

2015 NRA US Fullbore National Championships ICFRA World Veterans Championships ICFRA World Veterans, Under 25 and Under 21 Team Matches The America Match

Foreword

1. The 2015 US Fullbore National Championships will be held at Camp Perry, Ohio from August 3rd through to August 7th. During the US Fullbore National Championships the World Veterans Individual Championships, the World Veterans, Under 25 and Under 21 Team Championships and America Match will also be held.
2. These Championships will be conducted under ICFRA Rules which can be found at (and downloaded from) <http://www.icfra.com/page4.htm>.
3. ICFRA Targets will be used throughout the championships. Target Rifle scoring diagrams can be found at <http://www.icfra.com/page16.htm>.
4. It is planned that these Championships will be conducted using paid markers (target pullers), the cost of which is included in the entry fees.

Open To

The 2015 National Fullbore Rifle Championships are open to all competitors. Priority on entry is given to international and national rifle team members with subsequent priorities allocated in accordance with ICFRA rules. Membership in the US NRA is not required, but highly recommended.

Eligibility and Categories

1. The US Fullbore National Championships eligibility is based on ICFRA Rule L5. It is expected that these championships will be at full range capacity. Individual shooters may apply online or on site/mail in. The NRA will use a lottery method to award all other openings available to US shooters under rules L5.1.3 and L5.2. This lottery will be a single draw for both US Fullbore Championships and World Long Range Championships as a package. Individuals wishing to enter only one championship will have a lower priority. Individual USA shooters' eligibility to apply for any open slots requires that they are an accredited Master or High Master in Fullbore and/or Long Range; with preference given to High Masters then Masters. No Unclassified individual USA shooters, who would shoot as a Master under NRA Rules, will be accepted. Competitors from the USA must have an earned Master or High Master classification. Online registration will open January 12, 2015. All Competitors are encouraged to register as early as possible.
2. During the US Fullbore National Championships there are "Special Award Categories" for Women, Under 25 and Under 21. In order for a competitor to be included in any special awards category for which they may be eligible, the appropriate special awards category MUST be indicated on the online registration or written entry card. Competitors may be eligible for more than one special category. Mark on your entry all special awards categories for which you are eligible.

3. Teams of Veterans and Open Team categories may take part in Team Matches shot alongside the America Match.
4. Open Teams may take part in Team Matches shot alongside the Veterans Team Match.
5. Open Teams shot alongside the America Match and Veterans Team Match will be limited to range capacity after International Teams (America Match, Veterans, Under 25 and Under 21 Matches) are squadded. Open Team members have no residency requirements.
6. Shooter classification categories shall be in accordance with current US NRA rules. Visiting shooters on official Teams will be graded as a "High Master". Other international shooters may be classified as "Master" provided they are NOT in the highest grade of their parent NRA or NGB. For the Veterans Individual World Championship itself there are no classification categories.

Individual Entry Procedure and Closing Dates

1. All entries MUST BE RECEIVED on or before May 1, 2015. Entry forms may be obtained by emailing WLRC-USNRA@nrahq.org and on-line entries are available through <http://competitions.nra.org/championship-tournament/national-matches-at-camp-perry-ohio.aspx>. Online registration will open January 12, 2015.
2. NOTE: The NRA Entry Office, Building 950, will be closed from 12 noon to 1 p.m. every day.
3. Individual shooters participating in the entry lottery will be notified, by email, not later than June 1st if they were successful, or not, in obtaining an available entry to the US Fullbore and World Long Range Individual Championships

