

B R I L E Y

BLUE
GOOSE

May 25-28, 2018

IN MEMORIAM

JESS
BRILEY

1927-2017

CALLING ALL SKEET ENTHUSIASTS!

Happy 2018 everyone! Welcome back to GHGC for another great year of Skeet. As you may have heard we have a very big year ahead of us with the Goose, Best of Texas and US Open. We anticipate each event to sell out.

Our Goose program will be similar to years past with one glaring difference. This year we are going to use the Blue Goose as a vehicle to honor the man that revolutionized competitive skeet shooting. Mr. Jess Briley. Jess dedicated a good portion of his life to improving the quality of products that many of us use today. You all may have known Jess Briley or at the very least heard people talk about him.

This past September, Jess flew away and we would like to take this opportunity to celebrate his life and achievements. He believed that the future is held by us, by the up and comers who are hungry to make a difference. The people that have yet to put their stamp on this earth. Jess believed sometimes it was necessary to work behind the scenes to help his champions stay in the spotlight. It is with our great pleasure and honor, that we celebrate Jess Briley's innovative vision as we focus on the future.

In Honor of Jess, each year at the Briley Blue Goose one person could be selected for the Jess Briley Innovators award. The award will be accompanied by a \$1,000 cash prize, fully paid entry to the following years Briley Blue Goose. See full details in the program.

So please come one come all and join us for the 2018 Jess Briley Blue Goose! You will not be disappointed.

Thank you,

Kevin Dougherty
Manager – Greater Houston Gun Club
Jess Briley Blue Goose – Tournament Director



REGISTRATION

WWW.MYSKEET.COM

MAIL REGISTRATION FORMS TO:

Greater Houston Gun Club, Attn: Kevin Dougherty
P.O. Box 97, Missouri City, TX 77459

Or email to manager@greaterhoustongunclub.com



RILEY CHADDOCK, 2017

PAST BLUE GOOSE CHAMPIONS

- Michael Schmidt 2016
- Christiaan Webb 2015
- Todd Bender 2014
- George Lehr 2006
- Stuart Fairbank 2005
- Robert Paxton 2004
- Larry Woo 2003
- Todd Bender 2002
- Todd Bender 2001
- Todd Bender 2000
- John Crljenko 1999
- Ron Hurlbert 1998
- Billy Williams 1997

• SCHEDULE OF EVENTS •

		Rot 1	Rot 2	Rot 3	Rot 4
Friday	Action Skeet	10:00	11:00	12:00	
Friday	Doubles	1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30
Saturday	12ga	9:00	10:20	11:40	1:00
Saturday	20ga	2:20	3:40		
Sunday	20ga			9:00	10:20
Sunday	28ga	11:40	1:00	2:20	3:40
Monday	410	1:00	11:40	10:20	9:00

EVENT I

ACTION SKEET

Prelim Event (Non-Registered)

<p>Entry fee -\$40 \$10 back to Class 75 targets 20ga event</p>	<p>Rotations: 1st-10:00am 2nd-11:00am 3rd-12:00pm</p>
<p>Event I Champ 12ga Benelli Shotgun Custom Silver Briley Money Clip</p>	
<p>Runner up \$200 gift certificate to Briley Guaranteed \$10 above highest class payout</p>	
<p>1st in Class 60% Class Purse</p>	<p>2nd in Class 40% Class Purse</p>
<p>Lewis Class shoot offs for Custom Silver Briley Money Clips One per life time</p>	

ACTION CLAYS EVENT

Concept

The game of Action Clays was created to put a twist on traditional skeet by adding the pressure of a clock.

Format

75 targets – 20 Gauge

Participants will shoot three standard 25 target rounds. The difference is at each station participants will only call pull one time.

It is highly recommended that participants load two shells for all singles in this game except station 8. When a participant is ready they step onto the station and load up. Once the participant calls pull the high house will appear as normal, followed by the low house that is automatically launched after a predetermined amount of time. There is then an 8 second delay in between singles and doubles to allow for reloading before the double is launched. This is repeated at each station and all targets are shot in the standard order.

Your score is calculated based on the three rounds. Class payouts will be based on your NSSA 20ga class. Friday evening a Lewis class shoot off will be held for Custom Silver money clips. All participants will be eligible for the Lewis class.

