

OAK RIDGE
REGIONAL HIGHPOWER RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS
June 5-7, 2009
Oak Ridge, Tennessee
An NRA Registered Highpower Rifle Tournament

SPONSOR: Oak Ridge Sportsmens Association

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all NRA members and members of NRA-affiliated junior clubs

RULES: Current NRA Highpower Rifle Rules will apply

FEES: CMP EIC Leg Match or Warmup Match \$20 adults / \$10 juniors (includes \$10 CMP or \$9 NRA registration)

Saturday Package Fee (Matches 1-7) \$60 adults / \$40 juniors (includes \$9 NRA registration)

Team Match \$40 per team (includes \$5 NRA registration)

Make checks payable to the Oak Ridge Sportsmens Association

ENTRIES: Entry in individual matches may be made using an ORSA Match Entry form or SR-1 card, accompanied by check or money order for the full amount of match fees. NRA membership number and NRA Highpower Rifle classification MUST be recorded on the entry card. Competitors entering the entire tournament will be given preference.

Send entries to: Charles W. Smart (865) 494-9895
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Entries close May 31.

Entries are limited to 150 individuals and 30 teams. Post entries will be accepted to range capacity, provided that such entries do not require the squadding of extra relays. Cancellations made before the closing date will be refunded in full.

TEAM ENTRIES: Notice of intention to enter teams may be made with individual entries. Teams will consist of 4 firing members from the same organization. A team captain must be named (Rule 12.1), but may be a firing member of the team.

DIRECTIONS TO THE RANGE: The ORSA range is located on the Oak Ridge Turnpike (State Route 95) 3.5 miles west of the intersection of Illinois Ave. (State Route 62) and the Turnpike. The range entrance is the first road on the left past stop light No. 16 at Nebraska Ave.

SQUADDING: All matches will be squadded. Squadding tickets for individual matches will be issued at the Statistical Office starting at 8:00 AM on Friday and 7:30 AM on Saturday. Competitors who fail to be at the proper firing point when their relay is called may lose their privilege to compete in that event. Team matches will be squadded Sunday morning at 7:30 AM on the range.

IDENTIFICATION: NRA membership cards and classification cards must be shown before squadding tickets will be issued.

CLASSIFICATION: The NRA Classification system will be used in all matches. Unclassified competitors will compete in the Master class. Assigned Classification (Rule 19.6) or Temporary Classification (Rule 19.2) may be used.

DIVISIONS OF RIFLES IN REGIONAL TOURNAMENTS: There will be two divisions in Matches 1-7: NRA Match Rifle and Service Rifle.

CATEGORIES: There will be no separate categories within the Match Rifle Division. Two categories, Civilian and Service, will be recognized within the Service Rifle Division. The Service category will include Regular Service (Rule 2.6), Reserve (Rule 2.7), and National Guard (Rule 2.5). All others will compete as civilians.

RIFLE: NRA Match Rifle (Rule 3.3) or Service Rifle (Rules 3.1, 3.1.1, 3.1.2, or 3.1.3) will be allowed in Matches 1-8.

SIGHTS: Metallic only (Rule 3.7a) in Matches 1-8.

AMMUNITION: Rule 3.17, provided by the competitor.

TARGETS: SR at 200 yards, SR-3 at 300 yards, MR-1 at 600 yards.

SIGHTING SHOTS: Sighting shots must be taken and scored when allowed in the match conditions. Sighting shots may be taken from any position described in Rule 5. (except 5.13).

SCORING AND PIT OPERATION: Competitors and teams will be required to perform scoring and pit operation duties.

CHALLENGES: A fee of \$2.00 will be collected IN ADVANCE for each challenge.

