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2015 MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup**Schedule of Events**

May 15-23*	Practice Range - Columbia Range 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.* Hosted by Green Valley R&P Club GV Range Closed for Preparation
Tuesday May 19	Aggregate Match - GV Range 8:30 a.m.*
Tuesday May 19	Registration - Holiday Inn 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday May 19	Opening Ceremony - GV Range 1:00 p.m.
Tuesday May 19	New Competitor Orientation Holiday Inn - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday May 20	Competition Begins - GV Range 8:30 a.m.*
Wednesday May 20	Competitor Social Function 6:00 p.m.* - Holiday Inn
Wednesday May 20	Shooter Q & A Session - Holiday Inn 8:00 p.m.*
Thursday May 21	Competition Continues - GV Range 8:30 a.m.*
Friday May 22	Competition Continues - GV Range 8:30 a.m.*
Friday May 22	Distinguished Awards 6:00 p.m.*
Friday May 22	Western BBQ - Holiday Inn Dinner - 6:30 p.m.*
Saturday May 23	Presentation of Awards - GV Range
Saturday May 23	Colt Speed Event - GV Range 9:30 a.m.*
Saturday May 24	Awards Ceremony - Holiday Inn Cocktails - 5:30 p.m.* Dinner - 6:00 p.m.* Awards after Dinner

* All times and locations are subject to Change

Appendix A

GREEN VALLEY RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB PRACTICE RANGE INFORMATION

o THE COLUMBIA RANGE FACILITY OF THE GREEN VALLEY RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB WILL BE OPEN AND MANNED FOR ACTION PISTOL PRACTICE BY COMPETITORS **11 MAY THROUGH 22 MAY 2015**

o **DAILY RANGE ACCESS IS AVAILABLE FROM 8 a.m. TO 8 p.m., FOR A FLAT FEE OF \$15.00.PER DAY, REGARDLESS OF HOURS USED. BIANCHI CLUB MEMBERSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE FOR \$65.00, PROVIDING FULL RANGE ACCESS FROM 8 a.m. UNTIL 8 p.m. EACH DAY for the month of May 2015.**

o **LIABILITY WAIVERS WILL BE REQUIRED BEFORE SHOOTING**

o AP-1 TARGETS WILL BE FOR SALE AT THE RANGE, \$1.00 EACH.

o ACCESS TO THE RANGE WILL BE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS, **NO EXCEPTIONS**

o THERE IS **NO** CONCESSION STAND AT THE PRACTICE RANGE, BOTTLED WATER WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR \$1.00 EACH

NOTE: The practice range is NOT part of the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup event. It is operated by the members of the Green Valley Rifle & Pistol Club, Inc. as a courtesy to those competing in the event and not covered by your entry fee.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Spectators: Eye and ear protection is **REQUIRED** and must be worn by **EVERYONE** in and around the firing line. Eye & Ear protection may be purchased in the Vendor area.

A 1st time competitors' briefing -- will be held at the Holiday Inn Select, Tuesday, 19 May 2015 at 7:00 p.m.
Attendance is required for all 1st time competitors.

** Location to be announced during Championship*

Side Events will be fired for record starting on Wednesday, 20 May 2015 from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. These Events will be continued through Friday, 23 May 2015 and will be by "open" squadding. Check with the CRO at each Event in order to sign up for a shooting time. Sign-up to receive squadding must be completed prior to 3:00 p.m. each day, although firing times may continue till 4:00pm. All side events will close by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, 22 May 2015 with the final sign-up by 10:00 a.m. Any ties in these Events requiring a shoot-off will be conducted on Friday, 22 May 2015 at time TBA.

Awards Schedule -- there have been several changes in the Awards Schedule this year, in an effort to provide greater distribution of awards, please refer to Section C for details.

GV Practice Range (Columbia Range) will be in operation beginning Friday, 11 May 2015 at 8:00 a.m., thru the following Friday, 22 May 2015 at 12:00 p.m. (see Appendix A for map & details). Hosted by Green Valley R&P Club

Function Range A twenty five yard range with targets will be available for function/test firing only. This range is located adjacent to the Upper Mover Range(s). Range officers will be present Wednesday through Friday to administrate its operation. To utilize the range, the competitor must obtain a pass from the Deputy Match Director, Range Director or their designee. Competitors must furnish their own ammunition.

NRA Practice Match – There will be **NO** Practice Match conducted at the 2015 MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup.

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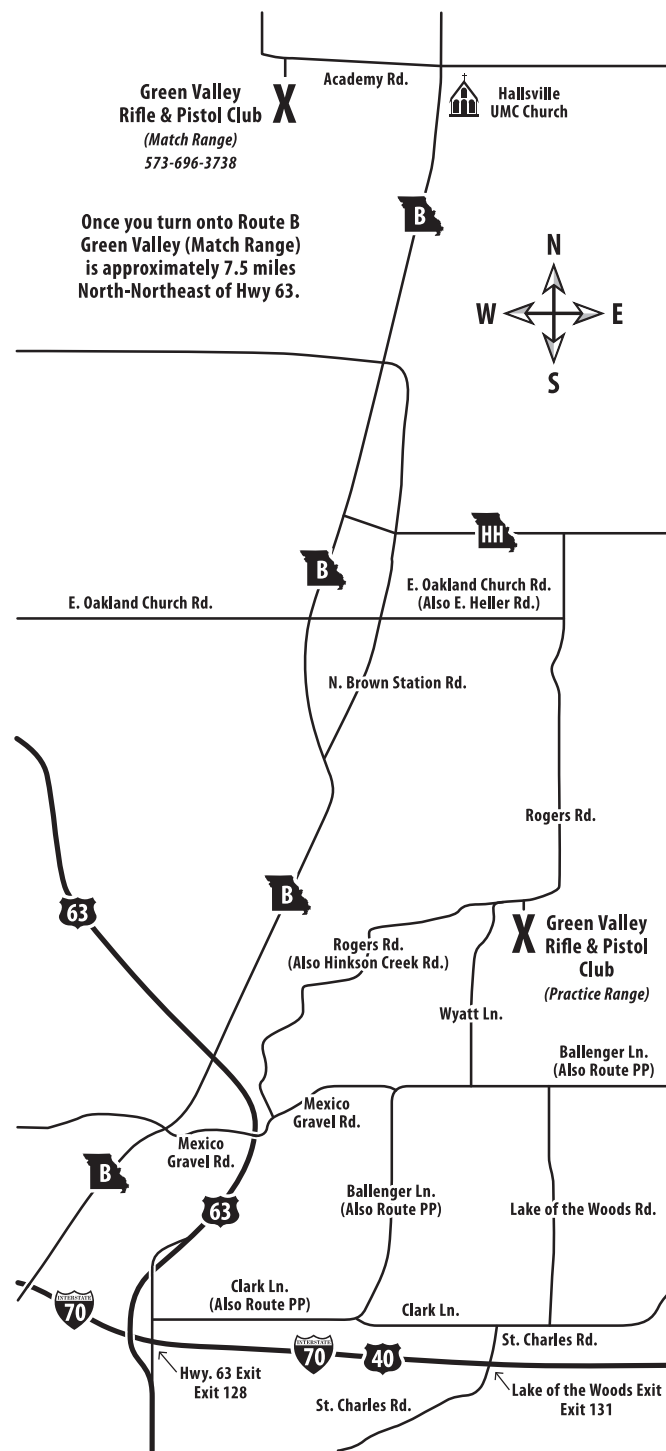
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NRA World Action Pistol Champions - Open

