



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

Calendar of Events

AUGUST 2024						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3 8:00AM-12:00PM - NRA Highpower All Upper Ranges Closed
4	5 6:00PM - Outdoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 12	6 5:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	7 1:00-4:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice 5:00PM - Smallbore Rifle Practice	8 7:30PM - Board Meeting	9	10 7:00AM- 3:00PM - ARC Advanced Rifle All Upper Ranges Closed
11	12 6:00PM - Outdoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 13	13 5:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	14 1:00-4:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice 5:00PM - Smallbore Rifle Practice	15	16	17 8:00AM Work Party All Ranges Closed
18 11:00AM - CMP rifle match	19 6:00PM - Outdoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 14 Last MPRL	20 5:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	21 5:00PM - Smallbore Rifle Practice	22 7:00 - Membership meeting	23 12:30PM- 1:30PM(approx) Silhouette Setup All Upper Ranges Closed	24 9:00AM-4:00PM - Outdoor Pistol Silhouette All Upper Ranges Closed
25	26 6:00PM - Outdoor pistol (NMC)	27 5:00PM-10:00PM - Trap range	28 5:00PM - Smallbore Rifle Practice	29	30	31

#Club News

- **MEMBERSHIP MEETING:** The Meeting will be held on July 25th @ 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 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 15241-0692
- Be sure to include your name, current address, & phone number. We will send you a new gate card upon receipt.
- **LAWN MOWING:** Are you looking for something to do during the week? We are looking for an additional person to help mow the grass inside DMSC. If you're interested, please contact Bill Fertall @ 724-260-0693
 - **JUNIOR RIFLE PROGRAM:** Classes are to resume September 10th, 2024, starting at 7:00pm. The program consists of a 7-week instructional program emphasizing safety and marksmanship basics for new shooters. Call Brian Herrig (412-341-0168) or Chuck Augenstein (724-255-6127) for more information and registration.
 - **WOMEN ON TARGET:** Instructional Shooting Clinic for Women is set for September 8th, 2024 @ DMSC. For information regarding registration contact Bonnie Popso, popsob4@gmail.com. There's only 30 spots available.

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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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			
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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

WORK PARTY / MOWING / RANGE CLOSURES

~~APRIL 20 Saturday @ 0730~~
~~MAY 18 Saturday @ 0730~~
~~JUNE 15 Saturday @ 0730~~
JULY 20 Saturday @ 0730
AUGUST 17 Saturday @ 0730
SEPTEMBER 21 Saturday @ 0730

NOTE: ALL Ranges will be CLOSED on the above dates and will be re-opened later in the day when the work is complete.

ALL UPPER RANGE CLOSURE FOR MOWING

Every Monday morning during the growing season we have volunteers at the club mowing. ALL UPPER RANGES WILL BE CLOSED. Please leave all Firearms cased while the mowing crew is present on the range. The STOP-ALL RANGES CLOSED sign will be positioned on the road near the Membership Hall building. In the event of rain or wet weather on Monday, mowing may occur on Tuesday or Wednesday morning. Your understanding and patience are appreciated.

SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

Women on Target

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Instructional Shooting Clinic for Women

Learn to Shoot!
September 8, 2024

Dormont-Mt Lebanon Sportsmen's Club,
476B Linden Road, North Strabane, PA 15317

Agenda: 7:45 – 8:10 am Sign-in and continental breakfast

8:15-10:00 am Welcome and Classroom instruction

10:00-Lunch Range instruction

Bring your own eye and ear protection.

Lunch–4:00pm Round Robin at the ranges of your choice

Age 18 and over,
Secure any personal firearms in your car until you have
talked to event staff.

To Register: e-mail Name and Phone Number
to Bonnie Popso – Popsob4@gmail.com

We have room for 30 shooters. You will receive confirmation that you are registered.



CMP Jr. Rifle Program

The Dormont-Mt. Lebanon Sportsmen's Club Jr. Rifle Program is currently scheduled to resume on Tuesday, September 10, 2024. Class starts at 7pm and runs until approximately 9pm each Tuesday, beginning on September 10 and running for 7 consecutive Tuesdays. The program consists of a 7-week instructional program emphasizing safety and marksmanship basics for new shooters.

