

The Clay Target Team shoots at the Southern MN Trap Club. The address of the trap range is: Southern MN Trap Club: 6251 20th St SE, Rochester, MN 55904

The shooting times are tentatively scheduled for:

- Start Week of March 23th for new shooter orientation, league starts March 30st and will continue for 8 weeks.
- Monday (league) approximately 4pm to 9pm
- Thursday (league) approximately 4pm to 9pm
- Saturday/Sunday (**optional** practice) to be determined, we will communicate if we are practicing

Athletes will shoot 2 rounds of trap each week spending about 1 hour at the trap range. Athletes will sign up for a shooting slot starting around 4pm, slots are scheduled every 45 minutes and there are 10 shooting spots per time slot. Each scheduled round will shoot their rounds back-to-back on the same trap field. Athletes are encouraged to shoot at open shooting at the trap club on Tuesday nights 7pm-9pm and Sunday 10am-1pm.

Rules and Regulations

- Athletes need one of the following safety certifications
 - o 1) League Safety Certification (SAFE). Link <https://usaclaytargetsafe.com/> (coaches will schedule the range orientation the week before shooting starts)
 - o 2) Hunters Safety Training Certification. (DNR)
- Athletes must adhere to the MN State High School League rules and regulations.
- Athletes must adhere to the Clay Target Policies and Procedures.
- Athletes must adhere to the Southern MN Trap Club Rules.

Cost of Participation (Trap Range Fees) + \$40 Clay Target League Fee when you sign up (paid online on Clay Target Website). You will make two payments: #1, \$40 online when registering and #2, at the trap range fees when you come to the club (cash or check) or pay via PayPal.

Fees Collected at the Trap Range or online with PAYPAL or VENMO	
Clay Targets (16 rounds at \$5.50 / round)	\$88
Team Fees – printing, equipment maintenance and replacement, batteries, insurance, range fees....	\$27
Public School Activity Fee (Lourdes, RAACHE, and Schaeffer do not pay this)	\$25
Ammunition (shot shells) - (\$8.00 per box, 10 boxes per flat, \$80 per flat) (optionally, you can purchase on your own) you will need 16 boxes of shells for the weekly league, 4 additional boxes if you go to Alexandria, plus any practice rounds you may shoot.	\$75 / flat
Examples (Century, JM, Mayo) \$140 (no shells) or \$215 (1 flat) or \$290 (2 flats)	
Examples (Lourdes, Schaeffer, RAACHE) \$115 (no shells) or \$190 (1 flat) or \$265 (2 flats)	

Preferred methods to pay fees are PayPal or Venmo. Fees can be paid anytime or when you come out to the trap club for registration/orientation/shooting. Fees can be paid by cash, check, PayPal or Venmo. **Checks are made out to**

Southern Minnesota Sportsman's Club (SMSC for short). PayPal is sent to rpstrapteamcoach@gmail.com. (**PLEASE SELECT SEND TO A FRIEND TO AVOID PAYPAL FROM TAKING OUT FEES**). Venmo is sent to Timothy Gerber @rochestertrap (last 4 of phone# 9195). **PLEASE** note students first and last name and which school they will shoot for (Lourdes, Schaeffer, Mayo, JM, Century, RAACHE) and if buying shot shells, how many flats and what gauge (12 or 20).

Weekly Signups. We use Sign Up Genius to schedule shooting at the trap club. Each week's sign up will be sent out after we complete the previous week. You will have a few days to sign up for the upcoming week. There will be a sign up for each week. You can always search for signups created by rpstrapteamcoach@gmail.com to find the active sign ups.

Team Facebook Page -> <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1578230072421796/> (will need to request an invite as this is a private group), MN State HS Clay Target League Site <http://mnclaytarget.com/>, Tim Gerber, Coach's email rpstrapteamcoach@gmail.com

New Shooters need to sign up for Clay Target

- New participants to clay target need to create an account on <https://www.claytargetscoring.com/ams/>
- Watch the tutorial video for creating an account
- Choose your team code, (Century: cey201), (John Marshall: jol637), (Mayo: mao267), (Lourdes: los862) (Schaeffer: scy347), (RAACHE: roa428)
- After creating an account, you will appear on a waiting list for your team.
- An invite email will be sent to you to join the team and pay the \$40 fee to join the MN State HS Clay Target League.

Existing Shooters in Clay Target Existing shooters will receive an invitation from the league to sign up for the trap season. The \$40 MN Clay target league will be paid when registering for the team. The coaches will send these invites out when the signup begins. PLEASE DO NOT CREATE A NEW SIGN UP IN THE CLAY TARGET LEAGUE. If you do not get an email, you can still sign up by going into your AMS account.

2026 SPRING SEASON SCHEDULE			
FEB 3	Team and student athlete registration opens.	MAY 10	Competition Week 4 begins.
MAR 23	Team and student athlete registration closes Noon CT. Last day for athlete and/or team withdrawal for registration fee refund.	MAY 17	Competition Week 5 begins.
MAR 29	Practice Week 1 begins.	MAY 24	Fun Week begins.
APR 5	Practice Week 2 begins.	MAY 25	Season final results posted by 5pm CT.
APR 12	Reserve Week begins.	MAY 26	Tier 1 National Championship registration opens.
APR 15	Conferences announced and State Tournament registration opens.	MAY 27	Tier 2 National Championship registration opens (if applicable).
APR 19	Competition Week 1 begins.	MAY 28	Tier 3 National Championship registration opens (if applicable).
APR 26	Competition Week 2 begins.	MAY 29-30	Tournaments – Please see the menu for specific information on each tournament.
MAY 3	Competition Week 3 begins.	JUN 5-13	Virtual Tournaments (if applicable).
MAY 4	State Tournament registration closes at Noon CT.	JUL 8-12	USAHSCTL National Championship – Mason, MI.

Notes: Orientation will be the week of March 23, week start dates above are Sundays, we start on the following Monday (+1 day)

Steps to Join Your High School Trap Team Create your Clay Target Account choosing which school you would like to join (one per student) at <https://www.claytargetscoring.com/ams/>. The coaches will invite you to the HS team when the AMS account is created. You will receive an email to complete your registration in the AMS system and this is where you pay the \$40 for the clay target league.

At this point you are on the team!!! The coaches will communicate with you via the email addresses you entered in the AMS registration. If you need additional emails on the communication emails, just send a request to add the email(s) to rpstrapteamcoach@gmail.com. Fees will be paid via PayPal or in person on orientation night(s) or first night you participate at the trap club.

Online Season Information - > <http://www.centurypanthers.org/page/show/2925116-clay-target-regular-season->