1994: John Pride	1920-174x
1997: Adrian Hunter (AUS)	1920-150x
1999: Doug Koenig	1920-180x
2004: Doug Koenig	1920-177x
2006: Bruce Piatt	1920-176x
2008: Doug Koenig	1920-181x
2010: Doug Koenig	* 1920-188x
2012: Doug Koenig	1916-184x
2014: Doug Koenig	1918-184x
*High Score	

NRA World Action Pistol Champions - Metallic

1994: N/A	
1997: N/A	
1999: N/A	
2004: Jerry Miculek	1893-122x
2006: Frank Reiche (GER)	1852-124x
2008: Vance Schmid	* 1902-133x
2010: Tony Drabsch (AUS)	1887-125x
2012: Troy Mattheyer	1881-130x
2014: Dan Hausermann	1902-123x
* High Score	

NRA World Action Pistol Champion – Production

2010: Marc Kleser (GER)	1839-109x
2012: Frank Reiche (GER)	*1896-124x
2014: Dave Seigny	1879-121x

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SECTION A

General Information

A-1 Location of 2015 MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup

By agreement, the Green Valley Rifle and Pistol Club, 4350 Academy Rd., Hallsville, MO. 65255 573-696-3738 will host the 2015 Championship.
www.gvshoot.com

A-2 Mailing Address

Mail sent **during** the Championship should be addressed as follows:

Holiday Inn Select

Attn: NRA Match Headquarters

2200 I-70 Drive S.W.,

Columbia, MO 65203

573-445-8531 ext. 716 or

573-446-2735 Direct / Fax

<http://www.holidaycolumbia.com/>

A-3 Travel

a. There is a small air terminal (Columbia Regional Airport) located at 11300 S. Airport Rd., Columbia, Missouri 65201

b. There are two air terminals: Lambert International in St. Louis and Kansas City International, in Kansas City, MO. Both are about 120 miles from Columbia.

c. Each competitor is responsible for providing his/her own transportation to and from the range. For further information on interstate transportation of firearms see www.nraila.org.

d. For Airline Transportation of Firearms see, www.tsa.gov as well as the web site for the airlines you are traveling.

Ladies' Champions

1980: Edith Almeida	1821-073x
1981: Edith Almeida	1652-045x
1982: Edith Almeida	1304-077x
1983: Sally Van Valzah	1765-091x
1984: Lee Cole	1761-096x
1985: Lee Cole	1957-119x
1986: Christie Rogers	1759-096x
1987: Lorna Pavelka	1787-088x
1988: Christie Rogers	1836-111x
1989: Yoko Shimomura	1882-129x
1990: Christie Rogers	1885-124x
1991: Janina Tenace (AUS)	1888-134x
1992: Lorna Pavelka	1899-142x
1993: Judy Woolley	1898-148x
1994: Judy Woolley	1906-148x
1995: Dewi Hazeltine (AUS)	1908-150x
1996: Sharon Edington	1899-140x
1997: Sharon Edington	1906-142x
1998: Anita Mackiewicz (AUS)	*1914-148x
1999: Vera Koo	1894-137x
2000: Robyn Estreich (AUS)	1902-157x
2001: Vera Koo	1910-137x
2002: Vera Koo	1905-151x
2003: Vera Koo	1894-141x
2004: Vera Koo	1886-136x
2005: Vera Koo	1894-149x
2006: Vera Koo	1897-143x
2007: Julie Goloski	1903-139x
2008: Vera Koo	1870-136x
2009: Julie Goloski-Golob	1907-138x
2010: Jessie Duff	1906-163x
2011: Jessie Duff	1912-153x
2012: Julie Golob	1907-144x
2013: Jessie Duff	1893-142x
2014: Jessie Duff	1893-135x
* High Score	

Production Division Champions

1994: Bruce Gray	1883-112x
1995: Rod Jones	1810-105x
1996: Bruce Gray	1889-125x
1997: Steve Sweeney	1850-115x
2009: Dave Sevigny	1806-101x
2010: Kyle Schmidt	1856-121x
2011: Rob Leatham	1883-132x
2012: Vance Schmid	1887-118x
2013: Enoch Smith	*1904-144x
2014: Rob Leatham	1884-132x

* High Score

Metallic Division Champions

1998: Chad Dietrich	1905-125x
1999: Fred Craig	1863-127x
2000: Rob Leatham	1897-145x
2001: Vance Schmid	1896-130x
2002: Rob Leatham	1884-136x
2003: Frederick Craig	1886-128x
2004: Rob Leatham	1905-144x
2005: Rob Leatham	*1910-153x
2006: Rob Leatham	1902-145x
2007: Rob Leatham	1902-153x
2008: Rob Vadasz	1902-138x
2009: Rob Leatham	1909-145x
2010: Rob Vadasz	1904-146x
2011: Rob Vadasz	1908-143x
2012: Rob Vadasz	1878-135x
2013: Rob Vadasz	1892-132x
2014: Kevin Worrell	1907-127x

* High Score

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A-4 Accommodations

- a. All expenses for lodging, travel, etc., to and from the Championship are the responsibility of the competitor.
- b. It is the responsibility of each competitor to make his/her arrangements for lodging and travel.
- c. The Holiday Inn Select has indicated it will provide a "shooter's rate" to competitors wishing to use their accommodations. The rate for participants is \$89.95/day flat rate, 1-4 occupancy. If you wish to stay at the Holiday Inn Select be sure to indicate that you are participating in the **NRA Bianchi Cup, the Code is NR4**. For Toll Free Reservations call: 1-800-HOLIDAY or call direct at 573-445-8531. For reservations e-mail the Holiday Inn Select at: reservations@holidaycolumbia.com

A-5 Meals

A limited lunch and beverage service will be available at the range during the Championship.

A-6 Safety

- a. All pertinent firearms safety practices will be observed. Failure to observe safety rules will be cause for **disqualification**. This section applies to safety violations, which may occur anywhere on the grounds of the Hallsville - Green Valley Rifle & Pistol Club.
- b. Any **medical emergency** should be reported immediately to the Tournament Officials or range personnel.
- c. Eye and ear protection is **REQUIRED** and must be worn by **EVERYONE** in and around the firing line. Eye & Ear protection may be purchased in the Vendor area.

