

Modern Action Shooting

By: Andy Fink

I split action shooting into two types: Western-action shooting, which was covered in Section 5 and Modern-action shooting. Modern-action shooting has a lot to offer juniors. There are a variety of shooting programs and opportunities and numerous organizations that have junior programs. It is fun, fairly easy to get into, and juniors can be competitive quite quickly.

What is modern-action shooting? First, it is time scored with a penalty for each miss or shot which does not enter the highest scoring area. Second, there are multiple targets set up usually in a particular scenario or stage layout and many times the targets are combinations of paper and steel. Third, there is movement. The shooter doesn't just stand or lay still, you are moving from firing position to firing position in order to position yourself for the combination of the most accurate and fastest shots. Many times you can not even see all of the targets from your starting point. Fourth, the participant shoots numerous rounds at each stage and there are many stages at a regular match, usually six to 12. I have seen as many shots as 10 on a stage and as many as 92 and there are probably some out there that are even higher. This provides the shooter with a lot of action and a lot of fun. It definitely gets the adrenalin pumping!

Juniors are especially good at moving from point-to-point quickly and being able to respond to different target situations. Shooting double-action revolvers and semi-automatic pistols comes easier than pulling out single-action revolvers in Western-action shooting. Many gun manufactures are taking an active interest in the junior market and developing specific firearms and accessories for young juniors. This includes those interested in the modern-action shooting sports.

All modern-action shooting sports that I am aware of involve modern handguns, from stock handguns right out of the manufacturer's box that are great for the beginner, to fancy tuned race guns that can easily set one back \$2,000 or more. There are usually a number of categories in each sport such as Limited (usually a manufacturer's basic gun without scoped sights), Unlimited (allowing full customization of the handgun), and different caliber classes. Some of the modern-action shooting sports require the use of three guns such as a revolver or semi-auto pistol, a semi-auto rifle like an AR-15 and a shotgun, either a pump or a semi-auto.

You can find out more information on modern action shooting sports by reading the articles in this section of Junior Shooters, visiting our website at www.juniorshooters.net, or by checking out the various organizations/competitions listed here.



Modern Action Shooting Organizations/Competitions

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IPSC – www.ipsc.org

IDPA – www.idpa.com

Steel Challenge – www.steelchallenge.com

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IDPA Gets a Cowboy Action Shooter

By: Randi Rogers

Shooting has been a very important part of my life. It has helped me shape my future and become the person I am today. Without a history in shooting I wouldn't have had all the opportunities that I have had, and I would not be able to enjoy so many amazing activities.

In my youth I started with Cowboy Action Shooting (CAS). Through shooting I was able to find direction in my life. I was also able to learn many important lessons that would help me in other areas of my life. As well as the life experience, CAS has given way to many other exciting opportunities.

One such opportunity was the International Defensive Pistol Association (IDPA). The IDPA is a great organization that helped me to expand my love of shooting. By joining IDPA I was able to enjoy more shooting and exercise skills that I had learned from my background in CAS.

Some of the things that I learned in CAS that helped me in IDPA shooting are a basic understanding of shooting, hard work, and sportsmanship.

First, because I had previous experience with shooting, the basic parts of the shooting process came more easily to me than they would have to a beginner. From CAS I had already learned basic shooting techniques such as sight picture, trigger control, and the critical thinking skills needed to shoot a stage. By having already learned many of these basic principles, shooting IDPA was more about learning the new shooting style rather than learning to shoot.

The second lesson from CAS that helped me learn is the value of hard work. I have learned that through hard work anybody's dreams may come true. Whether it is studies in school, work, or even wanting to place well in shooting competitions; hard work is by far the most important ingredient. I learned the basics of this through my shooting in CAS and I plan to continue working hard as I shoot IDPA.

The third lesson that I could transfer from CAS to IDPA is that of sportsmanship. It is important in all aspects of one's life to incorporate sportsmanship into your character. CAS helped me understand the concepts of playing fair and knowing how to be a good loser as well as a good winner. Knowing how to play by the rules and showing respect for your fellow competitors is something I have learned from CAS that translates well into IDPA.

