

# T.W.A.W. Shooting Chapters

Where The Feminine and Firearms Meet

## Who Are We?

TWAW Shooting Chapters is an organization of more than 200 local chapters across the nation focused on introducing women to the world of firearms. Our mission is to Educate, Equip, and Empower women as they strive to make important personal choices in their lives. We are women helping women discover our passion, develop our skills, and build new relationships within our communities. New or experienced, young or mature, interested in protection or just for fun...come join us!



## Why Join the National Organization?

- **Your membership in the National TWAW organization makes your local chapter possible! The National organization provides the foundation that supports all of our chapters and chapter leaders.**
- Monthly meetings and shoots with passionate, trained leaders and instructors
- Exclusive events to enhance your training and expand your interests
- Traveling? Moving? No worries. Your membership is valid at any of our 200+ chapters!
- Insurance coverage for your chapter's monthly meetings
- Access to a private Facebook group and emails for sharing information with other members
- Articles, tips, emails, and research, as well as a TWAW Monthly Newsletter
- Personalized and group training in a safe environment geared toward the woman shooter
- Guest speakers providing information on important topics for today's woman shooter
- The Well Armed Woman gun Basics for Women DVD
- Your own TWAW hat...Great for shooting, and for sharing your support in your community
- 10% discount on items purchased from the TWAW online store, plus other national/local discounts
- Best of all – camaraderie and friendships with other women

## Do I Need to Join To Attend the Meetings?

- Guests may attend one complimentary meeting. Membership is required for continued participation.
- Membership in TWAW is \$50 annually – that's less than a latte a month ladies!
- Your local chapter may have monthly range fees – see the Chapter Leader for details.
- Joining is easy\*. Go to [www.twawshootingchapters.org](http://www.twawshootingchapters.org) . Go to the chapters tab to find your local chapter Click Join Today!
- **\*You must be at least 21 and legally eligible to purchase a firearm to join**

The Clifton Park NY Chapter of The Well Armed Woman holds its monthly meetings at:

### The Sportsmen's Club of Clifton Park

644 Englemore Road,  
Clifton Park, NY 12065



<http://www.facebook.com/sccpwellarmedwoman/>



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## Frequently Asked Questions

### Q How is the monthly TAWW meeting and shoot different from just girls' night out?

A The TAWW meetings are more than just range time – they provide a comprehensive program that includes certified instructors, training, practice time, interactive discussion, guest speakers, exclusive events, and a host of other valuable resources all geared toward helping Educate, Equip, and Empower women shooters.



### Q What is the membership money used for?

A The \$50 annual membership is broken into four areas:

1. Members receive a TAWW hat, Gun Basics DVD, and membership card.
2. 30% of each chapter's membership dues is put into a chapter fund for reimbursement to leaders to help offset the cost of organizing, marketing, and running your chapter – they are all volunteers.
3. Money is set aside for scholarships for women in need to help cover the cost of membership.
4. The balance is used to provide insurance coverage, administrative support, and marketing for the organization.

### Q Who can join TAWW Shooting Chapters?

A Any woman age 21 or older who is legally eligible to own a firearm can join TAWW.

### Q What if I move to another city, or I'm traveling and want to attend another chapter meeting?

A Your membership in TAWW is recognized at all of our many chapters, subject to space availability. It is also transferrable should you decide to join a different chapter. Please contact TAWW for details.

### Q Who leads the meetings?

A Our TAWW leaders are women with a passion for providing a safe environment for those who want to learn to shoot in the company of other women. They will organize and lead the meetings, and work together with their partner ranges to ensure you have certified instructors available to assist shooters with all levels of experience.

### Q What about safety?

A Safety is the primary focus of TAWW Shooting Chapters Program. The universal firearm safety rules are taught, applied, and adhered to at all times.

### Q Do I need to own a firearm to join?

A No - you do not need to own a firearm in order to attend the meetings.

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