Team Entry and Registration Procedure

1. For the World Veterans Team Championships, World Under 25 and Under 21 Team Championships, the team captains are required to complete an entry listing team name, all team members and their corresponding competitor numbers up to the limit prescribed for the match in question. This list does not require a designation of shooter, coach, etc. This list satisfies ICFRA Rule W8.6 and must be submitted to the NRA Entry Office not later than the end of Day 1 of the US Fullbore National Championships, August 3rd.
2. Entry forms for the America Match and the Tony Loughnan Memorial Match must be submitted not later than August 6th.
3. Open Teams may enter at any time up to the day of the match.
4. International teams may enter the entire team for all individual championships and team matches online. Payment can be made online at the time of entry or payment of the fees can be paid upon arrival to Camp Perry.
5. Team Members not firing in the Individual Matches must also register. This includes individuals firing only on teams, or acting as a non-firing team member. All must register in advance for the phase concerned using a regular entry card. Competitor numbers will be issued and special competitor packets made upon request for individuals in this status. Register at the Welcome Center/In-Processing first and then proceed to the NRA Entry Office.

6. Before a team is allowed on the firing line, the Team Captain, or designee, must go to the NRA Entry Office, Bldg. 950, pay the team fees and pick up the scorecard. The Team Entry Confirmation card must be turned in to the NRA Stat Office or Relay Coordinator on the line, prior to the start of each team match.

Non-Firing Registration:

1. Any individual, except those individuals who are entered in any of the Fullbore competitive events, or Volunteers, who is present at Camp Perry, must register at the Welcome Center/In-Processing first, then proceed to the NRA Entry Office if they will be on the Camp Perry property at any time (Coach, Captain, Administrative, Support)

Entry Fees

1. Individual Entry Fees for the US Fullbore National Matches are package fees and include the cost of paid target pullers. No housing fees of any kind are included.
2. All entry fees must accompany entry cards or be paid online, except for those organizations (including visiting Teams) that have made prior arrangements with the USA NRA Competitive Shooting Division or the Statistical Director. Registration Fees are NOT charged for the following:
 - a) Children under 12 years of age.
 - b) Persons present at Camp Perry but not competing in the Championships
 - c) Personnel who have been assigned by the Personnel Coordinator.
3. Entry fees may be paid by check, money order, NRA Award Points, American Express, Discover, VISA or MasterCard. DO NOT send cash. Organizations, which by prior arrangement have had accounts set up for them, must clear their account with the Entry Office before leaving Camp Perry.
4. Two practice days are available during the last two days of the US Long Range National Championships which immediately precede the US Fullbore National Championships and ICFRA World Veterans Championships. On August 1st, there will be a Palma Individual plus 300 yard practice available. On August 2nd, there will be a Palma Team Match (4 shooter) plus 600 yard practice available. There are no paid target pullers provided for these practice days.

- **Fullbore Entry Fees (inclusive of paid target pullers except as noted above)**
- Palma Individual Match (Aug 1, during NRA LR Matches) \$15
- Palma Team Match (Aug 2, 4 shooters, during NRA LR Matches) \$60
- Individual Practice 300 Yd (Aug 1) \$10
- Individual Practice 600 Yd (Aug 2) \$10
- Individual Fullbore Nationals/World Veterans Individual \$375
- World Veterans Team Match \$800
- World Under 25 Team Match (per team) \$400
- World Under 21 Team Match (per team) \$400
- America Match (8 shooters) \$640
- Open Teams (4 shooters) \$320

- Open Teams (5 shooters) \$400
- Meet and Greet (per person) \$25
- Veterans Teams Dinner (per person) \$50
- Under 25/Under 21 Teams Dinner (per person) \$50

Tournament Conditions

Official Bulletin Board

The Official Bulletin Board is located at the NRA Building 950. Preliminary Bulletins on all matches and all official notices will be posted on the Official Bulletin Board. Competitors are reminded that it is their responsibility to check the Official Bulletin Board for official notices and scores.

