



Houston Chapter
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Dear Shooter:

The Houston Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute is pleased to announce the **27th Annual A.P.I. Sporting Clays Tournament**. The 2017 tournament will benefit endowed engineering scholarships at five Texas universities, the Offshore Energy Center, the Houston Regional Science Fair and other educational projects.

The shoot is scheduled for **Saturday, April 29, 2017** and will be held at American Shooting Center (ASC) in Houston, Texas. Registration will begin at 8:00 a.m. with the competition starting at 9:00 a.m. Enclosed please find information detailing the **Format** to be used.

Included in the entry will be the challenge of a 100-bird sporting clays course, entrant gifts, squares for chances on guns as well as food and beverages. This year's tournament will accommodate 80 teams over the four (4)-course design. Shooters will be required to provide their own firearm and ammunition. Shotgun shells will be on sale at the tournament site through ASC.

The tournament will be limited to the first 80 teams. Applications will be processed by the date of receipt. The cost is \$975.00 per team (five-man team). One gun certificate (random drawing) will be given to each participating team.

Golf carts may be rented for event from ASC. The rental form can be downloaded on our website - please be sure to send the forms to ASC and not the API office.

In order to minimize congestion at the registration table on the day of the event, we strongly encourage all Team Captains to register their teams, pick up team entrant gifts and confirm that individual API- Houston chapter dues are current for each team member, by attending the Early Registration on Friday, April 28th (1:00PM to 4:00PM) at the American Shooting Center.

When completing the registration form, TBA's may be used if you are not sure of your guest's name, but **ALL TBA names must be in by April 7, 2017; otherwise changes and additions to the team will have to be done at registration. The 2016-2017 API Houston Chapter dues must be paid in order for you to shoot in this tournament.** Dues cannot be transferred and can only be applied to a specific person not a TBA.

Please note that if you sponsored the event you will be receiving a sponsor packet for your team registration.

Sincerely,
Mike Russell – Chairman
2017 API Sporting Clays Tournament