A-7 Conduct

- a. Good sportsmanship, professionalism and safety are important principles of the sport of pistol shooting and shall be requirements for attendance or participation in the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup. This principle should be followed by attending the Awards Ceremony on Saturday, 23 May 2015.

Previous Champions

Bianchi Cup Winners

1979: Ron Lerch	1816-062x
1980: Mickey Fowler	1889-085x
1981: Mickey Fowler	1890-088x
1982: Mickey Fowler	1903-145x
1983: Brian Enos	1903-612x
1984: Brian Enos	1910-257x

NRA Bianchi Cup Champions

1985: Rob Leatham	2034-155x
1986: W. Riley Gilmore	1916-144x
1987: John Pride	1912-151x
1988: John Pride	1918-163x
1989: Lemoine Wright	1914-152x
1990: Doug Koenig	1920-157x
1991: W. Riley Gilmore	1920-166x
1992: Doug Koenig	1920-169x
1993: Bruce Piatt	1920-170x
1993: Winner - Brian Kilpatrick (AUS)	1920-173x
1994: John Pride	1920-174x
1995: John Pride	1920-179x
1996: Mickey Fowler	1918-184x
1996: Winner: Ross G. Newell (AUS)	1920-163x
1997: Bruce Piatt	1920-181x
1998: Doug Koenig	1920-180x
1999: Bruce Piatt	1920-185x
2000: Doug Koenig	1920-185x
2001: Doug Koenig	1920-184x
2002: Doug Koenig	1920-184x
2003: Doug Koenig	1920-183x
2004: Doug Koenig	1920-177x
2005: Doug Koenig	1920-185x
2006: Bruce Piatt	1920-177x
2007: Doug Koenig	1920-185x
2008: Doug Koenig	1918-185x
2009: Bruce Piatt	1920-181x
2010: Doug Koenig	1920-179x
2011: Doug Koenig	*1920-187x
2012: Doug Koenig	1920-182x
2013: Doug Koenig	1920-183x
2014: Kevin Angstadt	1920-171x
* High Score	

b. Phase Two - The Speed Event Finals

(1) The competitors will be seeded according to the luck of the draw and will participate in a single elimination bracket to determine the winners.

(2) Each competitor may fire a maximum of six (6) shots at the targets. All targets, must be knocked down to score. The fastest time will win the sequence. The procedure will be best out of three (3), alternating between right and left sides.

Penalties:

For any premature start, any shot fired over the designated amount, or for any plates still standing after the time is stopped: The other competitor shall be declared the winner of that sequence.

Note: All distances, times and other information are approximate. The foregoing is guidelines only and are subject to change by the Championship Officials if necessary in the interests of safety or sportsmanship or other consideration.

b. Any competitor, guest or visitor who demonstrates an inability to act in accordance with these principles shall be instructed to leave the range and may be disqualified from further participation in the Championship and its associated events.

A-8 Dress Code

a. Since safety is always of prime concern in the conduct of shooting events, it is strongly recommended that articles of clothing be worn that will insure the comfort and safety of all competitors and range personnel.

b. In keeping with the tradition established by NRA in shooting events, and recognizing the publicity attracted by the National Championship, it is important to promote an acceptable image for competitive shooting. Attire worn during all phases of the Championship should be in good taste and appropriate to such a prestigious sporting event. Articles of clothing with controversial or offensive slogans, or illustrations, are strongly discouraged. The Match Director is empowered to take what action is necessary to maintain acceptable clothing standards.

c. For the 2015 **Awards Banquet** held at the end of the tournament, the **REQUIRED** attire is (Semi-Formal) **jacket and ties for gentlemen and like attire for ladies. NO JEANS -NO EXCEPTIONS!** For the Social events held throughout the week of the tournament, appropriate attire is requested.

** Location to be announced during Championship*

d. Competitor Back numbers are required to be worn on the back of your shirt **(IN FULL VIEW)** while competing in the Championship, if you do not have your assigned competitor back number you will not be permitted to compete in the Championship, and you will forfeit your time slot for that event. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Section B - Entry Information

B-1 Competitor Eligibility:

a. Participation in this Championship will be by entry form sent to the NRA.

(1) Entry forms will be sent to previous year's Championship competitors.

(2) Entry forms will also be sent to qualified individuals from Championships in other shooting disciplines (e.g. Police Revolver, International, etc.) and the top 10% from NRA Action Shooting State and Regional Championships.

(3) Individuals may request, in writing, an entry form to compete.

b. *Receipt of an "Entry to compete" shall not automatically guarantee a shooting position in the Championship.*

To accept an entry, certain requirements must be met as specified elsewhere in this section.

c. **Citizens of any country may win the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup Championship, except by those whose countries restrict participation and winning their championship to their own citizens.**

d. Participation in this Championship will be by invitation of the NRA of America to competitors and of those countries that have officially adopted the NRA Action Pistol Program.

B-2 To Make an Entry

a. Individuals will receive an official entry form with their Invitation. To accept an invitation, the completed entry form, with appropriate fees, must be returned by the stated closing date.

b. Entries will be accepted on a first come basis determined by earliest date received. *Entries shall be limited to the first 375 individuals accepting invitation for the Championship.*

E-5 Event V:

The Colt Speed Event



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Distance: 10 Yards

The competitors shall occupy separate, three (3) foot square firing areas, which shall be six (6) feet apart edge-to-edge. Five knock-down plates shall be spaced three (3) feet apart edge-to-edge ten (10) yards down range of each competitor. All five (5) targets shall be positioned in a fan to the left of the left-side competitor, and to the right of the right side competitor. The targets may be placed at varying heights at the discretion of the tournament. The starting position shall be with each competitor standing upright, the firearm holstered, and both hands held shoulder high. The starting signal shall be an audible electronic signal (whistle, horn, etc.) preceded by the verbal commands, "READY" and "STAND BY." A maximum of twenty (20) seconds will be utilized per firing sequence.

a. Phase One - Qualification:

The Event V Competitors will consist of the top four (4) finishers taken from the Match X results in the following Divisions: Open, Metallic, and Production, top four (4) Women competitors and the top two (2) competitors from the Senior, Grand Senior and Junior Special Categories will also be invited to compete in the Event, for a total of twenty-four (24) competitors. Competitors need not compete with the same firearm from Match X but must compete with a firearm meeting the standards of their Division.



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11250 Waples Mill Road

Fairfax, VA 22030

d. On-line entries can be made at:

www.nrahq.org/compete/bianchi/Default.asp

e. Telephone inquiries prior to 12 May 2015, concerning entry in the Championship should be made to 703-267-1451 or 877.672.6282 ext # 5, NRA Competitive Shooting. Queries between 12 - 24 May 2015 should be made to:

Holiday Inn Select

Attn: NRA Match Headquarters

2200 I-70 Drive S.W.,

Columbia, MO 65203

573-445-8531 . 716 or 573-446-2735 Direct

f. It is the competitor's personal responsibility to assure that he/she has been entered properly and on time.

