

MARYLAND POLICE COMBAT ASSOCIATION

POLICE PISTOL COMBAT TOURNAMENTS National Rifle Association Approved

Tournament Dates:

Saturday, April 18, 2020 Saturday, May 16, 2020 Saturday, June 20, 2020 Saturday, September 12, 2020 Saturday, October 10, 2020

Firing will begin at 10:00 AM each day.

Each day will have three Stock Duty Dun Division relays and Open Class Division (1500)relay.

HELD AT THE MONOCACY PISTOL CLUB FREDERICK, MD. (www.monocacypistolclub.org) (see 'Directions to the Range')

YOU MAY ONLY SHOOT ONE 1500 MATCH EACH DAY For complete NRA PPC rules and updates go to http://lecompetitions.nra.org

FIRING SCHEDULE

Relays will start at 10:00 AM with three Stock Duty Gun Division relays (Stock Service Revolver/Stock Service Semi-Auto Pistol/Production Pistol matches- competitor's choice) followed by one Open Class Division relay (Open Class Revolver or Open Class Semi-Auto Pistol- competitor's choice). Relays will run consecutively until all shooters have fired. Additional relays may be added if more than 15 shooters for any listed relay. No team matches are scheduled.

There will be sufficient time allowed between relays to allow for change of equipment.

AMMUNITION ALLOWED: NRA Rule 3.17-

<u>Open Class Division Firearms</u>- Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. Wadcutter ammunition is allowed.

Stock Duty Gun Division Firearms - Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition. NO wadcutter ammunition is allowed.

SPECIAL NOTE: Firing FN 5.7 X 28 caliber ammunition is not allowed at the Monocacy Pistol Club.

ELIGIBILITY: NRA Rule 2.4- NRA MEMBERSHIP SUGGESTED BUT NOT REQUIRED. Law Enforcement Officers, active or retired. Includes *full time*: law enforcement officers, Police Firearms Instructors, Transit Police, Penal Institution Guards, Industrial Police (to include bank Guards and Armored and Express Company Guards), and Military Police. Federal Flight Deck Officers who hold valid certifications are also eligible.

RULES: Current NRA Police Pistol Rules shall govern.

COMPETITORS' DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES: Rule 18.1 - 18.12

ENTRIES CLOSE: No closing date. Entries accepted to capacity of the range.

ENTRY FEES:

Range Use fee: \$5.00 per day Open Class Division Match: \$20.00 Stock Duty Gun Division Matches: \$10.00 each

REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is not required.

INFORMATION: George H. Bransom 25112 Woodfield Rd. Damascus, Md. 20872 Home- 301-253-4344 Cell- 301-807-4448

E/Mail Address: bransom@verizon.net Cash and Checks are accepted at the match

CLASSIFICATIONS: Current NRA Police Pistol Combat classifications (High Master, Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, Marksman, and Classified) will **NOT** be used for awards in this match. They will be recorded and forwarded to the NRA for classification purposes.

AWARDS: Awards will be based on the 'Lewis' system explained on a separate sheet. One award for each 3 shooters in a match. Awards in the Open Class Division match are based only on the aggregate score (match 6). Scores for Open Class Revolver and Open Class Semi-Auto Pistol) MAY be grouped together for awards. All Stock Duty Gun Division matches (Stock Service Revolver/Stock Service Semi-Auto Pistol/Production Pistol) MAY be grouped together for awards.

ALL AWARDS WILL BE CASH (checks) AND WILL BE MAILED AT THE END OF THE SEASON.

TARGETS: Rule 4.1 (NRA OFFICIAL B-27) and repair centers.

SCORING: Scoring will be done by competitors on the line at the conclusion of each match. PASS RIGHT - SCORE LEFT.

CHALLENGES: There will be a \$5.00 fee to challenge the scoring of any target, which will be returned to the competitor if the challenge is upheld. The three-person jury will decide challenges.

COURSES OF FIRE: In all matches, time starts with a loaded gun in the holster and includes time to reload. Matches or stages designated as double action must be fired double action. Matches or stages designated as single action may be fired either single or double action. All double action semi-automatic pistols must fire the first shot of every stage double action except at the 50 yard line.

All loading is with six rounds only. Only six rounds may be loaded in any semi-auto pistol magazine.

OPEN CLASS DIVISION MATCH

FIREARMS ALLOWED IN MATCHES 1-5: '1500 MATCH' (Rule 3.2) Open Class Revolver - .35 caliber or larger, barrel length not to exceed 6 inches. Fixed or adjustable open sights. OR (Rule 3.3) Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol - Center-fire pistol, .35 caliber or larger, barrel length not to exceed 6 inches. Fixed or adjustable open sights.

MATCH 1 - STANDING WITHOUT SUPPORT POSITION AT 7 & 15 YARDS.

Match 1 is fired in two stages of 12 shots each, double action, standing without support position. The first stage is fired at 7 yards and the second stage is fired at 15 yards. Time allowed is 20 seconds per stage.

MATCH 2 - KNEELING AND STANDING COURSE AT 25 YARDS

Match 2 consists of 6 shots kneeling without the use of the barricade; 6 shots standing left-handed from behind the left side barricade; and 6 shots standing right-handed from behind the right barricade. All firing is double action from 25 yards. Time allowed is 90 seconds.

MATCH 3 - SITTING, PRONE AND STANDING COURSE AT 50 YARDS

Match 3 consists of 6 shots fired sitting; 6 shots fired prone; 6 shots standing fired with the left hand using the left barricade; and 6 shots standing fired right hand using the right barricade. Firing may be single or double action from 50 yards. Time allowed is 2 minutes and 45 seconds.