Bulletins

1. Master Bulletin Board: An official preliminary score Bulletin Board will be maintained at Building 950. Match scores will be posted as matches are completed. The time that each preliminary bulletin is posted will be written on the top of the bulletin. Expiration of challenge periods for each match will be posted when all available scores for a match have been posted on the Bulletin Board. Competitors are reminded that it is their responsibility to promptly check the Preliminary Bulletin Board after completion of the day's matches and call attention to errors within the time specified at the Statistical Office.
2. Awards Bulletin: Preliminary awards bulletins will be posted at Building 950. The Official Bulletin will be published and mailed only to competitors who specifically request a copy. An Official Copy of the final results will be available online after the conclusion of the matches.
3. Listings in the Final Results Bulletin will be limited to award winners in individual matches and sub-aggregates. Grand Aggregates will be listed with all competitors' scores by Regular Awards categories. Special Awards categories will be listed by Winners only.

Individual Match Squadding

NOTE: It is the competitor's responsibility to be present when the assigned relay is called to the firing line. No one will be allowed to set up on the firing line after the end of the 3 minute preparation period.

1. Championships Squadding: Five (5) relays will be used during the individual championships.
2. When a competitor picks up their entry packet from the Entry Office it will contain a complete squadding package which will provide squadding assignments for each day of the Individual and Veterans World Champions.
3. A competitor's initial target assignment will be changed each day of the Individual Championship series.

4. Each day all of the shooters assigned to each firing point will move, as a squad between yard lines, a predetermined number of firing points to the right, with the high end firing points moving to the low end. Firing members will also have their relay changed after each yard line. These changes are to equalize the effects of any favorable or unfavorable range conditions or times of day. These firing point and relay changes will be clearly noted on the individuals score card.
5. Re-Squadding by Squadding Coordinator: The Squadding Coordinator may re-squad competitors only for operational reasons, and as directed by the Match Director. No RE-SQUADDING will be done by the Squadding Coordinator for other reasons.
6. **For Individual US Fullbore and Veterans Individual World Championships First Relay commences fire at 8:00 AM each day.**

Team Squadding

For the International Team Matches, Team Captains will report to the Match Referee at the center of the 1000 yard line at 8:15 AM in order to conduct the team target draw. The Pits will be sealed prior to the draw.

1. For all international Team Matches the initial target assignment will be drawn at random during the Team Captains meeting noted above.
2. Between each international teams' set of targets shall be two vacant lowered targets to separate the teams.
3. Teams will be moved between targets as they fall back in accordance with the predetermined pattern designated to equalize out exposure to the weather/range conditions.
4. Open Teams will be assigned a team target at the time of registration. Open Teams shall have one vacant target between teams.

Team Match Firing Times:

1. **For all team matches First Relay commences fire at 9:00 a.m.**
2. Lunch Break: There will be a one hour lunch break as specified in the firing sequence for each day's matches.
3. For the International Team Matches, Team Captains will report to the Match Referee at the center of the 1000 yard line after lunch to receive their afternoon target assignment draws. The Pits will be sealed prior to the draw.
4. After the lunch break and receipt of final team assignment, firing will begin at the announced times, and will continue to completion.

Tournament Program

Match numbers and days on which they are fired are listed below:

Saturday, August 1st – Practice Day 1

Viale Range - Palma Individual Match and 300 YD

No Target Puller provided for Practice Day 1

Sunday, August 2nd – Practice Day 2

Viale Range - Palma Team Match and 600 YD

No Target Puller provided for Practice Day 2

Monday, August 3rd - Day 1

Match 691, Match 692, Match 693

Tuesday, August 4th - Day 2

Match 694, Match 695, Match 696

Wednesday, August 5th - Day 3

Match 697, Match 698, Match 699

Thursday, August 6th - Day 4

Matches: 636 Veterans WC Team Match, 637 Under 25 WC Team Match and 638 Open Teams

Friday, August 7th - Day 5

Match 684 America Match, 685 Tony Loughnan Memorial Team Match, 639 Under 21 WC Teams and 687 Open Teams

Social Events

International Teams Meet & Greet August 2nd at 7:00 PM at the Camp Perry Club House

Veteran Teams Dinner August 4th at 7:00 PM at the Camp Perry Club House

Under 25/Under 21 Teams Dinner August 6th at 7:00 PM at the Camp Perry Club House

Awards Ceremonies

1. US Fullbore National Championships, Worlds Veterans Individual Championships, World Veterans, Under 25 and Under 21 Team Championships and America Match: 8:00 P.M August 7th. Hough Theater, Camp Perry.
2. Winners receiving awards on stage during the Awards Ceremony are requested to be attired appropriately for this formal and prestigious affair.