Although there are many commonalities between CAS and IDPA there are also many differences. The commonalities have helped me get a head start in shooting, but the differences help to remind me how much fun the different shooting sports can be.

One of the things that CAS and IDPA have in common, are the level of competition. Both sports allow people to compete together in a safe and friendly manner. I enjoy both sports because of the way that they allow me to compete with others, set goals, and work to achieve them.

One of the great differences in CAS and IDPA is the different kind of firearms that you get to use. With CAS you get to shoot all three types of firearms – rifles, pistols, and shotguns. It is



great to shoot all three types of firearms; however, in CAS you have to shoot firearm replicas made before the turn of the 20th century.

In IDPA you only get to shoot pistols, but the choice of pistol can be almost limitless depending on what class you shoot in. By competing in both CAS and IDPA I get to shoot the historic single-action pistols, but I also get to shoot modern semiautomatic pistols. I now shoot a Glock Model 34 in 9 mm and I am a member of the Glock Shooting Team.

Another difference between CAS and IDPA are the types of atmospheres in which I get to shoot. In CAS we are really living the childhood fantasy game of Cowboys and Indians. CAS is a place where you get to dress up in costumes, take on a persona, and enjoy the lifestyle of the Old West. In IDPA the atmosphere is centered more in reality. IDPA works to try and set up real situations where people might face danger and need to know how to do the right thing. I enjoy both atmospheres and I like variety.

Another difference between CAS and IDPA are the type of scenarios you get to shoot. In CAS there are many scenarios that are written around historical events, Old West movies, books, and even tall tales. These scenarios are shot with rifles, pistols, and shotguns, at a variety of distances and positions. There are also sometimes non-shooting activities that accompany the scenario including getting the gold out of the safe. Through all of this it is important to hit a variety of steel targets in many different shapes and sizes.

In IDPA the scenarios are quite different. First, there is only one gun you need to worry about shooting. However, because there is only one gun there is usually at least one reload required in the stage to complete the course of fire. There are usually several different positions, but you are never required to steal the gold. As far as targets are concerned, there are not too many different types. IDPA shoots a majority of paper targets that are all the same shape and size. These targets will be set at a variety of distances, and are sometimes mixed in with steel plates or pepper poppers. Both sports provide shooting challenges that make them enjoyable to shoot.

By shooting CAS I have learned many skills that helped me in other types of shooting. I feel blessed to have grown up with shooting as a part of my life. I know that there are many similarities and differences in all shooting sports, but I think that is what makes them all fun and special in their own ways. I could never choose a favorite sport because when it comes down to it, all shooting is fun.





