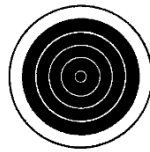


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President's Column



By the time you read this there will only be a few days left before the 2019 NRA Annual Meeting and Convention in Indianapolis, April 25-28. The event will take place at the Indiana Convention Center, and the ISRPA will have a booth right adjacent to the main entry doors. It is an ideal location to catch people as they enter and exit the main exhibition hall. This is a big money raiser for ISRPA with memberships, shirts, hats and especially raffle tickets. Speaking of selling raffle tickets, this is an ideal job for juniors and besides all the proceeds from the raffle go to junior shooting programs. People being who they are its more difficult for them to say no to a junior selling tickets than to an adult selling them!

The raffle consists of three rifles total: An M1, a Savage Axis .270 and a Ruger 10/22. Three names will be drawn at the end of the Convention and the winner gets first choice, then second place and finally the third place gets what is left. All of this for just a \$5 ticket!

Consider this an open invitation to any and all juniors to come by and lend a hand. It is also an invitation for adults to consider helping out at the booth, especially on Sunday

when we are short of volunteers on all of the shifts. Please, if you can help, contact Bill Thomas or myself immediately and let us know.

Remember it's not that difficult to be a representative of ISRPA and spend a few hours in the booth promoting the Association. If you just can't help at least stop by the booth and buy a ticket or two. There is no limit on the number of tickets you can purchase!!!

The total attendance for the 3 days will possibly exceed 80,000 people and the majority will be from Indiana. Most of them just need a nudge to become a member or purchase a raffle ticket, either of which will greatly help in the operation of the ISRPA.

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Unfortunately, the ISRPA 3 Position Air Rifle Youth State Match and CMP State Qualifier match scheduled for January 19th had to be cancelled due to the massive snow storm that hit the majority of the state. Brad Hartwick, Jamie McKown and Mike Smith put in untold hours getting everything arranged but things did not work out as planned. Fortunately, none of them are discouraged and plan for a bigger and better event next year, at this time there are two different dates reserved...just in case.

On a brighter note the ISRPA Junior Postal Match is still doing very well. This is the third year of its existence and each year the number of participants increases. ISRPA's emphasis on junior shooting activities is a testament to our commitment to the future of shooting sports and the Association itself. The kids are the future not only of the sport and the Association but of this great country itself. They will end up being the leaders of tomorrow, and hopefully be much better than many of the leaders of today.

Now I'll get off my soap box!

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I'm taking a quote directly from the National Shooting Sports

Foundation's February/March 2019 publication: "In response to studies showing millions of people want to know more about hunting and target shooting, the NSSF has announced a powerful new mentorship initiative called +One Movement." For more information on this program go to: LetsGoShooting.org and LetsGoHunting.org for articles and videos on the subject.

ISRPA has been affiliated with NSSF for years and receives much valuable information about firearm related issues from this organization. NSSF is in no way in competition with the NRA and its great work. The organization represents manufacturers and retailers of firearms. It sends out a weekly e-mail updating information general firearms related information, and proposed firearms related legislation throughout the United States. I can tell you that the proposed anti-gun bills far outnumber the pro-gun bills. Unless and until you keep up with this type of information you do not realize how fortunate we are to live in the state of Indiana. I recently heard the Executive Director of the Illinois State Rifle Association jokingly remark to a colleague that 'Jerry and I are going to swap state gun laws'! I personally took that as a gracious complement to the State of Indiana and our gun laws or lack thereof.

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In closing I'd like to remind you of a few things:

- When you go out to shoot as the weather gets nicer follow the above advise and take a "newbie" with you.
- Remember to shoot safely and shoot often.

***Jerry Wehner,
President, ISRPA***

Match Schedules for 2019:

PISTOL

Daniel Boone Gun Club, Evansville, (A) Outdoor "2700" May 5, Jun 2, Aug 4. The "Ken Odom Memorial" River City **REGIONAL** (includes CMP Service Pistol and .22 EIC matches) & **NRA Distinguished Revolver** Oct 5-6.

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Marion County Fish & Game Association, Indianapolis, Outdoor "2700" Apr 20 "Buddy Match" (A) May 11, Jun 8, Aug 17.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP, EIC & NRA Distinguished Revolver Sept 21-22.

Thomas Petersen

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Southern Indiana R & P Club, Borden, (A) Outdoor "2700" Apr 27, Jun 29, Jul 27, Aug 31, Sept 28. **KY State Championship** May 18.

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St. Joseph Valley R & P Assoc., Bristol, Outdoor "2700" May 11, Aug 24, Sept 14. **REGIONAL** Jun 28-30.

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HIGH POWER

Central Indiana High Power Rifle Shooters, Camp Atterbury, Edinburgh, 200/300/600/1000/2000 yards. Long Range; 3x1000 May 5, 18, Jun 15, Jul 28, Sept 8,

28, Oct 26, Palma Apr 28, May 19, Jun 16, Jul 28, Sept 29. Mid-Range; May 4, Sept 7, Oct 27. Across the Course Apr 27, May 18, Jun 22 Dan Ireland USMC Match, Sept 28. **REGIONAL** Match Series; Mid-Range Jun 1-2, Fullbore Jun 29-30, Long Range Jul 13-14. **STATE CHAMPIONSHIP** Series; Mid-Range Jul 27, IN & KY Long Range Aug 24-25, IN & KY Fullbore Oct 12-13.

