



## Official Newsletter of the Dormont / Mt Lebanon Sportsmen's Club March 2024 Edition

### Calendar of Events

APRIL 2024						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 6:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	<b>3</b> 6:00PM-8:00PM - Youth Trap Practice  6:00PM - PSRL Practice or Make- UP	<b>4</b> 7:30AM-4:00PM - Envirothon Study Session All ranges closed	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 8:00AM-12:00PM - NRA Highpower All Upper Ranges Closed
<b>7</b> 12:00PM-3:00PM - Youth Clay Crusher Practice	<b>8</b> 7:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 11	<b>9</b> 6:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	<b>10</b> 4:00-6:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice  6:00PM-8:00PM - Youth Trap Practice  7:00PM - PSRL Spring Meeting @ DML	<b>11</b> 7:30PM - Board Meeting	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> 7:00AM - 3:00PM - ARC Pistol Clinic Indoor Range and Meadow Range Closed
<b>14</b> 12:00PM-3:00PM - Youth Clay Crusher Practice	<b>15</b> 7:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 12	<b>16</b> 6:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	<b>17</b> 4:00-6:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice  6:00PM-8:00PM - Youth Trap Practice	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 8:00AM Work Party All ranges closed
<b>21</b> 12:00PM-3:00PM - Youth Clay Crusher Practice  12:00-3:00PM - Trap Range  11:00AM - CMP rifle match	<b>22</b> Passover Begins  7:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 13	<b>23</b> 6:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	<b>24</b> 7:30AM-4:00PM - Envirothon Competition All ranges closed  6:00PM-8:00PM - Youth Trap Practice  4:00-6:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice	<b>25</b> 7:00PM - Membership Meeting	<b>26</b> 12:30PM- 1:30PM(approx) Silhouette Setup All Upper Ranges Closed	<b>27</b> 9:00AM-4:00PM - Outdoor Pistol Silhouette All Upper Ranges Closed
<b>28</b> 7:00AM-3:00PM - ARC Plus Pistoleer All Lower Ranges Closed  12:00PM-3:00PM - Youth Clay Crusher Practice	<b>29</b> Last MPRL 7:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC)	<b>30</b> 6:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range				

## **#Club News**

- **MEMBERSHIP MEETING:** The Meeting will be held on **March 28<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm**
- **LOST & FOUND:** If you believe you have lost an item of yours in or around the Range property, please email [DMSCNews@gmail.com](mailto:DMSCNews@gmail.com) to inquire about it.
- **GATE CARD REPLACEMENT:** If you have lost or misplaced your gate card, send a \$10.00 check to:
  - DMSC  
PO Box 12692  
Pittsburgh, PA 15241-0692Be sure to include your name, current address, & phone number. We will send you a new gate card upon receipt.
- **SWAP MEET:** The first Swap Meet of 2024. It's starts at 5:30pm (before the Meeting) on March 28<sup>th</sup>. The Meet will be suspended during the meeting time but will resume afterwards.
  - Buy, Sell, Trade – Firearms & other etc., Hunting and Fishing Gear
  - Seller / Vendor Tables must reserve space in advance
  - Members only may be Sellers at the Swap Meet
  - The public / proposed new members are welcome to buy at the Swap Meet but cannot be a Seller / Vendor Table
  - Seller / Rep must be at the Vendor Table when Meet is active
  - All Firearm Transfers are the responsibility of the Seller and Buyer

### **MEMBERSHIP YEARLY DUES**

Full Membership	\$110
Senior (65yrs and up plus 10yrs consecutive membership)	\$50
Intermediate (18-21yrs)	\$50
Junior (12-17yrs)	\$25
Spousal membership	\$60
Lost Gate Card	\$10

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Metropolitan Police Revolver League  
Pittsburgh and Suburban Rifle League  
National Shooting Sports Foundation

### **SANCTIONED BY**

National Rifle Association  
Civilian Marksmanship Program  
Pennsylvania Rifle and Pistol Association

### **CLUB COMMUNICATION**

Club Web Site: [mdi.net/dml](http://mdi.net/dml)

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Facebook: [facebook.com/DMLSportsmen](https://facebook.com/DMLSportsmen)

