

22lr BENCHREST DIVISION – UPDATES FOR THE 2020 YEAR

Two STYLES of benchrest shooting are available – “ARA Unlimited-Sanctioned” & “INFORMAL” Iron Sight & Vintage Scoped Rifle – Non Sanctioned

- 1. ARA (AMERICAN RIMFIRE ASSOCIATION DIVISION):** SANCTIONED MATCHES THAT FUNCTION UNDER ARA RULES AND ARA TARGETS...SHOOTERS SCORES FOR THE MATCHES ARE PUBLISHED ON THE ARA WEBSITE NATIONALLY. *Cost is \$15 Club members / \$17 non-member.*

COURSE OF FIRE: FOUR targets @ 50yds-25 shots to score per target in 20 minutes. Please go to ARA website for rules & details. ARA matches are held once a month. Please see Rio Salado web calendar. ARA membership is required but it is FREE. [THIS IS UNLIMITED MATCH SO IS OPEN TO ALL 22-RIMFIRE RIFLES.](#)

- 2. INFORMAL 22lr IRON SIGHT & VINTAGE SCOPED RIFLE DIVISION --SHOT TOGETHER**

These matches are local club matches & non-sanctioned, so are less formal in nature. Scores are calculated for the match date only. Each shooter tracks their own marksmanship progress. A marksmanship level chart is provided for this purpose.

COURSE OF FIRE: THREE TARGETS - NRA 23/5 @ 50 YDS – 20 SHOTS TO SCORE IN 20 MINUTES...MAXIMUM SCORE IS 200 POINTS / 20X – **Cost: \$8.00 mem. / \$10 non-mem. [June, July, Aug, – no matches]**

RESTRICTIONS FOR VINTAGE SCOPED RIFLES

“VINTAGE RIFLE” SHALL MEAN: “TARGET RIFLES” THAT WERE MANUFACTURED PRIOR TO 1990 (30 YEARS OLD OR OLDER GUNS)

Examples of rifles eligible are: Winchester 52, 75 etc., Remington 40x, 37, 513, 540, 541X, 541T, etc.

BSA Martini international Mark series I, II, III, IV, V & BSA 12/15

H&R M12 & 5200, Kimber model 82G, Walther model kkm & kkj,

Anschutz Match 54 model's series: 1400, 1600, 1800 & Anschutz vintage sporters,

Other similar vintage “target rifles” manufactured prior to 1990 on a per rifle approval.

No restriction on the type or power of the scope mounted on the rifle.

Rifle actions restricted to bolt action, falling block/rolling block – SINGLE SHOT & CLIP fed ONLY (NO TUBE FED OR SEMI-AUTO RIFLES PLEASE)

{NOTE: IRON SIGHT RIFLES ARE NOT RESTRICTED FOR THE AGE OF GUN or to the Vintage Rifle types listed above for scoped rifles} Iron Sight Actions limited: Bolt, Falling/Rolling Block, Lever Action

GENERAL EQUIPMENT RESTRICTIONS FOR BOTH IRON SIGHT AND VINTAGE SCOPED RIFLE:

-RIFLES: Original factory - stock (or like kind), trigger, & barrel – (bedding, re-crown, trigger tune ok)

-NO flat bottom benchrest stocks or plates, no added rifle tuners, tubes or weights allowed

-SHOOTING REST: bag front rest (adj ok) and bag rear (non adj) (NO ONE PIECE REST ALLOWED)

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[Challenge your shooting skills and work on improvement in a friendly structured match environment.](#)

NOTE: Please refer to the Rio Salado Web calendar for the dates & times of these matches (mostly on Wednesday's). Be aware match dates are subject to changes so check back prior to the matches.