

***** 2015 *****
Vermont Winter Postal League

<http://VTWinter.postalmatches.com>
Facebook at "Vermont Winter Postal League"

To consist of 10 matches, 9 of which will be fired on your home range and the scores e-mailed in to the league director and the final match to be fired shoulder to shoulder at the Plattsburgh Rod and Gun Club range.

Special arrangements will be made for clubs who join the league from a distance that would make it impractical to travel for match 10.

NRA smallbore rules will apply. Any sights (irons or scope)

Four-Position Division

The course of fire will be 10 shots per stage, prone, sitting, kneeling and standing at 50 ft. on the A17 target.

Prone Division

The course of fire is be 40 shots prone fired on the USA-50 targets. Please be sure to include the number of "10"s fired for tiebreaking (for match 7&10). As a point of reference the USA-50 Targets require the ten ring (dot) to be covered to be considered a "ten".

Air Rifle / Standing

The Course of fire is 40 shots Standing on .177 air rifle, on the AR-5/10 target at 33' or on the A-17 target with smallbore or air rifle at 50'

Shooters May fire in one, two or all three divisions however they must register and pay separately for each division they compete in.

Open to teams/clubs and individuals

Registration and Submission of Scores

We are using a new online system this year. Please go to <http://VTWinter.postalleague.com> to get started. This new system should in theory eliminate any errors and also allow our league to continue to grow. It will now be faster and more efficient. Team Captains need to go directly to the web site to register their team and pay fees (via credit card), Contact Matt Haggstrom at matt@netcompetitor.com with any technical issues, please note that old browsers are not supported, in particular, Internet Explorer 8 and lower. Safari, Chrome or Firefox would be best. IE 9+ works though. Any modern browser should work fine.

Scores will be entered via the internet at
<http://VTWinter.postalleague.com> you may enter your scores at any time prior to the

due dates (feel free to start early), if on any particular week a team captain is unavailable or unable to enter their scores, then you may send them into the league via e-mail to VTWinterPostalLeague@Yahoo.com and I can enter them for you.

Week One scores are to be submitted by Sat 1/24/15 and then weekly thereafter.

Week Two scores due by 1/31/15

* (Due to the way Easter Falls this year we needed to insert a bye week, this will also give teams a chance to catch up or stay a week ahead, if need be, traditionally this is also a time of heavy snow falls and vacations).

Week Three scores due by 2/14/15

Week Four scores due by 2/22/15

Week Five scores due by 2/28/15

Week Six scores due by 3/7/15 (brackets are set for match 7)

Week Seven scores due by 3/14/15 (this is our first bracket match week)

Week eight scores due by 3/21/15

Week nine scores due by 3/28/15 (brackets are set for match 10)

Week Ten match held 4/11-12/15, Mailed targets are due

No later than 4/9/15 or hand delivered no later than 4/12/15

Handicapped / Physically challenged shooters are welcome

Match 10 will be fired on April 11 & 12 at the Plattsburgh Rod and Gun Club.

Contact Peter Visconti at VTWinterPostalLeague@Yahoo.com

(518-298-7776) to lock in a firing point for a great way to end the season.

Team captains and individual competitors will submit scores on or before the Saturday of each week. Note if you find a mistake in a score that you submitted you may change same prior to the due date, via netcompetitor.com, after that date you may change it, but computer system will not update scores until it is approved by the league.

Team Match

The top 4 individual shooters on each team will count as the clubs team score.

If you have a prone shooter on your team that individual's prone score can be counted towards the team score with no deduction since they are firing on the more difficult USA-50 Targets. If a shooter fires both 4-P and Prone in any week the 4-P score from that week, must count toward his teams score, if the shooters fires in the Prone and Standing Division then the Prone Score will count. (He/she cannot take the best of two scores). If a shooter is firing in the Standing Division only then that persons Standing Score can count towards his team score, that individuals team score will receive a 10pt handicap.

Match results will be reported to team captains/contacts and individual unaffiliated competitors weekly. Via e-mail and can be seen directly at <http://VTWinter.postalleague.com>

Individual Award Schedule (a little something to increase interest)

Cash prizes for individuals from the 4-P Division, Prone Division & Standing Division will be awarded based on the scores from Match 7 and 10 (the princely sum of \$5.00 per match).

To be eligible for final end of the season ranking a shooter must fire in a minimum of 50% of the league matches.

4-P Winners will be chosen from each group of 4 shooters who will be ranked into mini-match groups according to their weekly aggregate averages. If, after dividing the shooter list by 4, if only 2 competitors are left, those persons will be merged with the next mini-group. Ties will be broken by position (Standing then Kneeling then Sitting, and then Prone Score).

Prone Winners, will be chosen from each group of 4 shooters who will be ranked into mini-match groups according to their weekly aggregate averages. If, after dividing the shooter list by 4, if only 2 competitors or less are left in a bracket, those shooters will be merged with the next mini-group. Ties will be broken by the number of tens. Please note when scoring “Tens” on the USA-50 target the ten ring “dot” must be covered by the shot. The plug will cover the dot.

Air Rifle/ Standing Winners, will be chosen from each group of 4 shooters who will be ranked into mini-match groups according to their weekly aggregate averages. If, after dividing the shooter list by 4, if only 2 competitors or less are left in a bracket, those shooters will be merged with the next mini-group. Ties will be broken by the number of tens.

The winner of the team championship (highest total aggregate for the 10 matches) will receive **custody of the Team Championship Plaque for one year.**

Fees **\$6.00 per competitor**

Competitors can fire in both the 4-P, Prone and Standing Divisions but must register separately for each division.

Register at:

Scores to:

<http://VTWinter.postalleague.com>

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FACEBOOK, The league is on Facebook, you can find us under “Vermont Winter Postal League”, check out the page and “like” us. Team captains please find someone with a smart phone and take a team photo and some action shots during some of your club matches during the season to share on the page.