## # Shooting Events

Program	Contact	Centerfire Pistol	Rimfire Pistol	Air Pistol	Centerfire Rifle	Rimfire Rifle	Air Rifle	Shotgun	Muzzleloader
Monday Night Pistol	George Taylor (412) 855-6721 Bruce Ungar (412) 343-2256	X	X						
Outdoor Silhouette	Dave Willard (412) 759-3855	X	X		X	X			
CMP Rifle	Bruce Ungar (412) 343-2256				X				
NRA High Power	John Tupta (724) 941-1494 teefam@verizon.net				X				
Pittsburgh Suburban Rifle League	Dean Trew (724) 239-3012					X			
Trap	Bill Minnitte (412) 400-8252 bminnitte1439@comcast.net							X	
Winter Indoor Shooting League	Ted Hildabrand (724) 344-8171 Mike Leone (724) 554-9544 Bruce Long (724) 941-3918 Dave Faust (724) 225-9057	X	X	X		X	X		
Antique Military Rifle Match	Bruce Ungar (412)343-2256 Gary Scherer (724)809-7358				X				
Blackpowder Skirmish	Ron Watton (724) 941-5891								X
Indoor Air Rifle & Pistol	Mike Leone (724) 554-9544			X			X		
CMP Junior Rifle Program	Chuck Augenstein (724) 255-6127 Brian Herrig (412) 341-0618					X			
Indoor Air Pistol Silhouette	George Taylor (412) 855-6721			X					
Benchrest Program	Cliff Abbio cliffabbio@gmail.com				X	X			

See our website for more detail about shooting opportunities at the club:  
[www.mdi.net/dml/programs.html](http://www.mdi.net/dml/programs.html)

## **ATTENTION TURKEY HUNTERS!**

**Absolutely NO SHOTGUN PATTERNING on any  
Rifle, Pistol or Steel Ranges.**

**Any Shotgun Patterning is limited to the  
PLINKING RANGE ONLY!**



## **# Ted's Thoughts**

### **Ted's Thoughts March 2024**

#### **Thursday March 28 Monthly 7:00 PM Meeting with Swap Meet @ 5:30 PM**

The program will feature John Petrone member who uses a 17 caliber CF rifle cartridge to hunt coyotes. John is a unique member who I met from shooting on the Bench Range and via a relationship with Frank Shuster. John has a wide and extensive professional career. He used to sell medical equipment. However, he owns and operates an asphalt repair and coating business. Additionally, he is a well-known personality in HS, College and professional football as he is a certified official for College and the NFL.

His passion / hobby is coyote hunting. It takes him to Montana and other regions to hunt. His use of a 17-caliber rifle to hunt. This is what makes John so interesting.

#### **Swap Meets @ Monthly Meeting March 3/28**

#### **Starts @ 5:30 PM but temporarily suspended at meeting program**

- Buy, Sell, Trade – Firearms & other etc., Hunting and Fishing Gear
- Seller / Vendor Tables must reserve space in advance; see below
- Members only may be Sellers at the Swap Meet
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- All Firearm Transfers are the responsibility of the Seller and Buyer

**Swap Meet Vendors / Tables** – Access via the rear door only for set up. Club members are the only approved Vendors / Tables for the Swap Meets. Please see Ted Hildabrand (724-344-8171) if you have any questions. Sellers must reserve a table or space in advance via email [tkhaquariusnetwk@gmail.com](mailto:tkhaquariusnetwk@gmail.com) ; otherwise Seller space may not be available.

## **April 25 Thursday Monthly 7:00 PM Meeting Program by Allan Jaworski**

### **Supported Positional Shooting for Improved Precision and Accuracy**

Shooting from a supported position can provide increased stability to engage smaller targets at greater distance. But we can't bring a bench with us when hunting, competing, or especially in a defensive situation. Luckily, there are many ways to effectively use commonly encountered objects, along with a few accessories, to stabilize your shooting position. Allan Jaworski will explain *and* demonstrate some techniques that you can use to stabilize your firearm and position to repeatedly deliver effective shots from various heights and with available supporting structures, with levels of precision approaching what is achievable from a bench. This presentation will be immediately impactful for your field shooting and will provide lots of "food for thought" of how you can train on the range for upcoming competitions, hunting trips, or any other situation where additional stability and precision with a rifle is needed.

