

2025 Rocky Mountain F Class Long Range Championship

DATE: July 18-20, 2025.

RANGE LOCATION: Colorado Rifle Club, 76099 East 96th Ave. Byers, CO 80103. The Range is located about 8 miles east of Byers on US HWY 36, then about 9 miles North on Leader Road (52N), then one mile west on 96th Ave to the Range gate, then one mile North to the Ranges. Visit www.crci.org click on “Facilities” tab for map.

FACILITIES: Colorado Rifle Club has multiple ranges. We will be using the High Power Range for the competition and the Schuetzen Range for practice firing. There are camping spots with 30 or 50 amp electrical service available. Water and sewer hook-up are NOT available. A dump station is located near the Clubhouse. The camping fee is \$10.00 per night. Spots are available on a first come first served basis.
CLUBHOUSE: Colorado Rifle Club has a clubhouse with bathrooms and showers available to campers.

COMPETITION WAIVER: Colorado Rifle Club requires all competitors, guest and member alike to fill out the Club Waiver online at <https://crci.org/membership/guest-and-competitor-waiver/>

TOURNAMENT SANCTION: The Rocky Mountain F-Class Long Range Pair Fire Championship will be conducted as an NRA Approved Tournament.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all F-Class Competitors.

ENTRY LIMITS: Limited to 80 individual competitors.

ENTRY FEES: Team match on 7/18, \$50 per team. Individual Matches 7/19-7/20, \$100 per competitor.

ENTRIES: Advance entries are required. Entries will only be through Practiscore under **CRC F-Class Long Range**. There will be no day of entries. A waiting list will be established if we have more than 80 entries.

Registration will open June 2, 2025 at 06:00 and close on July 7, 2025 at 20:00

- **Team Registration:** Teams are encouraged to register in advance. Day-of Team registration will be allowed. A list of Teams, and shooters looking for a Team will be maintained and sent to competitors periodically prior to the Event.

EVENT SCHEDULE:

July 18: We will have a 2-Man Team Match. Team Match awards, snacks and refreshments in the clubhouse following the Team Matches.

July 19: Three Long Range Pair Fire Matches. There will be a cookout and prize table drawing along with refreshments at the clubhouse following the completion of the day’s matches.

July 20: Two Long Range Pair Fire Matches. There will be an award ceremony with refreshments at the clubhouse at the conclusion of the Matches.

PRACTICE FIRING: The 100/200 yard Schuetzen range will be available for Practice on July 18 starting at 07:00 for anyone wanting to verify zeros, do a tuner test, etc. The range will not be reserved and there will not be a dedicated RSO. Shooters will infiltrate with other shooters on the range. Schuetzen Range rules posted to the www.crci.org website MUST be followed.

SQUADDING: All matches will be squadded. Squadding for the 2-Man Team match will be done on the firing line. Advance Team registration is encouraged, but not required.

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Squadding for the individual matches will be emailed to competitors the night before each day of competition.

TARGETS: NRA LRFC at 1000 yds. E-targets will NOT be used. We will mark, score, and pull targets in the best pits in the country.

EMPTY CHAMBER INDICATOR (ECI): An approved empty chamber indicator is required to always be in your rifle, except during the prep period and while firing your relay. Those who do not have an ECI may purchase one for \$1.00 each.

RULES: Current NRA F-Class Rules will apply, see:

<https://competitions.nra.org/media/9392/2024-f-class-rulebook.pdf>

Ammunition must be appropriate for the rifle used (see “Divisions” below). Tracer/Incendiary or steel core ammunition is not allowed.

Match Director decisions are final.

CLASSIFICATIONS: NRA classifications will be used. There will be awards for each class and division for overall rank. Unclassified competitors will compete as Masters, unless there are 5 or more unclassified competitors.

SPECIAL CATEGORIES: Special categories eligible for awards on Match 8 are, High Junior, High Woman, High Senior, High Grand Senior, High First Responder

- First Responder category open to active Police, Military, Fire Fighter

DIVISIONS: There will be 2 divisions for this Event (subject to the limitations above):

- 1) F-Class Open Rifle [NRA F-Class Open Rifle Rule 3.1(a)]
- 2) F-Class Target Rifle [NRA F-Class Target Rifle Rule 3.1(b)]

AWARD SCHEDULE: Prize money, TBD will be given out for overall Event winners 1st-3rd in each Division along with awards. The winners of Classifications will receive an award.

Individual Match Winners in each Division and Classification will get awards.

There must be at least 5 competitors in a classification to be eligible for an award.

SCORING AND TARGET DUTIES: Competitors are expected to score and operate targets as assigned. Colo Rifle Club will not provide paid target pullers.

SHOT CHALLENGE: A Competitor may pay an immediate \$1.00 fee to the RO to challenge the score of their previous shot, **prior to any other shot on target**. A Pit Officer will examine the target and determine the score. Decisions of the Pit Officer are final.