12GA BOUNTY OPTION

GHGC, Briley and Todd Bender have partnered up to bring you the 12ga bounty option. This option is designed to give A-E class shooters an opportunity to collect the cash by tying or beating skeet legend Todd Bender.

Entry Fee \$15

Here is how it works:

Each class is given a handicap for the 12ga event. You then will shoot your 12ga event as you normally would. After the event you add your handicap to your raw score and if you tie or beat Todd's raw 12ga score you double will your money!

It keeps going so pay attention! If you tie or beat Todd not only do you double your money you are entered into a shoot-off on Saturday night against all the other qualified participants and Todd Bender with his 28ga for the entire cash purse.

But wait, there's more! For the shoot off every participant except Todd will be shooting their 12ga. Plus each class will be given targets for the shoot off!

If you are the last man or women standing you walk away with the cash. If Todd out lasts the field and wins, the cash purse will go back to the 2018 Briley Blue Goose Junior fund. Everyone wins!

12ga event Handicap	Shoot off handicap
A - 1	A + 1 target
B - 2	B + 2 targets
C - 3	C + 2 targets
D - 4	D + 3 targets
E - 6	E + 4 targets

JESS BRILEY INNOVATORS AWARD

Dawn of the new era. If you knew Jess Briley you knew him as an innovator. Always had a new idea or a fix for something. It is a trait sought after by many but obtained by only a few.

Starting at the 2018 Briley Blue Goose, we are starting a new tradition called “The Jess Briley Innovators Award”. This award is not only to keep Jess’s memory alive but to continue to help and put back into skeet by constantly improving and changing.

There will only be one award up for grabs each year and it’s not guaranteed that anyone will receive it.

The requirements to earn this prestigious award are simple.

1. One must shoot the four gun main event at the Blue Goose at which you are submitting your idea.
2. Submit a one page idea of a fun game that will improve the experience of skeet shooting or an idea to help improve skeet on a local or national level. The submission must also have an outline of steps to implement the idea.

Our selection committee will review all submissions and select a recipient. If there are no ideas submitted or none that are usable then there will not be a recipient selected for that year.

If an idea is selected that can be implemented at the Blue Goose the winners idea will be inserted into the 2019 Blue Goose program.

The winner will receive the “Jess Briley Innovators” plaque plus \$1,000 cash prize and a full entry to the following years Briley Blue Goose.

A perpetual plaque will also be hung at GHGC with each winners name inscribed on it.

BLUE GOOSE MAY MADNESS

64 participants • Entry fee \$25

Shooters will be placed in 1 of the 4 divisions based on their HOA average. This will allow for 16 shooters in each division with similar ability levels.

Bracket format:

North Division	16 shooters with the highest averages
East Division	16 shooters with the next highest 16 averages (17-32)
West Division	16 shooters with the next highest 16 averages (33-48)
South Division	16 shooters with the next highest 16 averages (49-64)

Rounds 1-4 are all based on raw score. Rounds 5 and finals include handicaps.

Round #1 – Doubles event

- The shooter with the highest average in each division will be the #1 seed and will be paired against the #16 seed shooter with the lowest average. The #2 seed will be paired with the #15 seed, the #3 seed against the #14 seed and so on.
- After the Doubles event concludes the shooters that beat their pairing will advance to round two and earn \$10.

Round #2 – 12ga event

- There are now 32 shooters left (8 in each division).
- After the 12ga event concludes the shooters that beat their pairing will advance to round #3 and earn \$10.

Round #3 – 20ga event

- There are now 16 shooters left (4 in each division).
- After the 20ga event concludes the shooters that beat their pairing will advance to round #4 and earn \$10.

Round #4 – 28ga event

- There are now 8 shooters left (2 in each division).
- After the 28ga event concludes the shooters that beat their pairing will advance to round #5 and earn \$10.

Round #5 – 410 event

- There are now 4 shooters left (1 in each division). This is the first time the divisions meet and handicaps are added to the raw score in the 410 event.
 - Handicaps are based on shooters 410 class. See chart below.
- After the 410 event concludes the shooters that beat their pairing will advance to the FINALS.