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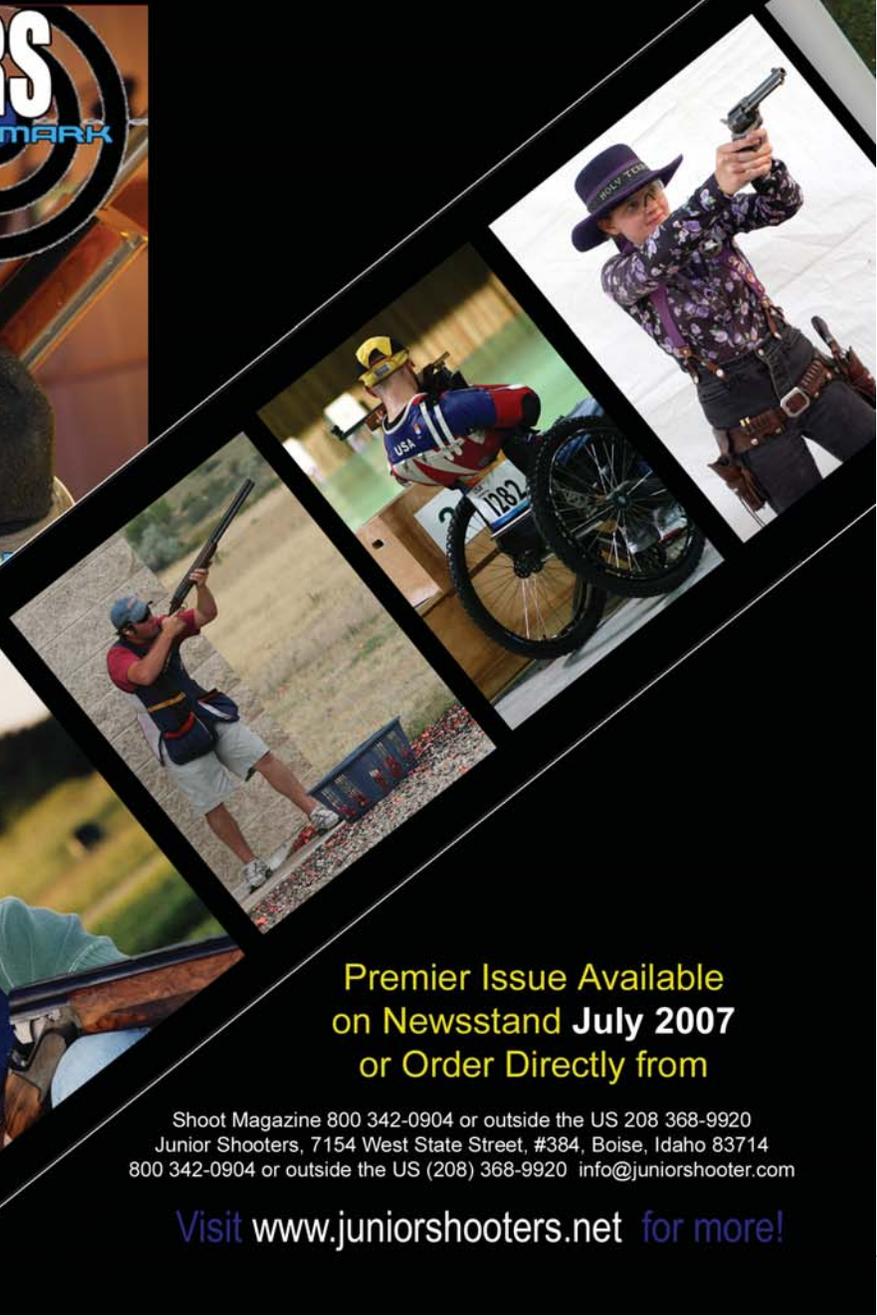
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Jordan Dick - An NRA Bianchi Cup Junior Champion

By: Dave Brant, NRA Staff

Jordan Dick is a remarkable young man. At the age of 17, he has already been named Junior Champion three times for the famous NRA Bianchi Cup National Action Pistol Championship. Winning this championship just once is a notable achievement, but winning it three times in a row is incredible! And last year, in addition to winning the 2006 Junior Championship, Jordan went on to win the tournament's junior title in the Bianchi International Speed Event.

The NRA Bianchi Cup contest is held each year by the National Rifle Association, and is renowned as one of the most prestigious tournaments in the field of shooting sports. This event draws competitors from around the world, with shooters hailing from such countries as Austria, Australia, Canada, England, Germany, Italy, Japan, Switzerland, New Zealand, the Netherlands, Norway, and many others.

The competition requires an exacting combination of speed and accuracy. Competitors must start with a holstered gun, and are required to fire from various positions at a variety of stationary and moving targets.

Jordan Dick is from Hutchinson, Kansas and is currently attending Nickerson High School where he is a member of the junior class. We spoke recently with this champion shooter, and asked him to tell us a little more about himself and his future plans.

Q.: Jordan how did you get started in action pistol shooting?

A.: I started when I was about five years old. My dad was into action pistol shooting, and when I showed an interest in it, he taught me how to shoot. I've been at it ever since.

Q.: What is it that you like most about action pistol shooting?

A.: Two things, actually. I like the accuracy that is required in this sport, and I enjoy trying to achieve those accuracy requirements. I also think that it's just lots of fun!

Q.: How often do you practice?

A.: It varies. Before big matches, I practice every day. At other times, I have sort of an informal schedule. I've got lots of activities that I'm involved in, such as the school baseball and soccer teams, so I have to try to squeeze in my practice time whenever I can. I try to shoot at least every Sunday.



Q.: Where do you practice? Is there a range close by that you can use?