****New for this year****

We will also be providing more advanced instruction for 3-position shooting to better prepare already experienced shooters for collegiate level competition.

Following the 7-week instructional program, additional practice and coaching are available every Tuesday at 7pm through the end of March.

- Focus of the program is juniors, suggested minimum age of 12
- Adult shooters may participate as well, class size permitting
- Rifles are .22 caliber target rifles which are sized for youth through adult
- You DO NOT need to be a member of the Dormont-Mt. Lebanon Sportsmen's Club to participate
- NRA Certified instructors lead the program
- Charge of **\$15.00 total** for the entire instructional program – includes instruction book, ammo, targets, rifles and all needed equipment
- **After the 7-week instructional program**, all students who have previously completed the instructional program may return to shoot and work on their qualifications in the 4 positions. Rifles and all the necessary equipment are provided. There is a weekly charge for the open shooting, cost TBD.

Call Brian Herrig (412-341-0168) or Chuck Augenstein (724-255-6127) for more information and registration.

Ted's Thoughts

Ted's Thoughts June 2024

Some of these views are my opinion and may not reflect opinions of the entire membership

July Meeting July 25 / Program

Focus on Small Bore via the expertise at our club! Led by Tom Benedict, Dean Trew, Dave Willard and Chuck Augenstein, they will discuss three (3) position training and its supplement to the Junior Program. Previously that program was focused on the prone, typical of the HS WPIAL competition.

Interesting tid bit of club news is the recent success of Riley Dunn in three (3) position small bore where



she won the State Championship. Very cool young lady! She has two Taylor – Eddy club trophies 2022 & 2023 on her list of competition accomplishments. She is the granddaughter of Ken Helfer from our club. Her father, Jeff, and uncles are new members of our club. Riley is attending Nebraska University, in the Big Ten, to pursue her collegiate education and smallbore competition at the collegiate level with scholarship support.

Another interesting tid bit is Carlee Valenta, winner of the Taylor – Eddy trophy this year is headed to University of Texas at El Paso (UTEP) under a

scholarship. Tom Benedict's daughter attended a college in in the SW under a scholarship. I'm not sure the membership and our local community know and are informed of the competition in small bore at the collegiate level. West Virginia University is very competitive in the sport. Amy Smith a proficient smallbore competitor from our club is a WV alumnus in Small bore. Special lady! What, continues to amaze me is the gender source of the competition in SW Pennsylvania and across the nation.

Let's Talk Shotguns

I read an interesting article in Outdoor News (ON) that peaked my attention. It provided specific detail on chokes; constriction in inches at the muzzle. I'm sure you have seen that info, which is readily available online, but I thought it was worth repeating. Cylinder is no restriction designed for short range hunting for woodcock, quail, in the brush shooting over a dog's point. Improved Cylinder is 0.010" constriction is a good all-around choice for upland hunting at 30 yards. It is also enough choke for most sporting clay shots and a good choice for teals. Light Modified is 0.015" is very popular for sporting clays and for waterfowl hunting over decoys. It is good at 35-40 yards. Modified is 0.020" is good for wild-flush of upland birds, good for waterfowl and some trap shooting at 40 yards. Improved Modified is 0.025" is common for trap and for passing waterfowl at 45 yards plus. Full is 0.030" and makes for a great trap

shooting choice. There are some other choices up to 0.075" for use in predator or turkey hunting with supper tight patterns.

I found all that detail extremely helpful. Which leads me into testing or patterning a shotgun. We really don't have a target system designed for that shooting. Obviously, a problem over the years at our club. Even if it is marked not permitted at a range, members invent their own solution. The proper place to pattern and shoot a shotgun is on the Plinking Range. I'm going to work on a target system designed to make it easier to pattern your shot gun. Not set permanently in place! Typically done at 30 yards with a marked 30" diameter target circle. However, testing and patterning your shotgun and your selected choke are significant aspects to shotgun shooting for success. More info later!