Allan Jaworski is a member of DMSC, and you can frequently see him training on our ranges or rucking around the club property. Allan is a Distinguished Rifleman (badge #2054) and has earned the President's 100 Tab in both rifle and pistol at Camp Perry. He has competed in nearly one hundred Precision Rifle Series matches, numerous sniper matches, and other shooting disciplines.

### **March Meeting Meal**

Hot sausage sandwiches, peppers / onions with rigatoni, spinach salad and cake.

### **Mastering Dues Payment**

Brian Fink Membership Chair worked his magic again this year. We only had to contact around 160 members as a reminder. The trick to helping Brian is to do following:

- Make sure Brian has your current email address and best phone contact
- Make a note on your calendar or phone for October / November
- See Web page info Dues Payment
- Mail to PO Box 12692 Pittsburgh, Pa 15241-0692

## **New Board Members – Stepping up and Shining**

Scott Riggins and Cliff Abbio, our stepping up and contributing big time. Both are astute business professionals in IT. The result is a new Board Committee chaired by Cliff. Scott is right there with him in the new committee in IT as he is self-employed IT professional. Chris Bielinski / Editor, another IT professional who is on the board is also on the committee. Combined with the existing historical board input from George Taylor we are very strong now in IT.



Scott

Cliff

Scott was already managing our Swap Market Program. Cliff was previously managing our new popular Bench Rest matches. Cliff is retired and an icon on Marsico or Bench. Scott is stepping up around middle 2024 to take over the treasurer position.

## **Deer Hunting 2023**

Thought you would enjoy this pic. Just a couple notations as this was the best buck from 2023 contest from Outdoor News (ON). These items stick out for me; it was taken by a young lady of 15, taken with a rifle and killed in Schuylkill County. If you look at ON February issue this on the front page. In the center section pages 14-15 are other pics of bucks taken. Absolutely amazing array of great bucks!





Deer hunting is better now than it has ever been in my lifetime. So much for that bar stool bluster (BSB) that you hear in the media and previously from John Eveland crowd about hunting in our great state. Criticizing the PGC and its policies. That old BSB group probably hunt briefly in early AM, break for a hot breakfast mid-morning and are at the bar around 1-2 PM. Then they complain and bluster about deer hunting. This is no longer the 60s-80s when bucks would just stumble into hunters early in the season but especially first two days. The hunter population was high then but not now. So that large hunter mix is not there to move the deer. Back then any buck was considered a trophy including young one and

half and two-year-old 4 and 6 points which were the most common taken.

Now bucks are older which is symbolic of the larger racks and body size of our current harvest. Any day in the woods is a good day get a good buck. It doesn't have to be the first day. However, you must hunt wiser, harder and smarter to be successful. Scouting and patience are critical. All good news for our sport today. Improvements in regulation and increased time to hunt makes for a great deer season.



## February Souper Bowl

The meeting / meal was very successful. We had seven entries. The winner was Beef Barley by David and Brenda



McGowan. I really enjoyed the Salmon Chowder by Sharon Fertall. Along with a great program by Lee Brletich, Lt Col, USAF (Ret) it was a successful night and Swap Meet.

The contest and meal were Bridgette Stonestreet's idea. Bridgette had also

recommended the other supplemental menu options of Sliders. These came from Heisler's and were delicious. Thanks Bridgette!!

## WPIAL HS Small Bore Rifle Competition

We hosted the competition again this year in Membership Hall (MH) typical of the past four years. It is a four-day event for team and individual competition on separate days for both first Region and



then State. Previously the event which can include around 150 people with students, coaches, bus drivers and WPIAL Staff. Had to stay on the bus. MH is a great club facility that allows us to support this group.

It is a great event that we are hosting but the high level of class and great character by the HS students, coaches and WPIAL staff really shine and standout. Those young people are so polite, courteous, respectful with great enthusiasm, sense of humor and great character it makes it so much fun to host this classy group.

What really jumps out at you from the culture of this sport is strong participation of the fair gender. The top three regional match winners were all ladies this year. They are superior in number for whatever reason. What also

stands out is that physical size is not a factor for excellence. More on that in a future article but the Regional Individual champion, Carlee Valenta, and winner of the Taylor Eddy Trophy proves that point. Do you see the joy in Carlee's smile?!!

