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SPRING 2008 NEWSLETTER

[A WORD FROM THE SECRETARY](#)

By Wayne L. Blevins

Officer elections were held at the June 11, 2008 meeting.

The results are as follows:

President: Steve Hamm
Vice President: Harold Miller

Board Members Elected to a Two Year Term:

Cline Wright
Jack Gold
Marvin Wingate

To our outgoing President Mike Cole and Vice President Darell Rolan thank you both for your years of service and dedication to TSC.

Congratulations to Steve and Harold as incoming President and Vice President.

For those interested in attending a NRA Basic Hand Gun safety class our own E. C. Browning will be teaching these throughout the year. Mr. Browning may be reached at 327-8625 or by e-mail ecbrown@frontiernet.net for additional details.

Patricia Beavers a local attorney and Henry Christian has successfully completed all the requirements to be instructors for the NRA's **REFUSE TO BE A VICTIM** seminars. Ms. Beavers and Henry Christian is being sponsored by TSC and their first seminar will be held on Sat. Aug. 23, 2008, 9:00AM till 12:00 noon at the First Century Bank training room located at 525 Federal St. Bluefield, WV. **This seminar will be limited to 25 people so if you pla an on attending please call 304-327-2550 to make a reservation.** The fee for this seminar is \$25.00.

Don't forget to visit our website www.triangleonline.org for the match schedules and results and /or other events happening at TSC.

Please read below for the results from the 2008 Bianchi Cup. Congratulations to Kevin Angstadt and Travis Hayton.

2008 Bianchi Cup By: Marvin Hayton

The National Action Pistol Championship was held in Columbia Missouri from May 21 through May 23 this year. Competitors from all around the world spent the three days competing for the most prestigious title in the pistol competition community. Two of Triangles members, Kevin Angstadt a Distinguished High Master and Travis Hayton a Distinguished Master competed and placed very well this year.

Kevin was in the running for the cup all the way to the end of the match which was decided on X count. Doug Koenig, Bruce Piatt, Carl Bernosky and Kevin Angstadt all tied with a 1918. Koenig with 185X, Piatt182X, Bernosky176X and Kevin167X. Kevin took fourth place and is now a member of the so called Super Squad. The one shot that Kevin through out of the ten ring was in the 8 ring by less than 45 thousands of an inch. If not for that small amount he would have shot a perfect score of 1920. Kevin also got in the shoot off with Bruce Piatt on the barricade event. Shot at 35 yards under reduced time Bruce barely got him on the second run on the right side of the barricade. They were down to 4 second runs. Unbelievable Shooting!!!!

Travis was in the running for the Junior National Championship all the way to the end also. All the other junior shooters had fallen to the wayside after the second day of competition. Jordin Dick who is from Kansas City and Travis had the pressure on them the evening of the last day of competition. Travis missed one of the falling plates on the plate event. He said he was shaking from nerves as he went to the line. Jordon was shooting the moving target event at the same time. When it was all over, Jordon Dick finished with a 1901 and Travis with an 1897. They tied on X count for the match. That is some mighty fine shooting from two teenagers.

Travis, Kevin and Martin Johnson, who is from Northern Virginia got together and decided to compete in the team event this year. Their team was called the Virginia Gentlemen. You are not going to believe this one! The Virginia Gentlemen finished first in civilian and second in industry and international teams. They beat all military and industry teams and were only beaten by Team Australia. That is something the Virginia gentlemen can be very proud of!!!!!!