

INTER-COUNTY RIFLE LEAGUE
OUTDOOR MATCH RULES
Revised March 24, 2013
(Changes are in bold italics)

Fee: \$4.00 per match (\$3.00 to Club & \$1.00 to League)

Registration:

Day and Night Matches: Competitors shall register upon their arrival at the match but no later than one hour after the start of the first relay.

Squadding:

Competitors who wish to shoot both the Individual Night Iron Sight Match and The Anysight Team Match may sign up for the first and second relay on the same firing point provided there is an opening.

Course of Fire:

Day Any & Iron Sight Matches:

20 shots at 50 yards (A-23 target) and 20 shots at 100 yards (A-25 target), 20 minutes per stage.

Night Any Sight Matches:

40 shots at 100 yards on the Moonlight target, 50 minutes.

Optional Individual Iron Sight Match:

40 shots at 100 yards on the A-25 target, 50 minutes. This match is fired at the regular night matches.

Scores from this match cannot be used for the team match. **Match fee: \$4.00**

Target Identification:

There are two different night matches - the Anysight Team Match and the Individual Iron Sight Match. Because these are two different matches the competitors must identify on the registration form and his/her target, the match in which he or she is participating.

For example, for the Anysight Team Match:

John Doe, Relay 1, Target 23, Team Match New Holland.

Example #2, for the Individual Iron Sight Match:

John Doe, Relay 2, Target 23, Individual Iron Match.

Scoring:

The high 4 scores for each team shall be used for the team total. The winning team shall be awarded 1 point for each team participating in the match. Each succeeding team shall be awarded 1 point for each team below them plus 1 point. Clubs without a team will be awarded 0 points.

The home team will score targets behind the firing line. Any other team member may be a checker.

Targets must be checked before posting scores.

Example:

Team Score Points

1 1598 4

2 1592 3

3 1589 2

4 1576 1

5 0 0

Challenges and Protests:

- 1) ***Effective March 24, 2013, the challenge fee of \$1.00 is waived. The challenge period begins when all the targets are scored for that relay. The scorers are not to be interrupted while scoring. If a shooter challenges a shot the entire target (stage) will be rescored. Once a target is rescored, the challenge is over for that target and stage. There is no returning to that target for disputed shots. The challenge period ends when the range closes for the night or day.***

- 2) Protests ***regarding the application of rules, safety standards, etc.***, must be made to the opposing team(s), ***or individuals prior to the range being closed for the day or night.*** The protest and the response by the other team to this protest must be made in a courteous and sportsmanlike manner. If the protest cannot be immediately settled, the protesting team must submit the protest in writing, via email or regular mail, to either the League President or Secretary within 7 days of the match date.
- 3) Protests ***regarding the application of rules, safety standards, etc.***, must be made to the opposing team(s), ***or individuals prior to the range being closed for the day or night.*** The protest and the response by the other team to this protest must be made in a courteous and sportsmanlike manner. If the protest cannot be immediately settled, the protesting team must submit the protest in writing, via email or regular mail, to either the League President or Secretary within 7 days of the match date.

Safety:

Night Matches - Lights over the firing line must be on when not shooting.
Refer to Inter-County Rifle League "Special Rules in Addition to NRA Rules" and "Firing Line Commands".

*Empty Chamber Indicators (ECI's) are required at all matches. ECI's shall be inserted into the chamber upon opening of the gun case. Rifles can be brought to the firing line by command of the Range Officer only. ECI's may be removed at the start of the three minute preparation period. ECI's shall be reinserted upon completion of firing or the call for cease fire. There shall be no handling of rifles on the firing line while **any personnel** are down range.*

Match Postponement:

Refer to SOP 1.2.

Award Requirements:

Competitors must fire in two (2) of the three (3) Any and Iron Sight Day Matches and a minimum of five night Any Sight matches for a total of nine (9) matches to be eligible for awards.

For the Optional Individual Iron Sight Match, competitors must fire a minimum of five matches.

The high 5 Any Sight night matches, the 3 Iron Sight Day matches and the 3 Any Sight Day match scores are used to calculate the averages.