This is our work crew with Carlee, her coach, sister and Mother Brenda. The support crew for the event were Ray English, Dave McGowan, John / Rainy Nipar, Diane Randolph and Rich Kunz. Missing from the are Dave Willard and Kirk / Cindy Marker



What should be obvious in the upper pic is Carlee's stature along with that of her mother and sister. So, this tells you to be a champion in this sport size is not a deterrent.

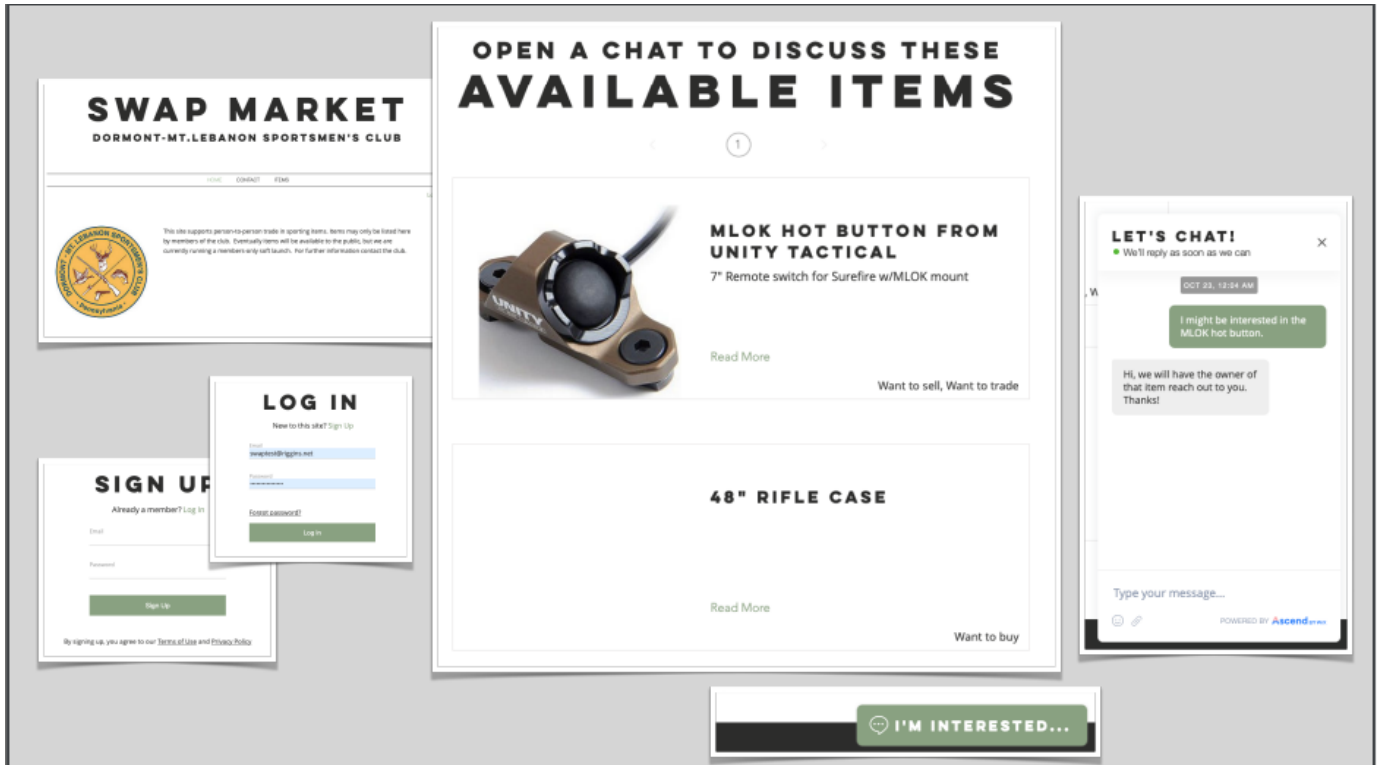


I would like to thank them on behalf of the club for the contribution of time and effort by our people to make this a great club event. An event that allows us to 'Champion Our Youth - Defining Our Future'!

