

2013 NRA OPEN INTERNATIONAL
AIR PISTOL SECTIONAL AND STANDARD PISTOL
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
OFFICIAL MATCH PROGRAM

DATE: March 9, 2013

LOCATION: Newport Rifle Club, 360 Wyatt Road, Middletown, RI

SPONSOR: Newport Rifle Club

Sectionals are registered matches. All guidelines for registered matches will be followed.

All local challenges and protests are to be resolved on the match site according to procedures outlined in section 16 of the NRA International Pistol Rule book.

The 2013 National Indoor Championship is determined by scores fired in the local Sectional Tournaments, which are compiled at NRA Headquarters. For the purpose of the National Championship, the National Match Director may require that any or all fired targets from any sectional be sent to NRA Headquarters for re-scoring under the provisions of Rule 16.

National Indoor Championships Match Officials:

Match Director: Tom Hughes

Statistical Officer: Ann Boyd

Sectional Championship Match Officials:

Match Director: Richard Ashmore

Chief Range Officer: Steve Hogan

Statistical Officer: J. T. DeLessio

RULES: Current NRA International Pistol Rules will govern.

SCORE CARDS: Special Individual score cards will be used and must be signed by the competitor to be considered for National ranking. All information must be filled in or scores will not be scored.

AIR PISTOL

DISTANCE: 10 meters.

PISTOL: Air Pistol - Rule 3.7

Targets: NRA Official 10 meter, B40/4 International air pistol target.

STANDARD PISTOL

DISTANCE: 50 FEET

PISTOL: Standard Pistol – Rule 3.5

TARGET: NRA Official B33

Eligibility: A competitor (individual or team) may enter any Open NRA Sectional Indoor Championship, but may fire in only ONE of this type Sectional tournament in 2012. Competitors may enter other types of Sectionals if eligibility limitations permit. As of July 1, 2008, NRA Membership is not required to compete in NRA Registered tournaments. NRA membership is encouraged.

All teams will consist of three (3) firing members (Rule 2 .11 (A), (B), a Regular Service unit, National Guard or Reserves (Rule 2 .13), or a State Association (Rule 2.12). Teams composed of members not all in the same category are mixed teams. Mixed teams in Sectionals may fire for open awards only. Scores for mixed teams will not be used for National ranking or awards. A foreign competitor is eligible to participate in the Sectional(s) (and National level Rule 2.1.1), only U.S. citizens may win the First, Second, and Third place National Individual and Team Championship awards.

CATEGORIES: A Grand Senior, Senior, Woman, Junior, and Junior Woman special award will be presented to the HIGH GRAND SENIOR, HIGH WOMAN, HIGH JUNIOR, and HIGH JUNIOR WOMAN in the National Individual Championship only.

CLASSIFICATION: Each competitor will be classified according to the NRA International Classification System and must be prepared to exhibit a current International Classification Card or Score Record Book upon registration. Unclassified competitors will fire in the Master class (Rule 19.6). Teams will be classified according to Rule 19. 12.

SOUVENIR AWARDS: NRA provides the participation pins to be given to each competitor.

CHALLENGES: A challenge fee of \$1.00 will be charged for each challenge made. (See Rule 16.1 for correct procedure.)

TIES: Ties will be broken according to NRA International Pistol Rules, Rule 15.

INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES: Entries in the Individual match will be made by submitting the SR1A Registration Card accompanied by check or money order (nonrefundable) for \$20.00. Be sure to state the time you wish to fire, current, correct International classification and NRA Membership number, if applicable. Return entry card immediately with correct fee to:

Richard Ashmore
31 Lepas Road
Portsmouth, RI 02871-3901
Make checks/money orders payable to: Newport Rifle Club Pistol Team

TEAM ENTRIES: Team members must be designated before the individual matches commence. The individual match scores will be used for the team's scores total. The team match is not a fired match.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Advance individual match entries must be received no later than the Monday preceding the day of the tournament. Team match entries must be made any time prior to the start of any team member's firing in the individual match.

ENTRIES LIMITED: Entries are limited to 24 competitors which is the range capacity for the time allotted. Persons making entry within the time limit which cannot be accepted will be notified and their fees will be returned.

POST ENTRIES: Post entries will be accepted up to the range capacity provided such entries will not require extra relays.

FEES:

NRA INDIVIDUAL SECTIONAL REGISTRATION FEE: \$20.00 per competitor for one event, \$30.00 for both events, includes entry of the individual in the 2013 NRA National Open Individual Indoor International Pistol Championships.

NRA TEAM SECTIONAL REGISTRATION FEE: \$12.00 per team-event - includes entry of the team in the 2012 NRA National Open Team Indoor International Pistol championship.

TIME OF FIRING:

DATE: March 9, 2013

Firing will be between the hours shown below on the dates indicated'

RELAY STARTING TIME:

0730 Relay 1 Registration and Equipment Check
0750 Relay 1 Air Pistol Preparation Period Begins
0800 Relay 1 Commence Firing
0945 Relay 1 Cease Fire
1000 Relay 1 Standard Pistol Match Commences
1030 Relay 2 Registration and Equipment Check
1050 Relay 2 Air Pistol Preparation Period Begins
1100 Relay 2 Commence Firing
1245 Relay 2 Cease Fire
1300 Relay 2 Standard Pistol Match Commences
1330 Relay 3 Registration and Equipment Check
1350 Relay 3 Air Pistol Preparation Period Begins
1400 Relay 3 Commence Fire
1545 Relay 3 Cease Fire
1600 Relay 3 Standard Pistol Match Commences
1700 Range Clear

Firing Regulations for Matches: Since Sectional Scores are to be used to determine National Champions, sectionals must be conducted in the prescribed manner.

