## 2014

## Connecticut

## STATE USA SHOOTING JUNIOR OLYMPIC

## Smallbore and Air Rifle CHAMPIONSHIP

**SANCTIONED BY:** USA Shooting, 1 Olympic Plaza, Colorado Springs, CO 80909

SPONSORING

**ORGANIZATION:** Bridgeport Rifle Club

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- **DATES OF MATCH:** Saturday January 4<sup>th</sup> & Sunday January 5<sup>th</sup> 2014
- LOCATION: 9 Old South Rd. Stratford, CT
- **ELIGIBILITY:** This competition is open to all competitors born in 1994 or later. All competitors must be individual members of USA Shooting.
- **RESIDENCE:** Each competitor may claim residence in only one state and must declare the state of residence on the entry form. Residents are eligible for the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place USA Shooting State Champion medallions. Residency is defined as to where the competitor holds a current and valid driver's license. If the competitor does not have a drivers license, residency is then defined as to where the competitor's parents/guardians reside. Non-residents may compete for invitations to the National Championship and are encouraged to do so. Non-residents are not eligible for state awards.
- **ENTRY:** Only scores from a registered State Junior Olympic match will count for invitation to the National Junior Olympic Championships. Shooters <u>may not</u> compete in more than one state JOSC. Juniors who fire in their own home state JOSC will not be allowed to shoot in another state. Juniors from states which are not holding a state JOSC, and those who cannot attend their own state JOSC, will be allowed to enter as a non-resident in another state. Non-residents should declare their home state at entry and are not eligible for state resident awards.

Residency is defined as to where the competitor holds a current and valid driver's license. If the competitor does not have a drivers license, residency is then defined as to where the competitors parents/guardians reside.

**CATEGORIES:** The following categories will be used for the competition:

(Based on the age the competitor will be in the year 2014.)

Junior (J1):Age 18-20; Competitors born from 1994 to 1996Inter-Junior (J2):Age 15-17; Competitors born from 1997 to 1999Sub-Junior (J3):Age 14 & under; Competitors born 2000 or later

- **CLASSIFICATION:** Will be determined based on current USA Shooting classification. Shooters without a classification will shoot in the AA class.
- **RULES:** The 2013 edition of USA Shooting Rules will govern.
- **COURSE OF FIRE:** Men and Women 3x20 Smallbore Rifle 2 Hours block time.

\*\*\*A 15 minute preparation and sighting time will be given prior to the start of the block time\*\*\*

Men Air Rifle – 60 Shots: Stage 1 – 20 Shots – 25 Minutes Stage 2 – 20 Shots – 30 Minutes Stage 3 – 20 Shots – 30 Minutes

Women's Air Rifle – 40 Shots: Stage 1 – 20 Shots – 25 Minutes Stage 2 – 20 Shots – 30 Minutes

\*\*\*A 15 minute preparation and sighting time will be given prior to the first stage of both Men's and Women's Air Rifle\*\*\*

- FIREARM:Smallbore: Any .22 caliber rifle conforming to rule 7.4.4Air Rifle: Any .177 air rifle conforming to rule 7.4.3.5
- **SIGHTS:** Any metallic sight conforming to rule 7.4.2.3
- DISTANCE: Smallbore: 50 feet Air Rifle: 10 meters
- TARGETS:Smallbore:USAS 50Air Rifle:AR 5/10
- **COACHING:** Coaching on the firing line will not be permitted.

SCORING

**PROTESTS:** A scoring protest of \$1.00 per shot may be charged.

**TIES:** All ties will be broken in accordance with USA Shooting Rules.

PARTICIPATION PINS:	A Junior Olympic participation pin provided by USA Shooting will be given to each competitor (provided pins are requested by the sponsor).
AWARDS:	USA Shooting will provide a gold medallion for the top resident individual, silver medallion for the 2 <sup>nd</sup> place resident individual and a bronze medallion for the 3 <sup>rd</sup> place resident individual. Unused awards must be returned to USAS.
SCORE SHEETS:	Only the official STATE JO SCORE REPORTING SPREADSHEET will be accepted. No exceptions will be made and ONLY this spreadsheet will be accepted. If a different score spreadsheet is sent in to USAS, it will be rejected and we will ask you to compile the scores on the OFFICIAL STATE JO SCORE REPORTING SPREADSHEET.
MAKE ENTRY:	Entries should be made using the entry form enclosed with this program. Mail entries to the contact person shown at the top of the first page.
ENTRY FEES:	A USA Shooting registration fee of \$8.00 per individual, per event will be sent to USA Shooting with scores at the completion of the match.
	Total individual entry fee per event: \$25.00
ENTRIES CLOSE:	Advance entries will close December 28 <sup>th</sup> 2013. Entries will be accepted to range capacity. Every effort will be made to accept all competitors who enter before the closing date.
POST ENTRIES:	Entries made after the closing date will be accepted up to range capacity. A post entry fee may be charged.
CANCELLATIONS:	Cancellations received one week in advance, or earlier, will receive a full refund. An additional refund schedule may be used.
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:	Smallbore Rifle: Saturday January 4 <sup>th</sup> 2014 – 9:00am Sunday January 5 <sup>th</sup> 2014 – 12:00pm
DIRECTIONS TO RANGE:	Air Rifle: Saturday January 4 <sup>th</sup> 2014 – 12:00pm Sunday January 5 <sup>th</sup> 2014 – 9:00am
	From the South via I95: Take exit 30, Lordship Blvd. Make a right at the bottom of the ramp, go straight and take left on Woodend road. Bridgeport Rifle Club is located two streets down on right on the corner of Woodend & Old South Ave.

From the North via 195: Take exit 30 Lordship Blvd, make left at end of ramp, go straight until you reach Lordship Blvd and take left. Go straight and take a left on Woodend Rd. Bridgeport Rifle Club is located two streets down on the right on the corner of Woodend & Old South Ave.