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The Chaparral Skeet Club
and the
NEW MEXICO SKEET SHOOTING
ASSOCIATION
Present the
79th NEW MEXICO SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS
October 16-18, 2026
Roswell, New Mexico



- **Saturday Evening Dinner (Please RSVP)**
 - Free for all shooters entering at least 4 events
 - \$35 for all others
- Free hat for all shooters entering at least 4 events
- Lunch and drinks included Saturday and Sunday
- Three-man Team Calcutta in the 28 gauge event

Club Address:
11 Jal Road
Roswell, NM 88201

2025 NM State Champions

HOA	William Ponder	396
12 Gauge	William Ponder	100
20 Gauge	William Ponder	100
28 Gauge	William Ponder	98
410 Bore	William Ponder	98
Doubles	Brock Hammond	95
SCTP	Calvin Shields	92

2026 Open State Team:

.9721 William Ponder

.9385 Mark Witt

.9238 Brad Thompson

.9198 Brock Hammond

.9112 Gary Lemmel

Lady: No Lady met minimum requirements

Junior and Sub Junior: No shooter met minimum requirements.

Target minimums for State Team are:

500 12 ga., 500 20 ga., 500 28 ga., 500 410 bore, 300 Doubles 300 of each gauge must be shot in New Mexico.

Most Improved Shooter:

Shawn Mills **.8695** in 2024 to **.9020** in 2025

State Meeting Agenda (Following Dinner):

General Membership Meeting and Election of Officers

State Team Award Presentations

SCTP Award Presentations

Calcutta Auction – Three-man team

Main Events Shoot Schedule

Friday, October 16, 2026

EVENT 1 Doubles Championship 100 Targets, \$65.00*

Classes AA, A, B, C, D

\$16.00 returned per entry

\$3.00 to Event Champion

\$2.00 to Runner-up

\$1.00 to Third

\$10.00 to Class

1 to 5 entries 100

6-10 entries 60/40

11+ 50/30/20

Oklahoma (\$15 to class) and handicap (\$10) options available (ties split)

Awards

Champion

Gold Medal**

Runner-up

Silver Medal**

Third

Bronze Medal**

Class Winners

Class Champion Medal**

Event 1 Shoot-offs will follow the 20 ga Event on Saturday.

Friday and Saturday, October 17, 2026

EVENT 2 12 Gauge Championship 100 Targets, \$65.00*

Awards: same as EVENT 1, with E Class added.

Purse payout and options the same as the Doubles Championship

Saturday, October 17, 2026

EVENT 3 20 Gauge Championship 100 Targets, \$65.00*

Awards: same as EVENT 1,

Purse payout and options the same as the Doubles Championship

Shoot-offs for events 1, 2, 3 and 9 following the completion of Event 3

Sunday, October 18, 2026

EVENT 4 28 Gauge Championship 100 Targets, \$65.00*

Awards: same as EVENT 1.

Purse payout and options the same as the Doubles Championship

EVENT 5 .410 Bore Championship 100 Targets, \$65.00*

Awards: same as EVENT 1.

Purse payout and options the same as the Doubles Championship

EVENT 6 HOA Championship 400 Targets, \$16.00

Shot concurrently with Events 2, 3, 4, and 5. HOA class can be no lower than the competitor's lowest gun class. This event is mandatory for all 4-gun shooters.

Awards: Champ, Runner Up, 3rd and Class Champs will receive both a medal and a belt buckle. The following honors – only concurrent medals are added:

Sub-junior/Junior	Sub-Senior	Sr. Veteran
Triple-Sub	Senior	Military
Sub-Sub-Senior	Veteran	Retired-Mil.
Lady	Collegiate	Mil Vet

Purse payout is the same as the Doubles Championship

EVENT 7 Champion of Champions 100 Targets, no entry fee

Open to all NMSSA members in good standing. Based on shooters score for the last 25 targets of Events 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Award: NMSSA Medal to Champion

EVENT 8 HAA Championship 500 Targets, \$16.00

This event is mandatory for all 5-gun shooters. Shot concurrently with Events 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. Purse payout is the same as the Doubles Championship. Awards are as follows:

Champion	Gold Medal**
Runner-up	Silver Medal**
Third	Bronze Medal**

Shoot-offs for events 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 following the completion of Event 5

EVENT 9 SCTP Championship 200 Targets, no entry fee

Shot concurrently with Events 1 and 2. Awards for both juniors and sub juniors.