CMP Rifle Sales

There is a recent new insight about Springfields and Enfields being available for sale now. You can check out the web page, but the prices, IMHO, appear to be very good as compared to the general market for these rifles. Starting at \$1,100 / \$950 and less based upon rack descriptions / options. Check out the web page! However, the previous info I sent out about CMP competitions is a good stimulus to explore purchase of what we affectionally refer to on the range as "Woodies". Garand are also still available for purchase. I think buying online is available, but I would highly recommend you make the trip to Camp Perry if you have the desire to purchase one of these rifles. You need proof of club membership. You should request a club ID from Ell Vines. A Pa concealed carry permit is the other ID reference or other to meet the sale requirements from the CMP. See details online and be sure store is open at your travel date. June Program on Black Powder (BP) / Cap and Ball Pistols – Focus on Remington

If you were not there it was your loss! Shawn Smiley presented a very interesting discussion and information about these historical pistols. I found his historical references extremely helpful and insightful. History is the best educator! Also, he provided significant insight if you are a BP pistol shooter or tweaked your potential future interests. Shawn is from Ace Sporting Goods. We appreciate Ben Romanoff's support by making Shawn available to us. Thanks Ben! Ben is a club member. Several Remington's and one Colt!



Conservation at the Club

The First of Four Purposes (a) at the Club; refence the web page:

To promote public awareness of the need for conservation of our natural resources of game, aquatic life, forests and streams.

I receive some critical comments for my conservation endeavors related to trees, Chestnut, Austrian Pines; bird houses and other similar aspects. Personally, I feel I'm on sync with the club purpose. I found the following reference to the Bible at Mass recently that helped me combat that critique and still focus with a positive mind set. The biblical reference is people / community, MO. I'm not a biblical scholar. However, I still like that conservation parallel. It is as follows:

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Ezekiel 17:22-24

Thus, says the Lord: *"I myself will take a sprig from the lofty top of the cedar and will set it out. I will break off from its topmost of its young twigs a tender one. And I myself will plant it on high and lofty mountain. On the mountain height of Israel will I plant it, that it may bear branches and bear fruit and become a majestic cedar. And under it will dwell every kind of bird; in the shade of its branches birds of every sort will nest. And all the trees of the field shall know that I am the Lord; I bring low the high tree and lift high the low tree, dry up the green tree, and make the dry tree flourish. I am the Lord; I have spoken, and I will I do it."*

Message to our Veterans – Veterans Breakfast Club (VBC)

Two close friends and members of the club have put me in contact with this organization; Nick Kuzy and Scott Patton. Nick took me to the VBC breakfast in the Burgh this past Veterans Day. Scott has talked to me and shared several of the VBC periodicals, as did Nick. In one there was a very interesting article I read about a Vietnamese baby being recovered from its dead mother in a ditch. Attended to by a South Vietnamese army engineer, Bao, and taken to an orphanage in Da Nang 80 miles away. Eventually / thankfully adopted by an AF Vet in VN. The baby grows up to be a Naval Academy student and Navy Officer; Kim Mitchell. An officer with a career as Surface Warfare Officer at sea who then eventually ends up working on Foreign Policy / Negotiations / Joint Chiefs staff with foreign officials. At a meeting on nuclear missiles the Russians were shocked at her participation. Only in America!

VBC is a great local Veteran organization. Please consider joining, I did!? The contact info is as follows: VBC, 200 Magnolia Place, Pittsburgh, Pa 15228 (412)-623-9029 veterans-breakfastclub.org Thank You; Nick and Scott!

Deer Hunting in Texas

Ken Helfer and Karen McNary were in Texas recently for an Axis Deer hunt. A successful hunt!



Archery Training

Look for future schedule of this discipline soon. Probably a Saturday calendar target for early fall when it cools down.

Sophistication at the Bench Rest Range (BRR) – BR Competition

Cliff Abbio's BRR competition is generating a lot of enthusiasm and activity. Surprisingly more in 22 Rim Fire (RF) than Center Fire (CF) rifle! The competition is really getting a lot of focus now as we are halfway through the season's competition. IMHO directed more by members trying perfecting one's rifle and equipment! Very educational especially with great insight and support from Cliff. I found this set of bench rest equipment extremely interesting. Later!