Check web site before you travel!

Shawn Agne

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Fall Creek Valley Conservation Club, Markleville, 100 yard, (A) May 5, Jun 2, Jul 7, Aug 4, Sept 8, Oct 6. Reduced Course **STATE CHAMPIONSHIP** Aug 10.

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Fort Wayne Rifle & Revolver Club, 200-300 Yards, 50/80 May 11, Jun 8, Jul 13. M1-A Mike Ginger Memorial Aug 10. Leonard Johnson Match Sept 28. CMP Games Sept 14. Mid-Range Oct 12. 40 round offhand Nov 17, Dec 8.

Larry Beardsley

fwrhpdirector@aol.com

ISRPA Course High Power, Camp Atterbury, 80 RMC May 4-5, 80 RMC (R) June 1, 50 EIC "Leg Match" & Team Match Jun 2, 80 RMC Sept 8, "Ireland" **STATE CHAMPIONSHIP** 80 RMC (R) Sept 21, 50 EIC "Leg Match" & Team Match Sept 22, 80 RMC October 5-6.

Sign up on line at;

<http://isrpa.org/highpower-rifle/>

Southern Indiana R & P Club,

Borden, CMP; Mixed as

issued/modern military Apr 20, May 19, Jul 20, Aug 17, Sept 21. Vintage Sniper Apr 20, Jul 20. M1A May 19, Sept 21. M1 Carbine Aug 17. Indiana and Kentucky Vintage Sniper and M1 **STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS** Oct 5.

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Southern Indiana R & P Club, Borden, 300-500 Yds. F-Class, **Electronic Targets**. Mid-Range May 4, Jun 1, Jul 6, Aug 3 Oct 12. KY State Championship Sept 7.

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St. Joseph Valley R & P Assoc., Bristol, 100 Yards, Service Rifle/Garand/Springfield/Modern Military, May 5, Jun 2, Jul 7, Aug 25, Sept 1 and Oct 6, Nov 3.

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Sycamore Valley Gun Club, Freedom, 100 Yards, (A) May 4, Jun 2, Jul 6, Aug 4, Sept 7, Oct 6, Nov 2, Dec 8. *Check web site before you travel!*

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Warsaw Rifle & Pistol Club, 200 yards, Apr 21, May 19, Jun 16, Jul 17, Aug 18, Sept 15, Oct 20. Garand Match Jun 30.

David Betz
574-269-9866

Wildcat Valley R & P Club, Brookston, 200-300 Yards, RMC Apr 27, May 25, Jun 22, Jul 6, 20, Aug 24, Oct 12, 26. CMP Games Day Jun 8. ISRPA 300 yard **STATE CHAMPIONSHIP** Sept 7. Prone match May 11, Sept 21. Beginner Clinic May 4. Jan 1, 2020 Snow Snake Match.

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Camp Atterbury, Edinburg, **NRA NATIONAL HIGH POWER CHAMPIONSHIPS** Aug 5-21.

<https://competitions.nra.org/competitions/nra-national-matches/national-high-power-rifle-championships/>
877-672-6282

SMALLBORE

Anderson R & P Club, 100 yd. Prone Matches, May 11, Jun 8, Aug 10, Sept 14, Oct 12.
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The Bedford Contingent Gun Range, outdoor CMP Rimfire Sporter Rifle Match, May 18, Jun 1, Jul 6, Sept 7, Oct 5, Nov 9.
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Bristol, **Smallbore Rifle NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS: Junior Camp** Jul 10-14. **Metric 3-P, Conv. 3-P, Conv. Prone** Jul 16-28. For more information please refer to the Smallbore Nationals

website:
<https://competitions.nra.org/competitions/nra-national-matches/national-smallbore-rifle-championships/> or email smallbore@nrahq.org
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Campbellsburg Conservation Club, Sporter Rifle May 5, Jun 2, Jul 7, Aug 4, Sept 8. Kent Fultz Memorial Match Sept 22.

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Danville Conservation Club, Bench Rest Apr 13, May 11, Jun 8, Jul 13, Aug 10, Sept 14, Oct 12.

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Fall Creek Valley Conservation Club, Markleville, (A) 100 Yards Apr 28, Jun 23, Jul 28, Aug 25, Sept 29, Oct 27.

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Michigan City Rifle Club, NSSF Rimfire Challenge Match, 2nd Saturday each month.

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Southern Indiana R & P Club, Borden, Outdoor Smallbore, Conventional Any Sight Aug 18, Prone Iron Sight Jun 2, Oct 6.

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St. Joseph Valley R & P Assoc., Bristol, Outdoor Smallbore, Prone League/F-Class May 26, Jun 23, Jul 7, Aug 4, Sept 8 and Oct 20.

