

**TRI-CITIES SHOOTING ASSOCIATION**  
presents the NRA Registered  
**PACIFIC NORTHWEST INTERNATIONAL PALMA CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
conducted at the  
**RATTLESNAKE MOUNTAIN SHOOTING FACILITY**  
**15-17 MAY 2021**

**LOCATION:** Rattlesnake Mountain Shooting Facility, 10 miles Northwest of Richland, WA. Access to the range is thru the Main 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:** Current NRA High Power rules shall apply.

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

**ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all competitors, individual NRA or DCRA membership is not required.

**ADVANCE INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES REQUIRED:** Mail entry & fee on attached Entry Form. All entries to be paid in advance, and postmarked by Saturday, 08 May 2021. Alternatively, payment can be made via PayPal Friends & Family to [TCSAHighPower@gmail.com](mailto:TCSAHighPower@gmail.com).

**TEAM ENTRY:** Team Captains will register Friday prior to the Team match. Teams will consist of 4 persons.

**LATE ENTRIES:** Entries close Tuesday, 11 May (must be postmarked by 08 May). Late entries received after this time will only be accepted to fill vacancies on existing relays

**ENTRY LIMIT:** Forty (40) individual shooters total, on a 1<sup>st</sup> registered/1<sup>st</sup> squadded basis.

**ENTRY FEE(S):** NRA fees of \$5.50 per competitor are included.

- INDIVIDUAL: Three days (Fri, Sat & Sun) \$70; any two days \$50; one day \$30.
- TEAM: \$10 per Team member, payable with Team entry prior to Team match.
- JUNIORS: Three days \$40; any two days \$30; one day \$20; Team \$10.
- THURSDAY PRACTICE: \$10

**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. Competitors failing to perform scoring duties will be disqualified.

**EMPTY CHAMBER INDICATOR:** ECI is required to be used at all times prior to match preparation time and after firing is complete. After firing is complete scorekeeper must inspect chamber before reinserting ECI.

**SQUADDING:** All matches will be squadded. A competitor who fails to check in prior to the required time will only be squadded to fill vacancies in existing relays.

**CLASSIFICATION:** NRA High Power Classification will be used. Rule 19.6 "Assigned Classification" may be used. Unclassified shooters will compete in the Master class. NRA/DCRA classification must be shown.

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**EQUIPMENT and AMMUNITION:** This match with accomodate simultaneous firing for:

- All High Power Rifles including
  - 3.1 Service Rifle, (M1, M14, M16, & M110)
  - 3.2 Any Rifle
  - 3.3 NRA Match Rifle
  - 3.3.1 U.S. Palma Rifle
  - 3.3.2 NRA Any Sight Match Rifle/Tactical Rifle
  - 22.3.4 F Class Rifle (F-Open & F-T/R)

Competitors must shoot their discipline specific rifles in all individual matches to be eligible for Category awards. Full rules are available at: <http://www.nrahq.org/compete/nra-rule-books.asp>.

Any safe rifle may participate. However, to have the scores reported to the NRA, the equipment must comply with one of the categories from the applicable current NRA rule book. Shooters are responsible to self-identify the particular type of rifle for those compliant with the NRA rule book in order to have their scores reported to the NRA. At Match Director's discretion, other safe, non-compliant rifles may be allowed to participate, including those with muzzle brakes and suppressors. Scores will not be reported to the NRA.

Any safe ammunition may be used; 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.**

**RANGE SCHEDULE:**

	14 May	15 May	16 May
*Range opens	07:30	07:30	07:30
<b>Competitors must report to the range office</b>	08:00	08:00	08:00
Firing will commence.	09:00	09:00	09:00

\*Able bodied competitors are encouraged to meet in the pits when the range opens to help set up.

**CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES:**

The Individual PALMA Course of Fire for High Power Rifles (Daily)

- Unlimited sighters and 15 shots for record from 800 yards. Time limit of 22 minutes.
- Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 900 yards. Time limit of 22 minutes.
- Two sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards. Time limit of 22 minutes.

The 4-Man Team PALMA Course of Fire for High Power Rifles

- Friday - two sighters and 15 shots for record from 800 yards
- Saturday - two sighters and 15 shots for record from 900 yards.
- Sunday - two sighters and 15 shots for record from 1000 yards.
- Daily COF will be shot in a single 91 minute block of time.

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**MATCH SCHEDULE:** Each day beginning at 0900 each day, an Individual PALMA match, followed by 1 stage of the Team match. 2 stages of the Team match may be fired on Saturday with joint agreement of Team Captains and Match Director. The aggregate of each day's Individual COF will constitute one "Match" (#1, #2 or #3).

The Pacific Northwest Palma Championship will be determined by the aggregate of individual scores fired in matches #1, #2 & #3.

**PACIFIC NORTHWEST PALMA CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS (Discipline Specific):**

Aggregate Match Winner: Rattlesnake Gold Medallion

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Rattlesnake Silver Medallion

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Rattlesnake Bronze Medallion

**MONETARY AWARDS:** None, monetary awards WILL NOT be issued.

**SPECIAL AWARDS:** None, Special awards WILL NOT be issued.

**OTHER DETAILS:**

Practice Firing: A practice match will be fired on Thursday, 13 May. The range will be open at 0730 to set up the e-targets, with registration at 0830 and firing at 0930. Able bodied competitors are encouraged to meet in the pits when the range opens to help set up.

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

Accommodations: This is a primitive range. Portable toilets will be available. NO WATER or electrical hook ups at the range. 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.)

Airport: 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.

Contact: For additional information concerning this Match, please contact:

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**ENTRY FORM**

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **BIRTH YEAR** \_\_\_\_\_

**STREET ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE/PROV** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

**NRA #** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL** \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle appropriate choices:

<b><u>CLASSIFICATION</u></b>	<b><u>CATEGORY</u></b>	<b><u>RIFLE USED</u></b>	<b><u>SHOOT DAYS</u></b>
High Master	Service	Service	Thursday (Practice)
Master	Civilian	Palma	Friday
Expert	Woman	Any/Any	Saturday
Sharpshooter	Junior	F-Target Rifle	Sunday
Marksman	Police	F-Open	

**INDIVIDUAL MATCH FEES (include check with Entry Form submittal)**

All Three Days      Adult \$70 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \$40 \_\_\_\_\_

Any Two Days      Adult \$50 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \$30 \_\_\_\_\_

Any One Day      Adult \$30 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

Team Match      Adult \$10 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \$10 \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday Practice      Adult \$10 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \$10 \_\_\_\_\_

**Canadian payment must be in USD drawn on a bank whose checks can be processed by the US Automated Clearing House (ACH) system. NO Canadian Postal Money Orders will be accepted.**

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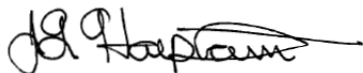
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**P.O.BOX 785**  
**RICHLAND, WASHINGTON**

**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:**

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| • 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](http://TCSAHIGHPOWER.ORG)**



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