

# 2025 NORTH DAKOTA SMALLBORE OUTDOOR RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS

PHASE I, POSITION: May 31, 2025  
PHASE II, SB LONG RANGE: May 31, 2025  
PHASE III, PRONE: June 1, 2025

SPONSORED BY: The FORKS RIFLE CLUB, Inc.

RANGE LOCATED: 2051 12<sup>th</sup> Ave. NE, Emerado, ND (8.5 miles west of Merrifield on County Road 6)

FOR INFO CONTACT: Denny Coulter, 4576 Belmont Road, Grand Forks ND 58201. (701) 213-0238

RULES: Current NRA Smallbore Rules will apply.

OPEN TO: Any individual familiar with Outdoor Smallbore shooting, However, North Dakota residents must be members of the North Dakota Shooting Sports Association (NDSSA). Teams must represent clubs affiliated with the NDSSA.

ENTRIES: Individual entries can be made by sending a check or money order payable to the Forks Rifle Club for the full amount of the entry, Indicating the matches you want to enter to Denny Coulter the above address or by calling Denny at 701-213-0238. Post entries will be accepted up to entry limits.

ENTRIES LIMITED: Entries are limited to 28 individuals.

ENTRY FEES: PHASE I, Position Match:	\$35.00	Juniors:\$25.00
PHASE II, Long Range Match	\$10.00	Juniors: \$5.00
PHASE III, Prone Match	\$35.00	Juniors:\$25.00
PACKAGE, I, II, & II	\$70.00	Juniors:\$50.00
TEAM, Each Phase		(Included in the Package)

TARGET DETAIL: Competitors will hang and retrieve targets, and scoring will be done by match officials in Phases I & III. Competitors will operate and score targets in Phase II. The use of target scoring gauges will be limited to the official scorer or the Pit Officer

CLASSIFICATION: The NRA Classification System will be used for Phases I & III for all Individual Matches. Individuals who have not been classified will fire in the Master Class, Assigned, or Temporary Classification (NRA rules 19.6 or 19.14) may be used. Classes will be combined with the higher class if less that 5 enter in a class. If less that 5 "Masters" enter, they will not be combined with a lower class and will shoot for the "Match Winner" awards only. Phase II (long range) will not be classified.

RIFLE: Any NRA Smallbore Rifle (rule 3.2) with sights indicated. In the Match Program. Juniors will be required to use of Metallic Sights (rule3.7a).

## MATCH SCHEDULE

### PHASE I, POSITION: Commencing at 9:00 a.m. CDT on Saturday, May 31, 2025

- Match 11: Unlimited Sighters and 20 shots for record Prone, 50 yards (A-23/5 target) with any sights, 20 minutes total time limit.
- Match 12: Unlimited Sighters and 20 shots for record Standing, 50 yards (A23/5 target) with any sights, 30 minutes total time limit.
- Match 13: Unlimited Sighters and 20 shots for record Sitting, 50 yards (A23/5 target) with any sights, 20 minutes total time limit.
- Match 14: Unlimited Sighters and 20 shots for record Kneeling, 50 yards (A23/5 target) with any sights, 20 minutes total time limit.
- Match 15: 10 shots for record Prone, 10 minutes time limit; 10 shots for record Standing, 15 minutes time limit; 10 shots for record Sitting, 10 minutes time limit; and 10 shots for record Kneeling, 10 minutes time limit; at 50 yards (A23/5 target). Unlimited sighters may be taken within the time limits.
- Match 16: THE STATE POSITION CHAMPIONSHIP - an aggregate of matches 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15.
- Match 17: TWO MAN TEAM - Scores from match 15.

### PHASE II, LONG RANGE PRONE: Commencing the Completion of Match 15 or about at NOON - 1 PM CDT on Saturday, May 31, 2025

- Match 20: Unlimited sighting shots and 20 shots for record, 200 yards prone with any sights, on the High Power Rifle "SR" Target. 30 minutes total time including sighters. Competitors will operate and score targets from the target pit using the High Power Rifle Scoring System. Once the competitor indicates that he or she is shooting for record, then no additional sighters are allowed.

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**PHASE III, PRONE: Commencing at 9:00 a.m. CDT on Sunday, June 1, 2025**

- Match 31:** Unlimited sighters and 40 shots for record at 50 yards (A23/5 target), with metallic sights. Fired in two 20 shot strings, 20 minutes total time for each string.
- Match 32:** Dewar Course: Unlimited Sighters each stage and 20 shots for record at 50 yards (A23/5 target); and Unlimited sighters and 20 shots for record at 100 yards (A25 target). Both stages with Metallic sights. 20 minutes total time limit, for each stage.
- Match 33:** Unlimited Sighters and 40 shots at 100 yards (A25 target), with any sights. Fired in two 20 shot strings, 20 minutes total time limit for each string.
- Match 34:** Unlimited Sighters and 40 shots at 50 meters (A26/5 target), with any sights. Fired in two 20 shot strings, 20 minutes total time each string including sighters.
- Match 35:** STATE SMALLBORE PRONE CHAMPIONSHIP - An aggregate of Matches 31, 32, 33, and 34
- Match 36:** TWO MAN TEAM - Scores from Match 35.

**AWARDS**

**STATE TROPHIES:** The high North Dakota resident in Match 16, the Outdoor Position Championship, will receive the State Outdoor Position Trophy and the high resident Junior in Match 16 will receive the Outdoor Junior Position Trophy.

The high North Dakota resident in Match 20, the State 22 Caliber Long Range Championship will receive the Tom O'Connell, 200 Yard Smallbore Championship Trophy.

The high North Dakota resident in Match 35, the State Outdoor Prone Championship, will receive the Thurlow and Sons Trophy and the high resident Junior will receive the Dick Thurlow Trophy.

Replica plaques will be provided by NDSSA. If a non-resident a winner, an additional Replica will be provided

Match winners in the fired matches and Class awards in all matches: Gift Certificates

Special Awards & Class Awards: Gift Certificates

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** Lunch or water is NOT available on the range, so competitors should provide their own food and water. We have electrical hook-ups for campers and camping is allowed at the range. Call Tom Reiten (701-739-1988) or Denny Coulter (701-213-0238) for access as the gate is locked

Pets are allowed; however, they must be controlled by their owner. We have placed rodent control poison in all buildings.

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