MATCH 4 - STANDING WITHOUT SUPPORT POSITION COURSE - 25 YARDS

Match 4 consists of two stages of 12 shots each, fired double action from a standing without support position at 25 yards. Time allowed is 35 seconds per stage.

MATCH 5 - NRA NATIONAL POLICE COURSE

THE NRA NATIONAL POLICE COURSE CONSISTS OF 60 SHOTS FIRED IN 4 STAGES AS FOLLOWS: STAGE A - 7 yards; 12 shots fired double action standing without support in a time limit of 20 seconds. STAGE B - 25 yards; 18 shots fired double action. 6 shots kneeling, 6 shots standing left hand from behind left barricade, 6 shots standing right hand from behind right barricade. Time limit of 90 seconds. STAGE C - 50 yards; 24 shots fired single or double action. 6 shots sitting, 6 shots prone, 6 shots standing left hand from behind left barricade, 6 shots standing right hand from behind right barricade. Time limit is 2 minutes and 45 seconds. STAGE D - 25 yards; 6 shots fired double action from the standing without support position in a time limit of 12 seconds.

MATCH 6 (UNFIRED) - AGGREGATE OF MATCHES 1 THROUGH 5

STOCK DUTY GUN DIVISION MATCHES

Stock Service Revolver, Stock Service Semi-Auto Pistol, and Production Pistol

FIREARMS ALLOWED IN STOCK SERVICE REVOLVER / STOCK SERVICE SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOL MATCHES: (Rule 3.6 - Stock Service Revolver) - A factory manufactured (catalog item) revolver capable of chambering and firing .38 special ammunition. Barrel length not to exceed 4 inches. Fixed or adjustable open sights. No modifications may be made that would render the revolver less safe than originally designed by the manufacturer. Ammunition- Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. No wadcutter ammunition is allowed.

OR, (Rule 3.7 - Stock Service Semi-Auto Pistol) - Factory manufactured (catalog item) center-fire semi-automatic pistol capable of chambering and firing .35 caliber or larger ammunition, .35 caliber or larger ammunition, or FN 5.7 x 28 caliber ammunition, barrel length not to exceed 5.5 inches. Trigger pull not less than 3.5 pounds. **ADJUSTABLE SIGHTS <u>ARE</u> ALLOWED**. Specifically prohibited are full length Bo-Mar type ribs on the slide, trigger shoes, and weighted grips or grip panels. No modifications may be made that would render the pistol less safe than originally designed by the manufacturer. Ammunition - Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. No wadcutter ammunition is allowed.

OPTICAL DEVICES: (Rule 3.11) No optical devices (other than normal glasses worn for corrective eyesight purposes, sunglasses, and safety glasses) will be permitted for use by the competitors. Optical devices have also been interpreted to prohibit the use of mechanical iris, eye patch or eye cover. **Only open sights are allowed**. Optical, mirror, telescopic laser beam, electronically projected dots, etc. are prohibited.

FIREARMS ALLOWED IN PRODUCTION PISTOL MATCHES: (Rule 3.10 - Production Pistol) Must be a mass produced center-fire semi-automatic pistol made for police or military use (at least 1,000 pistols), a stock catalog item that is unmodified from its original factory condition, and have a double, double/single, or striker fired action. The pistol must be capable of chambering and firing .35 caliber or larger ammunition, or FN 5.7 X 28 caliber ammunition. Only those pistols specifically listed in Police Pistol Combat Program Bulletin 14-1 on the PPC Rule Information web page, http://ppc.nra.org, are eligible. Sights may be replaced with another Duty Sight if the sight is listed in Police Pistol Combat Program Bulletin 16-1.

THE NRA STOCK DUTY GUN COURSE Service Revolver, Stock Semi-Auto, and Production Pistol CONSISTS OF 48 SHOTS FIRED IN 4 STAGES AS FOLLOWS:

STAGE 1 - 3 yards - 6 shots one hand, from standing without support position, 8 seconds.

STAGE 2 - 7 yards - 12 shots one or two hands, from standing without support position, 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.

SCORE TARGET 1 – 18 HITS POSSIBLE / MAX SCORE 180 - 18X POST TARGET 2

STAGE 3 - 15 yards - 12 shots one or two hands, from standing without support position, 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string. STAGE 4 - 25 yards - 18 shots, one or two hands, 6 shots kneeling, using the barricade for cover and support, 6 shots standing left hand from behind the barricade, and 6 shots standing right hand from behind the barricade, 90 seconds, includes reloading for subsequent 6 shot strings.

SCORE TARGET 2 – 30 HITS POSSIBLE / MAX SCORE 300 – 30X

MAXIMUM SCORE OF TARGET 1 AND 2: 480 - 48X

DIRECTIONS TO THE RANGE:

(FREDERICK, MD) - The Monocacy Pistol Club is located at 6432 Plant Rd. Frederick, MD 21701. This is adjacent to the Frederick City Police Range and the Linganore Rifle Range off Linganore Rd. approximately 3 miles east of Frederick, Md.

FROM THE EAST: (Baltimore area) Take Rt. I-70 west to Rt. 144 (Exit 59). Go west on Rt. 144 (old Rt. 40) To Linganore Rd. Go North on Linganore Rd. approximately one mile to a paved road on the right marked 'Plant Rd.' Make a right and go over the hill to the third range (metal gate on the left at the bottom of the hill.) FROM THE WEST: (Frederick area) Go east on Rt. I-70 to Rt. 144 (Exit 56).

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