Conventional Prone **REGIONAL** Jun 8-9. Metric Prone **REGIONAL** Aug 10-11.
CMP Rimfire Sporter, May 4, Jun 1, Jul 6, Aug 3, Sept 15 and Oct 5.
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COWBOY ACTION SHOOTING

St. Joseph Valley R & P Assoc., Bristol, Wolffs Rowdy Rangers SASS, 3rd Saturday of each month.
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Wildcat Valley R & P Club, Brookston, 3rd Saturday of each month.
Bill Jackson
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SILHOUETTE

Danville Conservation Club, (A) Smallbore May 25, Jun 22, Jul 27, Aug 24, Sept 28, Oct 26.
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BLACK POWDER

NMLRA, Friendship, Muzzle Loading National ML Spring Shoot Jun 8-16. National Championship Shoot Sept 14-22. Contact NMLRA 812-667-5131.
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The X Count

By Sue Mogle, Exec. VP

The X Count- “Fort Wayne's Premier Sport Shooting Organization” is an outstanding facility right here in Indiana that recruits, trains, and enables junior shooters from across Indiana. Four years in the making and built with large amounts of sweat equity and ingenuity in a former distribution center for bologna and hot dogs. The X Count hosts programs for individuals and teams across a range of ages and abilities in smallbore and air rifle for the NRA, USA Shooting, and the CMP. The X Count bustles with activity year-round with Summer Camps, Boy Scout Merit Badge clinics, American Heritage Girls programs, Endeavor Games for disabled shooters of all ages, veterans’ programs, Boys and Girls Clubs, and community outreach to help the public understand the safe use of firearms. Younger children are introduced to safety and concepts through Eddie Eagle programs, 5th and 6th grades experience SAFE (Shooting Access for Everyone), and beginning in 7th grade youth can compete, through High School and College. The X Count offers Olympic style shooting, with 21 Indiana youth qualifying for Junior Olympics beginning in April 2019.

ISRPA Vice President Sue Mogle and SW Director Bill Jordan had the opportunity to visit The X Count on site, arriving on the second day of the State Championship for junior shooters in Air Rifle and Smallbore. Having just finished an American Heritage Girls event, “Giddyup Girls” with over 100 girls participating in various shooting and competitive activities, President and Head Coach Gregg Rice and General Manager and Vice President Diane Rice were now heavily involved with a “full house” of juniors competing, families and coaches watching and advising, and assistants keeping the whole thing going. All 20 points were full, with spectators watching the action on the overhead screens. The X Count has 20 firing points using state of the art Megalink electronic targets. These electronic targets allow competitions to be monitored by spectators and staff and scoring done in real time on site and remotely.

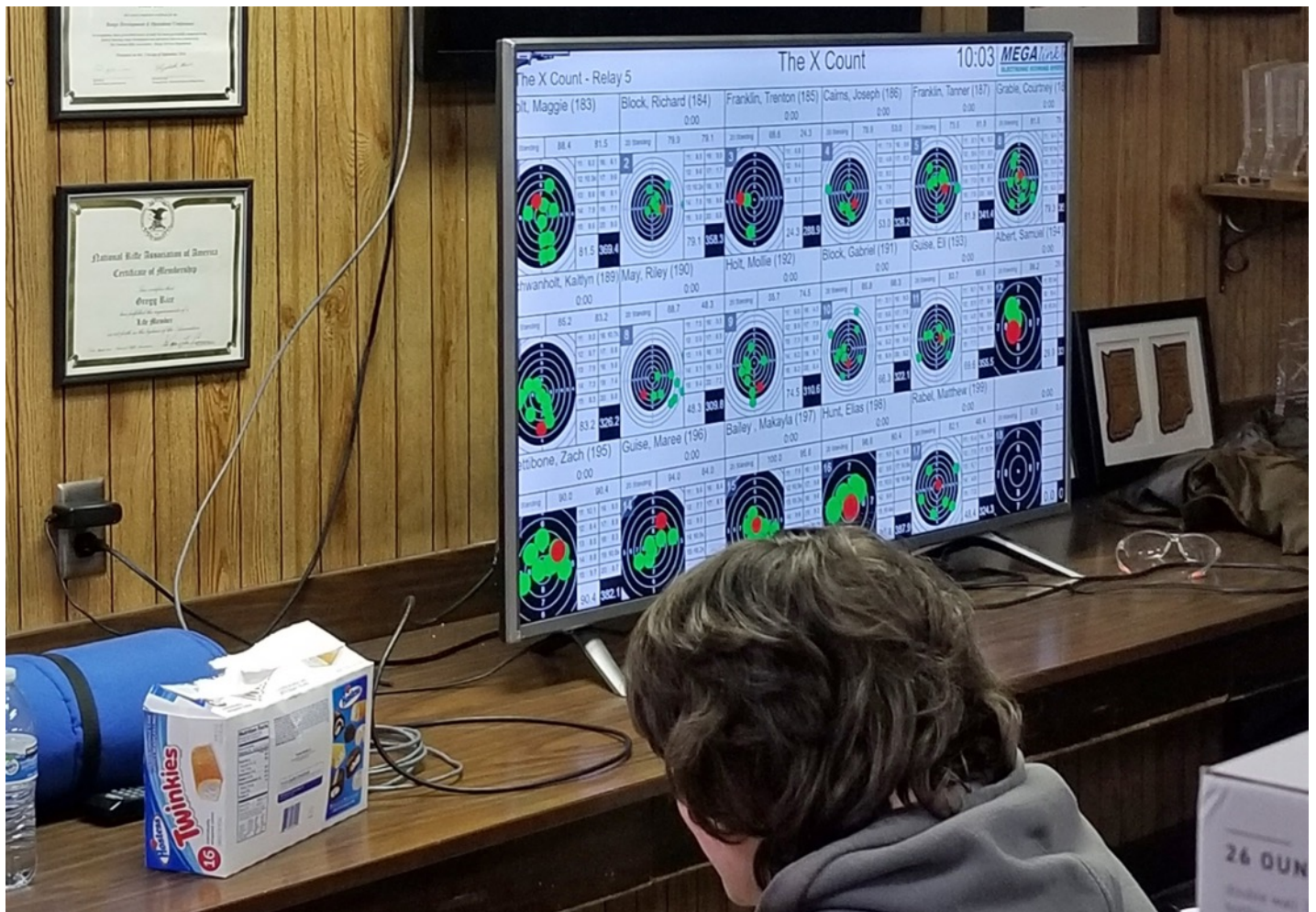
The 3-Position Sporter, 3-Position Precision, International Air Rifle and Smallbore State Championship is planned over three weekends to accommodate all 250 expected competitors. Diane took time out from the hectic scene to give us a tour of the evolving facility. The place was full of juniors in various stages of competition, preparation, scoring, or spectating. As you enter the facility there is a stuffed monkey clinging to a sign above the office. Diane