A.: I usually practice at the Central Kansas Gun Club of Reno County.

Q.: Can you describe what a typical practice session is like for you?

A.: At each practice session, I try to shoot all of the Bianchi Cup events, but I especially concentrate during a session on those events in which I think that I need to improve. I generally fire at least 300 shots during a session. I also sometimes use a .22 caliber pistol in addition to my competition gun. The .22 ammo allows me to practice my shooting at minimum cost.

Q.: Ammunition costs have got to be a major consideration for you. When you are shooting your competition gun, do you use commercial ammo or do you handload?

A.: I'm lucky there. My dad is a reloader and supplies all of the centerfire ammo that I need. That really helps to keep costs down.

Q.: Can you describe the gun that you use in action pistol shooting?

A.: I use the same gun in all of my competitive shooting. It's a Caspian Arms Ltd. Model 1911, and it's a typical race gun. It's got a red dot scope with a shroud, a compensator, and special KN Nill-Grips. The trigger pull has been adjusted to approximately 2.0 pounds.

Q.: How about working out? Do you do any sort of physical workouts to keep in shape?

A.: Definitely. I'm constantly working out. Besides keeping in shape for action pistol shooting, I also need to keep fit for my school baseball and soccer teams.

Q.: How do you react to the pressure of competing in a national match like NRA Bianchi?

A.: Sometimes I get a little nervous during the first match of a competition. But then as the competition wears on, I get used to the event and I settle down. I think that I've gotten better about reacting well to pressure over the years.

Q.: What sort of reaction have you gotten back home to your championship wins?

A.: There were some articles in the Wichita newspapers. And all my friends were really pleased for me. I think now, after three wins, they sort of expect me to win, and aren't too surprised any more.

Q.: What sort of prizes did you win at NRA Bianchi?

A.: I got some really nice things, including a stainless steel gun case for my pistol and some cartons of .22 ammo. I also received some cash prizes.

Q.: Do you take part in any other kinds of shooting?

A.: Yes, several kinds. I like skeet, trap, and sporting clays, and I also like shooting centerfire rifles just for fun at informal targets. I also go deer hunting.

Q.: Do you have any hobbies that you especially enjoy?

A.: Yes. I like to play guitar.

Q.: Do you plan to go on to college after you graduate from high school?

A.: Definitely. I haven't selected any particular college yet, but I want to become a pharmacist.

Q.: Last question – do you plan to compete at NRA Bianchi again this year?

A.: Yes, I do. My baseball team is going to be in a tournament about the same time, so it's going to be complicated and a tight fit time-wise, but I want to take part in both events.

Q.: Jordan, it's been a real pleasure talking to you. We wish you the best of luck in all of your future challenges.

A.: Thanks very much!



The 29th Bianchi Cup – formally known as the NRA National Action Shooting Championship – was held May 23 to 26 this year outside Columbia, Missouri. The NRA encourages juniors to enter and lowers the entry fee to 50 percent of that paid by adult shooters. One special event at the tournament every year is a charity auction that benefits the Children's Miracle Network through the University of Missouri Children's Hospital in Columbia. Ted Nugent is among those contributing merchandise. For more information on the Bianchi Cup and the Action Pistol Program, call (703) 267-1478 or send an email to bianchicup@nrahq.org.

Steel Challenge Junior Competition

By: Mike Dalton

The Steel Challenge held in Piru, California is a great place for Junior and Pre-Teen shooters to enjoy the pleasures and accomplishments of shooting competition. Over \$360,000 in cash and merchandise are awarded from over 160 shooting industry sponsors.

The format for the Steel Challenge is simple and direct. Hit five targets as fast as possible that are arranged in eight different configurations from seven to 35 yards. Timing is electronic with a sensor attached to the final target of every set-up. Each configuration, except one, is shot five times with the highest time thrown out. This allows the competitors to shoot at maximum speed because they have a margin for error or disaster (gun breakage or ammunition failure won't completely take a competitor out of the race). The targets are 10" and 12" round steel plates or 18"x 24" rectangles. Some stages put more emphasis on speed, while others demand more accuracy. This makes a balance contest of speed and accuracy.

