

Benchrest Shooting

PCSA Outdoor Range—Summer 2010

Sanctioned by the U.S. BenchRest Association
ALL SHOOTERS WELCOME!

WHAT: THE Poweshiek County Sportsmen's Association's series of benchrest competitions are sanctioned by the U.S. BenchRest Association and conducted under USBR Association rules. See www.usbr.benchrest.net for details about rules and categories. Entry fee is \$3 per shooter per event. This one fee will qualify shooters to take part in as many categories as they care to enter.

WHERE: The PCSA outdoor range 2 miles south of Montezuma along Hiway 63, then left at 510th Ave. ½ mile.

COMPETITION: Both rimfire and centerfire matches are shot from 2-piece benchrests (one-piece for unlimited categories) at standard USBR targets. Shooting is for score, not groups.

Rimfire targets have 3 sighters and 25 bullseyes for record, shot at 50 yards from the shooting benches. Competitors have unlimited sighters and 20 minutes to complete the 25 bulls for record. Target bulls have an outer 4 ring that is slightly more than 2 inches in diameter. The center 10 ring is 1/10 of an inch. To score an X, a shot must entirely cover up the 10 ring.

Centerfire targets are the same size bulls as the rimfire, but they are shot at 100 yards. Shooters option for 10 bulls for record (to prevent overheating barrels and to lower ammo costs) or 25 bulls

Rests must be two-piece with no connection between front and back. One-piece rests allowed for unlimited classes. There will be shooting benches to accommodate 6 shooters in each relay.

CATEGORIES: USBR rules specify categories that accommodate almost any rifle, from the simplest and least expensive to the fanciest target guns. Shooters may compete in as many categories as they wish, and they may shoot more than one gun in any category. Rimfire includes .22 LR and .22 Mag (.17 calibers separate).



Rimfire Categories:

Plinker—inexpensive guns valued less than \$200, no weight limits, scopes 9X or less

Sporter—unmodified factory guns under 8.5 lbs (including sights), no scope limits

Custom—no limit on barrels, guns under 10.5 lbs (including sights)

Unlimited—anything goes

Centerfire Categories:

Plinker—value under \$500, scopes 9X or less

Sporter/Hunter—guns under 10.5 lbs, scopes 6X

Factory—original stock, action, trigger; any scope

Varmint Class—under 13.5 lbs, .244 bore or less, any scope

Unlimited—anything goes under .50 caliber



MATCH SCHEDULE

Rimfire signup at 8:00 a.m. Match starts at 8:30
Centerfire signup at 10:15 a.m. Match starts at 10:45

June 19

July 24

August 21

September 18

(Events cancelled in case of rain)

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