B-3 Special Awards Categories

- Categories in which special Category awards will be made are listed on the entry form.
- When making an entry, the individual must Check all Special Awards Categories which apply to him/her in order to be eligible for such award(s).
- If you have any change in special awards categories, notify the NRA Match Headquarters (Holiday Inn Select) prior to close of

REGISTRATION 19 May 2015. No changes will be made to any registration paperwork after 19 May 2015, NO EXCEPTIONS.

B-4 Team Entries

a. There will be a Team match in the 2015 MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup. (See C-2b)

b. Teams shall consist of (2) two or (4) four members in any combination of Open, Metallic & Production Division's and members in the Lady & Junior Categories who meet the following eligibility criteria:

(1) **Civilian** - members must be residents of the same state, province, territory or county. A civilian team may contain no more than one (1) Service competitor or one (1) Law Enforcement competitor, providing his/her department or agency does not enter any teams, providing the residency requirement is met.

(2) **Law Enforcement** - members must be bona fide law enforcement officers from the same regularly constituted law enforcement agency or department (includes foreign LE organizations).

(3) **Service** - members must be from the same branch of service (includes foreign military organizations).

(4) **International** - members must be non-US Citizens from the same country, province, or Territory each participating country is responsible for entering team(s) in the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup.

(5) **Industry** - members who are sponsored for the competition by any firm, company, corporation, or individual engaged in the manufacture, fabrication, importation, distribution, sale or servicing (gunsmithing) of arms, parts, ammunition components, or other Products or services related to shooting. A letter from the sponsoring organization certifying that the team(s) is the official representative of that organization must be provided at time of entry. The residency requirement of (1) shall not apply to Industry teams.

(6) **State Association** - members must be residents of the same State and provide a signed letter from the State Association certifying that the team(s) is the official representative of the State concerned.

Notes

25 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor will fire one (1) round at each target. The targets must be knocked down in order to count for score. The time limit will be nine (9) seconds. The procedure is then repeated.

Penalties:

A penalty of ten (10) points and 1X will be charged for a premature start, for each procedural error, and for each round fired over the designated number.

Note: Competitors must fire the 10-yard line segment in the standing position. Competitors may fire the 15, 20, and 25-yard line segments in the prone position at their option.

- c. Teams must designate a Team Captain who may be either a firing or non-firing member. A non-firing Team Captain must also meet the eligibility criteria in b above
- d. Team entries may be made only by the Team Captain, who must provide the Team name and names of individual members at time of registration. Team entries and fees will be accepted (or by mail) upon registration at NRA Headquarters (Holiday Inn Select) on Tuesday, 19 May 2015.
- e. Team Representation- No individual may be a Team Captain, Coach, Firing Member, or alternate firing member on more than one team.

Note: Entries will not be accepted from “Pickup” teams (teams whose members are selected without regard to club or other organization affiliation) unless the program specifically provides for such eligibility.

B-5 Entries Close

- a. Individual entries: Official Entry forms are to be submitted **WITH FEES** to NRA Headquarters (VA.) not later than 8 May 2015 and NRA Match Headquarters (MO.) not later than 19 May 2015.
- b. Team entries: Not later than 5:00 p.m., Tues. 19 May 2015.

B-6 Registration

- a. Registration for competitors will be held on 19 May from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Host Hotel & 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. At the Range for those competitors competing in the Aggregate Match.
- b. Guest(s) Fee \$70.00 each (Entitles guest to attend all social events conducted during the Championship). This fee must be paid at Registration, all guests must wear a wrist band in order to gain access to the social events



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E-4 Event IV:

The Olin (Oli) C. Barjenbruch -Falling Plate

Event Sponsored by: FNH-USA

Rounds: 48

Targets: 8" Round White Metal

Plates

Range: 10, 15, 20, and 25 Yards.

2014 High Open: Christoph Geppert (GER) 480-101x

2014 High Metallic: Kevin Worrell 480-54x

2014 High Production: Dave Sevigny 480-77x

2014 High Lady: Maggie Reese 480-48x

Procedure:

There will be six (6) target plates placed one foot apart, edge-to-edge. They will be four (4) feet above ground level to the bottom edge. The starting position will be with firearm holstered and both hands held shoulder high. The starting signal will be an audible type (whistle, horn, etc.) preceded by the verbal commands "READY" and "STAND BY."

10 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor will fire one (1) round at each target. The targets must be knocked down in order to count for score. The time limit will be six (6) seconds. The procedure is then repeated.

15 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor will fire one (1) round at each target. The targets must be knocked down in order to count for score. The time limit will be seven (7) seconds. The procedure is then repeated.

20 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor will fire one (1) round at each target. The targets must be knocked down in order to count for score. The time limit will be eight (8) seconds. The procedure is then repeated.

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B-7 Fees

2015 Championship Fees must be submitted with Entry form.

Special Events are included in the competitor's match fee.

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| a. Open Entry prior to 1 February | \$300.00 |
| b. Metallic Entry prior to 1 February | \$300.00 |
| c. Production Entry prior to 1 February | \$275.00 |
| d. Open, Met, Prod Entry by 1 March | \$350.00 |
| e. Entry 1 March - 1 April | \$375.00 |
| f. Entry after 1 April | \$400.00 |
| g. Late Entry after 8 May | \$425.00 |
| h. Active Duty Military | \$275.00 |
| i. (*New*) Competitor Entry | \$250.00 |
| j. Competitor(s) will receive \$50 credit for each
New competitor brought to the match. | |
| k. Junior Entry | \$175.00 |
| l. Multi-Gun Aggregate | \$125.00 |
| m. Guests – see Section B-6 (b) | \$70.00 |

Teams:

- | | |
|---|--------------------|
| a. 4 Person Team | \$200.00 per Team |
| b. 2 Person National Team | \$100.00 per Team. |
| c. Refunds may be made at the discretion of NRA | |
- when the cancellation is:

(1) Made in writing

(2) A cancellation fee of \$25.00 is assessed against any cancellation.

b. Cancellations received **less than fifteen (15)** days before the first date of competition shall forfeit the full entry and other fees. Special circumstances will be given consideration by the NRA Coordinator.

SECTION C

NRA Championship Information

C-1 National Action Pistol Championship

- a. The Championship consists of the aggregate of four (4) fired Events conducted over 3 days, Wednesday, 20 May to Friday, 22 May 2015 (See Section E for details)
- b. The National Champion will be determined by the final aggregate score, or by a shoot off in the case of unbreakable ties.
- c. All Event scores will be used for NRA Classification.
- d. Action Pistol Rule 18.4 **Classification** will be in effect. There will be an "Unclassified" category for those competitors who do not have a valid classification or have never competed in NRA sanctioned matches.