CHALLENGE PERIOD: The Match Score challenge period ends 30 minutes after results are posted. Challenge fee: \$5.00 Decisions of the Stats Officer and/or Match Director are final.

MATCH CANCELLATION: Competitors should check the CRC website (crci.org) for any cancellation notices prior to traveling to the range.

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MATCH SCHEDULE

2-MAN TEAM MATCH:

July 18 – 08:00 Start

09:00 Squadding and Safety briefing

10:00 first shots down range

Course of Fire:

- 2x20 Two Man Team Match at 1000. Each Shooting Member will shoot twice for a possible team score of 800 points.
- Positions: Teams will dress to the right of their assigned target number.
- Pair Fire: Teams will shoot their respective relays pair fire, (team members alternating shots)
- Timing: Each team will have 47 minutes block time to complete their relay.
- Prep Period: A 4 minute prep period will be announced following the Safety Briefing once the pits are sealed. Relay 1 team members may bring their equipment and rifles to the line. Dry firing during the prep period is allowed.
- Blow-off: Following the prep-period a 2 minute Team blow-off period will begin. At the end of the blow-off period cease fire will be called.
- Sighters & Record Shots: At the command to “commence fire”, each team member will fire 2 sighter shots and 20 shots for record. Sighter shots are NOT convertible. Teams will have 47 minutes block time to complete their relay. At the end of the 47 minutes block time cease fire will be called and there will be a pit change.
- Coaching: Team members may provide coaching to each other at their discretion. Coaching from “outside” the team is prohibited.

INDIVIDUAL MATCH FORMAT:

Course of Fire and Procedure All Matches:

- Pair fire: 2 shooters to a mound
- Positions: Shooters will dress to the right of their assigned target number. Shooter 2 will position to the immediate right of the number. Shooter 1 will position to the right of Shooter 2. Shooter 1 always fires first in each match.
- Prep Period: A 4 minute prep period will be announced following the Safety Briefing once the pits are sealed. Relay 1 shooters may bring their equipment and rifles to the line. Dry firing during the prep period is allowed.
- Blow-off: For the first match, each Relay, on Saturday and Sunday, following the prep-period a 2 minute blow-off period will begin. At the end of the blow-off period cease fire will be called.
- Convertible Sighters: A shooter may convert 1 or both sighters into record shots. If sighter 1 is converted, sighter 2 MUST be converted as well. Sighter 2 may be converted alone without Sighter 1. Shooters MUST clearly declare their sighter conversions to their firing partner. The sighter conversion MUST be acknowledged. Shooters are not required to take sighting shots however; they MUST clearly inform their firing partner of that plan.
 - Convertible Sighter Disputes: Disputes regarding sighter conversion will be decided by the RO or MD and will be final.
- Timing: 45 seconds per shot, or 25 minutes block time whichever is the lesser of the two.
 - Shooter 1 will fire first. Shooter 2 will record the shot score and announce it to Shooter 1. Shooter 1 MUST acknowledge the score. Once the score is acknowledged Shooter 2 will have 45 seconds to fire a shot. Shooter 1 will record and announce the score to Shooter 2. Shooter 2 MUST acknowledge the score. Shooter 1 now has 45 seconds to fire a shot.

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Firing will continue in this alternating manner until firing is complete or the 25 minutes block time has expired.

- Timing Disputes: A shooter that feels their firing partner is not shooting within the allotted 45 second per shot timing may request assistance from an RO. The RO will time both shooters. A shooter on the clock found to be exceeding the 45 second shot time will be given a warning on first occurrence. Upon second occurrence the subsequent shot will be scored as a zero.
- Coaching: Coaching during Individual Matches is prohibited.

JULY 19 – 07:30 START

Squadding will be emailed the night before. Relay 1 shooters, your gear MINUS your rifle may be put on the line before the Safety Briefing.

08:00 Safety Briefing

08:30 or before; first shots down range

MATCH 1: 2 Convertible Sighters, 20 shots for record. 45 seconds per shot, 30 minutes block time.

MATCH 2: 2 Convertible Sighters, 20 shots for record. 45 seconds per shot, 30 minutes block time.

MATCH 3: 2 Convertible Sighters, 20 shots for record. 45 seconds per shot, 30 minutes block time.

MATCH 4: Aggregate of Matches 1-3

JULY 20 – 07:30 START:

Squadding will be emailed the night before. Relay 1 shooters, your gear MINUS your rifle may be put on the line before the Safety Briefing.

08:00 Safety Briefing

08:30 or before; first shots down range

MATCH 5: 2 Convertible Sighters, 20 shots for record. 45 seconds per shot, 30 minutes block time.

MATCH 6: 2 Convertible Sighters, 20 shots for record. 45 seconds per shot, 30 minutes block time.

MATCH 7: Aggregate of Matches 5 & 6

MATCH 8: Aggregate of Matches 4 & 7