

2026 Colorado Rifle Club High Power Long Range Club Match Program

Tournaments are NRA Registered

RANGE LOCATION: Colorado Rifle Club, 76099 East 96th Ave. Byers, CO 80103, (39°53'01.3"N 104°05'41.3"W). The Range is located about 8 miles east of Byers on US HWY 36, then about 9 miles North on the Leader Road (52N), then one mile west on 96th Ave to the Range gate, then one mile North to the Ranges. See 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 all Club match competition. 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 \$5.00 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: All competitors, not members of Colorado Rifle Club, should complete the online Annual Competitor Waiver prior to the first match, [CRC guest-and-competitor-waiver](#). The waiver is active for 1 year from date of submittal. Additionally, all competitors must acknowledge the waiver statement to register for a match.

SCHEDULE AND FORMAT:

Match 1	April 19	Sunday	String Fire, 60 Shots, 1000 Yards	+ Optional Pair Fire Match, 30 Shots
Match 2	May 16	Saturday	String Fire, 60 Shots, 1000 Yards	+ Optional Pair Fire Match, 30 Shots
Match 3	June 21	Sunday Fathers Day	String Fire, 60 Shots, 1000 Yards	+ Optional Pair Fire Match, 30 Shots
Match 4	August 8	Saturday	String Fire, 60 Shots, 1000 Yards	+ Optional Pair Fire Match, 30 Shots
Match 5	Sept 12	Saturday	Iron Man, 105 Shots, 1000 Yards	String Fire, 60 Shots, Pair Fire 45 Shots

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP GRAND AGGREGATE:

Best 3 out of 5 of the 60 shot aggregate scores from Matches 1,2,3,4,5

F-CLASS POINTS SERIES QUALIFICATION:

Our club matches are F-Class Points Series qualifying matches with a 90 record plus shot format.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all Long Range High Power and F-Class Rifle Competitors.

ENTRY FEES: Adult Competitor \$30.00. Junior Competitor \$20.00

ENTRIES: Advance entries are required. Entries will only be through Practiscore under Colorado Rifle Club F Class. Competitors may request to withdraw from the match while the registration window is open for a refund minus the Stripe processing fee. Should the Match be canceled due to inclement weather your registration fee will be carried forward to the next match. No-shows will forfeit entry fees. Registration will open 1 month prior to each match. Registration will close Wednesday evening prior to each match.

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EVENT SCHEDULE: All club matches will start at 07:30 so competitors can assist opening the pits, setup of the targets, wind flags, and firing line, unless prior notification is provided via email.

Competitors should check the CRC website (crcl.org) for any cancellation notices prior to traveling to the range.

RULES: Current NRA High Power Rifle and F-Class Rules will apply, see:

[NRA F-Class-Rulebook](#)

[NRA High Power Rifle Rulebook](#)

Match Director decisions are final.

Please note: Flash and sound suppressors permitted in F-Practical only. No muzzle brakes allowed in any rifle class. Competitors are reminded that they are responsible for obeying all laws pertaining to owning and use of suppressors.

CLASSIFICATIONS: NRA and USHPSA classifications will be used. A minimum of 5 competitors are required to establish a Class. Classes will be combined upward until a class can be established.

Tournaments: There will be Tournaments conducted simultaneously, (subject to the limitations above):

- 1) F-Class Open Rifle [NRA F-Class Rule 3.1(a)]
- 2) F-Class Target Rifle [NRA F-Class Rule 3.1(b)].
- 3) Service Rifle [NRA High Power Rule (3.1a-e), Any Rifle/Any Sights/Sling, Any Rifle (3.2), Match Rifle, (3.3), US Palma Rifle, (3.3.1)]
- 4) F-Practical [At Match Director discretion. Dependent on target and position availability]

Tournaments may be combined per rules below:

The F-TR tournament may be combined with the F-Open tournament if less than 3 competitors are entered in the F-TR tournament.