US Fullbore National Championship and Veterans World Championship

Match Schedule.

US Fullbore National Championship Aggregate and Sub-Aggregates are as follows:

Match 670 – US Fullbore National Championship and Veterans World Championship

(Aggregate of Matches 674, 675, 676 and 699)

Individual US National Fullbore National Championships Grand Aggregate All Yardages + Shoot Off.

Shoot Off scores do not apply to the following category winners:

Veterans World Championships Individual Grand Aggregate

Subsidiary aggregates

Match 678 Short Range Aggregate

(Aggregate of Matches 691, 692, 694, 697)

Individual Aggregate 300 and 600 yards

Veterans World Individual Short Range Aggregate

Match 679 Long Range Aggregate

(Aggregate of Matches 693, 695, 696, 698)

Individual Aggregate 900 and 1000 yards

Veterans World Individual Long Range Aggregate

US Fullbore Nationals and World Veterans Individual *practice times* are as follows:

Practice Day 1

Saturday, August 1st. Firing commencing immediately following the Palma Individual Match – Viale Range

Course of fire: Two shooters on the line, two in the pits; 30 minute block time; pit change and repeat for last two shooters; 300 yards, slow fire, prone.

Practice Day 2

Sunday, August 2nd. Firing commencing immediately following the Palma Team Match – Viale Range

Course of fire: Two shooters on the line, two in the pits; 30 minute block time; pit change and repeat for last two shooters; 600 yards, slow fire, prone.

US Fullbore National Championships and World Veterans Individual matches are as follows:

Course of fire: ALL Matches consist of 2 convertible sighting shots and 15 shots on record, slow fire, prone.

Match 674 (Monday Aggregate) - Day 1

Monday, August 3rd. Firing commencing at 8:00 AM - Viale Range

Course of Fire

Match 691: 15 shots for record at 300 yards in a time limit of 20 minutes

Match 692: 15 shots for record at 600 yards in a time limit of 21 minutes

LUNCH

Match 693: 15 shots for record at 900 yards in a time limit of 23 minutes

Match 675 (Tuesday Aggregate) - Day 2

Tuesday, August 4th. Firing commencing at 8:00 AM - Viale Range

Course of Fire

Match 694: 15 shots for record at 300 yards in a time limit of 20 minutes

Match 695: 15 shots for record at 900 yards in a time limit of 23 minutes,

LUNCH

Match 696: 15 shots for record at 1000 yards in a time limit of 23 minutes

Match 676 (Wednesday Aggregate) - Day 3

Wednesday, August 5th. Firing commencing at 8:00 AM - Viale Range

Course of Fire

Match 697: 15 shots for record at 600 yards in a time limit of 21 minutes

Match 698: 15 shots for record at 1000 yards in a time limit of 23 minutes

LUNCH

Match 699: Shoot Off for top 10 competitors: 15 shots for record at 1000 yards in a time limit of 23 minutes.

US Fullbore National Championship, International and World Championship Team Matches are as follows:

Match 636 - World Championships Veterans Team Match - Day 4

Thursday, August 6th. Firing commencing at 9:00 AM - Viale Range

Draw for Targets on the 1000 yard line at the center of the range at 8.15 AM

Course of Fire:

Five (5) firing members per firing point. Veterans Teams of 10 firing members will be given two adjacent firing points.

