Skeet, and 5 Stand league Lightning Procedure)
- 4. Gun Safety and Etiquette (attached)

Range Projects: If the Board of Directors identify any Range Projects, both upgrades and maintenance, the membership will be notified for help implementing. Plan is to communicate by email and posting in the clubhouse.

Up to date calendar: will be posted in the clubhouse

Registration:

Your Registration packet includes a Liability Waiver which the 3M Club requires all club members sign before shooting at the range. Please be sure to sign and return the Liability Waiver along with the Registration form and your annual membership fee. Visitors will be able to sign a waiver at the range when paying for their round. The waiver should then be turned into the cashier.

Important Registration Notices

- As indicated last year, please pay particular attention to the section titled "Help your Club". The
 Board of Directors encourage and appreciate all registrants to fill in at least one box according to your
 volunteer strengths and talents. Please complete all sections in which you wish to participate, ending
 with your signature and the date.
- Individuals who wish to join the 3M Club Trap & Skeet Club are not obligated to join a league. You can be a member and shoot trap, skeet or 5-stand clays at your leisure outside of league shooting.
- Summer league Trap, Skeet and 5-Stand Clays registrations are due on or before March 25th, 2022.
- The club encourages you to have your 2022 registration form and waiver submitted by the March 25th deadline.
- You can make a donation to help support the MSHSCTL Cottage Grove and Hastings high school trap teams shooting at the club this year. You will find the donation line at the end of the 2022 registration form.

This registration will be e-mailed to all recent club members of record with a valid e-mail address. Paper copies will be sent through the U.S. Mail to members without an internet address.

The 3M Trap & Skeet Club now e-mails registration forms, banquet invitations, and other correspondence to its club members. Therefore, please provide your current e-mail address when registering. If your e-mail address changes, please go to the club website, click on "Registration", click on "Update E-mail Address", and use the instructions in the MS Word attachment to send your new address.

The club website address is: http://claytargets.wixsite.com/3mclubtrapandskeet

You may receive 3M Trap & Skeet Club e-mails from one or more 2022 board members. Please set your spam filter to accept e-mails, with possible large distribution lists, from these accounts.

FAMILY MEMBERS:

To qualify as a family member in the 3M Trap & Skeet Club, the shooter must meet one of the following criteria:

- Be a spouse of a 3M Employee or 3M Retiree
- Be a dependent child under the age of 21 or a full-time student under the age of 25 living at home with the 3M Employee or 3M Retiree.

If a shooter does not meet one of the above criteria, and is not a 3M Employee or 3M Retire, he or she will be considered a guest member of the club.

GUEST MEMBERS:

The 3M Club requires the 3M Trap & Skeet Club to continually monitor its guest membership to assure it meets the requirement that the ratio of 3M Employees/3M Retirees to guest members ratio is 1:1 or greater. 2022 guest members need to return their registration form by March 25 to maintain their guest membership for 2022. If it becomes necessary, the club will queue up registration forms on a first-come first-serve basis for new 2022 guest members and 2021 guest members who submitted their registration AFTER the March 25th deadline.

Further clarification of Guest Membership can be found on the club website below, under "Rules and Policies" – **Guest Membership Policy**.

Log on to the 3M T&S website to update your contact information or to obtain registration forms and view any other information that you need at http://claytargets.wixsite.com/3mclubtrapandskeet

Safety Notice

Personal safety is a top priority at the club and it is important that each member know and understand the club's safety rules. The rules are provided in this packet and are available on the club's website.

TRAP AND SKEET CLUB - GUN SAFETY RULES & ETIQUETTE

Please read them carefully – safety is our top priority.

If you find yourself in any uncomfortable position at the club, please do not handle the situation by yourself. This also means questions regarding shotgun etiquette, safety, rules and regulations or any other inquiry. Please do not instruct the trappers. If you have questions or concerns, please contact a Board of Directors person to help. The cashier should be able to help you locate a Board of Director member if needed.

Thanks for taking the time to read this letter and please do not hesitate to contact me or any board member if you have any questions or comments about the club, league shooting, safety or any other general item.

I look forward to another great year of safe and enjoyable clay target shooting!!

Best Regards, Jeff Peterson 2022 President 3M Club Trap and Skeet Club Jeffpmn19@gmail.com

2022 3M Club Trap & Skeet Club League Registration Form

Complete both pages of this form, <u>sign</u> and <u>date</u> before submitting. Unsigned and/or undated forms cannot be accepted. <u>Only one form</u> can be used for each club member. Incomplete data may delay your registration.