World Politics – Prayers Needed, Votes Needed

Pray for world peace, world peace! Pray for improved political unity in our country. Pray for our friends and allies in Ukraine and Israel for a fruitful conclusion by them from the hostilities initiated against them.

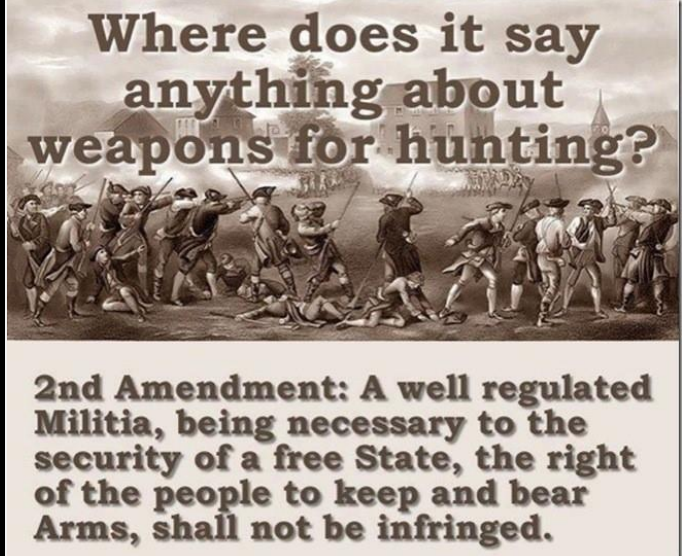
Send prayers and notes to Bill Philips and Jack Stewart who are struggling with some medical issues.

Registering and voting are critical, so please get out and fulfill that obligation.