AWARD SCHEDULE:

Individual Matches 1-7: There must be five or more entries in a class for one place award; eight or more for two awards; and 13 or more for three awards. If there are fewer than five entries in a category they will be combined with another category in the same class. If there are still fewer than five entries after combining all categories in a class, there will be no awards in that class. All competitors will be moved back to their respective categories and combined with the next higher class, until a minimum of five competitors is achieved in the combined class. If there are fewer than five High Masters entered, they will compete for open awards only.

The table below shows how categories will be combined in the event that there are insufficient entries:

Civilian Service Rifle >>	>>Match Rifle>>	>>Service
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Special Awards Categories: Special awards in Match 7 will be: Senior (Rule 2.2.1), Woman, and Junior (Rule 2.3). There must be three or more competitors in a special award category for that award to be given. An individual winning a place award in Match 7 shall also be entitled to special awards for which he or she is qualified, but may not win a category/class award in that match.

NRA medals and award points will be awarded in all matches according to the following table:

	Open Awards				Class / Category Awards			
	Match: 7	5&6	1-4	Warmup	7	5&6	1-4	Warmup
Winner	40+Gold	30	20	30	20	15	10	15
Second	30+Silver	20	15	20	15	10	7	10
Third + below	20+Bronze	15	10	15	10	7	5	7
Special Awards	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

The Frank M. Barnes Trophy will be presented to the high scoring ORSA member firing the Service Rifle in Match 7.

NRA will also provide National Championship Credit Awards of \$40.00 to the high scoring competitor in each of the five classes having 5 or more competitors in Match 7.

Team Match (Match 8): NRA will present award points to the winning team. The Oak Ridge Sportsmens Association will present NRA award points to the high team in each class and category, provided that five or more teams compete. Place awards will be made for every 5 additional teams within a class / category.

MATCH SCHEDULE:

FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 10:00 AM

CMP SERVICE RIFLE MATCH AND COMPETITOR WARMUP MATCH

CMP Service Rifle EIC Match

Course of Fire: The National Match Course, no sighting shots.

Arms: The Service Rifle. M1, M14, or M16, or civilian equivalent, consistent with current CMP Competition Rules.

Ammunition: Provided by the competitor. Service, commercial, or handloaded caliber .30, 7.62mm, or 5.56mm ammunition consistent with current CMP Competition Rules is authorized.

Rules: Current CMP Competition Rules.

Awards: Provided by CMP.

A **Competitor Warmup Match** will also be fired concurrently with the CMP EIC Match, following the same course of fire. The Warmup Match is open to all individual Regional competitors, using either the Match Rifle or the Service Rifle.

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 9:00 AM

Match 1 - 2 sighting shots and 20 shots for record, standing, slow fire, 200 yards, SR target. Rule 5.12.

Match 2 - 2 sighting shots and 20 shots for record, sitting or kneeling from standing, rapid fire, 200 yards, SR target. Rule 5.8 or 5.10.

Match 3 - 2 sighting shots and 20 shots for record, prone from standing, rapid fire, 300 yards, SR-3 target. Rule 5.6.

Match 4 - 2 sighting shots and 20 shots for record, prone, slow fire, 600 yards, MR-1 target. Rule 5.6.

Match 5 - The Slow Fire Aggregate: Total of scores fired in Matches 1 and 4.

Match 6 - The Rapid Fire Aggregate: Total of scores fired in Matches 2 and 3.

Match 7 - The Regional Aggregate: Total of scores fired in Matches 5 and 6.

SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 9:00 AM

Match 8 - Four Man Team Match: The National Match Course - 10 shots, standing, slow fire, 200 yards; 10 shots, sitting or kneeling from standing, rapid fire, 200 yards; 10 shots, prone from standing, rapid fire, 300 yards; 20 shots, prone, slow fire, 600 yards. Two sighting shots will be fired before each stage. Pair firing will be optional.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES:

A Competitor Cookout and Awards Ceremony will be held at the ORSA Clubhouse immediately after the completion of firing on Saturday afternoon. Big Ed's Pizza will also host all competitors for a Pizza Party on Sunday afternoon following the Team Match.