gives us the back story: “Get that monkey off your back!” was the scenario that motivated one of her junior competitors to their personal next level. That monkey continues to serve as a mascot for the next group. Everywhere we go there are pictures, trophies, awards, and personal mementos from the many juniors that have trained and found inspiration here. With so much going on it’s very easy to lose track of all of it, but Diane seems to juggle it all. These State Championship juniors are competing for the Lorenzen Trophy, an aggregate award named for long time ISRPA Board Member and Junior Coach Tom Lorenzen.

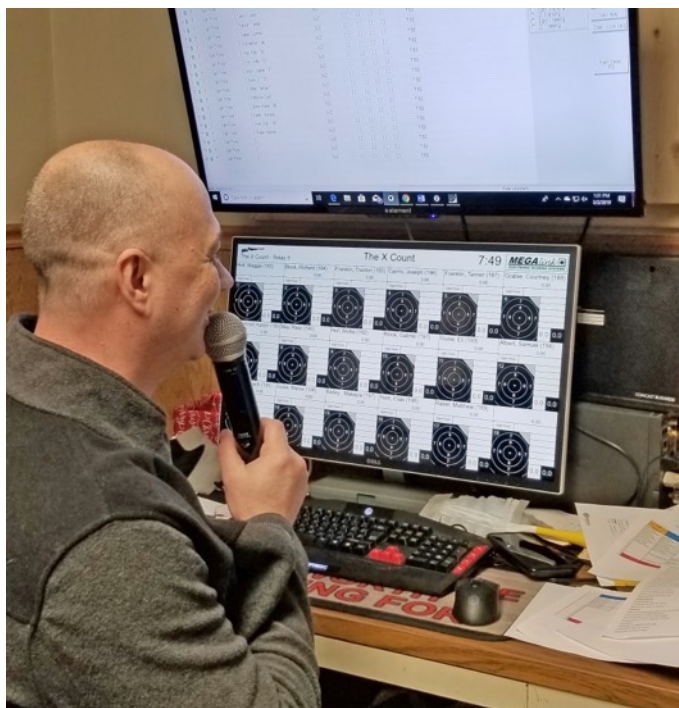
Sustaining a world class facility and year-round programs presents a funding challenge! The X Count is a 501(c)3 and accepts donations and utilizes grants with a goal to make programs accessible to all economic backgrounds. MidwayUSA Foundation is a major sponsor. The funding challenge reflects the magnitude of the programs and number of juniors that they present year-round in a facility they own and maintain. A facility such as The X Count is a Pearl of Great Price for Indiana.

Coach Greg Rice is the head coach and president. Coach Rice recently received his license from the International Shooting Sports Federation, one of only five coaches in the US with an international license. One of the first USA Shooting Advanced Coaches, he is also a part of the National Coach Development Staff, an elite group of coaches that guides the direction of the discipline on a national level. He is one of only two Level 3 Rifle Coaches in the State of Indiana. This is a joint certification by USA Shooting, the Civilian Marksmanship Program, and the NRA. He is a Level 1 USA Shooting Official, 4H Rifle Instructor and a BSA Rifle Merit Badge Counselor. Coach Rice is the Indiana State Co-Director of the Civilian Marksmanship Program.

Diane Rice is Vice President of Business and Range Operations. She is an NRA certified Chief Range Safety Officer, Level 1 Coach, and certified Refuse To Be A Victim® Instructor. Diane is the Indiana State Co-Director of the Civilian Marksmanship Program. She is a State Director (Northeast) for the Indiana State Rifle and Pistol Association. Recently, Diane earned her MBA, demonstrating the organizations significant emphasis on growth and professional development.