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 300 yards, in a block time limit of 75 minutes

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 600 yards, in a block time limit of 75 minutes

LUNCH

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 900 yards, in a block time limit of 80 minutes

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 1000 yards, in a block time limit of 80 minutes

Match 637 - Under 25 World Championships Team Match - Day 4

Thursday, August 6th. Firing commences at 9:00 AM - Viale Range

Draw for Targets on the 1000 yard line at the center of the range at 8:15 AM

Course of fire:

Five (5) firing members per firing point. Under25 Teams of 5 firing members will be given one firing point. Shot concurrently with the Veterans Team Match 636.

Match 638 – Director’s Open Team Match – Day 4

Open Teams with a maximum of five (5) shooters, coach and captain shot concurrently with the Worlds Veterans, and Under 25 Team Matches. Teams may have a minimum of five total members. *Open teams will be assigned a target at registration.*

Match 684 - America Match – Day 5

Friday, August 7th firing commences at 9:00 AM - Viale Range

Draw for Targets on the 1000 yard line at the center of the range at 8:15 AM

Course of Fire:

International teams of eight (8) firing members, three coaches, captain, vice-captain and two reserves will be given two adjacent firing points.

2 convertible sighting shots and 15 shots for record per firing member at 300 yards, in a block time limit of 85 minutes

2 convertible sighting shots and 15 shots for record per firing member at 600 yards, in a block time limit of 85 minutes

LUNCH

2 convertible sighting shots and 15 shots for record per firing member at 900 yards, in a block time limit of 90 minutes

2 convertible sighting shots and 15 shots for record per firing member at 1000 yards, in a block time limit of 90 minutes

Match 685 - The Tony Loughnan Memorial Team Match

International Veterans teams with identical match conditions and shot concurrently with the America Match. *Draw for Targets on the 1000 yard line at the center of the range at 8:15 AM*

Match 639 - Under 21 World Championship Team Match

International Under 21 teams with five (5) firing members per firing point. Under 21 teams of 5 firing members will be given one firing point. Shot concurrently with the America Match (Match 633). *Draw for Targets on the 1000 yard line at the center of the range at 8:15 AM*

Course of Fire:

Five (5) firing members per firing point.

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 300 yards, in a block time limit of 75 minutes

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 600 yards, in a block time limit of 75 minutes

LUNCH

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 900 yards, in a block time limit of 80 minutes

2 convertible sighting shots and 10 shots for record per firing member at 1000 yards, in a block time limit of 80 minutes

Match 687 - The NRA President's Team Match

Open Team with up to four (4) shooters, coach and captain shot concurrently with the America Match. Teams may have a minimum of four total members. *Open teams shall be assigned a target at registration.*

US Fullbore National Championships Awards are as follows:**2015 Individual US Fullbore National Championships Matches****Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd:**

- a. In each single range distance. Matches 691 through 698.

Medals - Gold, Silver and Bronze will be awarded to the first three shooters as follows:

- b. For each of the completed Daily Aggregates. Matches 674, 675 and 676
- c. Short Range Aggregate. Match 678
- d. Long Range Aggregate. Match 679
- e. The Grand Aggregate Match 670 comprised of the 3 daily aggregates (Matches 674, 675, 676) and shoot off (Match 699). The winner will receive a Gold medal, second place a Silver medal and third through tenth places will receive a Bronze medal inscribed with the appropriate place number. Places first through twenty-five will receive a US NRA Badge with the appropriate place indicated.
- f. For Grand Aggregate Match 601 (Matches 674, 675, 676) there will also be Special Category Medals in for the winner in the following special categories,
 - i. Women
 - ii. Under 25
 - iii. Under 21

ICFRA Veterans, Under 25 and Under 21 World Championships Awards are as follows:**2015 Veterans Individual World Championships**

Medals - Gold, Silver and Bronze will be awarded to the first three Veterans shooters as follows:

- a. For each of the completed Daily Aggregates. Matches 674, 675 and 676
- b. Short Range Aggregate. Match 678
- c. Long Range Aggregate. Match 679
- d. The Veterans World Championships individuals in the Grand Aggregate (Match 671) comprised of the 3 daily aggregates (Matches 674, 675, 676). The winner will receive a Gold medal, second place a Silver medal and third through tenth places will receive a Bronze medal inscribed with the appropriate place number. The top twenty-five will receive an ICFRA Badge with the appropriate place indicated.

