

**300 Meter National Match Sponsor:
Minneapolis Rifle Club & MN Rifle and Revolver Association**

Range Location: 8310 Hill -n- Dale Drive
St. Francis, Minnesota 55330 (USA)

Sanctioned by:



**2018 U.S. 300 Meter National Matches
St. Francis, Minnesota (USA)
May 15 to 19, 2018**

Official Program

PREREGISTRATION REQUIRED

SCHEDULE:

Start times are subject to change and may be updated once registration is closed and we have final numbers.

| 2018 300 Meter National Championships St. Francis, Minnesota May 15 – 19, 2018 | | |
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| Date | Day | Details |
| 05/15/2017 | Tuesday | 10:00AM to 4:00PM Open Practice (shooters choice) |
| 05/16/2018 | Wednesday | 3X40 8:00 AM Match - Day 1 3X20 Noon Match - Day 1 3X40 3:00 PM Match – Day 1 (Relay 2 if needed) Open Practice 5:00 PM to 6:30PM |
| 05/17/2018 | Thursday | 3X20 8 AM Match - Day 2 3X40 Noon Match - Day 2 3X40 3:00 PM Match – Day 2 (Relay 2 if needed) Open Practice 5:00PM to 6:00PM Thursday 7:00PM -- Restaurant Gathering - Awards |
| 05/18/2018 | Friday | Prone AM 8:00AM – Day 1 Prone 9:45AM - Day 1 Prone 1130AM – Day1 (added if needed) Standard Rifle 1:00PM - Day 1 Open Practice 4:00PM to 6:00PM Friday 6:30PM - Picnic at the Range |
| 05/19/2018 | Saturday | Prone AM 8:00AM – Day 2 Prone 9:45AM - Day 2 Prone 1130AM – Day2 (added if needed) Standard Rifle 1:00PM - Day 2 Awards |

Schedule changes may take place as warranted by conditions, equipment or weather. Sections may be added if needed.

CONTACT:

George Minerich, Executive Officer
 Minneapolis Rifle Club
 416 Morgan Drive
 Foley, Minnesota (USA) 56329
 (320) 293-2933 (cell)
gminerich@midco.net

Web Information: mrra.org click the “Shooting Schedule” radio button, go to the date, click on the event and click “Program”

ELIGIBILITY:

This is an open match. All competitors must be current members of USA Shooting in order to participate. The match will be open to international guests as well. International athletes must be a member of their home federation. All international athletes should submit a copy of the picture page of their passport with their entry form. Only U.S. citizens will be eligible to win National Championship. International guests must complete the entry form on the last page of this program. International athletes will not be eligible Awards as this is a U.S. National Championship only.

RULES:

Current ISSF 2018 Rules will govern this competition. It is the shooters responsibility to be familiar with these rules. Match Directors bulletins will also rule this match.

AWARDS:

Awards will be presented Thursday Evening and Saturday Afternoon.

Men's 3-P -- gold, silver, bronze

Women's 3-P -- gold, silver, bronze

Prone -- gold, silver, bronze

Standard Rifle -- gold, silver, bronze

JURY:

A Competition Jury will be appointed. A decision by the Competition Jury is final.

FEES:

300 M, 3- Position Rifle – Men: \$75.00

300 M, 3 – Position Rifle Women: \$75.00

300 M, Standard Rifle: \$75.00

300 M Prone \$75.00

Match fees non-refundable after May 8, 2018.

ENTRIES:

All athletes must complete the paper registration and please include a copy of your passport if not US Citizen. Send to the mailing address found above. Emails with PDF attachments of the forms are also acceptable (See Contacts above) but payment must be received by May 8, 2018 or the registration becomes void. International guests can pay cash (US \$) upon arrival. Please send Registrations and Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity form to George Minerich, MRC. (See information under contact above).

NOTE: You Must register and pay for the match by May 8, 2018.

All shooters must sign the “Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement”. This can be done at the match site. All shooters under the age of 18 must have a completed, ‘Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement’ signed by a parent or legal guardian. If a parent or legal guardian is not going to attend the match, the minor must present a copy of the agreement signed by a parent or legal guardian and it must be witnessed buy a Notary Public.

FIREARMS & AMMUNITION STORAGE:

There will be no overnight firearms or ammunition storage at the range.

All firearms must be transported, unloaded and in a case, that completely encloses the firearm. The case shall be designed for transportation of firearms and in a secured condition when transporting firearms. All ammunition shall be stored in a separate container. All firearms must have an empty chamber indicator in the chamber at all times unless on the firing line and permission is granted to remove empty chamber indicator.

AMMUNITION:

Ammunition will not be for sale at this event.