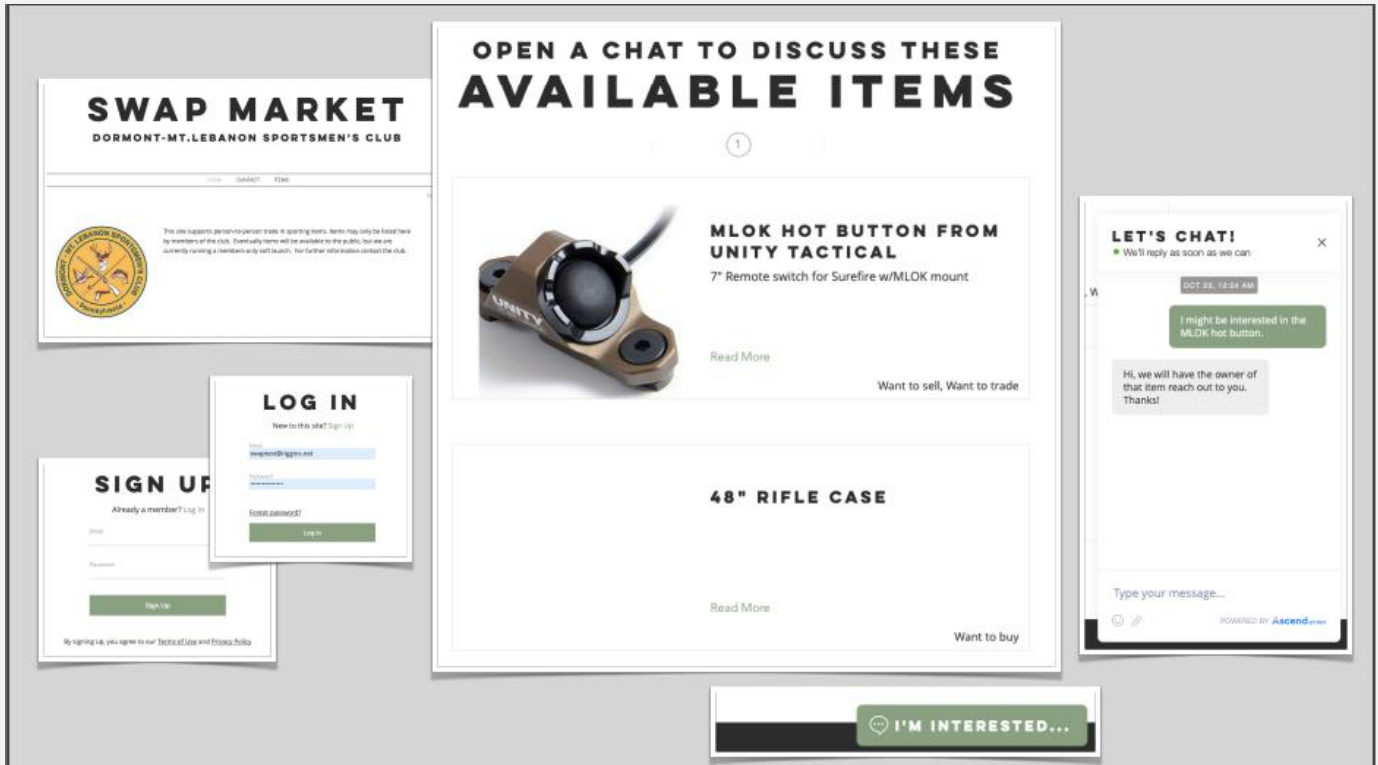
Conclusion

Recognizing 2A on July 4, 2024 – Posters that struck me as very poignant today!

"This year will go down in history. For the first time, a civilized nation has full gun registration. Our streets will be safer, our police more efficient, and the world will follow our lead into the future!"
-Adolph Hitler, 1935



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 Pistooleer 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
Registration will open one month prior to the month in which the event is held.

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Registration Opens</u>
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.

ARC - Advanced Rifle Match

As part of the America's Rifle Challenge Program, DMSC will conduct a **2nd** Advanced Rifle Match in 2024. Intended for experienced action rifle shooters, competitors will be required to change firing positions, move through multiple firing points and reload against the clock. Squading assignments will be made comprising of 5 shooters.

Date: Saturday, August 10, 2024. **Pre-requisites:** Previous participation in a DMSC Basic/Clinic Match or other experience as determined by the match director. **Time:** 7 AM – 12 PM **Cost:** \$5 for DMLSC members; \$10 for non-members.

Advanced Match Course of Fire: 64 rounds total

Stage 6: 25 yds. Advance to Cover using one or two positions (Three 4- Round Magazines)

**** This is a magazine retention stage**** When time begins, while standing about 5 feet away from the barricade fire **two rounds** to **both the left and right targets**. With magazine removed and retained, advance to behind the barricade and reload. Using one of the portals, fire **two rounds** to **both the left and right targets**, reload and retain the magazine, then fire **two rounds** to **both the left and right targets**, using a different portal.

**** Note:** The above stage details only one of the six stages in the Course of Fire. After signing up for the match, a full detailed description of all six stages will be sent along with other important information. **

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.

- **Participants need to have prior experience in an action rifle match, such as the DMSC's Basic/Clinic ARC Match or other experience as determined by the match director.**
- All NRA Safety Rules and DMLSC Rules apply.
- Competitors need to attend a mandatory safety briefing and will assist in set up and tear down.
- Keep all rifles cased and in your vehicles until instructed to bring them to the firing line.
- 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, **shooting mats**, or shooting jackets are permitted.
- Rifles need to have attached slings capable of being worn across the back.
- Competitors should have a minimum of 3 magazines (5 magazines are optimal) and will need to carry them in a bandoleer, pouch, pocket, or similar device on the person for each 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 15 shooting positions. Registration opens on July 1, 2024. To ensure your participation, contact John T. via email:

dmlscNRA@outlook.com

ARC Plus 2-Gun Match

As part of the America's Rifle Challenge Program, DMSC will conduct a 2-Gun Match for 2024. Competitors will be required to change firing positions, move through multiple firing points and reload against the clock. Stages will consist of rifle only, pistol only, and transitioning from one firearm to the other. Squading assignments will be made comprising of 5 shooters. **The Course of Fire (COF) has been reworked to be more robust than in the past.**

Date: Saturday, September 7, 2024 **Pre-requisites:** Previous participation in a DMSC Advanced Match & Pistooleer.