### **Bench Rest Range (BRR) – Suggested Thought on Etiquette**

The natural approach in arriving at the range if every position is open is to just normally set up on BRR #1 and #2. However, as a suggestion, if you intend to shoot only at 100 or 200 yards, please leave #1 and #2 for those who plan to shoot at 50 yards.

## # Swap Market – Digital Swap Meet



- Members who sign up will be able to sell/trade items online.
- No transactions will occur within the site, all inquiries will require face to face interaction to complete the sale/trade.
- Chat will be available.
- For more information about the Swap Market, please contact [Scott Riggins](#)

## # America's Rifle Challenge (ARC)

# AMERICA'S RIFLE CHALLENGE (ARC)

ARC can be summarized by three words: **Exciting – Challenging – Fun!** So, what is it really?

**Challenging: Events go beyond the typical target practice.** The program is designed under NRA guidelines to insure a safe yet challenging experience. **Clinics:** entry level stages under the direction of NRA Certified Instructors and Range Safety Officers. New for 2024 will be a Clinic - Introduction to Practical Pistol Shooting. **Advanced Rifle:** more rounds, more skills, more action. **ARC Plus:** The “plus” adds a pistol to the challenge and **don't forget** – we added a PCC category at the Pistolet matches. Events incorporate the same skill sets and stages but involve matches using only the pistol or a pistol along with the rifle (2-Gun).

**Fun: this program has a ton!** Sending rounds down range is great, but ARC takes it to a whole new level!

NEW for 2024!!!

**What's new??? Plenty – New Targets – New Skills – New Stages.**

Each month starting with February, the monthly online newsletter will have more detailed info regarding any upcoming events. By looking in the online newsletter section from 2023, you will get a better feel for what the program entails as well as noting the increasing number of individuals who have already caught on to the American Rifle Challenge!

# America's Rifle Challenge (ARC)

## Schedule of Events 2024

**\*\* Note:** Due to ARC requirements and range restrictions, each event will have a limited number of slots that will be assigned on a first come – first served basis. **You must reserve your spot by sending an email** to John T. [dmlscNRA@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscNRA@outlook.com) Registration will open one month prior to the month in which the event is held.

<b><u>Event</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Registration Opens</u></b>
Intro to Practical Pistol	Saturday April 13	March 1
ARC Plus (Pistoleer/PCC)	Sunday April 28	March 1
Rifle Clinic/Basic Match	Saturday May 11	April 1
Advanced Rifle Match	Saturday June 1	May 1
ARC Plus (Pistoleer/PCC)	Saturday July 13	June 1
Advanced Rifle Match	Saturday August 10	July 1
ARC Plus (2 gun)	Saturday September 7	August 1
ARC Plus (Pistoleer/PCC)	Saturday October 5	September 1

**Please stay tuned to Newsletters and Bulletin Board Flyers for more detailed information regarding each of these events.**



# INTRODUCTION TO PRACTICAL PISTOL SHOOTING

The America's Rifle Challenge (ARC Plus) program here at DMSC will conduct an inaugural Clinic - **Introduction to Practical Pistol Shooting.**

This clinic offered for the first time ever will provide the new or less experienced pistol owner with an opportunity to learn **how to safely use their pistol, learn basic shooting skills,** and be **introduced to other programs** that are available at DMSC and other nearby clubs.

**Date:** Saturday, April 13, 2024

**Time:** 8:00AM, 9:30AM, and 11:00AM

**COST:** Members/Candidates \$5; non-Members \$10

The clinic will begin at the indoor range with a rolling registration at 8:00AM, 9:30AM, and 11:00AM. While indoors, all participants will receive instruction on safe handling of their pistol, basic shooting skills, and dry/live firing activities. Additional opportunities will then be offered at an outdoor range - weather permitting. NRA Certified Range Safety Officers will be present for all phases of the clinic. **Each participant will receive individual attention to make this a more meaningful experience.**

- All NRA Safety Rules and DMLSC Rules apply.
- Eye/Ear Protection and Empty Chamber Indicators are mandatory (ECI's will be provided).
- Participants should have a minimum of 2 magazines and some type of case or optional holster.
- 9mm or higher caliber is preferred. Use of a 22LR pistol will negate the dry firing portion of the clinic.
- ***Participants must provide their own pistol and ammunition (approximately 50-100 rounds)***

