

**MINNESOTA MID-RANGE SLING
STATE CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH
NORTHWESTERN GUN CLUB C0669
NRA REGISTERED, MRRA SANCTIONED**

LOCATION: Northwestern Gun Club Range, Hunters Lake

DATE: September 10 and 11, 2016

FEES: Championship Tournament Fee.....\$30.00

Team Fee..... \$12.00 per 2 Shooter Team.

Note: Team members not competing in the Individual Matches will be charged \$9.50 to cover NRA and MRRA Match Fees.

NRA Registration Match Fee..... \$5.50 (Included in Tournament Fee)

MRRA Match Fee..... \$4.00 (Included in Tournament Fee)

All Sales Taxes (Included in Tournament Fee)

Entry fees will be refunded on a daily basis in the event of a match cancellation. Pre-registration fees will be refunded if non-attendance notice is received prior to 5:00 PM on Thursday, September 8th.

COMPETITION OPEN TO: Anyone who is also a member of the MRRA or of their own State association if a non-resident. Memberships will be checked.

CLASSIFICATION: The NRA classification system will be used in all individual matches. Please have your NRA classification card or temporary score book with you. For class awards there must be at least five entries in that class. If there are less than five, those shooters will be combined with the next higher class. High Masters cannot be combined with any other class and can only compete for Match Winner awards if there are fewer than five shooters in the High Master class. Shooters without a classification card will shoot in the Master/Unclassified (MU) class (rule 19.6).

RIFLES: NRA Match rifles, Palma rifles, Service Rifles and Any Rifle (rule 3.2). are allowed for all matches. Rule (3.15) must be followed. Rifles may be changed for various matches at the discretion of the competitor.

RULES: Current NRA High Power rules will govern the matches.

AWARDS: State Champion trophies will be awarded to Minnesota residents only. A High Junior Champion award will be presented to the high Minnesota resident junior. Non-residents are eligible for plaques and cash awards but will not be awarded Champion trophies. Award payback depends on the number of entries. Forty (40) percent of the Tournament Fee will be awarded to individual competitors. The 10% rule will apply to each class. There must be at least 5 entries in a class for awards. There will be separate category awards for high woman, high senior and high grand senior if at least 3 in the category. Class and category winners can be the same person if all other criteria are met.

ENTRIES: Advance entries are strongly encouraged and will be given priority entry. Advance entry, accompanied with fees, is required for choice of relay. Entries will be capped at 45 shooters and 15 teams. Advance entries will close at 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, September 8, 2016. We will hold your entry until one hour before the match begins. If you have not registered by that time your spot will be made available to another participant. Post entries will be accepted up until 8:30 A.M. on each day, or until the limit shooters is reached, whichever comes first.

Send advance entries with the appropriate fees to:

Jim Fernandez email: jimvafern62@yahoo.com

7357 Smith Road, Duluth, Minnesota 55779 (218) 729 5975

SQUADDING: Squadding will begin at 0800 each day. High masters will be squadded on relay 1 to the extent possible. Preregistration, accompanied with fees, will be given priority.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Entries close at 0830 and the pit will be sealed at 0845 on both Saturday and Sunday

COURSE OF FIRE:

TEAM MATCH 1 SAT. Stage 1 Any sight.

Stage 2 Iron sight.

Two sighting shots and 20 shots for record per member each match, 300 yards.

Stage 3 Any sight.

Stage 4 Iron sight

Two sighting shots and 20 shots for record per member each match 500 yards.

Match 1 Winner Aggregate of Stages 1 through 4 all team members.

INDIVIDUAL MATCHES SUN. Match 2 Any sight.

Match 3 Iron sight.

Two sighting shots and 20 shots for record each match 300 yards.

Match 4 Any sight.

Match 5 Iron sight

Two sighting shots and 20 shots for record each match 500 yards.

Match 6 Aggregate of Matches 2 through 5.

DUTIES: Competitors will be required to score and pull targets. Failure to perform these duties will result in disqualification.

CHALLENGES: There will be a \$2.00 fee for each challenge. A three person jury will be appointed prior to commencement of fire.

CAMPING: The range will be open for camping from 1200 noon on Friday, September 9th through 1000 on Monday, September 12th. Electric hook ups for campers are available. Clean outhouses are provided. The Education Center, lake cabin and 16 yard shack will be made available for overnight use on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Contact Jim Fernandez at (218) 729-5975 ahead of arrival to ensure access to the camping area. For additional copies of this match program, or for other information regarding the Northwestern Club, please visit NWGC web site at <http://www.nwgc-duluth.com>

Name_____NRA#_____
Address_____City_____
State, Zip Code_____
NRA Classification_____Fee Enclosed_____
Email_____

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