NRA Registered Tournament - Outdoor Conventional Prone Sponsored by River Bend Gun Club, Inc. Dawsonville, GA September 19-20, 2015

River Bend Gun Club, Inc. (RBGC) and its members invite you to compete in the 2015 NRA Georgia Championship for Conventional Smallbore Rifle Prone on the banks of the Etowah River.

Please direct all questions about this match program to:

Tommy Steadman 805 Ferncroft Court Roswell, GA 30075 404-713-4323 <u>steadmant@comcast.net</u>

Location: RBGC is approximately 60 road miles north of downtown Atlanta in the southwest corner of Dawson County, 15 miles from Dawsonville, GA. For driving directions to the club, please refer to the interactive map on our web site at <u>www.rbgc.org</u>. From the home page click on "<u>Club Information</u>" and then click on "<u>Get Directions To RBGC</u>".

The GPS Coordinates for River Bend Gun Club are: N 34 20.198 W 084 14.819

Facilities: The competition venue is the Mark Skutle Range (formerly MP2), which has 46 paved and covered firing points with ample parking.

RV parking is permitted at Skutle Range and the club also has a pleasant nearby area designated for camping. Clean rest rooms and a limited number of RV water and electric hook-ups are also available at a cost of \$10 per night. RV fees may be paid upon registration or competitor check-in.

Please Note - All competitors must sign an RBGC liability release <u>before</u> using club facilities. Liability releases for junior competitors must be signed by an adult guardian. Also, please remember that RBGC non-member guests are limited to use of Skutle Range only during tournaments when the match staff is present. Should you need to use Skutle Range or any other range or club facility when the match staff is not present, club rules require that guests be signed-in and accompanied by an RBGC member in good standing. Please direct any questions about these requirements to Tommy Steadman, the match staff, or the RBGC club manager.

- Lodging: Lodging accommodations are conveniently located within a reasonable driving distance of the range in Cumming, Canton, Dawsonville and Gainesville. Please see the lodging listings on our web site at <u>www.rbgc.org</u>. From the home page click on "Club Information" and then click on "Nearby Motels and Restaurants".
- Food & Beverage: There are no snack or restaurant facilities at RBGC or nearby and we recommend that you bring lunch, drinks, and a snack.

Rules:	Current NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules will govern. The .22 Caliber Rimfire Rifle as define NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules 3.2 (Any Rifle) applies. Per Rule 3.21, the requirement for smallbore empty chamber indicator (ECI) to indicate that the chamber is empty will be strictly enforced.					
Eligibility:	non-resider respective	sidents must be a member of Georgia Sport Shooting Association (GSSA) and nts must be a member of the NRA-affiliated state association of their state of residence. Membership in the NRA is not required. If not a member unior competitors may be members of the NRA or a member of an NRA- club.				
	Competitor	rs may join GSSA at the statistical office prior to the tournament.				
Match Program:	Match No. 1	Dewar Course Metallic Sight Fired: Saturday, September 19, 9:00 AM Course of Fire: 20 shots @ 50 yards and 100 yards, metallic sights, Target A-23/5, A-25				
	Match No. 2	100 Yard Metallic Sight Fired: Saturday, September 19 Course of Fire: 40 shots at 100 yards, metallic sights, Target A-25				
	Match No. 3	50 Meter Metallic Sight Fired: Saturday, September 19 Course of Fire: 40 shots at 50 meters, metallic sights, Target A-26				
	Match No. 4	50 Yard Metallic Sight Fired: Saturday, September 19 Course of Fire: 40 shots at 50 yards, metallic sights, Target A-23/5				
	Match No. 5	Metallic Sight Smallbore Conventional Prone 1600 Aggregate Course of Fire: Aggregate of each competitor's score from matches 1, 2, 3, and 4				
	Match No. 6	Dewar Course Any Sight Fired: Sunday, September 20, 9:00 AM Course of Fire: 20 shots @ 50 yards and 100 yards, any sights, Target A-23/5, A-25				
	Match No. 7	100 Yard Any Sight Fired: Sunday, September 20 Course of Fire: 40 shots at 100 yards, any sights, Target A-25				
	Match No. 8	50 Meter Any Sight Fired: Sunday, September 20 Course of Fire: 40 shots at 50 meters, any sights, Target A-26				
	Match No. 9	50 Yard Any Sight Fired: Sunday, September 20 Course of Fire: 40 shots at 50 yards, any sights, Target A-23/5				
	Match No. 10	Any Sight Smallbore Conventional Prone 1600 Aggregate Course of Fire: Aggregate of each competitor's score from matches 6, 7, 8, and 9				
	Match No. 11	Conventional Smallbore Prone Georgia Championship Course of Fire: Grand aggregate of each competitor's total score from match 5 and match 10				

Match No. 13 20X Match: An award will be given for each 20X possible fired during the individual matches.