**Space is limited.**

**To ensure your participation, contact John T. via email:**

**[dmlscNRA@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscNRA@outlook.com)**

**Pre-registration is required and will be open starting March 1, 2024.**

# ARC Plus Pistoleer Match

As part of the America's Rifle Challenge Program, DMSC will conduct **the first of three** Pistoleer Matches. Pistoleer Match?? **Just what is a Pistoleer Match?** If you have been shooting down on the lower ranges, then you are a "Pistoleer" and this match may be something of interest to you. Participants will compete in several "pistol only" stages firing at paper, steel, and motion targets. This is an action pistol match, and the course of fire entails modern day defensive shooting skills involving distances from 5 to 30 feet, multiple targets, barricades, several reloads, **and a whole lot of fun.**

**Date:** Sunday, April 29, 2024 **Time:** 8 AM **Cost:** \$5 for DMLSC members; \$10 for non-members.

## Pistoleer Course of Fire: Total rounds - 80

**\*\* Note:** After signing up for the match, a full detailed description will be sent along with other important information. Below is an example of one of the seven stages. **\*\***

### **Stage 3: (7 yds.) Multiple Target Drill with Reload (Two 6-round magazines.)**

**\*\* This is a magazine retention stage\*\*** When time begins, fire 2 shots to the left target's **lower A-Zone** and 1 shot to the left target's **upper A-Zone** and fire 2 shots to the right target's **lower A-Zone** and 1 shot to the right target's **upper A-Zone**, **reload** while retaining the magazine, then repeat the shot sequence.

## Firearm Categories:

**Iron Sights:** a pistol that has only iron sights.

**Optics:** a pistol that has only an optic, such as a Red Dot, laser, etc.

• **While there are no pre-requisites, this match will not involve any instruction and participants should possess safe pistol handling skills.**

- All NRA Safety Rules and DMLSC Rules apply.
- Competitors need to attend a mandatory safety briefing conducted at the clubhouse.
- Keep all pistols cased and in your vehicles until instructed to bring them to the lower ranges.
- Eye/Ear Protection is mandatory.
- Calibers from 9 mm through 45LC are allowed, but no magnums. **All pistols must be securely carried in an exterior holster.**
- The match will be conducted as an individual utilizing a shot timer. Scoring will be a combination of speed and accuracy. All stages will begin from the low-ready position.
- Competitors should have a minimum of 3 magazines for the semi-automatic pistols and will need to carry them on the person for each live fire stage.
- No incendiary ammunition. All stages utilizing steel targets - **Lead core ammunition only**, no armor piercing (AP), no solid or partial core ammunition containing steel or any metal other than lead.

**Space is limited to 24 shooting positions. Registration opens on March 1, 2024. To ensure your participation, contact John T. via email: [dmlscNRA@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscNRA@outlook.com)**

# ARC Combined AR Rifle Clinic & Basic Match

Dormont-Mt. Lebanon Sportsmen's Club is sponsoring a **Combined AR Rifle Clinic & Basic Match** in conjunction with the America's Rifle Challenge (ARC) Program. This event is designed for shooters of all ages (14+) and **will be geared toward those with little or no experience using the AR Rifle Platform.** NRA Certified Instructors and RSO's will provide instruction on safe gun handling, introduction to action rifle skills, dry fire practice, and several stages of live fire. This event will progress at a slow enough pace for participants to gain an introduction to action rifle match protocol and develop a comfortable level of operation with the AR Rifle. **Successful completion of this event will qualify all for Advanced Matches scheduled for later in the year.**

**NOTE:** This event is **more robust** than either past Clinics or Basic Matches. **The entire event will be conducted outside on the Marsico Range and will occur rain or shine!**

**Date:** Saturday May 11, 2024

**Time:** 8:00 to 12:00

**Cost:** \$5 for DMLSC members; \$10 for non-members.

**Live Fire Portion : 60 rounds total**    The Course of Fire will be supplied upon registration.

## **Rifle Categories:**

**Iron Sights:** a rifle that has only iron sights

**Optics Limited:** a rifle that has only a non-magnified optic, such as ACOG, EoTech, Red Dot, etc. Back up iron sights are allowed.