Command Central” in the office



Match Director Greg Rice at the helm.



Get that monkey off your back!

INDIANA STATE JUNIOR RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS

THE X COUNT, FORT WAYNE

MARCH 1-3, 9-10, 16-17

By Diane Rice, Match Director

Thanks for an amazing match! Our attendance was again, rock solid with every indication that we will continue to grow in upcoming years. Athletes competed from a wider variety of programs than in the past. Decimal scoring was used in all air rifle matches. After consultation with the CMP and other governing bodies, national and international, it was determined that all integer state records for all air rifle disciplines will remain intact as of the 2018 match. All decimal air rifle state records have been determined by this match as a baseline. Despite moving to decimals there were still several ties. The 2018-2020 National Standard Three-Position Air Rifle Rule Book was used to break all ties in air rifle. This year's match consisted of 246 shooters competing for a total of 145 awards.

Samantha Shultz was the "Tom Lorenzen" Award winner with an aggregate score of 1785.6

3-POSITION PRECISION AIR RIFLE

Match Winner

& State Champion	Samantha Shultz	617.3*
2 nd	Makenzie Miller	616.2
3 rd	Katharine Beuchel	612.2
4 th	Katrina Demerle	612.0
5 th	Chase Kohlmeyer	610.8

Team

State Champions	Bishop Dwenger Blue	2450.7*
2 nd	Carroll HS	2421.0
3 rd	Bellmont Red	2408.2

*Denotes State Record

3-POSITION SPORTER AIR RIFLE

Match Winner	Jack Gill	576.4
State Champion	Caleb Dicke	559.9*
3 rd	John Hamilton	553.9
4 th	Ben Frantz	551.2
5 th	Maggie Holt	549.0

A group of athletes from various schools have an impromptu gathering to pray before a match.



1 st Sub Jr.	Wyatt Asbell	522.8
2 nd Sub Jr.	Amira Brewer	481.1
3 rd Sub Jr.	Gabriel Block	471.9

Team

State Champions	Versailles American Legion	2164.3*
2 nd	Bellmont Sporter	2148.4
3 rd	Floyd Central HS	2130.6

*Denotes State Record



INDIANA STATE JUNIOR RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS



Both precision and sporter air rifle competitors on the line during standing portion of the match.

INTERNATIONAL AIR RIFLE

Match Winner	Katrina Demerle	611.8
State Champion	Katharine Beuchel	606.5*
3 rd	Samantha Shultz	606.3
4 th	Makenzie Miller	606.3
5 th	Mackenzie Gunkel	604.7

Team

State Champions	Bishop Dwenger Blue	2423.8*
2 nd	Carroll HS Blue	2389.8
3 rd	Bellmont Red	2366.0

*Denotes State Record

SMALLBORE RIFLE

Match Winner &		
State Champion	Corey Schreiber	570-24
2 nd	Mackenzie Gunkel	565-17
3 rd	Mackenzie Miller	563-16
4 th	Samantha Shultz	562-17
5 th	Kaden Csuhata	560-19

Team

State Champions	Carroll HS White	2244-71*
2 nd	Bishop Dwenger Blue	2232-63
3 rd	Bishop Dwenger Gold	2162-50

*Denotes State Record



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INDIANA STATE JUNIOR RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS



Air rifle competitors on the line at the X Count range in Fort Wayne.

Position Awards

Smallbore Prone

1st Corey Schreiber 197-12

Smallbore Standing

1st Samantha Shultz 187-7

Smallbore Kneeling

1st Kaden Csuhta 191-05

3-P Air Rifle Precision Prone

1st Samuel Albert 209.8*

3-P Air Rifle Precision Standing

1st Mackenzie Gunkel 205.3*

3-P Air Rifle Precision Kneeling

1st Corey Schreiber 207.0*

3-P Air Rifle Sporter Prone

1st Jack Gill 201.0*

3-P Air Rifle Precision Standing

1st Jack Gill 181.1*

3-P Air Rifle Precision Kneeling

1st Jack Gill 194.3*

**Denotes State Record*

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

By Bill Dowden, Legislative Director

The 2019 session of the Indiana General Assembly saw quite a few bills introduced which were a threat to lawful gun owners in Indiana. However, none of them have been passed and, with less than 30 days to go in this session, they will not be heard. There were several good bills introduced, in particular House Bills 1253 and 1643, and Senate Bill 119.



HB 1643 contains the language allowing a person who has a license to carry, to carry a firearm while attending a church's worship service on school property. In last year's session, Senator Jack Sandlin got this measure passed in the Senate, but it died in the House. This year it was coming close to being dead, but it was saved by attaching it as an amendment to Senator Jim Tomes' SB 119, which had passed the Senate by a 48-1 vote.

Representative Lucas's HB 1253, provides for creating a program for training and equipping school employees to be armed on school property. It provides for a rigorous training program for volunteers who wish to participate. It contained strong controls over the program, confidentiality for participants, and costs to be covered by the state's Safe Schools Fund. It passed the House and is now in the Senate for action.