Check <u>only one</u>	Empl #
3M Employee (\$10 annual)	
3M Retiree (\$10 annual)	
3M Family Member ¹ (\$10 annual)	
Guest Member ² (\$35 annual)	

Check <u>only one</u>					
	Club Membership Only				
	Club Membership plus leagues				

Help	vour	Club!

I can	help	with	projects	relating	to
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Simple carpentry/repairs/painting
Electrical wiring/appliance hookups
Plumbing repair/replacement
Landscaping/pruning/cement work
General help when peeded

General help when needed
Open/Close/Managing the range

Contact Information: (left column indicates who needs to fill out the field)

All	Name (print clearly):					
3M'er	3M mail stop:					
3M'er	3M Club Location (check one) St. Paul Cottage Grove					
3M'er	3M Phone #:					
Fam/Guest 3M Retiree	Home address:					
All	Home Phone #:					
All (optnl)	Cell Phone #: I'm willing to receive texts (Yes / No)					
All	e-mail address:					
Guest	3M Sponsor Name:					
Guest	3M Sponsor Empl #:					
Fam	Family Member (check one)		Spouse		Dependent	
Fam	Spouse or Parent's Employee #	<u>:</u>				

- Family members must be a spouse or dependent child of a 3M employee or 3M retiree who is a member of the 3M Club. A dependent child must be under age 21 and living at home, or a dependent full-time student under age 25.
- ² Guest members must be sponsored by a 3M employee or 3M retiree who is a member of the Trap & Skeet Club.

3) Summer Season Events (Registration form due by	/ <mark>March 25</mark> if you compete in summer le	agues)	
Team 16 Yard Trap League		(\$4)	\$
Team Capt's Name	(or) I need a team assigned ()		
Preferred shooting night if you need a team: T	ues () Wed () Either ()		
Senior Trap League (16 yards)		. (\$6)	\$
Team Capt's Name	(or) I need a team assigned ()		
Preferred shooting night if you need a team: T	ues () Wed () Either ()		
Team 5 Man 5-Stand League (5 persons max/3 person	min)	(\$6)	\$
Team Capt's Name	(or) I need a team assigned ()		
Preferred shooting night if you need a team: T	ues () Wed () Either ()		
Individual Trap Yardage League		. (\$8)	\$
Individual Trap Doubles League		. (\$8)	\$
Team 12ga Skeet League		. (\$4)	\$
Team assignments made by Skeet Director			
Team 28ga Skeet League		. (\$4)	\$
Team assignments made by Skeet Director			
Team .410 Skeet League		(\$4)	\$
Team assignments made by Skeet Director			
Team Skeet Doubles		(\$4)	\$
Team assignments made by Skeet Director			
I would like to make a donation to help support the Mini school trap teams participating at the 3M Club Trap and	d Skeet Club.		, ,
		Donatio	n\$
4) Total Payment (Annual Membership, Summer Leag	gue Fees, MSHSCTL Donation)		
	Total Amount I	Enclose	ed\$
Cash () (Send at	your own risk!) or Check #		
I Have Read and Agree to Abide by 3M Club	Frap & Skeet Club Gun Safety Rule	es	
Signature	Date		
All 3M Club Trap and Skeet Club members are exped agreeing to help when asked by club officers. This inclu the clubhouse, picking up empty shells, loading trap at	udes following and enforcing club safety i		
Make checks payable to: 3M Club Trap & Skeet Clu	ıb		
Send this registration form, along with a check to: (Se	end cash at your own risk!)		
3M Internal (Intra-Office) Address	3M External Address		
Reney Langois Commercial Solutions 280-4E-44	Reney Langlois 3M Company, Bldg. 280-4E-44 St. Paul, MN 55144-1000		



Waiver of Liability Agreement

l, ("Participant"), acknowledge tha 3M Club Trap & Skeet Club		rticipate in the followin	g activity club/sports club/eve	ent .
Description of activities which Particip	pant will engage in			
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	I verify this statement by placing	g my initials:		
	Parent or Guardian's initials (if t	under 18):		
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Participant Name (Please Print)		Parent o	r Guardian Name (Please Pri	nt)
Participant Signature		Par	ent or Guardian Signature	
IF YOU ARE UNDER 18 YEARS		, , , ,	MUST SIGN AND INITIAL T	HIS FORM WHERE
Address:				
City, State, Zip:		Your Phone Number	r: 	
Emergency Contact:		Emergency Contact	Phone Number:	

