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Did You Know?

The Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP), and the National Rifle Association (NRA) have revised the rules and regulations applying to sanctioned rifle and pistol competition events. Most revisions were recently released and are available on-line for downloading in PDF format. They can also be ordered in hard copy.

Given the commitment we've made to competitive shooting, knowing and understanding the rules and regulations governing our shooting disciplines will make participation more enjoyable, and certainly less frustrating.

The NRA High Power Rifle Rules has a May 2018 revision date. The CMP High Power Rifle and Pistol Competition Rules, 22nd Edition, is dated I January, 2018. The CMP Games Rifle and Pistol Competition Rules, 6th Edition, is dated I January 2018.



President's Corner

Hello Wind Dogs. It's hard to believe we're already half way through our 2018 shooting season. The heat, however, makes it clear we're now into Summer. Wow! What a great series of matches we had in June. Our pistol and small-bore rifle clubs hosted a number of matches including new RP Club members and a host of guests. Likewise, ORSA and RP hosted two premier matches – The High Power Regional and Long Range Regional Championship.

We were very fortunate to have the US Army Marksmanship Unit (AMU) shoot with us in our High Power Regional Matches I-3 June. Not to be deterred by a Friday stormy morning, AMU conducted an impromptu, one on one shooting clinic in the ORSA clubhouse. As a clear omen of the great shooting to follow, the sun came out and we enjoyed a very productive mentor match with AMU shooters Friday afternoon. On Saturday, 2 June, we hosted our regional match. We're very proud to have been part of seeing Sergeant Brandon Green set a new National record in 300-yard Rapid Fire. SFC Green shot a 200-24X. This broke the previous record of 200-19X set in 1992. Congratulations to AMU and SFC Green. AMU remained 4-6 June honing their long-range shooting skills on our 1000-yard line. This practice helped prepare AMU for the US Military Interservice Matches. GO ARMY!

Our Long-Range club hosted the Long Range Regional Championship 8-11 June. It, like our HP Regional was very well attended. And, like our HP Regional, a National record came into play. Jim Murphy tied the National record in the F-Open Grand Senior match with a score of 200-16X. Congratulations to Jim.

As we move into the heat of Summer, our match schedules lighten up. On 30 June we will hold our first of the year MIA Club Match. And on I July we will host a Modern Military/GSM Club Match. So, break out your steel and wood "man-guns" and come have some fun. On 14-15 July our Rimfire Benchrest Club will host ARA and ARBA matches on the Rifle Competition Range. And finally, on 26 and 27 July our 2018 Wind Dog Camp Perry shooters and High Power team will head north to Camp Perry Ohio to compete in the National Championships. Stay tuned for daily SLACK feeds on individual and team accomplishments.

For future planning I want to highlight our next NRA Approved (50-shot) Match is on I September. And for those of us in pursuit of EIC leg points, our final matches of 2018 are scheduled on October 7th and November 4th.

As always, I want to thank all of you for your assistance and participation in Rifle Pistol Club events. And, I want to welcome all of our new shooters. And to all of you veteran "old timers," please continue to share your lessons learned and experiences.

See you on the range.

Bill Phelps



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