

South Bay Rod & Gun Club, Inc.

NRA Approved High Power Rifle Match

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This match is held on the second Sunday of each month at the South Bay Rod & Gun Club (SBR&GC) 300 yard main range. SBR&GC is located 25 miles South-East of San Diego. Take CA-94 East; turn right onto Campo Road / CA-94 and continue to follow CA-94 East; travel 14.7 miles and turn right onto Marron Valley Road (dirt road) and continue 2.5 miles and turn right into the range.

Entries

The match fee is \$15.00 (includes NRA fees). The stat office opens the day of the match at 6:45AM and entries close at 7:30AM. The match starts immediately after closing of entries.

Rules

All NRA High Power Rifle rules apply.

Rifles

Rifles to be used in High Power Rifle competition must be equipped with metallic sights, should be capable of holding at least 5 rounds of ammunition and should be adapted to rapid reloading.

Depending on the number of entries competitors will be grouped into two divisions, Service Rifle and Match Rifle. The rifles currently defined as "Service Rifles" include the M1 Garand, M14, M16 and their commercial equivalents. All other rifles will be shot as "Match Rifles" and must meet the above criteria.

Ammunition

Competitors must supply their own ammunition. Any safe center-fire ammunition may be used. Tracer, incendiary, or armor piercing ammunition is prohibited – NRA Rule 3.17(b).

Safety Equipment

Hearing protection, eye protection, and Empty Chamber Indicators (ECI) are mandatory. ECI's are available for purchase at the range office.

Other Equipment

The below equipment is optional but should be considered at some point for a more enjoyable shooting experience.

Sling: The shooting sling is helpful in steadying the positions and controlling recoil. The sling may be used in any position except standing.

Spotting Scope: A spotting scope or a substitute optical device is useful for observing the placement of shots on the target and reading the wind.

Shooting Coat: The shooting coat is equipped with elbow, shoulder and sling pads which contribute to the shooter's comfort.

Shooting Glove: The shooting glove's primary function is to protect the forward hand from the pressure of the sling.

Scorebook: If the shooter is to learn from experience, they should record the conditions and circumstances involved in firing each shot. Sight settings, sling adjustments, wind and light conditions and ammunition used all have a place in the scorebook.

Targets

The SR target is used for the Offhand and Sitting Rapid matches at 200 yards, the SR3 target is used for the Prone Rapid match at 300 yards, and the MR63 target is used for the Prone Slow match which is fired at 300 yards. The targets are on frames and there are no pits or pit service. Competitors are required to set up their own targets at the target shed.

Course of Fire

The Regional Course (80 shots) will be shot with the addition of 5 sighting shots in a time limit of 5 minutes at 200 yards from any legal position and 5 sighting shots in a time limit of 5 minutes at 300 yards from any legal position. Competitors will need at least 90 rounds to shoot this match (80 for record and 10 for sighting shots). This is a reduced course match (300 yards) in which we use the MR63 target, which simulates the regular 600 yard target, for prone slow.

Match	Stage	Distance	Shots	Time	Target	Points
-	Sighters	200 Yds.	5	5 Min.	SR	-
1	Offhand	200 Yds.	20	20 Min.	SR	200
2	Sitting	200 Yds.	20 (2 - 10 shot strings)	60 Sec. Per String	SR	200
-	Sighters	300 Yds.	5	5 Min.	SR-3	-
3	Prone - Rapid	300 Yds.	20 (2 - 10 shot strings)	70 Sec. Per String	SR-3	200
4	Prone - Slow	300 Yds.	20	20 Min.	MR-63	200
5	Grand Aggregate Of Matches 1 – 4					800

Awards

Awards will be given for grand aggregate match winner and individual matches (offhand, sitting, prone rapid, prone slow) per classification. Any classification with less than 3 shooters will be bumped up to the next classification for awards.

Facilities

Parking and restrooms are near the firing line. There is no food service, or cell phone service at the range. The range does have a land line phone. Call the match director(s) if there have been periods of heavy rain within 24 hours of match or if heavy rain is forecasted as the dirt road can be impassable during or after heavy rain. The match director will inform registered shooters of range closure if they have prior notice.