Of great importance to Hoosiers who possess semi-automatic rifles, pistols, and shotguns is Senator Tomes' SB 119, which passed the Senate almost unanimously and has been passed with amendments in a House committee. Basically, this eliminates from legislation the use of the emotional term "assault" which is used by many in the media and left leaning politicians to influence the public against firearms in general. In clarifying

who and at what age can possess a fully automatic firearm, SB 119 uses the term "machine gun" which everyone knows does not mean grandpa's shotgun or a hunting/target rifle or the pistol they keep for home protection. Although some may not feel it is necessary to correct the terminology, around the country some legislative bodies are already defining semi-automatics and some accessories as "assault weapons" and certainly the present majority in the U. S. House of Representatives have made it clear they intend to take away the private citizen's right to possess certain firearms and accessories.

You can find information regarding legislation, committee meetings, and other pertinent information by going to www.iga.in.gov.

A great price has been paid by our Founders and other gun owners before us to defend our inherent right to keep and bear arms. We must not sit back and let the anti-2nd amendment radicals continue their campaign to infringe upon that right which is protected by the United States and Indiana constitutions.



Match Results:

SOUTHERN INDIANA R & P CLUB BORDEN MID-RANGE PRONE & F-CLASS MARCH 2

Match Winner FTR	Todd Sanders	598-35
1 st HM/M	Jim Hartlage	592-27
1 st EX/SS/MK	Scott Hubbard	581-14
1 st UM	Jeremy Spencer	583-19
Match Winner F/O	Cody Richardson	599-33
1 st HM/M	Dwayne Draggoo	596-32
1 st EX/SS/MK	Dan Schifflett	575-17
1 st UM	Sammie Richardson	593-26
Match Winner Sling	Mike Diehl	575-12

GEORGETOWN INDOOR CMP SPORTER RIM-FIRE RIFLE FEBRUARY 9

Open Sights

Match Winner	Mike Korff	563-10
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Scope

Match Winner	Jeannie Redicker	588-23
2 nd	Ron Planck	587-29
3 rd	Brandon Wilson	583-27
4 th	John Hamilton	574-17
5 th	Dmitriy Furman	568-18
6 th	Logan Hall	558-15

INDOOR "1800" PISTOL JANUARY 19

Match Winner	David Chambers	1650-20
1 st EX	Ron Bekebrede	1644-20
2 nd EX	Dave Richardson	1622-24
1 st SS/MK	Andrew Leupp	1634-36
2 nd SS/MK	Jamie McKown	1579-31
3 rd SS/MK	Wayne Hall	1575-20

FEBRUARY 16

Match Winner	David Chambers	1639-18
1 st EX/SS	Andrew Leupp	1628-23
2 nd EX/SS	Marvin Stewart	1628-20
1 st MK	Wayne Hall	1569-14

MARCH 16

Match Winner	David Chambers	1644-19
1 st EX/SS	Ron Bekebrede	1628-25
1 st MK	Dave Albert	1548-17

INTERNATIONAL AIR PISTOL/RIFLE JANUARY 26

Air Pistol

Match Winner	Vern McKinley	499
2 nd	Mike Smith	498

Air Rifle

Match Winner	Sebastian Navarrete	587
High Junior	John Hamilton	544

MARCH 23

Air Pistol

Match Winner	Ron Bekebrede	490
High Junior	Thomas Luehrmann	489

Air Rifle

Match Winner	Sebastian Navarrete	582
High Junior	John Hamilton	547

SOUTHERN INDIANA AIR RIFLE SERIES JUNIORS 3 x 10 PSK SIRPC, FEBRUARY 2

Match Winner	Emilee Seitz	265-06
2 nd	Trenton Franklin	259-06
3 rd	John Hamilton	258-04
4 th	Abby Seitz	251-03
5 th	Tanner Franklin	250-07
6 th	Richard Block	247-06
7 th	Maggie Holt	245-03
8 th	Courtney Grable	244-08
41 Competitors		

SEYMOUR AMERICAN LEGION FEBRUARY 23

Match Winner	Richard Block	265-08
2 nd	Maggie Holt	264-03
3 rd	Emilee Seitz	262-04
4 th	John Hamilton	258-05
5 th	Courtney Grable	251-04
6 th	Wyatt Asbell	250-04
7 th	Tanner Franklin	246-03
37 Competitors		

Teams

Match Winner	Versailles Post 173	1026-18
2 nd	So. In. Sharpshooters	935-07
3 rd	SIRPC	883-08

AMERICAN LEGION STATE CHAMPIONSHIP SEYMOUR, MARCH 16

Match Winner	Maggie Holt	260-06
2 nd	John Hamilton	255-02
3 rd	Richard Block	254-04
4 th	Emilee Seitz	253-06
5 th	Joseph Calms	252-06
6 th	Trenton Franklin	250-07
7 th	James Kleber	250-06
8 th	Suzen Lauber	248-04
9 th	Kaitlyn Schwandholt	247-02
10 th	Wyatt Asbell	243-01
11 th	Tanner Franklin	242-03
12 th	Hailey Teegarden	242-03
13 th	Isiah Jerue	237-06
14 th	Joseph Sunday	236-04
15 th	Mollie Holt	236-02
69 Competitors		