Champion	Gold Medal**
Runner-up	Silver Medal**
Third	Bronze Medal**

THREE-MAN TEAM CALCUTTA, \$10.00 per person

Concurrent with Event 4 (28 ga.): Split 70% Team Buyer, 30% Team Shooters. Teams will be determined by the Skeet Manager Software based on the combined average of the team members, making the teams as equal as possible. Calcutta bidding will be held after the Saturday night dinner. Ties will divide payout. Payout as follows:

1 to 5 entries	100
6 to 10 entries	60/40
11+	50/30/20

Award presentations for Doubles, 12, 20, 28, 410, HOA, and HAA, will follow the shoot-offs on Sunday.

Rotation Schedule

Doubles	12 Gauge		20 Gauge	28 Gauge	.410 Bore
Friday	Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
Rotation 1 8:30 AM		Rotation 1 8:30 AM	Rotation 1 2:00 PM	Rotation 2 9:00 AM	Rotation 2 1:00 PM
Rotation 2 10:00 AM		Rotation 2 10:00 AM	Rotation 2 3:30 PM	Rotation 1 10:30 AM	Rotation 1 2:30 PM
Rotation 3 11:30 AM	Rotation 3 1:00 PM	Rotation 5 11:30 AM			
Rotation 4 4:00 PM	Rotation 4 2:30 PM				
Registration closes at: 3:30 PM	Registration closes at: 2:00 PM	Registration closes at: 11:00 AM	Registration closes at: 2:00 PM	Registration closes at: 10:00 AM	Registration closes at: 2:00 PM

* NSSA and NMSSA daily fees are included. Junior, sub-junior, & collegiate shooters are not required to enter mandatory purses. A \$49.00 entry fee will apply for each 100-target event if they choose to opt out of the purse.

** This is an Open shoot, open to all NSSA members. All monetary purses are open. However, all other awards are closed to New Mexico residents only (except Out of State Event Champion Awards).

Squad Registration Form

Position	Name	NSSA #	E-Mail	Dinner RSVP #	Rotation Number		
					Doubles	12 Ga	Sub Ga
Shooter 1							
Shooter 2							
Shooter 3							
Shooter 4							
Shooter 5							

No deposit is necessary. Please send the pre-registration form to: Brad Thomspson 1911 West Washington Ave. Artesia, NM 88210 or email to skeetbt@gmail.com. If you have any questions please contact Brad Thompson at 575-247-1313 or skeetbt@gmail.com. Preference will be given to 4-gun shooters. The maximum number of shooters is: Doubles 80; 12 gauge 100; 20 gauge 40; 28 gauge 40; 410 Bore 40.

We are welcoming the New Mexico High School Clay Target Association (NMHSCTA) to compete in this shoot. Most NMHSCTA shooters will be shooting the doubles event and the 12 gauge event only and many will have to travel from out of town on a school day. If you are able to shoot doubles Friday morning and 12 gauge on Friday afternoon please do so.

It is important to pre-register. If you show up the day of the shoot, you may be left out. If you have any questions, contact Brad Thompson at (575) 247-1313 or skeetbt@gmail.com

This shoot is sanctioned by NSSA, whose rules will govern. All New Mexico residents must be members of NMSSA. NMSSA reserves the right to change the program at any time without recourse or protest.

Ties and Shoot-offs: All ties will be shot off, no long runs. Doubles at stations 3 – 4 – 5 for all events except NM HOA Champion. All shoot-offs, miss and out by station. NSSA rules will govern.

Ties for NM State HOA Champion will be shot off by shooting a regular round of skeet, with the high score winning. If no winner has been determined after one round of regular skeet, the shoot-off will proceed to doubles at 3 – 4 – 5.

Referees: Referees will be paid \$40.00 per squad. Anyone interested in being a referee, contact Ryan Garrett at garrettgundogs@yahoo.com

Protests: Referee's decision on all questions of fact will be final. All other protests referred to the Protest Committee consisting of William Ponder, Ronnie Shoemake and Keith Sparks.

Liability: Spectators and contestants assume all risks of accidents.

Ammunition: No ammunition will be sold at the club during the shoot. No proofs will be provided.

Practice Rounds: \$7.00 each. Club will be open for practice Thursday afternoon and at 7:30 am on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Meals: Lunch and drinks are included Saturday and Sunday for all competitors.

Ammo Malfunctions: If you have 2 ammo malfunctions with reloads or factory ammo you must use a new box of **FACTORY** ammo to finish the round. Then you may go back to reloads until it happens again.

RV Spots – The Chaparral Skeet Club has a limited number of RV hookups available. If you are interested in a hookup, please contact Mike Gottlieb at mgottlieb45@yahoo.com