FINAL ROUND – 410 Shoot-off

- The final two shooters will compete head to head in a miss and out shoot off on the stadium field for the big money! Lower class shooters will be allowed to shoot a different gauge. See chart below.

Final four handicaps based on 410 classes

Expert	1
AAA	2
AA	3
A	6
B	8
C	10
D	13

Shoot off handicaps based on HOA class

Expert	.410 + 0 target
AAA	.410 + 0 target
AA	.410 + 0 targets
A	28ga + 1 targets
B	20ga + 2 targets
C	20ga + 3 targets
D	12ga + 4 targets



2017 Defending Doubles Champ
HOUSTON DESHOTELS

EVENT II

DOUBLES/50 PAIRS FRIDAY, MAY 25

<p>Entry fee \$59 + fees \$10 back to class</p>	<p>1 Hour rotations 1:30pm, 2:30pm, 3:30pm, and 4:30pm</p>
<p>Options available for this event Class option \$10 Concurrent option \$10 2 man team \$10 (per shooter) Handicap option \$10 Oklahoma option \$15</p>	<p>Doubles Champ \$500 Doubles Runner up \$350</p>

2017 Defending 12 Gauge Defending Champ
TODD BENDER



EVENT III

12 GAUGE 100 TARGETS SATURDAY, MAY 26

<p>Entry fee \$59 + fees \$10 back to class</p>	<p>1 Hour 20 minute rotations 9:00am, 10:20am, 11:40am, 1:00pm</p>
<p>Options available for this event Class option \$10 Concurrent option \$10 2 man team \$10 (per shooter) Handicap option \$10</p>	<p>12 Gauge Champ \$750 12 Gauge Runner up \$400</p>





2017 Defending 20 Gauge Champ
CAMERON SCHUSTER

EVENT IV

20GA 100 TARGETS SATURDAY/SUNDAY, MAY 26 AND 27

<p>Entry fee \$59 + fees \$10 back to class</p>	<p>1 Hour 20 minute rotations Sat 2:20pm, 3:40pm, Sun 9:00am, 10:20am</p>
<p>Options available for this event Class option \$10 Concurrent option \$10 2 man team \$10 (per shooter) Handicap option \$10</p>	<p>20 Gauge Champ \$750 20 Gauge Runner up \$400</p>

2017 28 Gauge Defending Champ
RILEY CHADDOCK

EVENT V

28GA 100 TARGETS SUNDAY, MAY 27



<p>Entry fee \$59 + fees \$10 back to class</p>	<p>1 Hour 20 minute rotations 11:40am, 1:00pm, 2:20pm, 3:40pm</p>
<p>Options available for this event Class option -\$10 Concurrent option -\$10 2 man team -\$10 (per shooter) Handicap option -\$10 Oklahoma option -\$15</p>	<p>28 Gauge Champ \$750 28 Gauge Runner up \$400</p>



2017 Defending .410 Bore Champ
CLAY BALDWIN

EVENT VI

.410 BORE 100 TARGETS MONDAY, MAY 28

<p>Entry fee \$59 + fees, \$10 back to class</p>	<p>1 Hour 20 minute rotations 9:00am, 10:20am, 11:40am, 1:00pm</p>
<p>Options available for this event Class option -\$10 Concurrent option -\$10 2 man team -\$10 (per shooter) Handicap option -\$10 Oklahoma option -\$15</p>	<p>.410 Bore Champ \$750 .410 Bore Runner up \$400</p>

2017 Defending HOA Champ
RILEY CHADDOCK

EVENT VII

HOA INCLUDES EVENTS III, VI, V AND VI



<p>Entry fee \$20, \$15 back to class</p>	
<p>Options available for this event Class option -\$10 Concurrent option -\$10 2 man team -\$10 (per shooter)</p>	<p>HOA Champ \$1000 HOA Runner up \$750 3rd Place \$500</p>

OPTIONS

INFORMATION PAGE

\$5,000 Handicapped 400 x 400 / Entry fee \$15

**Experts	0
AAA	1
AA	2
A	4
B	8
C	9
D	12
E	15

****Former world champions or current Open 1st and 2nd ALL AMERICAN TEAM MEMBERS**

Expert Class: Former world champions may be granted permission to compete on their current class standing by soliciting the protest committee on the basis of "known ability". The idea is to be flexible so someone who won a world title long ago and their scores are suffering from age or health issues still has an opportunity at the prize.

