

Wildcat Valley Rifle & Pistol Club
2017 Official Highpower Rifle Match Program

Check the **WVRPC** website www.wvrpc.org for changes. This bulletin will not be updated.

LOCATION:

Wildcat Valley Rifle and Pistol Club, Southeast of Brookston, IN. Check the website above for directions. The Wildcat Highpower Program utilizes counter-balanced target carriers in a military-style "pit", on a 300 yard, 10 firing point range. For Across-the-Course matches, the 600 yard stage is fired from 300 yards using the NRA MR-63 reduced target. We think you'll find these are some of the easiest and smoothest operating targets in the area.

2017 SCHEDULE:

The Highpower Chairman may reschedule any event due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances. All changes and reschedules will be posted on the Wildcat website by the evening before the match. If you are travelling to Wildcat, please check the website for last minute updates, or contact one of the discipline chairs.

Date	Description	Rounds	Sanctioning	Signup	Adult	Jr.
1-Jan-17	Highpower Snow Snake	50	None	9:00 AM	\$15.00	\$5
18-Mar-17	Highpower Work Day (8:00 to 11:00)		None	8:00 AM	--	--
18-Mar-17	Highpower Prone Match (11:30)	40	NRA Approved	11:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
25-Mar-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA-Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
28-Mar-17	Highpower League Begins	40	NRA-Approved	5:00 PM	\$70**	\$25**
1-Apr-17	Highpower Beginner Clinic	40	CMP	8:00 AM	\$25	\$10
15-Apr-16	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
6-May-17	Highpower RMC	50	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
20-May-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
10-Jun-17	Highpower CMP "Games" J.C. Garand	30	CMP	8:00 AM	\$15*	\$5
10-Jun-17	Highpower CMP "Games" Springfield/Vintage	30	CMP	11:00 AM	\$15*	\$5
17-Jun-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
1-Jul-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
12-Aug-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
26-Aug-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
9-Sep-17	Highpower Indiana State Championship	80	NRA Registered	8:00 AM	\$35*	\$15
23-Sep-17	Highpower Prone Match	60	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
14-Oct-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10
28-Oct-17	Highpower RMC	80	NRA Approved	8:00 AM	\$25*	\$10

* Wildcat Valley Members receive a \$5 discount from the "Adult" rate above.

** Wildcat Valley Members receive a \$20 discount from the "Adult" rate for the Summer Weekly League

ENTRIES:

Entries may be made on a SR-1 entry card, or electronically at the match. Registration, sign up and squadding will take place at the 200 or 300 yard line on the Highpower range at WVRPC. Signup times are listed in the schedule above, and signup will close 30 minutes after it begins. For most matches, this means signup will open at 8:00 AM and close at 8:30 AM. Match fees are paid at sign up. Cash, checks, money orders, or award points (for NRA matches only) will be accepted.

ENTRY FEES:

Adults and Juniors: Refer to fees listed in match schedule above. Active Duty Military, Reserve, and Guard shoot as guests of the Highpower Program. Please be sure to mention your Service status at sign up. NOTE: Entry fees subject to increase based on range usage fees.

ELIGIBILITY:

National Rifle Association membership is no longer required for NRA matches.

RULES:

See above match schedule for NRA or CMP sanctioning. For NRA approved or registered matches, NRA rules apply. For CMP Games matches, CMP Rules apply. Competitors should make themselves familiar with these rules. NRA and CMP Highpower Rifle Rulebooks will be on sale when available. Empty chamber indicators are required at all times and must be inserted in rifles before competitors enter the range. Block time may be utilized at the discretion of the Match Director.

CLASSIFICATION / SANCTIONING:

The NRA classification system will be used for all NRA matches. Anyone who does not have a Highpower classification will fire in the Master Class (Master Unclassified) or the highest registered class. Temporary score cards and temporary classifications may be used as provided by NRA rules. NOTE: Non-Sanctioned or CMP matches will not have scores sent to the NRA, and do not count towards NRA classification changes.

RIFLES:

For NRA Matches, Match Rifles or Service Rifles are allowed, per current NRA Rules. For CMP Matches, see current CMP Rules. Competitors are responsible for the safekeeping and safe operation of their equipment.

AMMUNITION:

Any safe ammunition. No incendiary or tracer ammo allowed.

TARGETS:

All firing will be on appropriate NRA targets.

SCORING AND PIT OPERATIONS:

Competitors will be required to score and operate targets in the pits. Pit changes will be announced the day of the match. Any competitor who does not fulfill his or her scoring or target pulling duties may be disqualified.

SQUADDING:

All matches will be squadded the morning of the match. Competitors may be squadded into 2, 3, 4, or more relays depending on the number of competitors firing. If 2 relays are used, scoring will be done in the pits. Entry fees must be paid prior to squadding at sign up. Squadding will be completed immediately after sign up. A competitor who fails to present himself at the proper firing point when his relay is called may lose his right to compete in the event.

SPECIAL CATEGORIES:

Woman, Senior, Grand Senior and Junior. There must be at least three competitors to form a special category.