ELECTRONIC TARGETS: F-Class: LR-FC target at 1000 yds. High Power: LR target at 1000 yds. Shotmarker electronic scoring will be in use for all Club matches, including the Iron Man. Shooters **MUST** bring their own tablet or cell phone with web browser capabilities to use the scoring system. Electronic target use will follow NRA F-Class Rule 10.17. The electronic target system will be configured in "Match Mode" and will induce a 7 second delay in accordance with NRA F-Class rule 10.17.1(h).

CHRONOGRAPHS & KESTRELS: Small form factor chronograph devices are allowed on the firing line. Weather or wind reading devices, (Kestrels) are prohibited on the line.

SQUADDING: Squadding will be random by Tournament/Division, posted and downloaded to the Shotmarker system based on the entries posted the night before the match. An email notification will be sent indicating when squadding is complete and posted. No shows will be organized on-site prior to the safety briefing.

AMMUNITION & SIGHTERS: Ammunition must be appropriate for the rifle used (see "Tournaments" above). No bullet with a diameter greater than .338 will be allowed. Tracer, incendiaries, or armor piercing ammo is not permitted. Cartridges based on the 50 BMG are not permitted. Bullets must remain supersonic at the target. The match director will have the right to remove the competitor/ammunition from the firing line if the bullet is not supersonic at the target. Any ammo that repeatedly blows primers or splits cases will be ruled defective or unsafe and the competitor/ammunition will be removed from the firing line. Please ask for approval from the match director before using factory ammunition.

To minimize potential damage to the Shotmarker infrastructure all competitors are expected to arrive at the range with a known zero and the correct elevation corrections required to be on target at 1000 yards. Any competitor that is unable to be on target within 5 sighting shots may be removed from the line. A competitor that is unable to stay on target may be removed from the firing line.

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SCORING AND TARGET DUTIES: All able-bodied competitors will be expected to assist with the setup and take down of E-Targets, wind flags, and securing the pits. CRC members may be called upon to act as a RO to assist with the safety of the firing line.

Scoring: Relay 2 will score Relay 1 and vice versa. Score cards will be used as backup to the Shotmarker system. Scorers MUST monitor their shooter and ensure a shot has been taken and recorded by the Shotmarker system. Unrecorded shots, potential cross-fire shots, target failures will be dealt with in accordance with Electronic Scoring Targets, (Rules 10.17.3, 10.17.4, and 10.17.7)

Firing Point Positions and Event Timing: Relay 2 will dress to the immediate right of their assigned target number marker, Relay 1, will dress to the immediate right of Relay 2.

Relay 1 and Relay 2 may bring all their equipment, except rifles, to the firing line upon arrival prior to the safety briefing.

The safety briefing will commence at 08:30.

Pre-Prep: A 3 minute Pre-Prep period will be called following the safety briefing for Match 1 only. During the Pre-Prep period shooters may bring all equipment **excluding** rifles to the line and complete setup of their firing point.

Prep: A 4 minute Prep period will be called for each match. Shooters may bring their rifles to the line. Bolts must be removed and approved ECI devices installed, and magazines must be removed from repeating rifles. Muzzles must be pointed upward vertically during transport to and from the firing line, unless the rifle is transported in a case. Once on the line, shooters must maintain muzzles down range, dry firing is allowed.

Once the Prep period is called no one is allowed forward of the firing line.

EMPTY CHAMBER INDICATORS: An Empty Chamber Indicator (ECI) is required to indicate the bolt is open and the chamber is empty unless the rifle is in a case or is being used by the competitor on the firing line during preparation period or live fire (rule 10.1.1). The ECI must not be removed from the rifle until the competitor is in firing position. Upon firing the last shot the ECI must be re-inserted and the magazine removed before the competitor gets out of firing position. The rifle must be removed from the firing line with an ECI in place before the rifle is put into a case. ECI are available for purchase.