Concurrent Events 2-3-4-5-6

Entry fee: None

Optional Purse: \$10 Per shooter per event

All Monies returned, ties divide

Ladies, Triple sub, Sub-Sub-Seniors, Sub-Seniors, Seniors, Veterans, Military, Ret Military, Military Veterans, Collegiate, Juniors, Sub-Juniors and Sr. Vet. You must declare your entry at registration.

Optional Class Purse

Available for Events 2,3,4,5,6 and 7

Entry fee -\$10 Per shooter per

Event. All Monies back to class, ties divide

Champion of Champions

Entry fee -\$10

Based on last 25 targets of event 3-4-5-6
No Classes, One Money High Score wins
Ties Divide

Oklahoma Options

Available for Events 2, 5 and 6

Entry fee -\$15 per shooter per event

(\$5 on 1st 50, \$5 on 2nd50,
\$5 on last 50)

All monies returned to class, ties divide

12ga Bounty option \$15

(See program for details)

May Madness option \$25 (See program for details)

2018 Briley Blue Goose Junior Sponsorship program.

Juniors wishing to inquire about receiving Blue Goose entry sponsorship must send a letter, accompanied by a complete entry form to Kevin Dougherty. Limited sponsorships available. All letters must be turned in by May 10th to be considered. Manager@greaterhoustongunclub.com

2 Man Team

Available for events 2,3,4,5,6 and 7
Entry fee -\$10 per shooter per event

One class only.

Two places - Split 60/40

If 5 or less teams in one event total purse awarded to Champion

Handicap Options

Available for events 2,3,4,5 and 6
Entry fee \$10 per shooter per event
Ties divide

	DBLS	410	28	20	12
AAA	2	2	1	0	0
AA	3	3	2	1	0
A	5	6	2	1	1
B	9	8	4	3	2
C	11	10	6	4	3
D	13	13	9	6	4
E	x	x	x	x	6



THE GRUB

Breakfast served daily 7:30am –10:00am

Lunch served daily from 11:00am –2:30pm

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Complimentary Continental Breakfast

Lunch: Gourmet Buffet \$10

Afternoon snack: Complimentary Hors Devours

SATURDAY

Breakfast: Complimentary continental breakfast

Lunch: Gourmet Buffet \$10

Dinner: Alaskan King Crab leg buffet \$20

SUNDAY

Breakfast: Complimentary continental breakfast

Lunch: Gourmet Buffet \$10

Dinner: \$15 Giant Shrimp dinner

MONDAY

Breakfast: Complimentary continental breakfast

Lunch: Gourmet Buffet \$10

Purchase tickets for Saturday and Sunday dinner for \$30

THE SMALL PRINT



Ties

All ties will be shot off. No Long Runs, except where stated.
Management reserves the right to long run in the event of an act of God.

Regular event shoot-offs

All shoot offs are Miss and Out by Station, NSSA rules apply.
Unlimited gun Malfunctions in shoot offs only.

Protests

Referee's decisions on all questions of fact will be final.
All other protest referred to the Protest Committee.

Protest Committee:

Robert Paxton
Billy Williams
Kevin Dougherty

Liability

All spectators and contestants assume all risk of accidents.

Changes

Cliff Moller, Kevin Dougherty and shoot management reserves the right to change or alter this program without recourse or protest at any time.

Text "BLUEGOOSE" to 94253 to stay informed during the shoot.

Registration from can be found at:

WWW.BRILEY.COM
WWW.GREATERHOUSTONGUNCLUB.COM

Online registration available at:

WWW.MYSKEET.COM

Send entry forms to:

Greater Houston Gun Club
ATTN: Kevin Dougherty
P.O. Box 97
Missouri City, TX 77459
Or email to
manager@greaterhoustongunclub.com

Registration preference is given to 5 person squads and 4 gun shooters.