Veterans World Championship Team Match

1. The winner of the Veterans Team Match will be awarded the New Zealand Challenge Trophy. A commemorative plaque of this trophy will be awarded to the winning NRA for their retention.
2. **Medals - Gold, Silver and Bronze** will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the Veterans Team Match (Match 636).

2015 Under 25 World Championship Team Match

1. The winner of the Under 25 Team Match will receive the Under 25 World Championship Team Trophy. A commemorative photograph plaque of this trophy will be awarded to each team member for their retention.
2. **Medals - Gold, Silver and Bronze** will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the Under 25 Team Match (Match 637).

2015 Under 21 World Championship Team Match

1. The winner of the Under 21 World Championship Team Match will receive the Under 21 World Championship Team Trophy. A commemorative photograph plaque of this trophy will be awarded to each member for their retention.
2. **Medals - Gold, Silver and Bronze** will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the Under 21 Team Match (Match 639)

Director's Open Team Match

1. Special medals will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the Director's Open Team Match shot alongside the Veterans and Under 25 Team Matches provided at least four teams enter. If fewer than four teams enter, only first place will be awarded. (Match 638).

The America Match and Team Matches shot alongside awards are as follows:

1. Medals – A special America Match Gold, Silver and Bronze medal will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the America Match (Match 684).

The Tony Loughnan Memorial Team Match

- a) Medals – A special Tony Loughnan Memorial Team Match Gold, Silver and Bronze medal will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the Tony Loughnan Memorial Team match. (Match 685).

The NRA President's Team Match

- a) Medals – A special NRA President's Team Match Gold, Silver and Bronze medal will be awarded to each team member of the first three teams in the NRA President's Team match provided at least four teams enter. If fewer than four teams enter, then only first place will be awarded. (Match 687).

Mementos

1. Each participant of the US Fullbore National Individual Championships will be awarded a commemorative badge of the 2015 US Championships.
2. Each participant in the Veterans Team Match will be awarded a commemorative badge with the ICFRA logo.
3. Each participant in the Under 25 Team Match will be awarded a commemorative badge with the ICFRA logo.

NOTES:

1. Place awards (Winner, 2nd and 3rd) will take precedence over all other awards. All competitors, individual or team, are eligible for place awards. Place award Winners are eligible for Special Awards in the same event, provided that they have indicated the Special Awards for which they are eligible on their entry card in the appropriate spaces.

The Application of ICFRA and US NRA Rules

Current ICFRA Fullbore Rules will govern the conduct of these Championships except as modified within this program. Check the Match Director's Bulletins for any modifications of firing conditions.

General

1. Time allowance for individual and team matches have been laid out in the match program and will be announced in the range instructions prior to commencing fire.
2. The delay to shooting after which an additional sighter is permitted is 5 minutes.
3. ICFRA Messages will not be used.

Targets

1. All fired targets will remain under the control of the US NRA.
2. No unauthorized person is allowed in the pits unless written permission of the Chief Range Officer or Match Director has been obtained and the person is registered at the NRA Entry Office.
3. Shot Value Spotters – Value spotters are placed as indicated on the target frame.