Entries:	<u>Individual Entries</u> : Individual entries will be made by completing and submitting the registration entry form on page 7 of this match program, accompanied by your check or money order <u>made payable to Tommy Steadman</u> in the amount of the total entry fees (do not send cash with entries submitted by mail). Be sure to indicate your correct NRA classification and NRA membership or classification number if you have one. If you are not an NRA member, a number will be assigned to you for classification purposes only.										
	Mail entry card with c	orrect entry fee to:									
		Tommy Steadman 805 Ferncroft Court Roswell, GA 30075									
	(Please make checks and money orders payable to Tommy Steadman)										
	SR-1 Card: SR-1 card is not required provided a complete and correct en (attached to this program) is submitted.										
	Entries Close:	Advance match entries must be received no later than September 17.									
	Entries Limited:	Entries are limited to 46 competitors.									
	Advance entries will be accepted up to range capacity based on e postmarks. Entries beyond range capacity will be notified by e-m telephone on or about September 17.										
	Post Entries:	Post entries will be accepted up to the stated range capacity. There is no additional fee for post entries.									
Entry Fees:	NRA Registration Fee \$5.50 Per numbered individual fired match (Matches no. 1 thru 4 and 6 thru 9) \$6.00 2-Day 3200 Package (NRA & GSSA match fees & all 11 individual matches) \$40.00 1-Day 1600 Package (NRA & GSSA match fees & metallic sight OR any sight 1600) \$25.00 Junior 3200 Package (NRA & GSSA match fees plus all individual & team matches) \$0.00 Junior 1600 Package (NRA & GSSA match fees & metallic OR any sight 1600) \$0.00 20X (Individual) Match (Match No. 13) Sponsored Match - No Competitor Cost										
Return of Fees:	Advance entry fees will be <u>fully refunded</u> to any competitor unable to attend.										
Time of Firing:	• •	aturday, September 19 9:00 AMIndividual Metallic Sight 1600 Junday, September 20 9:00 AMIndividual Any Sight 1600									
Squadding:	All competitors will be squadded by the Statistical Office. Competitors must check-in at the Statistical Office to obtain squadding assignments. Failure of a competitor to present him- or herself at the proper firing point when his relay is called may lose his right to compete in that event. Post entries (or advance entries whose NRA classification could not be verified online) may be asked to present NRA classification cards at time of registration.										
	Squadding Preference	Will Be Given To Full Program Entries									
Classification:	The NRA classification system will be used in all individual matches. Individual competitors without an NRA classification will fire in the Master Class. Rule 19.6 (assigned classification) or Rule 19.2 (temporary classification) may be used in making entry in an NRA Regional Tournament.										
Class & Category	Separate awards will be given in each of three categories, Service, Civilian and Junior, subject to RBGC award schedule. Members of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Air Force, National Guard and Reserve components will comprise the Service Category (Rules 2.5, 2.6 and 2.7). All others are either Civilians (Rule 2.2) or Juniors (Rule 2.3). Classes and categories may be combined (Rule 19.8).										