C-2 Special Events

- a. The Colt Speed Event-- Shall be limited to twenty-two (22) competitors from Match X consisting of the top four (4) from Open, Metallic & Production divisions. The top (4) scoring Women, (2) Junior, (2) Senior & (2) Grand-Senior competitors will also participate in this Event (E-5c) provided there are a minimum of 4 competitors in each category of the main event. Separate awards will be provided in each category. This Event will be fired on Saturday, 23 May 2015.
- b. The National Action Pistol Team Championship. This is an aggregate of each team member's individual scores in Events I- IV, and shall determine the final standings for teams in this Tournament. The highest Possible Team Score 7680-768X for (4) person team, & 3840-384X for (2) person team.

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the competitor fires three (3) rounds at the target, which moves from left to right. This procedure is then repeated one more time.

25 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at the target, which moves from right to left. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at the target, which moves from left to right. The procedure is then repeated one more time.

Penalties:

There will be a ten (10)-point penalty for any premature start, for each procedural error, for any round that strikes either barricade, and for any round fired over the designated amount.

b. Multi-Gun Aggregate Match -- Shall be limited to the first Forty-four (44) competitors that sign up in advance. The Aggregate Match will consist of the Four (4) Events fired during the Championship, using a second firearm in another Division separate from the firearm registered for use during the Championship. Separate awards will be provided for the high overall combined score fired in the National Championship and the Multi-Gun Aggregate Match. The highest possible score will be 3840–384 X. This Event will be fired on Tuesday, 18 May 2015.

C-3 Squadding

- a. Individuals shall be squadded at the discretion of the Tournament Officials.
- b. Competitors will be assigned firing times and dates for each of the 4-fired Events in the Championship. Separate squadding will be made for the Special Events.
- c. Competitors shall report to and remain in the staging area provided at each firing range at least fifteen (15) minutes before the assigned firing time. A competitor shall be given *his/ her first* call for a match 15 minutes before the assigned firing time and will be given a *second and final* call at 10 minutes prior to the assigned firing time. If a competitor misses his/her second call, he/she shall be disqualified for that Event.
- d. The competitor shall bring a minimum of 100 rounds of ammunition to the staging area - equipment shall not be brought to the competitor after he or she enters the staging area without prior permission from the Range Officer.

C-4 Championship Awards

Match X: The MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup
Championship Sponsored by: MidwayUSA
National Champion Cash & The Bianchi Cup

The Open Sight National Championship

Sponsored by: NRA

Champion	Cash & Trophy
Second	Cash & Trophy
Third	Cash & Trophy
Fourth – Twentieth	Cash

The Metallic Sight National Championship

Sponsored by: NRA

Champion	Cash & Trophy
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque
Fourth – Twentieth	Cash

The Production National Championship Sponsored by: NRA

Champion	Cash & Trophy
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque
Fourth—Fiftieth	Cash

The Ladies National Championship

Sponsored by: NRA

First	Cash & Trophy
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

Event I: The Practical Event

Sponsored by: Blade-Tech

(Open, Metallic & Production)

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

Event II: The Barricade Event

Sponsored by: Safariland

(Open, Metallic & Production)

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque



E-3 Event III:

The Moving Target Event

Sponsored by: Sig Sauer

Rounds: 48

Targets: NRA AP-I target.

Range: 10, 15, 20, and 25 Yards.

2014 High Open: Bernhard Paul (AST) 480-39x

2014 High Metallic: Robert Vadasz 480-33x

2014 High Production: Rob Leatham 476-31x

2014 High Lady: Julie Golob 474-32x

Procedure:

The target will move from behind a barricade, travel sixty (60) feet in six (6) seconds, and then disappear behind another barricade. There will be a clearly marked, three (3) foot square firing area at each stage. The firing square will be at the center of the sixty (60) foot run of the target. The competitor must remain within the firing square for the complete firing sequence. The starting position will be with the firearm holstered and both hands held shoulder high. There will be no audible signals. When the competitor is ready to fire, both hands must be raised to the starting position. The signal to commence firing will be when the target appears from behind the barricade.

10 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the target, which moves from right to left. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the target, which moves from left to right.

15 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the target, which moves from right to left. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the target, which moves from left to right.

20 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at the target, which moves from right to left. At the second signal to commence fire,



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Event III: The Moving Target Event

Sponsored by: Sig Sauer

(Open, Metallic & Production)

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

Event IV: The Olin (Oli) C. Barjenbruch -Falling

Plate Event Sponsored by: FNH-USA

(Open, Metallic & Production)

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

C-6 Special Category Awards

The Law Enforcement Award

Sponsored by: Safariland

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

The International Award

Sponsored by: MidwayUSA

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque
Fourth	Cash & Plaque
Fifth	Cash & Plaque

High Lady Production Award

Sponsored by: NRA

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

High Lady Metallic Award

Sponsored by: NRA

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

High Revolver Award

Sponsored by: NRA

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

C-5 Special Awards

The Roger E. Hawkins Memorial Junior Award*

Sponsored by: Zero Bullets

(NRA Rule 2.3 Junior-A person may compete as a Junior through December 31 of the calendar year in which his or her twentieth birthday occurs.) *Junior competitors may compete with .22 Rimfire as per rule 3.3. To be eligible for the Roger E. Hawkins Memorial Junior Award title, the competitor must fire centerfire ammunition.*

First	Cash & Trophy
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

The Service Award

Sponsored by: MidwayUSA

The Service category is defined as all current members of the Armed Forces, including Regular, Reserve, and National Guard. Retired or former military personnel are not eligible to compete in this category).

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

The John Cameron Memorial Senior Award*

Sponsored by: H&M Blacknitride

(NRA Rule 2.2.1 Senior - A person may compete as a Senior beginning on January 1 of the calendar year in which the 60th birthday occurs).

First	Cash & Trophy
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

The Grand Senior Award

Sponsored by: Montana Gold Bullets

(NRA Rule 2.2.2 Grand Senior - A person may compete as a Grand Senior beginning on January 1 of the calendar year in which the 70th birthday occurs).

First	Cash & Plaque
Second	Cash & Plaque
Third	Cash & Plaque

**In order for Special Category awards to be given, there must be at least (6) Six individuals competing in the Special category.*



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<http://competitions.nra.org/championship-tournament/national-matches-at-camp-perry-ohio.aspx>

Pistol Phase:

6-12 July 2015

High Power/Mid-Range:

23-28 July 2015

Long Range:

29 July -2 August 2015

Fullbore:

3-7 August 2015

15 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at either target from the matching side of the barricade within the six (6) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the remaining target from the matching side of the barricade within the six (6) second time period.

The targets are changed between the 15 and 25 yard stages.