The Junior and Pre-Teen divisions have been the spawning ground for many of the fastest Steel Challenge competitors to ever step on the range. Children are more fearless and are more likely to take risks. They also do not put self-imposed limitations on themselves and are more likely to experiment with new or untried techniques. Sometimes they will accomplish

been his "throw away" run, but then on the next run he had a failure to feed that caused a gun malfunction which required manual manipulation to get the gun running again. With so much time lost clearing and re-chambering a round, this now became the throw away run and the previous poor run became a keeper.

It was down to the last two remaining runs for him to have a chance at clinching the championship. Conventional competitor wisdom would have had KC concentrate harder on each shot and be sure not to have any more misses and lost time. But being more positive of each shot takes more time and can even cause tension (the competitor's worst enemy). Instead, KC did what he does best just drew the gun and fired at the targets as soon as he saw what he needed to see. Without hesitation or fear of failure, that's exactly what he did. He fired at an incredible pace and won the 2003 Steel Challenge Championship at just 15 years of age. A more experienced, older competitor would probably choose to make a good showing with high placement overall in the match and not risk everything.

This is what I think makes the youngsters so much fun to watch. They compete and grow into seasoned competitors and during that period, they can accomplish great things. If you would like to join in the excitement of competition shooting, contact us at www.steelchallenge.com.



great things because they didn't know "they weren't supposed to be able to do that."

KC Eusebio from Diamond Bar, California, won the 2003 Steel Challenge as a Junior and part of his winning strategy was to "go for it." He didn't let the magnitude of the event overpower his view of himself. He was just a kid having fun shooting, no matter what happened he was going to be looked at as a kid.

The final stage of the 2003 Steel Challenge was on the Para Speed Option which had four 12" round plates from eight to 20 yards and a 35 yard 18"x24" rectangle spread out over a wide distance. With the championship on the line, he began the stage with a clean "no misses" run. Then on his next run he lost focus and made a series of missed shots which caused him to shoot extra shots costing him valuable time. Normally this would have



IDPA - A Realistic View

By: Samantha Newton

I am known as Sam to my friends, I'm 17, and a junior at Foster High School in Richmond, Texas. I started learning gun safety when I was seven by going to the local range with my father and shooting a Daisy BB rifle. Once I had learned and mastered gun safety and the basics of shooting, I moved up to a new level of shooting, using a .22 caliber rifle. By the time I was nine or 10, I had attended a shooting summer camp that allowed me to shoot different types of rifles, including AR-15's, shotguns on sporting clays, and a variety of handguns.

At the age of 11, I was shooting more and becoming more interested in handguns than rifles. I started learning the basics of handgun proficiency with a .22 caliber Ruger, semi-automatic pistol. I worked my way up to a Dan Wesson .38/.357 caliber revolver. With this revolver I learned not only handgun safety, but how to draw from a holster, do reloads, shooting-on-the-move, and use cover properly. By the time I had learned these skills and could demonstrate that I knew how to shoot safely, I was 12-years old. I currently shoot a stock 9mm Glock 34 in the Stock Service Pistol division of International Defensive Pistol Association (IDPA) where I hold a Sharpshooters ranking. I use a customized Glock 34 when I participate in the Enhanced Service Pistol division, where I also hold a Sharpshooters ranking. When I shoot Custom Defensive Pistol, where I currently hold a Marksman ranking, I shoot either a customized Glock 21 or a Springfield 1911A1, both in .45 caliber.

While I was learning my handgun skills, I attended multiple IDPA matches with my dad. It was a pleasant surprise when I discovered how much I enjoyed the sport. Originally, I was out on the range helping tape the targets and being the "gopher," but when I turned 12 and proved I could safely handle a gun, I began shooting at the local matches. The men and women that shoot in the local matches were supportive from the very beginning and were a wealth of information. My father and many others assisted in my growth and proficiency in the sport. I also enjoy the good natured kidding that these adults handout with their knowledge.