1. In the individual match 60 shots are fired for record. Air Pistol: B40/4 targets will be used. Only one shot is allowed per bullseye. The targets and bullseyes are numbered and are to be fired in order. Sighting shots may only be fired before any record shots are fired. Standard Pistol: B33 targets will be used, and scored after each ten (10) shots.
2. No added matches or practice firing are to be permitted prior to the matches.

MATCH SCHEDULE:

Match 1 Sectional Air Pistol Individual Championship: Sixty (60) shots standing*. Time limit 105 minutes (1 hr, 45 minutes). Unlimited Sighters before Match 1.

*Note: The 40 shot course for women and junior women has been eliminated.

Match 2 Sectional Air Pistol Team Championship Scores will be taken from Match 1.

Match 3 National Open Air Pistol Individual Championship Scores will be taken from Match 1.

Match 4 National Open Air Pistol Team Championship Scores will be taken from Match 1.

Match 5 Sectional Standard Pistol Championship: Sixty (60) shots, per Rule 7.3

Match 6 Sectional Standard Pistol Team Championship: Scores will be taken from Match 5

Match 7 National Open Standard Pistol Individual Championship Scores will be taken from Match 5.

Match 8 National Open Standard Pistol Team Championship Scores will be taken from Match 5.

AWARDS SCHEDULE: (subject to change as determined by NRA)

Match 1 Sectional Air Pistol Individual Championship Awards

Provided by The National Rifle Association

Winner Gold Sectional Medallion+ 15 Award Points

2nd Place Silver Sectional Medallion* 10 Award Points (provided there area minimum of 10 competitors)

3rd Place Bronze Sectional Medallion+ 5 Award Points (provided there area minimum of 15 competitors)

Match 5 Sectional Standard Pistol Individual Championship Awards

Provided by The National Rifle Association

Winner Gold Sectional Medallion+ 15 Award Points

2nd Place Silver Sectional Medallion* 10 Award Points (provided there area minimum of 10 competitors)

3rd Place Bronze Sectional Medallion+ 5 Award Points (provided there area minimum of 15 competitors)

CLASS AWARDS:

For each class (Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, Marksman), the following NRA Award Points will be provided:

1st Place: 9 NRA Award points - (with 5 competitors in each class)

2nd Place : 7 NRA Award points - (with 10 competitors in each class)

3rd Place: 5 NRA Award points - (with 15 competitors in each class)

1. If there are fewer than five (5) entries in a class, they will be combined with the next higher class.
2. If there are not enough entries after combining two (2) classes, then they will be combined with the next higher class.
3. If there are fewer than five (5) entries in the master class, the competitor will shoot for open awards only.
4. An individual winning a place award (winner, 2nd, 3rd) will not be entitled to a class award in the same match. Such class awards will be passed down to the next eligible individual.

Match 2 Sectional Air Pistol Team Championship Award

PROVIDED BY: The National Rifle Association

WINNING TEAM: 15 NRA Award points (5 to each firing team member) NRA will provide team awards for the open winning team, provided there are two (2) or more teams.

Match 3 National Open Air Pistol Individual Championship Award

PROVIDED BY: The National Rifle Association

Winner: National Championship Gold Medallion and 50 NRA Award Points

2nd Place: Silver Medallion and 40 NRA Award Points

3rd Place: Bronze Medallion and 30 NRA Award Points

HIGH WOMAN: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH JUNIOR: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH SENIOR: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH GRAND SENIOR: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH JUNIOR WOMAN: NRA Lucite Award

A High Visitor award will be given to any non-U. S. citizen whose score was either 1st, 2nd or 3rd place.

CLASS AWARDS: Separate awards will be given in each class: Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, Marksman

1st place: 9 NRA Award Points (with 15 competitors in each class).

2nd place: 7 NRA Award points (with at least 25 competitors in each class).

3rd place: 5 NRA Award Points (with at least 35 competitors in each class).

An additional 3 NRA Award points will be given in each class for each 20 entries over a minimum of 35 competitors.

Match 4 National Open Air Pistol Team Championship Award

PROVIDED BY: The National Rifle Association
WINNING TEAM: 3 Gold Medals in Lucite
2ND PLACE: 3 Silver Medals in Lucite
3RD PLACE: 3 Bronze Medals in Lucite

CLASS AWARDS: Separate Awards will be given in each class: Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, and Marksman.

1st Place 5 NRA Award Points to each team member.
2nd Place 4 NRA Award Points to each team member.

An additional 3 NRA Award Points to each team member will be given in each class for every 5 team entries over 10.

Match 6 Sectional Standard Pistol Team Championship Award

PROVIDED BY: The National Rifle Association

WINNING TEAM: 15 NRA Award points (5 to each firing team member) NRA will provide team awards for the open winning team, provided there are two (2) or more teams.

Match 7 National Open Standard Pistol Individual Championship Award

PROVIDED BY: The National Rifle Association

Winner: National Championship Gold Medallion and 50 NRA Award Points

2nd Place: Silver Medallion and 40 NRA Award Points

3rd Place: Bronze Medallion and 30 NRA Award Points

HIGH WOMAN: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH JUNIOR: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH SENIOR: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH GRAND SENIOR: NRA Lucite Award

HIGH JUNIOR WOMAN: NRA Lucite Award

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