Any Sight-Only

- **Competitors:** Senior competitors and others may, at their option, compete with telescopic sights throughout the tournament and thus compete in a separate Any Sight-only group. Awards will be calculated per the schedule of awards below. A minimum of five (5) Any Sight-Only competitors is required to form an Any Sight-Only category. Competitors in the Any Sight-Only category are eligible for awards within the Any Sight-Only category only. If there are there are fewer than five Any Sight-Only competitors, the Any Sight-Only competitors will eligible for awards in the Any Sight 1600 but are not eligible for open tournament awards. Any Sight-Only competitors are not eligible to be State Champion.
- Targets:Official NRA Conventional targets will be used: A-23/5 at 50 yards, A-25 at 100 yards, and A-26 at
50 meters. Competitors will mark and hang their own targets before each match stage. Target clips
are required and must be furnished by each competitor. Targets will be scored by the Statistical
Office staff under the supervision of the Chief Statistical Officer. Scored targets will be available
for inspection by competitors in the Statistical Office.
- Challenges:Challenges and protests will be addressed as described in Rule 16. A \$2.00 challenge fee will be
charged for each challenge and collected by the Statistical Office before making the first recheck.
The entire target will re-scored and the challenge fee will be returned if the challenge is sustained
at any point along the line of rechecks. Challenges (including challenge fees) for fired matches must
be submitted to the Match Director or Chief Statistical Officer before competitors are called to
the line for the first stage of the next fired match. The challenge time limit for unfired matches is
30 minutes after the preliminary bulletin for the challenged unfired match is posted.

<u>Scoring Of Challenged Shots And Shots Of Questionable Value</u>: The plug type scoring gauge will be restricted to use by range operating personnel including range officers, chief statistical officer, and one or more of the three members of the jury who will be appointed by the Match Director.

Schedule Of Awards:

<u>State Champion</u>: The highest scoring individual resident competitor (other than Juniors and Any Sight-Only competitors) is the State Champion. The state champion will receive a State Champion award (plaque or trophy).

<u>Junior State Champion</u>: The highest scoring individual junior resident competitor (other than Any Sight-Only competitors) is the Junior State Champion. The Junior State Champion will receive a Junior State Champion award (plaque or trophy).

<u>Match, Class, and Category Winners</u> of individual matches, 1600 sub-aggregate matches, and 3200 grand aggregate match (other than junior competitors) will receive cash and/or award points. The value of awards will be based on an award schedule designed to equitably distribute awards to competitors based on the number of entries in each class and category. The total amount of funds available for awards distribution will be approximately 60% of total receipts less tournament expenses (NRA and GSSA registration fees, range fees, target costs, etc.).

A minimum of 5 entries is required to form a class and/or category. Second place awards will be presented with 8 or more entries in a class and/or category. Third place awards will be presented with 13 or more entries in a class and/or category. Classes with insufficient entries to meet the minimum entry criterion will be combined with a higher class (Rule 19.8.1).

We invite competitors and others to sponsor an individual match or matches or any special or fun award. Such sponsored awards will bear the name of the donor.

Question?: Questions may addressed to:

Tommy Steadman, Match Director steadmant@comcast.net 404.713.4323

Please complete this form and submit to the Statistical Office with your entry fee

If paying by check, please make your check or money order payable to Tommy Steadman Have questions? Please call or write: steadmant@comcast.net - 404-713-4323

Tournament Date:

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River Bend Gun Club Smallbore Rifle Prone - Substitute SR-1										
Note to competitors: This form is a substitute for NRA form SR-1. Information provided will be used exclusively by the RBGC smallbore match director and Statistical Office for match administration and will be held in strict confidence.										
1	Name Note: If you are an NRA member or have an NRA classification, please print your name as shown on your NRA membership or classification card									
2	NRA Membership or Classification Number (If you are not an NRA member or do not have an NRA classification, a number will be assigned by NRA)									
3	Address (Street and Number)									
4	City, State, Zip Code									
5	E-mail Address and/or Telephone Number									
6	Category		Civilian Junior		_	Junio	Senior Sub-Junior			
7	Date of Birth (Required only if Senior or Junior Category is checked in 6, above)									
8	NRA Outdoor Conventional Prone Classification		None Expert		Unclassified Sharpshooter		Master Marksman			
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9	NRA Outdoor Metric Prone Classification		None		Unclassified		Master			
			Expert		Sharpshooter		Marksman			
	If no classification in 8 or 9 above, please list other NRA rifle classifications, if any.		None		Unclassified		Master			
10			Expert		Sharpshooter		Marksman			
		Dise	cipline							
11	Will You Shoot In The Team Match If Fired? (Regional and State Championships Only)				Yes		Νο			
11	Are You A River Bend Gun Club Member?				Yes		Νο			
	For Statistical Office Use:									
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