V	Center Right Side
5	Bottom Right Corner
4	Bottom Center
3.....	Bottom Left Corner
2	Center Left Side
1	Center Right Side (same as V)

MISS ... Both bottom left corner and bottom right corner

Score Keeping

1. Competitors will score each other. Relay 5 will score for relay 1, relay 1 will score for relay 2, relay 2 will score for relay 3, relay 3 will score for relay 4 and relay 4 will score for relay 5. As the scoring disks are not readily visible to the naked eye under all conditions, competitors must have on their possession a spotting scope or binoculars in order to perform scoring duties. Failure to perform scoring duties can lead to disqualification.
2. Score Keepers are required to “time” the shooter for which they are scoring and record the start and finish times on the shooters score card. The time allowance is 20 minutes for 300 yards, 21 minutes for 600 yards and 23 minutes at each Long Range distance. An additional 5 minutes set up time is allowed beginning immediately after the firing point has been made available, but a shooter may commence earlier if ready, having notified his scorer.

Safety

The Score Keeper MUST verify the chamber is clear and the Empty Chamber Indicator is (ECI) inserted before the competitor leaves the firing line. The Score Keeper's signature on the score card signifies this has been verified. If the competitor subsequently has an accidental discharge, the Score Keeper is also accountable and may be disqualified. As soon as the chamber has been inspected an Empty Chamber Indicator (ECI) MUST be inserted. The shooter may also remove the bolt, if desired, but all rifles must have the ECI inserted at all times while not firing or preparing to fire while on the Camp Perry facility.

Ties

1. Ties winners will be determined by counting backward, starting from the longest distance if applicable, using V's as the highest score possible. A shoot-off will be conducted to determine the winner of an individual match should an unbreakable tie exist.
2. Ties for team matches will be determined under ICFRA Rule T21.

Use of Scoring Devices

Only the Butt Officer (Pit Officer) per ICFRA FB Rule T12 (A), or designee, is allowed to plug shots under contention.

Scorecards for Fullbore Nationals

1. Scorecards are provided to each competitor in the competitor packet. Upon receipt of the packet, each competitor should check immediately to be sure that a complete set of scorecards is enclosed. Each competitor must make certain that the correct scorecards are used for each day's firing.
2. DO NOT cross out match numbers and substitute others. Fullbore Championship scorecards are provided in sets, as a booklet. If the cards are removed one by one,

there should be no incorrect scorecards used, as the booklet is set up in the order in which the matches are fired.

3. All scorecards which are used in the matches and all team cards **MUST BE** labeled with self-adhesive labels (supplied in each competitor's packet). Make certain that you place your current year's labels on your scorecards before you go to the range. Unidentifiable scores will not be used. **DO NOT** use felt-tip pens to fill out scorecards.
4. All scorecards must be turned in to a line official within 10 minutes of completion of firing a match. Failure to do so may disallow that score for awards.
5. **FAILURE TO USE THE PROPER SCORECARD WILL RESULT IN A SCORE OF "0".**
6. **NOTE:** Competitors who appear at the firing line without scorecards will be required to purchase white duplicate scorecards at a cost of \$5 per scorecard. It is the competitor's responsibility to have the correct change.
7. When signing scorecards, the competitors must remember they are signing for the value of each shot indicated on the card. Each competitor is responsible for their own scorecard. Competitors must turn in their signed scorecard to the RO, or to some other person designated by the RO, immediately upon completion of firing, as outlined above, when it is completed.

Protests and Challenges

Challenges to published results.

Scores will be posted in two locations, namely NRA Building 950 and the National Match Results Centre at the back of Rodriguez Range. Provisional results may, for convenience, also be posted on the walls of the mobile tower used for range control. Provisional results will show the time of posting and the time of expiry of the challenge period and competitors should check the scores as they are posted in one of the above centers.

If a competitor (or Team Captain in respect of Team Matches) believes a score, class or category to be incorrect he or she must go to the Challenge window in Building 950 and explain the discrepancy before the expiry of the challenge period. The challenge will be processed and corrections made if warranted

It is the competitor's responsibility to make certain that the posted scores are correct and claims for rectification cannot be made after the expiry of the challenge period at which point the competitor accepts responsibility for the scores posted.

