**MICHIGAN CONVENTIONAL 3-POSITION OUTDOOR STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Date** October 7, 2023 **Sponsor** Michigan Rifle & Pistol Association

 Relay 1: 9:00 AM EST <http://www.michrpa.org/>

 Relay 2: 1:00 PM EST

**Location** South Kent Sportsman Club **Contact** Cameron Zwart

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**Course of Fire:** 120 total shots (40 prone, 40 standing, 40 kneeling) at 50 yards. Two stages per position.

 MATCH 1: Prone – 40 shots, any sights, 1 minute per shot, 20 minutes per stage

MATCH 2: Standing – 40 shots, any sights, 11/2 minutes per shot, 30 minutes per stage

MATCH 3: Kneeling – 40 shots, any sights, 11/2 minutes per shot, 30 minutes per stage

MATCH 4: Aggregate (Sum of Matches 1-3)

MATCH 5: Team Match – 4-person teams, scores from Match 4

**Targets:** A23/5. All fired targets will be retained until the challenge period has ended, which is 30 minutes after the posting of the preliminary results.

**Rifle:** Smallbore Free Rifle – Rule 3.1 **Sights:** Any – Rule 3.7(c)

**Rules:** Current NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules will govern. **Eligibility:** Open to all competitors – Rule 1.7(c)

<https://competitions.nra.org/media/7745/nra-smallbore-rifle-rules.pdf>

**Entries:** Entries are limited to 24 which is the capacity of the range for the time allotted. Persons making entries within the time limit which cannot be accepted will be notified and their fees will be returned. All entries should be made by October 1, 2023. If range space is available, post entries will be accepted.

**Squadding:** Competitors will be assigned a definite relay and target by the Statistical Office. Failure to report on the proper relay or firing point forfeits the right to fire. All entries must be made before firing commences in the match.

**Score Cards:** Sponsor Score Reporting Cards (SR1) will be used.

**Categories:** Open, Senior (Rule 2.2.1), Junior (2.3), Intermediate Junior (2.3.1), Sub-Junior (2.3.2), College (2.8).

**Classification:** Each competitor will be placed in one class according to the NRA Classification System (Rule 19) and shall be prepared to exhibit a classification card or Temporary Score Record Book. Unclassified competitors will fire in the Master Class if they do not have an assigned classification.

**Challenges:** Competitors may challenge the value of doubtful shot holes in accordance with procedures detailed in Section 16 of the NRA Rule Book. Challenge fee is $1.00 per match.

**Equipment:** All equipment used in these matches must be in accordance with NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules.

**Coaching:** No coaching on the firing line is allowed - Rule 9.10 & 12.2.

**Ties:** Ties will be broken by the method prescribed in Section 15 of the NRA Smallbore Rifle Rule Book.

**General Information:**

Multiple fast food restaurants are located in the immediate area. <https://www.experiencegr.com/restaurants/>

Ample lodging is available in or around Grand Rapids, Michigan. <https://www.experiencegr.com/hotels/>

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| **Match Entry Fees** | **MRPA Members**  | **Non-MRPA Members** |
| Individual Matches  | $12.50 | $12.50 |
| MRPA Fee  | $ 5.00 | $ 10.00 |
| NRA Fee  | $ 5.50 | $ 5.50 |
| GVSU Fee (Targets, Range Materials)  | $ 7.00 | $ 7.00 |
| Individual Total  | $30.00 | $35.00 |

Exact change or a check made payable to the Michigan Rifle & Pistol Association is required to satisfy payment.

**Team Entry Fee:** In order to promote team entries, no fee will be collected. Teams will be comprised of four individuals who meet the requirements of Section 2 of the NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules.

**Awards:** Provided by the Michigan Rifle & Pistol Association

Place Awards: Matches 1-4

Winner – with at least 5 total competitors

2nd Place – with at least 10 total competitors

3rd Place – with at least 15 total competitors

Class Awards: Matches 1-4

Awards will be given in Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, and Marksman classes. When there are less than the minimum number of competitors within the class, competitors will move up a class until the minimum is met.

1st in Class – minimum of 3 competitors

2nd in Class – minimum of 6 competitors

3rd in Class – minimum of 9 competitors

Note: An individual winning a place award will not be entitled to a class award in the same match. Such class awards will be passed down to the next eligible individual.

Category Awards: Match 4 only

Winner – The highest scoring competitor for each category will receive an award for categories with a minimum of 2 competitors in that category.

