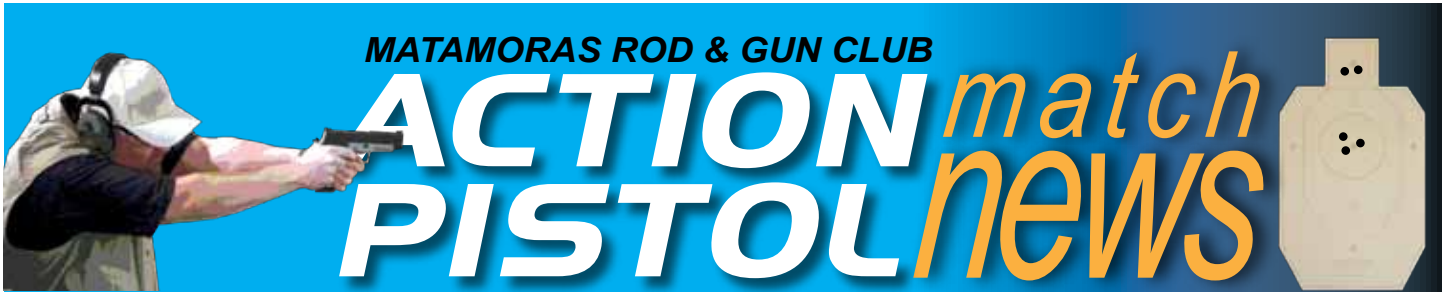


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ACTION PISTOL *match news*



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Hello shooters. Thank you for attending the first Matamoras Rod and Gun Club Action Pistol match of 2016 and helping to make the match a safe and successful one. We had 38 shooters with **Sal J. Pinzone** earning the match overall win. **Tim Benson** also finished the match down zero points displaying incredible accuracy and earning the title of most accurate. Congrats Tim and Sal! It was also nice to see several new faces and new shooters come out to enjoy a day at the range and hopefully get bit by the action shooting sports bug like so many of us have. Please feel free to invite your friends and anyone that would enjoy the shooting experience.

The match results are posted here: <https://practiscore.com/results/19187>

Our first side match of the season was a head to head shoot off where two shooters competed against each other in an effort to advance in a double elimination style tournament. This provides a new element to the shoot as you are now able to see and hear what your opponent is doing instead of racing the clock. After several very close match ups, **Chris Yoder** came out on top as the winner in our first ever head to head shoot off. Congratulations Chris! I truly



enjoyed watching this one. Not only were there several very close finishes including one that was decided by tenths of a second, There was also several family match ups where father and son were forced to shoot it out for more than just advancing. I would expect this format to return at some point.

The May match is currently scheduled for **May 22**. I have the stages done for this match already and all that I'm going to say at this time is bring plenty of ammo. As I was told last match, my ammo count is considered very conservative. For a side match, I am tentatively going to be embracing the outlaw style or non-sanctioned feel of this match and we will be going with a **"run what you bring"** type match. *Have that pistol you want to shoot at a match just never did? Always wanted to try a pistol with an optic mounted on it? Want to shoot your Glock 17 with the 33 round stick mag? Have a Uzi Clone or an MP5 clone? Always wanted to shoot a match with your suppressor mounted?* Well now is your chance because anything goes as long as its a pistol caliber. This includes pistol caliber carbines that seem to be gaining a huge following. Please no magnums, big bores or armor piercing ammo such as the 5.7. As much as I'd like that, the steel will not take it. I'll have more results as we get closer to

the next match. Thank you again for making the first match a success and hope to see you in May.

Nathan



Match Action Photos - Stage 1





Stage 2





Stage 3







Stage 4







Stage 5







Stage 6









Side Match Shootoff