25 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at either target from the matching side of the barricade within the seven (7) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the remaining target from the matching side of the barricade within the seven (7) second time period.

35 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at either target from the matching side of the barricade within the eight (8) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the remaining target from the matching side of the barricade within the eight (8) second time period.

Penalties:

A penalty of ten (10) points will be charged for a premature start, for each procedural error and for each round fired over the designated number. Penalties for crossfire will be determined from actual scoring of targets as outlined in NRA Action Pistol Rule 9.25, 14.7 & 14.10.

Note: All competitors must fire all stages in the standing position. All competitors may use the Barricade for support. No portion of the firearm to rest against the Barricade for Metallic or Production Firearm categories. Competitors will not be permitted to "Lock on to the Barricade". This course will be divided into four stages, two strings per stage, 6 shots per string, 48 shots; all shots will be fired from behind a barricade.

C-6 Special Event Awards

a. The Colt Speed Event

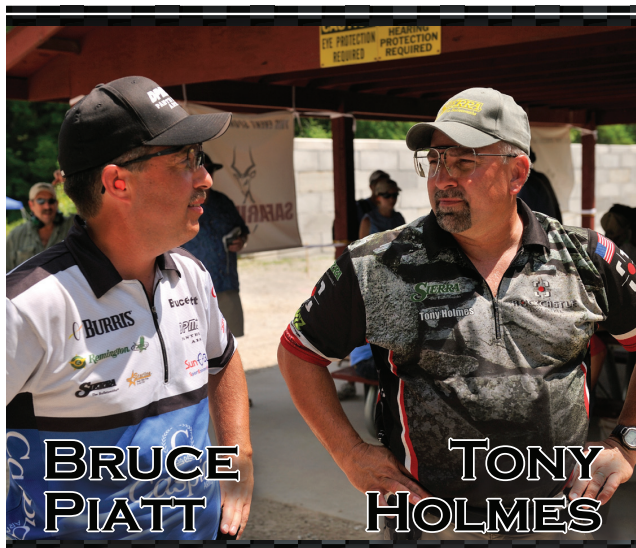
(Open, Metallic & Production)

First		Cash & Plaque
Second		Cash & Plaque
Third		Cash & Plaque
Women's Shoot-off:	First	Cash & Plaque
Junior Shoot-off:	First	Cash & Plaque
Senior Shoot-off:	First	Cash & Plaque
Grand Senior Shoot-off	First	Cash & Plaque

b. The Team Championship

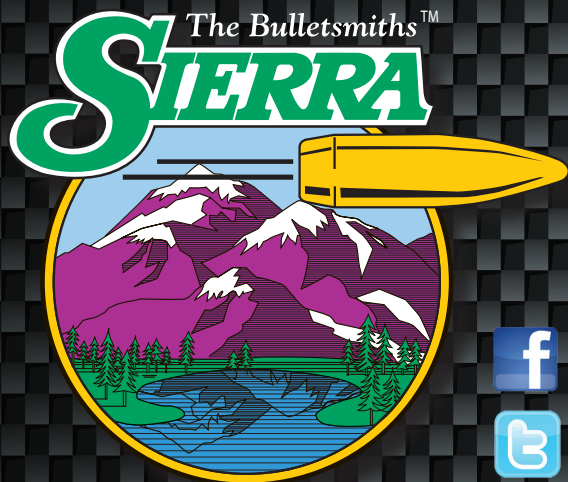
First	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
Second	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
Third	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
High Civilian	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards
High Law Enforcement	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
High Service	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
High International	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
High Industry	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.
High State Association	Cash, Trophy Plaque and Individual Member Awards.

*In order for category awards to be given, there must be at least (3) three teams competing. * If entry warrants, awards schedule may be expanded. A minimum of (3) three teams are required for an award to be given. Additional place awards may be given for every additional 5 or more Teams or individuals.*



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E-2 Event II:

The Barricade Event

Sponsored by: Safariland

Rounds: 48

Targets: NRA AP-I targets.

Range: 10, 15, 25, and 35 Yards.

2014 High Open: Brett Foster (AUS) 480-48x

2014 High Lady: Joanne Fusher (NZE) 480-43x

2014 High Production: Rob Leatham 480-33x

2014 High Metallic: Troy Mattheyer 476-33x

Procedure:

At each stage there will be a six (6) foot high, two (2) foot-wide barricade. They will be placed in a line, one directly behind another. Each barricade will have a clearly marked two (2) foot-wide by three (3) foot long firing area on the up range side. The competitor must be within the firing area at the "COMMENCE FIRE" signal and no portion of the competitor's body or equipment may touch outside the firing area until the competitor has finished firing the designated rounds. The barricade will be considered to be within the firing area and may be used as support. There will be two (2) targets downrange. One will be placed three (3) feet to the left of the centerline and one three (3) feet to the right. The starting position will be with the firearm holstered and the palms of both hands on the face of the barricade. The starting signal will be the turning of the targets preceded by the verbal commands "READY" and "STAND BY."

10 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at either target from the matching side of the barricade within the five (5) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires six (6) rounds at the remaining target from the matching side of the barricade within the five (5) second time period.

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C-7 Class Awards

Awards will be provided according to the number of competitors in each class. There must be five (5) competitors in a class in order to award a First Place and Second Place in that class. If there are fewer than 5 competitors in a class, then only a First Place will be awarded in that class or classes. If there are fewer than two (2) competitors, then no award will be given in that class. **The Top 5 Open award winners are not eligible to receive Class Awards.**

Class Awards will be given to the next highest competitor(s) in that class (es).

(Open, Metallic & Production Division)
(High Master, Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, Marksman, and Unclassified)

First	Cash
Second	Cash
Third	Cash

C-8 Merchandise Prizes/Industry Awards

In addition to the Awards listed in this section, donated merchandise will be randomly awarded to participants in the competitor bags, during Registration. The specific number and types of prizes are not determined. (See C-10, e.)

C-9 Award Distribution

a. The NRA and Tournament Officials shall assume no responsibility whatsoever for the transfer or transportation of any award, for the legal compliance of such transfer or transport, or for the loss, theft or damage to same. The winners shall be solely responsible for any and all fees related to the transfer of the firearm, including but not limited to possible license fees, transfer fees, handling fees, background fees, and/or shipping fees. Reasonable security shall be provided in the handling of all awards.

b. Only the winner shall claim his/her prize, FFL contact must be provided by the competitor by 1200 EST 22 June 2015 or the awarded firearm will be forfeited.