3M CLUB TRAP AND SKEET CLUB TRAP, SKEET CLUB and 5 STAND - GUN SAFETY RULES & ETIQUETTE

- 1. Members of the Board of Governors (TRAP, SKEET and 5 STAND Directors and other club officers) will act as Range Safety Officers. These personnel have the right to dismiss any individual from the shooting range for unsafe actions and have the authority to close the fields upon determination of unsafe shooting conditions.
- 2. SKEET and 5 Stand No gun will be loaded until the shooter is on the shooting station and ready to call a target.
- 3. TRAP Loading the Gun: The placing of a single live round into the chamber (two for doubles trap) is allowed when...
- a. There is not an active "cease fire" called or in progress.
- b. There is no one down field in the line of fire and the orange cone or other designated "cease fire" indicator has been removed from the trap house.
- c. A score keeper is present, ready, and located behind the shooters.
- d. All shooters are standing prepared at their proper station.
- 4. TRAP Closing the Action: Young age and/or newer shooters are encouraged to not close their actions until it is their turn to shoot. This is consistent with high school trap shooting rules. A young shooter must have a hunter's safety card and be ready to show it upon request. Also young shooters are required to have an experienced older shooter present on the field at the time of the event.
- 5. An experienced shooter may close his/her action containing a live round at any time when...
- a. When item 2 (in the case of Skeet and 5 Stand) and/or 3 (in the case of TRAP) are satisfied.
- b. The squad is actively shooting targets.
- c. The shooter still has a need to fire from that station.
- d. The barrel is kept in a downrange orientation (not straight down, not horizontal)
- e. The closing of the action is timed so as not to disrupt other shooters.

These requirements are consistent with ATA rules.

- 6. A shooter shall in no manner interfere with the preceding shooter or otherwise create an observable distraction on the line. This means:
- a. Do not begin raising your gun until the preceding shooter has fired,
- b. Do not pick up shells from a box on the ground. Use a vest, shell bag or a box holder.
- c. Shooting a semi auto shotgun can cause a distraction by launching spent shells into your nearest neighbor on the trap line. A shell catcher attached to the receiver (may be a simple rubber band, carry extra they break) is STRONGLY recommended.
- d. SKEET No member of a squad having shot from one station shall proceed toward the next station in such a way as to interfere with another shooter. It is recommended for the courtesy to team members, that shooters do not advance more than one-third of the way to the next shooting station until all shooters have completed the station.
- 7. When changing from station to another station in TRAP, SKEET or 5 STAND, guns must be unloaded and actions open. Also, it is recommended the TRAP or 5 Stand shooter moving from station 5 to station 1, rotate to the right and proceed to station 1 behind the other squad members. This will prevent injury to the following shooter and possible damage to expensive shotguns.
- 8. When not on a shooting station, all guns must be carried with the breach or action opened.
- 9. When loaded (TRAP, SKEET and 5 STAND), the gun must always be pointed in a direction that will not endanger anyone. Always ensure that trap personnel are not in the line of fire.
- 10. TRAP If a delay in shooting or a "cease fire' (e.g., trap house problems or there is expected an extended delay) event occurs, the shooter must open his/her gun, extract all shells and place the shotgun in the rack provided. Trappers will control this situation by asking shooters to rack their guns. When the problem has been resolved, the trapper will call for return to stations.
- 11. TRAP No persons other than shooters and trap operators are allowed on field during shooting. If requested, an experienced shooter will be allowed on the field to help individual/new shooters with shooting advice. Experienced shooters will check in with the trapper and state their intent.

- 12. SKEET During the shooting of single targets, a shooter may load two shells except at station 8 high house or for the last singles target on any station.
- 13. 5 STAND, no more than two shells may be loaded at any time. If two shells are loaded for the initial single target at a station and only a single shot is taken, the shooter must remove the remaining shell from their gun before the next shooter in line calls for a target.
- 14. No extra shots, in TRAP, SKEET or 5 STAND will be taken at the end of or between rounds.
- 15. Shot shell requirements. A shooter must use shells that conform to the values in the table below.

