# **Prescott Action Shooters**

# "What's Happening At Our Range?" July 2025

This new tab on our web site is meant to communicate to our members what is taking place on the range. The work is a result of the board of directors and the range master working together to make improvements to our facility for the betterment of our shooting community.

## Annual Swapfest Meet

The annual swap meet is now scheduled for August 30, 2025

Summer YRL/PAS Firearms Related

# Swapfest Saturday, August 30th 8:00 AM - Noon

All members and guests are invited to participate for a fun morning of buying, selling, or trading firearms and all firearms related items such as reloading equipment, reloading supplies, ammo, optics, etc. This is a great opportunity to clean out the safe, reloading shack and garage of all that unused equipment and items that have been gathering dust. No need to place an ad in the paper...bring it to the Swapfest! Please no house junk or non-shooting related items. Setup will start at 7:00 a.m. Club tables will be available for free use. If you like you can bring your own table. You can set up to sell from your vehicle or under a club canopy near the office. I am asking that all potential sellers contact me by email, text, or voice so I can get an estimate on the number of seller participants. Let me know if you would like me to reserve a free table/tables for you. Feel free to contact me with any questions or suggestions. Please check back on this website for any potential updates for the event. Looking forward to hearing from you and seeing you on August 30th! Bernie Sakowicz, Event Coordinator: yrlswapfest@gmail.com 480-442-6210

#### Presidents Notes

We have begun a new round of new member orientations after our membership renewal period, we have approximately thirty seven new members we will be offering provisional memberships.

The board of directors has nominated and approved Mick Sambasile as the new Co-Match Director for First Saturday USPSA.

As you all know our gate code changed on July 15th, members are reminded to lock the gate on their departure from the range, on Monday July 21 the gate was found unlocked and swinging in the wind. Remember to roll the combination off the digits when you leave the range do not leave the lock with the combo set when you position the lock back on the gate.

### 2025 NAZC-Northern Arizona Classic Report

On May 15th our club hosted the 17th annual Northern Arizona Classic. Over 320 shooters from around the world participated in this level 2 USPSA match. Almost 100 club members volunteered building stages, getting the range ready for the event, and helping shooters during the match. The club members make this event one of the most looked forward shooting events in the USA. This match is so popular it sells out in 5 minutes. The overall winner this year in the open class was Joe Bridgeman.

This match benefits all club members by bringing in match fees from competitors and sponsors. These fees and sponsorships bring improvements and necessary maintenance to our range. If you are interested in seeing how the club works this would be a great event for you to get involved. Frank Barbaro-NAZC Match Director









## Solar Power on the Range

In July, the final power box was installed on the rifle bay, the power system is about 90% complete. Final connections are to be made on the measured pistol bay. The power is a welcome addition to running our matches. We need to thank Tony

# PAS Apparel

Members may now order hats and shirts directly from our vendor. Payment can be made on-line and the order will ship directly to you. Here is the line to our apparel website: https://pas2025.itemorder.com/shop/home/
A big thank you goes to Terry Pilcher for getting this set up.

#### **Brass Collection**

In June all the brass that has been collected by club members at the range was sorted and taken to the recycler. All this brass filled nine, 5 gallon buckets and weighed just shy of 500 pound. The brass was cashed in for \$717.00. The club keeps this money in an account to help support Junior shooters from our club. If you know of a Junior shooter who the club could help support please let us know. I want to thank all the club members who are policing up the their fired brass. As you can see the effort to pick up your brass pays off.

In addition, new brass collecting devices have been placed in all the bays, if you are not collecting brass for your own reloading or use, please take avantage of the "squirrel" cage devices for picking up the brass and depositing it in the orange brass buckets on each bay. Kelly Frank-Rangemaster.

We will try to post a "What's Happing At Our Range" quarterly on this web site.

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