INFORMATION:

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COURSES OF FIRE:

Consistent with use of block time or other changes per the Match Director's discretion, will utilize the following courses of fire:

NATIONAL MATCH COURSE (50 rounds):

50 shots for record – 500 point aggregate

- 200 yards – Prep period, 2 sighters and 10 shots, slow fire standing in 15 minutes on SR target.
- 200 yards – Prep period & 2 sighters in 5 minutes, and then 10 shots rapid fire sitting or kneeling, with a magazine change in 60 seconds on SR target.
- 300 yards – Prep period & 2 sighters in 5 minutes and then 10 shots rapid fire prone, with a magazine change in 70 seconds on SR-3 target.
- Simulated 600 yards – Prep period, 2 sighters and 20 shots, slow fire prone in 25 minutes on MR-63 target.

REGIONAL MATCH COURSE (80 rounds):

80 shots for record – 800 point aggregate

- 200 yards – Prep period, 2 sighters and 20 shots, slow fire standing in 25 minutes on SR target.
- 200 yards – Prep period & 2 sighters in 5 minutes and then 2 strings of 10 shots rapid fire sitting or kneeling, with a magazine change in 60 seconds each, on SR target.
- 300 yards – Prep period & 2 sighters in 5 minutes and then 2 strings of 10 shots rapid fire prone, with a magazine change in 70 seconds each, on SR-3 target.
- Simulated 600 yards – Prep period, 2 sighters and 20 shots, slow fire prone in 25 minutes on MR-63 target.

TUESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE:

Subject to weather related or other unavoidable circumstances, the schedule applies:

40 shots for record each Tuesday – 400 point aggregate, ½ of an 80 round RMC match on alternating Tuesdays. NRA League Rules apply.

First Tuesday, and each odd numbered Tuesday after (i.e., 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, etc.):

- 200 yards – Prep period, 2 sighters and 20 shots, slow fire standing in 25 minutes on SR target.
- 200 yards – Prep period & 2 sighters in 5 minutes and then 2 strings of 10 shots rapid fire sitting or kneeling, with a magazine change in 60 seconds each, on SR target.

Second Tuesday, and each even numbered Tuesday after (i.e., 2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th, etc.):

- 300 yards – Prep period & 2 sighters in 5 minutes and then 2 strings of 10 shots rapid fire prone, with a magazine change in 70 seconds each, on SR-3 target.
- Simulated 600 yards – Prep period, 2 sighters and 20 shots, slow fire prone in 25 minutes on MR-63 target.

CMP “SPRINGFIELD-VINTAGE” MATCH:

30 shots for record – 300 point aggregate, CMP Rules and course of fire apply.

- 200 yards – Prep period, 5 sighters and 10 shots, slow fire prone in 18 minutes on SR target.
- 200 yards – 10 shots rapid fire prone from standing, with a magazine change in 80 seconds on SR target.
- 200 yards – 10 shots, slow fire standing in 10 minutes on SR target.

CMP AS-ISSUED “J. C. GARAND” MATCH:

30 shots for record – 300 point aggregate, CMP Rules and course of fire apply.

- 200 yards – Prep period, 5 sighters and 10 shots, slow fire prone in 18 minutes on SR target.
- 200 yards – 10 shots rapid fire prone from standing, with a magazine change in 70 seconds on SR target.
- 200 yards – 10 shots, slow fire standing in 10 minutes on SR target.

SAFETY AND LIABILITY:

NRA Empty Chamber Indicators must be used by all shooters and will be for sale at each match. A liability waiver must be completed and signed by all active participants. Eye and Ear protection is required, both while firing and in the pits.

CHALLENGES:

A challenge fee of \$3.00 will be charged. If the challenge is won, it will be returned to the shooter.

PARKING:

Parking must be at the farthest point near the 300 yard line, out of range from falling pellets from the trap ranges.

RANGE CAPACITY:

Entries limited to the first 40 competitors, 4 relays, 10 firing positions.

MATCH SCHEDULE:

For all matches EXCEPT the January 1 "Snow Snake" match, the following schedule applies. The Snow Snake match is one hour later due to shorter days.

8:00 A.M. Registration / Sign-up Begins

8:30 A.M. Registration / Sign-up Closes

8:45 A.M. Pits are Sealed

A.S.A.P Match 1 begins

CHANGES IN SCHEDULE:

The Match Director reserves the right to alter any facet of the match. All changes will be posted and/or announced on the firing line and in the pits.

POSTED SCORES:

It is the competitor's responsibility to check his individual shot values before signing his scorecard, and to check standings as they are posted. Competitors should inform the Match Director of any errors. The Challenge period for individual match ends one hour after the scores are posted. Once the challenge period ends, scores stand as posted. All ties will be broken by NRA Rulebook Guidelines.

MATCH RESULTS:

A Match Bulletin will be available for download on the WVRPC website after all matches.

FACILITIES:

Restroom facilities are available on the range and in the clubhouse. There is no water available on the range. Please bring your own food and water.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Severe weather may cause the Match Director to delay relays until the situation improves. Matches will be fired regardless of mildly inclement weather, but not if lightening threatens. If at least one yard line is completed, this will constitute an official match and no refunds will be given.

HELP WANTED:

Anyone wishing to help with match operations please contact the WVRPC Highpower Chairman or Co-Chairmen. Help is especially needed at the State Championship Registered Match. Wildcat Valley members may claim work hours for helping at a match.

DISPUTES:

An official referee will not be in attendance at most matches. Any dispute or protest will be heard and decided by a 3-member jury made up of the Match Director, WVRPC Highpower Chairman(or Co-Chairman), and one other advanced shooter, not involved in the incident.