**Optics Open:** a maximum of two optic sights with a maximum of one being magnified.

- All NRA Safety Rules and DMLSC Rules apply. NOTE: **do not use 5.56 ammunition in a rifle that is chambered only for the .223 caliber.**
- Eye/Ear Protection and Empty Chamber Indicators are mandatory (ECI's are available for a \$1 charge).
- Rifles need to be Zeroed for 100 yards **prior** to the match. No spotting scopes or shooting jackets. Shooting mats are allowed.
- Rifles should have attached slings capable of being worn across the back (but not mandatory).
- Competitors should have a minimum of 3 magazines and need to carry them on the person using a bandoleer, pouch, pocket, or similar device. Bring additional ammunition above the required number of rounds.
- No incendiary ammunition. **All stages utilizing steel targets** - Lead core ammunition only, no armor piercing (AP), no solid or partial core ammunition containing steel or any metal other than lead.

**Space is limited to 20 shooting positions. To ensure your participation, contact John T. via email: [dmlscNRA@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscNRA@outlook.com)**

**Pre-registration is required and will be open starting April 1, 2024**

## **NRA High Power Match Schedule 2024**

- Saturday April 6
- Saturday May 4
- Saturday June 8
- Saturday July 6
- Saturday Aug 3
- Saturday Sep 14

**All matches will start at 9:00 AM – participants should arrive  
no later than 8:00 AM to help with set up.**

This match is shot at 200 yards and is a 50-round course (500 points total).

### **Course of fire is:**

10 rounds slow fire-standing

10 rounds rapid fire-sitting or kneeling

10 rounds rapid fire-prone

20 rounds slow fire- prone

**John T. is the Match Director. For more information, please send an email to  
[dmlscnra@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscnra@outlook.com)**



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P.O. Box 12692  
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**Next Meeting: March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Presentation: Coyote Hunting by John Petrone**

**Meal: Hot sausage sandwiches, peppers / onions with rigatoni, spinach salad and cake**

**KEEP IT SAFE**

**ALWAYS** keep firearms pointed in a safe direction.

**ALWAYS** keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to shoot.

**ALWAYS** keep firearms unloaded until ready to use.

**ALWAYS** unload, remove the magazine, and open the action of a firearm when someone is going down range.

**NEVER** handle firearms while someone is down range.

**ALWAYS** wear proper eye and ear protection at the range.

**DMSC Conducts Safety Reviews**

Range Safety Officers (RSOs) will conduct random membership checks and safety reviews. RSOs will meet with members and guests while at the firing range. Membership ID's will be checked, and a copy of the range rules will be made available. It is important for all members to review safe gun handling procedures and to focus on the safety rules for each range used. The RSOs will be wearing a distinctive safety vest or hat and will only ask for a few minutes of your time. Guests and Visitors are subject to the same rules as members. Violators will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from club grounds and termination of membership.

**Safe Shooting Hours**

Dates	Begins	Ends
January 1-15	7:00 AM	5:30 PM
January 16-31	7:00 AM	5:45 PM
February 1-15	7:00 AM	6:00 PM
February 16-28	7:00 AM	6:15 PM
March 1-10	7:00 AM	6:30 PM
March 11-31	7:00 AM	7:30 PM
April 1-15	7:00 AM	8:00 PM
April 16-30	7:00 AM	8:15 PM
May 1-15	7:00 AM	8:30 PM
May 16 - July 31	7:00 AM	8:45 PM
August 1-15	7:00 AM	8:30 PM
August 16-31	7:00 AM	8:00 PM
September 1-15	7:00 AM	7:30 PM
September 16-30	7:00 AM	7:15 PM
October 1-15	7:00 AM	7:00 PM
Oct 16 - Nov. 5	7:00 AM	6:30 PM
November 6-15	7:00 AM	5:15 PM
Nov 16 - Dec. 31	7:00 AM	5:00 PM

**\* Note: No shooting before 9am on Sundays**

**MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO CARRY THEIR GATE CARDS AND BE ABLE TO IDENTIFY THEMSELVES WHEN ASKED TO BY A RANGE OFFICER OR OTHER MEMBER**