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c. Modern Arms has been temporary appointed the authorized agent for the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup, (NO International Transfers)

Participants are encouraged to bring with them the necessary contact information for a local firearm dealer in their locality to whom they would like possession of the firearm prizes transferred.

d. *Firearms prizes won by an International competitor must be claimed and shipped through an appointed export agent in accordance with Federal law. The winner shall pay all shipping and any administrative handling fees. If a firearm cannot be awarded, a substitute award MAY be issued.*

e. ***NO PRIZES WILL BE SHIPPED AFTER CONCLUSION OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP. FAILURE TO CLAIM A PRIZE AT THE DESIGNATED TIME/LOCATION SHALL MEAN THE PRIZE(S) IS FORFEITED. * NO FIREARM AWARDS MAY BE SOLD OR TRADED. In cases where the winner may not legally claim a firearm prize, an appropriate substitution MAY be made at the discretion of NRA if substitution prizes are available.***

f. *All awards winners must sign for awards, official awards redemption documentation will be provided to the winners. Trophies will be awarded on Awards night, checks will be mailed after the conclusion of the championship. Completed IRS Form W-9 (US Citizens) & IRS W-8 (International) must be sent to NRA HQ for cash awards.*

Notes

signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at each target within six (6) seconds.

The targets are changed between the 15 and 25 yard stages.

25 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires one (1) round at each target within a five (5) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires two (2) rounds at each target within six (6) seconds. At the third signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at each target within the seven (7) second time period.

50 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires one (1) round at each target within seven (7) seconds. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires two (2) rounds at each target within ten (10) seconds. At the third signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at each target within fifteen (15) seconds.

Penalties:

A penalty of ten (10) points will be charged for a premature start, for each procedural error, as well as for each round fired over the designated number, for each round fired while supporting the weak hand or arm during the third segment at the 10-yard stage. Penalties for crossfire will be determined from actual scoring of targets as outlined in NRA Action Pistol Rule 9.25, 14.7 & 14.10.

Note: Competitors must fire the 10-yard line segment in the standing position. Competitors may fire the 15, 25, and 50-yard line segments in the prone position at their option.

C-10 Awards Ceremony

The Awards Ceremony will be conducted at the *Holiday Inn Select* on Saturday, 23 May beginning with appetizers at 6:00 p.m. and dinner at 7:00 p.m.

** Location to be announced during Championship*

The *REQUIRED* attire for the Ceremony is Semi-Formal for all attendee's. This will be strictly enforced at the ceremony. Attendees not in accordance with this requirement will not be admitted, NO JEANS - NO EXCEPTIONS.

In the spirit of "Good Sportsmanship" you also **must** be present at the Awards Banquet to accept any awards or prizes. Failure to claim any prize at the awards office on 23 May 2015 shall mean the prize(s) is forfeited. No prizes will be shipped after the conclusion of the Championship.

Section D Championship Rules

D-1 Rules

This Championship shall be governed by the 2015 NRA Action Pistol Shooting Rules, the Official Program, or by the Match Director's Bulletin.

D-2 Coaching

The events in this Championship are individual in nature. Coaching will not be allowed.

D-3 Weather

a. The Match Director may, at his/her discretion, cancel, extend or alter the course of fire due to inclement weather or for any other reason considered worthy.

b. In the event of weather delays, it is the competitor's responsibility to remain in the immediate vicinity of the range and to be ready to resume shooting as soon as notified by range personnel that the delay has been lifted. Weather delays will be conducted in 15-minute intervals.

D-4 Firearms and Equipment

a. Firearms shall only be permitted on the range when holstered or cased.

b. Holsters (such as shoulder, chest and other such designs), which may violate safety considerations,

are prohibited.

c. There will be no holster test conducted at the staging area. A dropped firearm, **loaded or unloaded**, at any time during the (4) Championship Events I-IV shall result in disqualification of competitor for entire tournament.

d. Gloves: Rule 3.11 shall apply: "Gloves may be worn which do not form an artificial support." You must wear the glove (s) during the whole Event. (Also see Rules 3.18 & 5.2)

e. Eye and ear protection is **REQUIRED** and must be worn by **EVERYONE** in and around the firing line. Eye & Ear protection may be purchased in the Vendor area.

f. Equipment must be inspected / registered Tuesday 19 May 2015. (See B-6 a.).

g. Ground cover (i.e. shooting mats) shall be provided only by the Tournament sponsor.

h. Eligible competitors may compete in the Speed Event using a different firearm, holster, sights and ammunition from those used in the Championship Events I-IV. Metallic Sight and Production competitors must use a gun meeting Metallic and Production Division requirements.

i. Side Events: Eligible competitors may compete in these matches using different pistols, holsters, sights, and ammunition from those used in the Championship Events I-IV. If sponsored by an organization wishing to use a firearm of their choice, then the said firearm shall then be the only firearm authorized for that Event.

j. In the Metallic Division National Championship, the only authorized firearms allowed are those that abide by Rule 3.2 Metallic Division firearm and the provisional rules adopted for use at the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup.

k. In the Production Division National Championship, the only authorized firearms allowed are those that abide by Rule 3.2.1 Production Division Firearm and the provisional rules adopted for use at the MidwayUSA & NRA Bianchi Cup.

Section E - The Events



E-1 Event I:

The Practical Event

Sponsored by: Blade-Tech

Rounds: 48

Targets: NRA AP-I targets.

Range: 10, 15, 25, and 50 Yards.

2014 High Open: Doug Koenig 480-45x

2014 High Metallic: Kevin Worrell 478-24x

2014 High Lady: Vera Koo 476-32x

2014 High Production: Harry Russell 469-22x

Procedure:

The competitor stands facing 2 targets downrange. The tops of the targets will be approximately 6 feet above ground level and 3 feet apart, edge-to-edge. The starting position will be with the firearm holstered and both hands held shoulder high. The starting signal will be the turning of the targets preceded by the verbal commands "READY" and "STAND BY."

10 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires one round at each target within a three (3) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires two (2) rounds at each target within a four (4) second time period. At the third signal to commence fire, the competitor fires three (3) rounds at each target with the weak hand only within eight (8) second time period. (The competitor may use the strong hand to produce and exchange the handgun for this third segment, but all six (6) rounds must be fired with the weak hand without support for the hand or arm of any kind.)

15 Yard Stage:

At the signal to commence fire, the competitor fires one (1) round at each target within a four (4) second time period. At the second signal to commence fire, the competitor fires two (2) rounds at each target within five (5) seconds. At the third (3)

D-5 Ammunition: The following rules pertaining to ammunition shall apply to the Championship & the Colt Speed Event:

- a. The lower limit of caliber shall be 9mm.
- b. All ammunition fired in the Tournament must meet or exceed the power floor as described when checked by Chronograph using the formula:
Bullet weight (grains) X muzzle velocity (feet per second) = not less than 120,000.
- c. Handloads may be used.
- d. Any ammunition used must be loaded within safe limitations for the handgun used.
- e. Muzzle velocity shall be determined by the use of a Chronograph.
- f. Competitors' ammunition shall be tested randomly by the Championship Staff, a sampling of ammunition will be taken from each competitor selected, the selected competitor will provide the ammunition from a magazine or speedloader, and the firearm used in competition for Chronograph testing.
- g. Selected competitors will be advised to provide ammunition after completion of an Event & MUST report to Chronograph for testing.
- h. All ammunition utilized in the Tournament must maintain identical bullet design, bullet weight, and velocity. Ammunition used in side events may be different, but still must meet power factor requirements.
- i. ***Failure of the ammunition to conform to these standard tests will result in disqualification of the competitor.***
- j. Fired brass that falls to the ground shall become the property of the Tournament.