I found this sport interesting because it taught the basics of Concealed Carry laws, and also gave one the "Can this happen?" scenarios. Even though IDPA is a shooting sport, it gives a more realistic view, while keeping the whole thing fun and interesting. It makes you think, while giving you that exciting challenge of shooting and hitting what you aim at in a scenario setting rather than just bull's-eye shooting. It is amazing what happens to one's mind when your performance is actually being measured with a competition timer. One part of your mind tells you to slow down and shoot accurately while another part of your brain is screaming for you to hurry up. I have learned that one cannot shoot fast enough to make up for missed shots. In IDPA, one's score is a total of the raw time it takes to complete the scenario from the start buzzer to the last shot fired. Then the scenario is scored and points are assessed for shots not hitting the perfect mark. Slight misses on the cardboard target are scored 1 down, hits around the outer edge are 3 down, and total misses are scored 5 down. For each point, a half-second

penalty is added to the raw time. If the rules are not followed or hits are made on targets that are not suppose to be shot, additional penalties of three to 20 seconds are also added to the score. The goal is to have the lowest total time at the end of the match for your division and classification.

Over my five years of shooting IDPA matches, I've seen scenarios that are deceptively simple and others that test the skills of the best shooters. We use many exiting and interesting targets. Some are swingers or double swingers. These are most challenging when they are placed behind barrels or walls so that the shooter only can shoot at them as they are momentarily in the open. Pop-up targets and steel targets are also fun. One of the most challenging are the disappearing targets that pop-up or turn then quickly disappear, allowing the shooter only moments to make the hits. These scenarios often require one to be moving while shooting, using cover, and reloading adds realism as well. Once again, giving a realistic but fun challenge to shooting!

Since the beginning of my IDPA experience, I typically shoot IDPA matches at least once a week and sometimes more often. This does not include several hours of dry firing and reloading practice I typically do on a weekly basis. My local club is the West Houston IDPA (WHIDPA) club but I also shoot at the Tactical Shooters IDPA club and the Pearland Shooting Center IDPA club. Not only do I enjoy the shooting sport but have special permission to include it as my High School Physical Education credit! I also attend about two to six regional or state level matches during a year. I've even shot the IDPA National twice and had the pleasure of shooting at the Smith & Wesson Winter Championship this year.

When I go to these matches, I meet many people from around the country, from here in Texas, to Massachusetts to California. The sport of IDPA has given me a chance to meet many new people and gain new friends. As a matter of fact, some of the men that my dad and I shoot with have even become like "uncles" to me. They've supported me whenever I shoot, which is great.

On the other hand, the majority of shooters are adult males. There are only a few women and/or juniors that currently participate in the sport. This is unfortunate. As a lady and junior in IDPA, I've enjoyed shooting and I don't see why more ladies and juniors do not shoot! As long as one can shoot safely, every IDPA club openly welcomes everyone from novices to master class shooters. This is a place to not only make friends, but improve shooting skills. It is also a great place to meet those individuals that have the knowledge to help people improve their shooting skills.

I've enjoyed the sport mainly because the men that I shoot with support me. It is like a big family. You get a lot of support, but you get a lot of good natured kidding as well, which feels great. It's also kind of nice to be both a lady and junior shooter, because many individuals underestimate your abilities, until they see you shoot. This directly relates to another reason I enjoy shooting. It has helped improve my self-image over the years, because I feel that if I can do this, I can do anything. It's even

better when I can beat my dad, who is a master class shooter, or my IDPA mentors, who are mainly higher-level shooters as well. Beating them at a local match is sweet, but doing it on a state or national stage is even sweeter.

This sport has taught me several things. There is a danger to the sport. We are using firearms, so I have to think safety at all times. I also know that I have to act like a responsible adult. I,

and no one else, am directly responsible for my actions, and no excuse will be tolerated. It has helped me mature mentally and physically. I also have learned that if I work hard, I can exceed on my own merits. I set goals and when I reach them, I set higher goals to strive for. The shooting sports and IDPA in particular have made me a better person.



NRA Action Pistol Shooting

By: Travis Hayton

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I have been involved with shooting in one way or another since I can remember. My father belonged to a local gun club. He let me tag along every now and then when he went to practice. I'm sure he didn't get a lot of shooting done as I was always saying, "let me try, let me try." Then at the ripe age of five, I got a brand new Red Rider BB gun for Christmas. After that it seemed that I was always shooting.