If a challenge relates to the question of whether shots or provisional shots recorded on the scorecard may properly be included in the competitor's score, reference may be made to the protest procedure below by submission of the appropriate statement of the facts to the Match Director (or deputy) as below.

Target challenges

If a competitor disagrees with the value of a shot announced by the scorer or displayed on the target, he may challenge the value of the score through the Line Officer in accordance with ICFRA target Rifle Rules T12.10 (marking on the target) or T12.17 and T12.18 (scoring on the firing point). The value subsequently notified from the Pits is final.

Protests

All protests relation to incidents on the range must be made in accordance with ICFRA Rules section T15. State the nature of the protest orally to the Range Officer who will summon the Chief Range Officer and a Match Referee who will consider the matter and rule. The decision of the Chief Referee regarding outcomes on the Range is final. If the matter cannot be resolved on the spot or on completion of the competitor's (or Team's) shoot, provisional shots *may* – if appropriate - be ordered by the Chief Referee. The relevant shots will be recorded on the back of the scorecard for the use of the Match Committee. In all cases the competitor or his team captain should put the circumstances in writing within 30 minutes of completion of the match in question for subsequent consideration by the Match Committee and should submit the document to the Match Director or his/her deputy who will cause the Match Committee to meet and rule. The protesting competitor should be prepared to appear before the Match Committee.

After the Match committee has made its decision, the protest will be returned to the Statistical Office. The competitor may pick up a copy of the protest results at the challenge window.

Appeals

In the event that the Chief Referee applies a discretionary penalty prescribed within the rules, a competitor or his Team Captain as appropriate may submit an appeal to the Match Committee by stating his complaint orally to the Match Director or Deputy and subsequently submitting a statement of the circumstances to the Match Director or Deputy at the earliest practical moment. The appeal will be handled as for a 'protest' above.

Match Committee

The Match Committee will include three senior members of visiting Teams and such ICFRA Officials as the Chairman may require.

All decisions of the Match Committee are final.

Test/Zero Range - Function Range

Facilities are available to test fire high power rifles that have been repaired during a championship phase. Competitors must furnish their own ammunition. A 50 yd. high power rifle "sighting-in" range with targets suitable for obtaining 300, 600 and 1000 yd basic "Zero" will be available on the Function Range located at the back of Petrarca Range during normal range hours (7:00 AM to 4:00 PM) from August 1st to August 14th.

United States National Rifle Association Anti-Doping Policy

The United States National Rifle Association acknowledges the Anti Doping Rules as specified by the International Council of Fullbore Rifle Associations (ICFRA) and as modified by this policy statement for the 2015 Fullbore National Championships and World Championships. These Anti Doping rules apply to all competitors in the Championships to be conducted at Camp Perry Ohio. Competitors who are currently taking prescribed drugs for the treatment of health issues or illness may be taking medication that may be banned by the World Anti Doping Agency (WADA). Those competitors may verify if their medications are listed or not listed by visiting the WADA web site at www.wada.ama.org . Competitors finding their medications on the banned WADA list may obtain a Therapeutic User Exemption (TUE) form from the ICFRA web site <http://www.icfra.com/page15.htm> or may use a TUE approved by their National Anti Doping Authority or NRA as applicable to their rules. **Note: *No change in medical management is require or suggested.* Further, inhalation Asthma treatments (B agonists and steroids) are on the WADA prohibited list, however ICFRA does not consider these as prohibited medications at any stage of competition. No TUE is required for these medications.** If applicable the competitors completed TUE form shall be presented, in a sealed envelope, to the NRA Entry Office in Bldg. 950 at Camp Perry upon competitor check in. The sealed envelope shall have the competitors name clearly marked on the front of the envelope. This information will be held in the strictest of confidence and will not be divulged to any third party with the exception of the US NRA AD Committee representative, Dr. Armando Coello, who will be the custodian of all competitors TUE's. At the conclusion of the World Championships each competitors TUE will be returned or failing which it will be destroyed unopened.