(Cont. from previous page)

TEAMS

Team State Champions	Versailles Post 173	1016-23
2 nd	North Webster Post 253	956-18
3 rd	Marion Post 10	939-13

HOOSIER HILLS RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB INT'L INDOOR PISTOL & AIR RIFLE COLUMBUS, FEBRUARY 9

Air Pistol

Match Winner	David Betterly	552
2 nd	Thomas Luehrmann	523

Free Pistol

Match Winner	David Betterly	497
2 nd	Bill Jordan	476

Standard Pistol

Match Winner	David Betterly	539
2 nd	Brent Addington	463

Air Rifle

Match Winner	Sebastian Navarrette	588
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MARCH 9

Air Pistol

Match Winner	Brian O'Leary	526
2 nd	Thomas Luehrmann	519
3 rd	Brent Addington	506

Free Pistol

Match Winner	Bill Jordan	460
2 nd	Brent Addington	440
3 rd	Brian O'Leary	431

Standard Pistol

Match Winner	Brian O'Leary	508
2 nd	Lars Magnusson	499
3 rd	Bill Jordan	486

Center Fire

Match Winner	Aaron Lorton	483
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Sport Pistol

Match Winner	Lars Magnusson	547
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Air Rifle

Match Winner	Julie Klusmeier	584
2 nd	Sebastian Navarrette	582

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Match Winner & Gold	Glenn Zimmerman	879-27
Silver	Alan Barcon	879-27
Bronze	James Henderson	877-34
1 st MA	Dane Hogle	858-21
2 nd MA & High Senior	Neil Hays	841-20
3 rd MA	Rob MacWilliams	835-16
1 st EX/SS	Giles Cooper	858-32
2 nd EX/SS	John Darrigan	853-16
3 rd EX/SS	Steve Barbour	846-15
1 st MK	Ted Selman	804-07
2 nd MK	Dan Harman	763-07
High Woman	Penni Casper	606-04
High Grand Senior	Reuben Zarria	806-12
Team Winners	Ohio R & P Asso.	1173-38

CENTRAL INDIANA HIGHPOWER RIFLE SHOOTERS HIGH POWER CAMP ATTERBURY MARCH 10 LONG RANGE 3X1000

Match Winner	Shawn Agne	566-13
High Palma	Ryan Hyslop	511-04

F-CLASS

Match Winner	Cody Richardson	575-15
High F-T/R	Scott Reed	562-11
1 st MA	Jeffrey Hopkins	573-13



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ISRPA Course High Power Returns to Camp Atterbury on SMT Electronic Targets!

By Sue Mogle, Exec-VP

Following the success of the 2018 Across the Course State Championship we are excited to announce a slate of Across the Course matches at Camp Atterbury for 2019. All matches will be shot on Silver Mountain Electronic Targets. Those of you chasing Leg Points, or supporting someone who is, will be excited to hear we're also including two CMP Excellence in Competition (EIC) matches. Competitors have asked for EIC matches, 600 yard across the course matches, and an ISRPA-supported State Championship at Camp Atterbury for some time. You asked, we answered! Roger Copey, VP Course High Power, has worked very hard with Phil McMillen and Sue Mogle to bring regular Course High Power matches to Camp Atterbury on SMT Electronic Targets!

ELECTRONIC TARGETS

Electronic Targets for Across the Course High Power are the wave of the Future! Electronic targets eliminate the time and difficulty of pulling pits and opens the competition to juniors, disabled and older shooters that have difficulty pulling pits. It also eliminates frustration over "slow pit service" for shooters. With no requirement for traffic downrange to change pits, safety is greatly enhanced. After extensive evaluation and comparison of options, consensus was that Silver Mountain Targets (SMT) SOLO systems are the best choice for Course High Power at Camp Atterbury. As an added benefit, by purchasing Silver Mountain Targets ISRPA is proud to support an Indiana Company.

Course High Power will begin May 4-5 with 10 SOLO targets, which will easily accommodate 40, 50, or even 60 shooters on 4, 5 or 6 relays. Since we don't have to perform pit changes we can run 5 and 6 relays—and still get home in time for dinner! We will be incorporating improved registration and setup routines, so matches will start on time, run efficiently, and finish in a record time, all with no pit duty! (Did we mention no pit duty?) Registration and payment for matches will be on line from the ISRPA website. There will be discounts and benefits for ISRPA members—so if you haven't joined ISRPA yet now is the time! Your membership will more than pay for itself in match discounts.

Dates (page 4) and full match bulletin are listed on the ISRPA website <http://isrpa.org/highpower-rifle/>

TARGET EVALUATION

Because of the unique requirements of shooting on the KD ranges at Camp Atterbury, Open Sensor Targets which can be easily taken down and securely stored, replaced quickly with repeatable accuracy, were the only feasible option. The two major vendors in this market are Silver Mountain Targets (the originator of these systems) and Shotmarker. Evaluation criteria included system features, accuracy, fit for our specific needs, price, and company background. At the end of the evaluation, Silver Mountain Targets was deemed the clear winner for the XTC matches at Camp Atterbury for 2019 and beyond.