When I turned six I got my first .22 rifle, a Davy Crockett. This is where it actually started, my dad taught me how to shoot accurately and safely with that .22. I shot the .22 for a few years until I was old enough to join a shooting team.

When I turned nine years old I was able to join the local 4-H shooting education team. We learned to shoot everything that young kids can learn to shoot safely. We shot BB guns, .22 rifles, air rifles, air pistols, archery, and even a little trap with the shotgun thrown in for good measure. Over the years with the 4-H, I won a couple gold medals in three position small bore rifle, a gold or two in precision air pistol, and numerous other awards at the State 4-H Shooting Championships. I was shooting really well. Then my dad introduced me to the world of handguns.

My father and his friends were action pistol shooters. Every Thursday they would meet at our local club to practice. Being who I am, it didn't take me long to acquire one of dad's .22 pistols so I could practice also. With all of the guy's working with me, it wasn't long before I was hooked. After that I was at the range whenever Dad was. I started competing in NRA Action Pistol events when I was 11 years old. This is a very hard discipline to shoot and shoot well. It is a sport that requires a lot of mental discipline as well as automatic reflexes. It takes a lot of practice, practice, and more practice. With the help of David Mcneil and Kevin Angstadt, who is a High Master and one of the best action pistol shooters in the world, I have come a long way over the past few years setting 14 Junior National Records in action pistol shooting.

One of the best things about action pistol is the different classes. There is open class, metallic and rimfire open, and metallic. It doesn't cost a lot to get started in the sport and anyone can shoot in the matches as long as you know how to handle your firearm safely and follow range commands. Personally, I think it is the game of all games when it comes to handgun competition. It requires speed and accuracy that no other discipline can match. It is my chosen sport and I love it very much and the people you meet are some of the friendliest people in the world. I also shoot PPC, IDPA, and IPSIC at my local club, but action pistol is by far my favorite.

Last year I competed in my first national championship – the Bianchi Cup. The Cup started out really good. I was leading the junior category when I started my last event – the falling plates. I was nervous. Everyone was watching; everyone knew it came down to these plates for the junior title. I missed three plates and lost the junior title, but I was happy I took second place. Pretty good for my first year.

Learning to control the nervousness at a match of this magnitude is almost impossible the first time around. I got to the line and forgot for a minute how to go prone – after doing it for years that seems almost impossible to do, but it happened





to me. The tension in the air was almost tangible the last day of the event. I loved every minute of it though. I'll be back in Missouri to try it again this year.

I would suggest that anyone who shoots, try this discipline. It is highly addictive and a whole lot of fun. The action pistol world is a great hobby or sport to shoot in. It involves speed and accuracy, that's why I like it. But don't get me wrong, it is hard. Out of all the different shooting disciplines available, I'll guarantee you will find at least one you enjoy. For the kids that are just starting to shoot, I started out just like you. Just try hard and keep practicing. The 4-H shooting program is a good program to get into. They start you when you're young. They teach you how to shoot and how to use a firearm safely. Just practice and have fun. More than likely you will get addicted and shoot the rest of your life. It teaches you discipline and is a great booster to your self-esteem when you shoot well. Some of the nicest people you will ever meet you will meet at the gun range. I have made some really close friends over the years and a couple of the guys treat me as if I were their own son.

My last thoughts are that maybe one day, if I shoot enough, I could get sponsorships. I love this sport and it will not die down at least as long as I am around. Shooting guns is my passion and obsession. Thank you Junior Shooters for giving me this opportunity to write this article and throw the NRA Action Pistol world out to adults and kids. Remember, just shoot to the best of your ability and always have fun.



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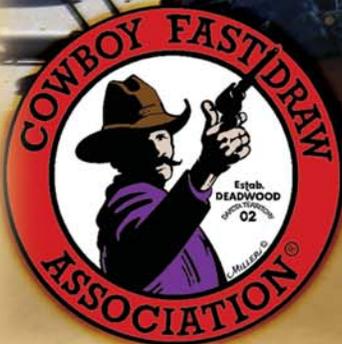
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