

TRAC match – July 29, 2025 – Joe Pruzinsky, match director

'Tis the 5th Tuesday of the month, thus Joe is match director today. Seeing as he was not able to get to the range prior to 7:30, we gathered targets and set up the course for him. He said he wanted an “easy” course. Not sure what he intended, but when he surveyed the layout, he took no time to say, “It looks good.” Such enthusiasm.....LOL!

The day started out looking really nice, too. Clear skies, no clouds, NO WIND, warm..... Started at 91° and warmed to 99° with humidity in the low to mid-20% range. NO WIND, at least for sight in and the first part of the match. The second half of the match, the wind did pick up, from 7 to 14 mph with very brief instances of gusts of 18 mph at one point and then once again, which was recorded at 20 mph, although it didn't seem like it when it hit. Maybe we were just happy to cool off with some air movement. At least it is not the east coast where the humidity can be oppressive.

We had 11 shooters signed up, but only 10 shot. Initially, that was only 9. Yours truly had an issue with a scope knob that just spun freely, and had to spend the first half of the match re-sighting in and then tightening everything down, nice and snug. Here are the scores.....

47/48 – Jesse Avery / BRK Ghost / Hunter PCP
46/48 – Tony Pellegrino / Daystate Huntsman / Hunter PCP
43/48 – Larry Piercy / Daystate CR-X / Open PCP.....and celebrating his 50th wedding anniversary this past weekend!
42/48 – Stanley Mountford / Daystate Revere / Hunter PCP, and tied with...
42/48 – Tom Jadlos / Daystate Revere / Hunter PCP
41/48 – Lauren Parsons / Daystate Redwolf / WFTF PCP
40/48 – Loren Braud / Daystate Wolverine / Hunter PCP
38/48 – Anthony Turchetta / FX Crown GRS / Hunter PCP, and tied with...
38/48 – Joe Pruzinsky / Daystate Revere / Hunter PCP
20/24 – Mark Kauffman / RAW TM1000 / Open PCP – just shooting 2nd half.
DNS – Bill Cole – had some issues and had to leave for a bit. Returned later to provide moral support.

Next week is Wayne's turn as match director, but seeing as he is out of town for a few weeks, the match will be covered by his posse. Don't forget,

the state PCP championships are coming up soon, in 3 weeks to be exact. You can register online through the club website.

And as a final thought, it has been scientifically proven that women experience the highest levels of stress when their husbands are lying on the couch doing nothing. We are here to assist in alleviating their anxiety by offering our Tuesday TRAC matches to provide an activity which enhances tranquility at home. So, come out on Tuesdays and contribute to your wife's well-being.

Respectfully submitted,
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