D-14. Disqualifications

A dropped firearm, **loaded or unloaded**, at any time during the (4) Championship Events I-IV shall result in disqualification of competitor for entire tournament. **ANY** Safety Violations as described in (NRA Action Pistol Rules 9.17 & 9.17.1), which occur on the grounds of the Hallsville Green Valley Rifle & Pistol Club at any time during the Championship with the exception of Side Events, will lead to disqualification of that competitor from the entire tournament. Competitors involved in Event V, disqualified under the above Rule(s) after the completion of the Championship will only be subject to disqualification from the Colt Speed Event – Event V.

the case. Such written protests must be filed with the Chief Referee within two **(2) hours** of the occurrence of the protested incident.

(4) A meeting of the Championship Protest Committee will be called to rule on the protest. The protesting competitor should be prepared to appear before the Protest Committee if requested to do so.

(5) Decisions made by the Championship Protest Committee are final.

b. A protest fee of \$100.00 must accompany the written protest. If at any point the protest is sustained, the fee is refunded. If the protest is denied, the fee is included in the general revenue of the tournament.

D-12. Official Timing

a. In matches where turning targets are used, time is taken for the period during which the target is fully exposed. Time is not checked on each individual shot, but is computed on the indicated allowance for each string depending on the type of fire being conducted.

b. The RO shall rule on any “faults” or other penalties assessed a competitor, (e.g. premature starts)

c. In Event IV, Falling Plate Event, timing shall be conducted using an electronic timing device, which actuates the plate locking bar.

d. In the side Events, timing shall be conducted using a sound actuated electronic timing device or turning targets.

e. In event of target system break down, a sound actuated electronic timing device shall be used as the official back-up system.

f. A competitor has 7 1/2 minutes to complete firing of Event III, starting from the time he/she is given the “command to step into the box and load and make ready”.

D-13. National Records

National Records will be recognized over courses of fire as outlined in the NRA Action Pistol Shooting Rules.

D-6 Positions

a. The firearm shall be fully seated in the holster before the signal to fire is given.

b. The ready position shall be with competitor standing upright and the hands positioned as follows: Events I, III, IV, V -- Both hands held shoulder high; Event II - Competitor standing upright with the palms of both hands on the face of the barricade.

c. The firing position (See Rule 5.12).

d. It is the competitor's responsibility to assume the correct ready position (Rule 5.3 & b. above) before firing commences and to maintain a proper firing position (c. above) throughout the Championship. Violations of these position rules will result in “faults” and penalties will be assessed for each “fault” according to the rules of the Championship in which such fault(s) occurs. *No warnings will be issued by Range Officers regarding faults before or during an Event.*

D-7 Targets

a. Targets provided have been approved by NRA and are official. *

b. In Events I, II, & III, the targets shall be the AP-1 (cardboard); Event IV, the targets shall be 8" diameter round targets, made from .375 (3/8) inch-thick steel; The Colt Speed Event, the target shall be the Colt Speed Target (steel). (Rules 4.2, 4.3, 4.4);

c. All targets shall be the property of the Tournament and shall not be removed nor retained by the competitors.

**Side events may use AP-1 or other approved targets*

D-8 Scoring

- a. In Events I, II, and III, scoring will be completed as quickly as possible at the Central Scoring Area. Competitors can report to the Scoring Area 30 minutes after they complete a stage. Competitors then may review their targets and score card. If in agreement sign the card. Competitors must review their targets before the end of that day of shooting. Targets will not be available the following day under any circumstance. The scoring officials will score Event IV and other side events at the rear of each range. The use of the plug-type scoring gauge will be restricted to use by the **NRA Official Referees only**. In Events I and II, targets will be changed after the 15 yard stage.
- b. In matches using steel targets, the target must be knocked down to score a hit.
- c. Event IV: The maximum score which will be included in the Championship aggregate is 480-48x. Competitors who complete the match with a score of 480-48x shall be given an opportunity to continue to fire to establish a match winner and set National Records. Each plate that is knocked down after the initial with each additional plate knocked down scored an "X".

D-9 Ties

- a. Any Events utilizing the NRA AP-1 Target for score: If necessary to break a tie, the "X" count fired, starting with the longest distance will determine the winner.
- b. Event IV: When the event is completed with a score of 480-48x the competitor shall repeat the complete event, starting at the 10-yard line, at time limits reduced by two seconds per string per stage, until one plate is missed. The time limits shall be reduced by one additional second each time the complete event is repeated. The number of plates knocked down until a plate is missed shall determine the "X" count and winner of the Event.
- c. The Colt Speed Event: completing an additional six-shot string shall break all Ties.
- d. The ties for additional side matches will be

- e. Match X: Any unbreakable tie(s) in Match X for the Championship, second, or third place will be broken by having a shoot-off consisting of a re-firing the longest distance string of Events I-IV. All other ties will be broken by method described in D-Any shoot-off necessary will be shot Friday afternoon.

D-10. Challenges (NRA Rule 16.1)

- a. Challenges may be made if a competitor feels that a shot fired by himself or by another competitor has been improperly evaluated or scored. If it is the competitor's target, **challenges must be made before the scorecard is signed**. If it is another competitor's target, then the challenge must be done before the end of the challenge time for that day, which is 30 minutes after last shots are fired. For challenging statistical errors, the challenge time shall expire at 3:00 p.m., the following day except for Friday, 22 May 2015 when the time shall expire two (2) hours after the final scores are posted.

b. Fees

- (1) Competitor's own target: **\$10.00** per Target
- (2) Another Competitor's target: **\$20.00** Per Target
- (3) If the competitor's challenge is sustained at any point along the line of rechecks, the challenge fee will be returned. If the challenge is lost, the challenge fee will be included in the general revenue of the tournament.

c. *The decision of an NRA Official Referee shall be final. (NRA Rule 11.2)*

D-11. Protests

- a. The following procedures for filing protests will apply: A protest must be initiated immediately upon the occurrence of the protested incident. Failure to comply with the following procedure will automatically void the protest:
- (1) State the complaint orally to the Chief Range Officer. If not satisfied with his decision then,
- (2) State the complaint orally to an Official Referee. If not satisfied with his decision then,
- (3) Obtain a protest form from the Chief Referee; complete the protest in writing stating all facts in