Time: 7:30 AM **Cost:** \$5 for DMLSC members; \$10 for non-members.

Firearm Categories:

Iron Sights: a rifle or pistol that has only iron sights

Optics Limited: a rifle that has only a non-magnified optic, such as ACOG, EoTech, Red Dot, etc. ; a pistol that has only a non-magnified optic, such as a Red Dot, laser, etc.

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

- **Participants must have participated in a DMSC Advanced Match and a Pistooleer Match.**
- All NRA Safety Rules and DMLSC Rules apply.
- Competitors need to attend a mandatory safety briefing and must arrive at the designated time of their assigned squading.
- Keep all rifles and pistols cased and in your vehicles until instructed to bring them to the firing line.
- 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, shooting mats, or shooting jackets are permitted.
- Rifles need to have attached slings capable of being worn across the back.
- Pistols must be a semi-automatic of 9 mm caliber (or higher) **and securely carried in exterior holster (OWB).**
- Competitors should have a minimum of 3 magazines for the rifle and 3 magazines for the pistol and will need to carry them in a bandoleer, pouch, pocket, or similar device on the person for each 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.

The following is one example of a stage. The complete COF will be sent upon registering for the match.

Stage 1: 30 yds. (Transition Rifle to Pistol) Barricade Support Drill with Reload (RIFLE: Two 3-round magazines - PISTOL: One 5-round magazine) ** Magazine Retention Stage ** When time begins, place the support hand on the outside edge of the barricade, fire three shots kneeling, from behind the barricade **reload and retain the magazine**, then fire three shots standing using the outside edge of the barricade for support, **remove & retain the magazine - show clear to RSO.** Move forward with pistol drawn – **stop and chamber a round**, then fire five rounds. All shots to the A-Zone.

Space is limited to 15 shooting positions. Registration opens on August 1, 2024.

To ensure your participation, contact John T. via email: dmlscNRA@outlook.com

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**

Benchrest Scores

Benchrest Match June 2024

The Benchrest competition is an annually run match that takes place from May through August with scores tallied monthly. There are two match classes available, 22 rimfire at 50 yards and Centerfire at 100 yards. Competitors shoot on their own and must turn in targets by no later than the 10th day of the month (June 2024 targets were due July 10th). June's leaders include Dave Willard, Tom Wolf, and Al Seyedain for 22rf & Al Seyedain, Tom Wolf, and Tom Daily for Centerfire. Note: An x-ring wipe out tie breaker was used to distinguish 22rf 3rd place.

Rimfire 50 yards					Rimfire 100 yards				
		May					May		
Last Name	First Name	Score	X	Pts	Last Name	First Name	Score	X	Pts
Willard	Dave	99	4	5	Seyedain	Al	100	4	5
Wolf	Tom	97	5	4	Wolf	Tom	99	3	4
Seyedain	Al	97	5	3	Dailey	Tom	98	1	3
Augenstein	Chuck	96	4		Madar	Jim	95	2	
Poole	Bob	96	4		Willard	Dave	92	1	
Madar	Jim	95	1		Mocker	Bill	92	0	
Dailey	Tom	94	1		Hildabrand	Ted	87	1	
Hildabrand	Ted	93	4		Wheat	Chris	87	0	
Rossetti	Conrad	93	0		Rossetti	Conrad	82	1	
Lucas	Jason	92	2		Lamb	Gary	71	0	
Popso	Bonnie	92	2		Suhayda	Tom	48	0	
Lucas	Ed	92	2						
Wheat	Chris	91	2						
Mocker	Bill	91	1						
S	Bridgit	86	1						
S	Jon	82	0						
Lamb	Gary	74	0						
Suhayda	Tom	62	0						



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Next Meeting: July 25th, 2024

Presentation: Focus on the Small Bore by Tom Benedict, Dean Trew, Dave Willard and Chuck Augenstein

Meal: Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Mac & Cheese, Cole Slaw, Spinach Salad, 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