All checks made out to Greater Houston Gun Club



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OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM

(Shooters wishing to squad together must send in all information together.)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Concurrents: _____

NSSA #: _____

Rotation Options

		Rot 1	Rot 2	Rot 3	Rot 4
Friday	Prelim	10:00	11:00	12:00	
Friday	Doubles	1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30
Saturday	12ga	9:00	10:20	11:40	1:00
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Sunday	20ga			9:00	10:20
Sunday	28ga	11:40	1:00	2:20	3:40
Monday	.410	1:00	11:40	10:20	9:00

Please list your 1st and 2nd choice Prelimrotation times.

1st choice _____

2nd choice _____

Please list your 1st and 2nd choice Doublestimes.

1st choice _____

2nd choice _____

Please list your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice Main Event rotation times.

1st choice _____

2nd choice _____

3rd choice _____

Squad Order:

#1 _____

#2 _____

#3 _____

#4 _____

#5 _____

ONLINE REGISTRATION AVAILABLE AT:
WWW.MYSKEET.COM

\$50 Deposit for Doubles / \$100 Deposit for Main

Squad preference given to 5 person squads.

Amex: _____ Visa: _____ MC: _____

Card #: _____

Exp Date: _____ Amount: _____

MAIL REGISTRATION FORMS TO:

Greater Houston Gun Club,

Kevin Dougherty

P.O. Box 97

Missouri City, TX 77459

Or email to:

manager@greaterhoustongunclub.com

THIS INFORMATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL SQUAD MEMBERS

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
E-mail: _____
Concurrents: _____
NSSA #: _____

Reserve a RV spot, \$25 per night.
Yes / No

12ga. Bounty Option, \$15. Yes / No
(A, B, C, D & E shooters only)

May Madness Option, \$25.
Yes / No
(May Madness available to the first 64 shooters)

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
E-mail: _____
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Accommodations

ONSITE RV PARKING AVAILABLE FOR \$25 PER NIGHT

Houstonian Hotel, Club and Spa

111 North Post Oak Lane
Houston, TX 77024
713-685-6810

Reservations@houstonian.com /
Event code Greater Houston Gun
Club
Rate: \$185

West Chase Hilton

9999 Westheimer Rd.
Houston, TX 77042

713-974-1000/ Event Code –
GHGC
Rate: \$129

Hilton Garden Inn, Pearland

12101 Shadow Creek Parkway
Pearland, TX 77584
713-340-0110/ Event code “GC8”
or “Briley Blue Goose”
Rate \$109

Spring Hill Suites

1820 Country Pl Parkway
Pearland, TX 77584
713-436-7377 – GHGW
Rate: \$99

Sleep Inn Suites

1908 Country Place Parkway
Pearland, TX 77584
832-230-3000/ Event code –
LGHC
Rate \$89

Advanced RV Resort

2850 S. Sam Houston Pkwy E
Houston, TX 77047
713-433-6950
Rate: \$69 Daily/ \$320 Weekly

Southlake RV Resort

13701 Hycohen Rd
Houston, TX 77047
832-804-8088
Rate: \$63 Daily/\$378 Weekly

	Thursday 5-25	Friday 5-26	Saturday 5-27	Sunday 5-28	Monday 5-29
Early Registration	12pm -6pm				
Registration		7:30am-4:30pm	7:30am -4:30pm	7:30am -4:30pm	7:30am -1pm
Complimentary breakfast			7:30am -10am	7:30am -10am	7:30am -10am
Lunch			11am -2:30pm	11am -2:30pm	11am -2:30pm
Prelim event		10am/11am/ 12pm			
Doubles event		1:30pm/2:30pm/ 3:30pm/4:30pm			
12 Gauge event			9am/10:20am/ 11:40am/1pm		
20 Gauge event			2:20pm/3:40pm	9:00am/10:20am	
28 Gauge event				11:40pm/1:00pm /2:20pm/3:40pm	
.410 Bore event					9am/10:20am/ 11:40am/1pm
Shoot-offs		At completion of all events	At completion of all events	At completion of all events	At completion of all events
Cocktail reception @ pavilion			5:30pm	5:30pm	
CRAB LEG dinner			6:15pm		
Giant Shrimp dinner				6:15pm	
Auction			Following shoot-offs		
Jess Briley Innovators awards			Following shoot-offs		
Bounty option shoot-off			Before 12 ga. shoot-offs		
May Madness event shoot-off					During HOA shoot-offs
See Yall next time!!					Following all shoot-offs