COURSE OF FIRE FOR ALL DATES, EXCEPT The Ironman:

3 matches at 1000 yards. 60 rounds for record. **String fire.**

Match 1: Unlimited sighters, 20 record shots, 30 minute block time.

Match 2: 2 sighters [Not Convertible], 20 record shots, 25 minute block time.

Match 3: 2 sighters [Not Convertible], 20 record shots, 25 minute block time.

Sighters: Shooters are not required to take sighters. If a shooter elects to not take sighters, they **MUST** inform their Scorer all shots are for record and ensure the Shotmarker is recording record shots, (Rule 9.2)

OPTIONAL 2X15 SHOT PAIR FIRE SESSION:

To accommodate shooters wanting F-Class Points Series points a 90 record round match is required. An optional 2X15 record round pair fire session is available following the string fire match. Two shooters to a mound. Relay 1 is Shooter 1, Relay 2 is Shooter 2. Shooter 1 is on the right and Shooter 2 is on the left of shooter 1. Both shooters are to the right of the target number marker. Depending on how many shooters participate, we may need to ad hoc squad.

Match 4: 2 convertible sighters, 15 record shots, 45 second shot time

Match 5: 2 convertible sighters, 15 record shots, 45 second shot time

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Pair Fire Procedure:

Firing will alternate between Shooter 1 and Shooter 2 with Shooter 1 starting. Once firing commences Shooter 1 will have 45 seconds to fire their shot. Shooter 2 will score the shot. Shooter 1 will acknowledge the score. Shooter 2 then has 45 seconds to fire their shot. Shooter 1 will score the shot. Shooter 2 will acknowledge the score. Firing will continue in this alternating manner until all 15 record shots have been fired. If you fail to fire in your allotted 45 seconds, it will be recorded as a miss and the 45 seconds will start for the next shooter.

Convertible Sighters:

The Shotmarker system will be configured to auto-convert sighters based on standard sighter conversion protocol. Sighter 1 converted if "10" or "X" and Sighter 2 converted. Sighter 2 converted if "10" or "X". Shooters may override the conversion system but must follow the conversion protocol when doing so. Conversion of Sighter 1 requires conversion of Sighter 2. Shooters are not required to take sighters. If a shooter elects to not take sighters, they **MUST** inform their Scorer all shots are for record, (Rule 9.2)

Shot timing decisions made by the Range Officer are final.

Scoring or sighter conversion dispute decisions made by the RO or MD are final.

F-PRACTICAL:

The F-Practical division is available to competitors that are unable to shoot from a prone position, or competitors that plan to use a suppressor. F-Practical shooters are expected to shoot from the forward firing points. For example, shooting from a chair or stool with the use of a tripod. Shooting from the benches will not be supported due to Club safety requirements. F-Practical shooters will follow the same course of fire as the other tournament shooters.

COACHING:

Coaching is allowed during the unlimited sighter period only. With approval of the match director, limited coaching is allowed for juniors, unclassified shooters, and F-Practical during scored fire. Coaching is not allowed for all other shooters during scored fire. Coached shooters during record fire cannot win Match Winner or Class Awards.

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**. The RO will examine the target image and determine the score. Decisions of the RO 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.

AWARD SCHEDULE: Awards will be given on a per tournament basis. Awards will be given for match winner and class winners on a tournament basis. A total of 3 or more shooters must be entered in the tournament in order to pay Match Winner. A total of five or more shooters must be entered in the tournament in order to pay 1st in class winners. There must be 3 or more entries in a class to establish a class. If there are fewer than 3 entries in a class they will be combined upward with the next higher class, until a minimum of 3 competitors is achieved in the combined class. Combining of classes will start at the lowest class that does not have sufficient entries to establish that class. If the Master Class has insufficient entries to establish a class, it shall be combined upward into the HM class. The HM Class cannot be combined downward to any other established class.

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