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# RATTLESNAKE'S MONTHLY MID & LONG RANGE CLUB MATCHES Rev 1 Conducted by TCSA HIGH POWER 19/20MAR, 16/17APR, 16/17JUL, 13/14AUG, 10/11SEP 2021

**LOCATION:** Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility, 10 miles Northwest of Richland, WA. Access to the range is thru the High Power / Shotgun Gate, located at MP 8.5, North of I-82 (Benton City), or 3 Miles South of Hwy 240, on Hwy 225. Map available at: http://www.tcsa.info/directions.

**RULES:** These are not NRA Approved / Registered matches, but they will generally follow current NRA High Power rules . Eye and hearing protection are required.

Full NRA rules are available at: <a href="http://www.nrahq.org/compete/nra-rule-books.asp">http://www.nrahq.org/compete/nra-rule-books.asp</a>.

**COVID-19 PROTOCALS:** Social distancing will be maintained throughout the match. Applicable CDC, Washington State & Benton County guidelines will be followed.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all competitors. Scores will be tracked & tallied by the generally recognized NRA disciplines of Sling, F-Open & F-TR.

**EQUIPMENT and AMMUNITION:** Any safe rifle may participate. At the sole discretion of the Match Director, unsafe or inaccurate rifles / competitors will be removed from the match.

Any safe ammunition may be used, except the use of tracer, incendiary, or armor piercing ammunition is prohibited. Fired rounds that fail to reach the target at supersonic velocity and/or fail to impact the target berm will cause the competitor to be removed from the firing line.

**INDIVIDUAL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:** Email (<u>ilhauptmann@gmail.com</u>) or text (509-308-9230) match director prior to the match with intent to participate.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$20 per day, payable at the range day of match. Junior competitors are half price.

**ENTRY LIMIT:** Thirty (30) individual shooters total.

### **TARGETS & TARGET SERVICE:**

 Match will be fired on ShotMarker electronic targets with discipline appropriate NRA LR or LRFC paper target faces.

**SCORING:** Competitors will score for the other shooters on their relay.

**EMPTY CHAMBER INDICATOR (ECI):** Required to be used at all times prior to match preparation time and after firing is complete.

**SQUADDING:** All matches will be squadded.

**REPORTING OF SCORES:** Scores will be tallied, and top scores announced at the end of the match. Scores WILL NOT be reported to the NRA. Matches will qualify for the **F-Class Point Series**.

**AWARDS: None** 

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### **SCHEDULE**

	MAR / APR	JUL / AUG	SEP
*Range opens	0730	0630	0630
Participants must report to the range office	0800	0700	0700
Firing will commence.	0900	0800	0800

<sup>\*</sup>Able bodied participants are encouraged to meet in the butts at Opening onto help set up the etargets.

## **COURSE OF FIRE (MARCH, APRIL & SEPTEMBER)**

### FRIDAY – 600 Yard Practice - Prone Slowfire

Unlimited Sighters and 15 shots for record from 600 yards.

### FRIDAY - PALMA Practice

- Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 800 yards.
- Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 900 yards.
- Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.

### SATURDAY – The PALMA Course of Fire

- Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 800 yards.
- Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 900 yards.
- Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.

### SATURDAY - ANY RIFLE / ANY SIGHT - 1000 Yard Prone Slowfire

- String # 1 Unlimited Sighters and 20 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 2 Two sighters and 20 shots for record from 1000 yards.

### **COURSE OF FIRE (JULY & AUGUST)**

### FRIDAY - 600 Yard Practice - Prone Slowfire

Unlimited Sighters and 15 shots for record from 600 yards.

### FRIDAY – 1000 Yard Practice – Prone Slowfire

- String # 1 Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 2 Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 3 Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.

### SATURDAY - 1000 Yard Prone Slowfire

- String # 1 Unlimited sighters and 20 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 2 Two sighters and 20 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 3 Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 4 Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- String # 5 Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.

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**TIME:** 15 shot strings of fire will be 22 minutes long, 20 shot strings will be 30 minutes long.

### **OTHER DETAILS:**

<u>Sustenance & Weather:</u> Rattlesnake is a primitive & barren range. Bring your own WATER and food. No organized lunch break will be taken. Plan for inclement weather (i.e. heat, cold, sun, rain, & wind). **There is no shade or shelter on the High Power range, so plan accordingly.** 

Accommodations: Dry camping on the range is allowed, but there NO WATER or ELECTRICAL hookups available. Portable toilets are available. Nearby (2 miles) is the Horn Rapids County Park on the Yakima River. It has full RV hook-up and no hook-up sites at moderate cost. No reservation system is in place at this time. Other accommodations may be found nearby in Richland (10 mi.), restaurants and groceries in Benton City (5 mi.)

<u>Airport:</u> The Tri-Cities airport is located in Pasco (PSC). It is 20 miles from the range, and is served by Delta, Horizon and United Express airlines.

<u>Contact:</u> For additional information concerning this Match, please contact:

John Hauptmann, Match Director <a href="mailto:JLHAUPTMANN@gmail.com">JLHAUPTMANN@gmail.com</a>
Text (preferred) or call 509-308-9230

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# TRI-CITIES SHOOTING ASSOCIATION P.O.BOX 785 RICHLAND, WASHINGTON

A MATCH INVITATION For

To attend and participate in the following events at the Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility, near Richland, Washington. The competitions will be held on:

•	19 – 20 March 2021	Rattlesnake Monthly Mid & Long Range Practice and Club Match
•	16 – 17 April 2021	Rattlesnake Monthly Mid & Long Range Practice and Club Match
•	14 – 16 May 2021	Pacific Northwest Palma Championship
•	26 – 27 June 2021	Pacific Northwest Long Range Championship
•	16 – 17 July 2021	Rattlesnake Monthly Mid & Long Range Practice and Club Match
•	13 – 14 August 2021	Rattlesnake Monthly Mid & Long Range Practice and Club Match
•	10 – 11 September 2021	Rattlesnake Monthly Mid & Long Range Practice and Club Match
•	15 – 17 October 2021	NRA Long Range Regional

Event details and match programs may be found at TCSAHIGHPOWER.ORG

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