Shot Weight Max Muzzle Velocity

7/8 oz 1350 1 oz 1325 1-1/8 oz 1290

These velocities are maximum, and no individual shot shell shall exceed these limits for the designated shot charge. In addition, no load containing more than 1-1/8 ounces or any shot larger than Number 7-1/2 can be used. Most commercially available factory loads publish this information on the box.

- 16. After experiencing a misfire, do not open the action immediately, wait ten seconds, while pointing the gun down range before opening the action. Open action and place misfired shell on the ground in front of your shooting station, upon completion of your 25-shot round, pick up the shell. We no longer have a 'dud' bucket at the club. Take the misfired shell home and carefully dismantle and disposed of it properly.
- 17. Empty hulls may not be picked up while on the firing line, in TRAP and SKEET. Casings must be picked up at the end of the round after all guns have been cleared.
- 18. All persons (including shooters, scorers, and trap personnel) must wear eye and hearing protection on all the TRAP, SKEET and 5 STAND ranges while shooting is in progress.
- 19. In YARDAGE TRAP, there shall be no more than two (2) yards difference between adjacent shooters, and no more than a total difference of three (3) yards between any two members of a squad.
- 20. Bad Weather: Due to lightning or other unsafe weather condition, a league session may be called by a board member or the range manager/cashier. Make up rounds must be shot the next week on your regular shooting day. Scores must be put on the bad weather sheet.
- 21. For more comprehensive rules Information, please consult the Rules and Regulations Books for TRAP ATA, SKEET NSSA and SPORTING CLAYS/5 STAND.

Remember: Safety is everybody's responsibility! A gun is unforgiving and rarely gives a second chance!

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3M Club Trap & Skeet Club 2022 Member Shooting and Event Schedule

February 5	Saturday	Mail Summer League Registrations
March 25	Friday	Summer League Registrations Due
March 19 or 26	Saturday	Clubhouse Opening, 11:00 AM - Members invited to help; Open Shooting Follows
March 27 - 28	Sundays/Mondays	High School Leagues Shooting (Through June 5 – 6)
April 5 - 6	Tuesday/Wednesday	Open Shooting – Practice and Shoot Ahead for Scores
April 12 - 13	Tuesday/Wednesday	Open Shooting – Practice and Shoot Ahead for Scores
April 19 - 20	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 1
April 26 - 27	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 2
May 3 - 4	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 3; 5-Stand League
May 10 - 11	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 4; 5-Stand League
May 17 - 18	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 5; 5-Stand League
May 24 - 25	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 6; 5-Stand League
May 31 - June 1	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 7; 5-Stand League
June 7 - 8	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Week 8; 5-Stand League
June 9	Thursday	MSSA Skeet Shooting Event #1
June 14 - 15	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap League Mid-Season Tournament; Skeet League – Week 9
June 21 - 22	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap League Mid-Season Tournament; Skeet League – Week 10
June 28 - 29	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 9; Skeet Week 11; 5-Stand League
July 5 - 6	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 10; Skeet Week 12; 5-Stand League
July 8 - 10	Friday - Sunday	MSSA Skeet Shooting Event - Hank Woltman Open
July 12 - 13	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 11; Skeet Week 13; 5-Stand League
July 19 - 20	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 12; Skeet Week 14; 5-Stand League
July 21	Thursday	MSSA Skeet Shooting Event #2
July 26 - 27	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 13; Skeet Week 15; 5-Stand League
August 2 - 3	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 14; Skeet Week 16; 5-Stand League
August 4	Thursday	MSSA Skeet Shooting Event #3
August 9 - 10	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 15; Skeet Week 17; 5-Stand League
August 16 - 17	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap/Skeet Leagues – Trap Week 16; Skeet Week 18; 5-Stand League
August 23 - 24	Tuesday/Wednesday	Trap and Skeet League Shoot-Offs (If needed); 5-Stand League
Aug 30 - 31	Tuesday/Wednesday	3M 100 Trap Shooting Event; Open Shooting, 5-Stand League Scores Due
September 8	Thursday	MSSA Skeet Shooting Event #4
September 11	Sundays	Fall Open Shooting Begins – 12:00 to 4:00 pm (Ends on October 23)
September 15	Thursday	Annual Meeting – 3M Trap & Skeet Club Banquet and Awards
October 23	Sunday	Clubhouse Closing, 11:00 AM - Members invited to help; Open Shooting Follows
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2022 3M Club Trap & Skeet Club Board of Directors

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