



FEBRUARY 2018 NEWSLETTER

A colder than normal winter has gripped Alabama in its' clutches. Weather aside, the intrepid group of dedicated shooters have continued to plug away as often as possible. The Steel Challenge matches have run along monthly unabated and unphased by weather. The golf ball shooters have not been quite so daring. Scheduling the 100 yard and 200 yard event on the same day turned out to be a logistical error last time – we ran out of daylight due to the number of shooters. This is a good problem to have and one that was easily overcome by creative rescheduling of the 200 yard event. The addition of the remaining bench tops along with the time change will completely eliminate this problem in the near future.

SCHEDULED EVENTS FOR FEBRUARY

STEEL CHALLENGE 2/11/18 PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED SLOTS LIMITED

CONTACTS FOR THIS MATCH: PAUL WARREN OR MIKE GOSS

GOLF BALL MATCH (100 & 200 YARD) 2/18/18 1PM

CONTACTS FOR THIS MATCH: TIM COURTNEY OR EB SPINK

My congratulations to Scott Watson for a near perfect score at 100 yards (19/20) in January and to Eb Spink for continuing to prove that he is more than a force to be reckoned with at 200 yards. Constant and consistent! For timely results and more information on club activities, our web page is www.alexandercityshootingclub.com and our Facebook page is Alex City Shooting Club.

Now is the time for recommendations or suggestions as to improvements or program directions for our club in the coming months. The past year has been one of unprecedented steps forward. I, for one, would like to see that trend continue. Any improvement is better than none!

There is a great article on Accurate Shooter this month (www accurateshooter.com) titled The Five Degrees of Doom. The entire gist of the article is how far downrange impact of a projectile can be affected by as little as 5 degrees of muzzle incline. It was informative, eye

opening, and shocking. A very good article on how much can be caused by so little...the fact that it was written by shooters for shooters made it carry much more weight for me.

The memo has been released. One did not need to read very far or very much to understand exactly why the Democrats did not want this to become common knowledge. If I were the judge that the information was sworn to in order to obtain this FISA warrant, several individuals would be in jail by dark for perjury. It is time for our Attorney General to get off the sidelines and become a major player in this game. The Mueller investigation has been predicated upon lies and perjury at the expense of the American taxpayer. The FBI has continued down the path of Holier Than Thou that they have operated under for far, far too long. If there are to be sweeping changes in the way the Federal government treats the American people, it has to start within the justice system. Not next month. Not next week. Today!

Be wary of strong drink. It may make you shoot at tax collectors...and miss.

Robert Heinlein

See you at the range!

Tim Courtney

Secretary ACSC