LODGING

At this time, there are no hotels/ motels with discounted rates available. Should any be added for this match we will update accordingly. The near city with lodging is Elk River, Minnesota (USA).

EQUIPMENT CHECK

There will be a formal equipment check for this event. All athletes must adhere to all standards within the published rules. Spot checks will be performed during the match.

COURSES OF FIRE:

All courses of fire will be as prescribed by USA Shooting Rules on electronic targets. All shooters will shoot each course of fire twice on separate days. 3 – Position Men will require 240 total shots for record, Women 3 – Position will require 120 total shots for record, Standard Rifle will require 120 total shots for record and Prone will require 120 total shots for record. Bring sufficient ammunition for the course of fire and sighters/practice ammunition to meet your own requirements.

SQUADDING:

All Squadding will be by random drawing. Firing position and time of day will be determined by the drawing.

FINALS:

Finals will not be conducted. This is not an Olympic Qualification event. In events, ties will be broken by shoot off to determine National Champion.

SUBJECT TO CHANGE:

Please keep in mind that the match schedule and squadding are subject to change. Although we make every attempt to maintain the published schedule, target malfunctions, weather and other items are out of our control. It is the responsibility of the competitors and/or coaches to check the schedule and squadding daily and most importantly in the evening. Updated information will be posted at the range before the end of the day. Before May 15, 2018, updated information will be posted at mrra.org (click the “Shooting Schedule” radio button, go to the date, click on the event and click “Program”).

Minneapolis Rifle Club, USA Shooting or other sponsors are not responsible for missed flights, airline change fees, missed relays, etc. Please keep this in mind when making your travel arrangements and schedules.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

The Men's and Women's 3 – Position, and Standard Rifle will be limited to 28 total competitors. The prone match is limited to 28 shooters but MRC reserves the right to increase the prone match to a maximum of 42 shooters if required.

Per USA Shooting General Regulations (Edition 2016) the following Rule will be included for all matches, Section 4.4: “USA Shooting recognizes and encourages completion in senior age groups, as a means of promoting life-long participation in the shooting sports. To enhance sighting, an optical assistance device up to 1.5x enhancement is permitted in either the front sight or rear sight, or on the shooting glasses, in the senior age categories only. The rule allows the use of “Eagle Eye” or similar commercial front sight or diopter rear aperture to aid the competitor in obtaining a better sight picture. Using the sight system must be declared during registration. If so registered, competitor is not eligible for finals or team selection.”

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ENTRY FORM

You must register and pay for the match by May 8, 2018. Print all Information

NAME: _____

STREET: _____

CITY: _____ STATE/ZIP: _____

COUNTRY: _____ MALE _____ FEMALE _____

Passport Number: _____

CELL PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

USA Shooting / Federation Number: _____

BIRTHDATE: _____

CHECK YOUR AGE CATEGORY:

| | | | |
|--------------------|--|-----------------------------------------|--|
| J1 (18-20) | | Senior (50-59) | |
| J2 (15-17) | | Open (Anyone not a Junior or Senior) | |
| J3 (14 & under) | | | |

CHECK THE EVENT(S) IN WHICH YOU WILL PARTICIPATE:

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|--------------------------|--|----------------------|--|
| <u>EVENT:</u> | | <u>EVENT:</u> | |
| 3 P MEN - \$75.00 | | 3 P WOMEN - \$75.00 | |
| Standard Rifle - \$75.00 | | PRONE - \$75.00 | |

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED \$ _____ (Total of all events Selected)

Please make Money Order or Check Payable to: Minneapolis Rifle Club

By registering to compete at this competition you are consenting to be subject to drug testing. If found positive for a prohibited substance you are subject to sanctions under the US Anti-Doping Agency (USADA).

Competitor's Signature _____

MAIL TO:

George Minerich, MRC
416 Morgan Drive
Foley, MN (USA) 56329

Minneapolis Rifle Club, 300 M National Match

Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement – All shooters must complete

I waive all liability against Minneapolis Rifle Club and USA Shooting and other sponsors, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless from any loss, injury, liability, damage, or cost I might incur, the parties to Minneapolis Rifle Club and USA Shooting. By signing this form, I am explicitly stating I understand all the risks associated participating in activities in this activity, and I assume total responsibility for my actions and their possible consequences.

The sponsors, Minneapolis Rifle Club and/or USA Shooting is not responsible for any loss or stolen items.

By signing this I am also consenting to be subject to drug testing. If found positive for a prohibited substance I am aware I may be subject to sanctions under the US Anti-Doping Agency (USADA).

Printed Name of Participant

Date

Signature of Participant

Signature of Parent (for those under 18)

IN WITNESS THEREOF:
(Only needed if Parent or Guardian not present)

SEAL:

Signature:

Date:

Turn in this form with your Entry Form.

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