

Dear Shooter,

Unlike the original Club Timer, the Club Timer 3 has no instructions printed on its case. We found with the Club Timer, that once a shooter learned how to work it, he didn't need to refer to them. Frankly when it came time to design keypad legends for the new timer we just couldn't bring ourselves to junk it up with a lot of lines, arrow and words, "read instruction manual before firing" Once you get the hang of its operation, you'll find the CT is a snap to use and, we hope, will be glad we kept it's surface clean and uncluttered.

You'll notice that the CT3 has no On – Off switch. **It will turn itself off after approximately 15 minutes of inactivity or any time you press GO and RVW together.** Pressing any button will turn it on again. It will remember whatever you had programmed (delay setting and PAR time) when it was shut off. **BE CAREFUL OF BATTERY ALIGNMENT WHEN INSTALLING NEW BATTERIES.**

The CT3 has three modes of operation, Timer, Review and Set.

TIMER MODE

In Timer mode the # is lit and the CT3 will display the number of the last shot fired and the time. If there are no shots in memory, it will display a "bouncing ball" to let you know it's alive and well. DELAY or INSTANT will be lit telling you whether there will be a delay (2 to 3.5 seconds) after you release the GO button **or** the TIME will start instantly upon release of the GO button. If a PAR time is entered it will be displayed.

When you press *and release* the GO button the timer will count down through the DELAY (if any) then sound the buzzer. At that moment the TIME starts counting up and each time a shot is fired the shot # will increment and the time of the last shot fired will be displayed. You'll notice that the time counts up from the moment the buzzer sounds to the first shot. Then the time of the last shot fired is displayed. In addition, TIME will flash letting you know the timer is still alive.

On the bottom left side of the display FIRST SHOT time will be displayed. The SPLIT time is displayed on the bottom right. Pressing GO will wipe the current string out and start the whole thing over.

REVIEW MODE

Assuming you've recorded some shots, pressing RVW will get you into REVIEW mode. Each time you press RVW the timer will increment to the next shot; if you go all the way through the string using the RVW button it will send you back to TIMER MODE. The UP and DOWN arrow buttons will let you scroll forward and backward through your shots but will not force you back to TIMER MODE at the end of the string. Any time you press GO in REVIEW MODE the timer will jump to TIMER MODE and start a new string.

SET MODE

SET MODE is used to switch between DELAY and INSTANT go and enter or clear a “PAR” time (a fixed time limit to you non-IPSC shooters). **To enter SET MODE press and release the two arrow buttons together.** You’ll see that SET appears and DELAY and INSTANT are alternating. Press the UP arrow to freeze it on DELAY or the DOWN (toward the display) to freeze it on INSTANT. After you’ve set DELAY or INSTANT, PAR will begin to flash.

Which is the “UP” button? Think of a wooden barrel in front of you. As you roll it away from you your hand moves UP, as you bring it toward you your hand rolls down. **The arrow button closest to you is DOWN, the button farthest away is UP.**

NOTE: *If you do not want to enter a PAR time just press GO .* The timer will jump back to TIMER mode.

To enter a PAR time press RVW. The current PAR time (if any) will appear with the hundredths number flashing. Use the arrow keys to set the number you want. Press RVW to accept the number and move to the left (tenths, ones, tens). When you have the complete par time entered, say 2.50 seconds, press GO to jump back to TIMER MODE. Note that PAR is now lit and the time you entered is now displayed in the lower left corner. When a PAR time is used the FIRST SHOT feature is disabled. The SPLIT time of the first shot after the PAR is the time from the PAR buzzer to the shot – **the amount overtime** – not the time between shots.

SHORTCUT : *The fast way to clear a PAR time is to enter SET MODE, set your INSTANT/DELAY then press GO. No need to set everything back to zero.*

With the proliferation of action shooting disciplines, the sensitivity of the microphone has become an issue in the last couple of years. Set too sensitive, the timer will pick up shot echoes or even its own buzzer. Not sensitive enough and it can miss shots, a real problem with the low power rounds used in Cowboy shooting. We have included an adjustment located in the corner of the battery compartment, however, we strongly recommend that you **Do not mess with it.**

Finally, the trick to getting the battery out is to remove the door, smack the timer once against your hand to pop the battery loose, then put your trigger finger on the end of the battery that’s sticking up and push down on the other end with your thumb. It’s best to change the battery with the timer on, to insure that it resets properly when the new battery is installed. Should the time lock into off mode when you install a new battery just remove the battery and let the timer sit for a few minutes to dissipate the internal charge.