There were a number of factors involved in choosing Silver Mountain Targets. A critical consideration was superior support from the US dealer for SMT. Silver Mountain Targets is the world leader in open sensor systems, with more systems installed than all other manufacturers combined and their home base is located right here in Indiana, owned by two ISRPA Life Members. The SMT system is an exceptional system fit to all forms of high power competition, with excellent accuracy out to 1000 yards or more and USA-based support, warranty, and spare parts availability. They have proven performance with hundreds of systems installed around the world, and dozens installed right here in Indiana. You can find out more about the SMT Targets on their website www.SilverMountainTargetsUSA.com.

The SOLO system evolved from the Silver Mountain Targets G2 system. It incorporates a state of the art, dedicated Line Server, coordinating all target data onto a single screen for effective management by the Range Officer or Match Director. If you've never shot on a Silver Mountain e-Target system, visit the SMT installation at Wildcat Valley R&PC in Brookston, CIHPRS at Camp Atterbury, or come shoot in an ISRPA match! You'll love it. More shooting, less walking, no pit duty...

HOW DOES AN E-TARGET WORK?

- High precision acoustic sensors mounted on the target detect the incoming supersonic bullet
- Location, based on sound wave timing, bullet velocity, and temperature are all used to calculate a precise location and terminal velocity.

- This data is passed to the dedicated Line Server on the firing line, and presented to each shooter on a Wi-Fi capable device. (Shooters will need to bring their own display devices)
- Because shooters can use their own devices to access the Server, they can save their match information on their device. No need to transcribe data books, it's all done electronically.
- The only time personnel will go to the pits is for a quick change of target centers when moving to a new firing line.
- There is no need to paste holes in the target, as the e-target system doesn't care how many holes are in the target, as long as the aiming point remains clear for the shooter. When a string of fire is complete, competitor's displays will be cleared for the next string

ISRPA SOLO TARGET RAFFLE

You can have the opportunity to win a SOLO Target of your own! To help pay for the new E Targets, ISRPA Course Highpower will be raffling off a Silver Mountain Targets SOLO system. Raffle tickets will be available from Course Highpower VP Roger Copsey, ISRPA VP Sue Mogle, at many of the Course matches, all ISRPA High Power matches, the Hiding Hilda booth at the NRA Convention and Indiana gun shows, and the SMT Booth at the NRA Convention. And come see Dave and Steve at the NRA Annual Meetings in Indianapolis, in booth 6171. You can see the SOLO target you're going to win for yourself and ask questions! Drawing will be held at the September 7 300 Yard Reduced Course State Championship match at Wildcat Valley Rifle & Pistol Club.

I encourage you to contact Dave Schnelle or Steve Reisman and talk to them about a SOLO system of your own! They are both High Masters and Distinguished Riflemen, so they know their way around matches and e-Targets!

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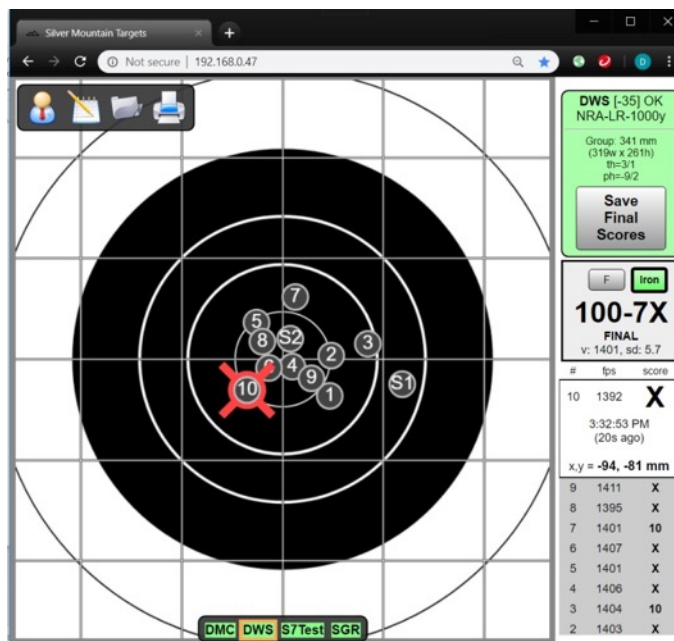
We are excited to bring these targets to Course Shooters at Camp Atterbury, and we hope you are too!

See you on the Range!

SMT Targets at Wildcat Valley R&PC



Competitor's Display



American Legion Air Rifle State Championship



Team Match winners Versailles Post 173 Junior Shooting Sports Team; back row are (L-R) Trenton Franklin, Richey Block, Joe Cairns, Maggie Holt, Frank Braley, Coach Jerry Hewitt. Kneeling are Coach Steve Scroggins, Tanner Franklin, Gabe Block, Courtney Grable, Kaitlin Schwanholt and Mollie Holt.

The American Legion Department of Indiana held their annual State Match Saturday, March 16, with Post 89 in Seymour hosting the event. The event included 76 participating competitors representing nine Teams/Posts throughout Indiana. Competition was tough and the overall winner was decided by a very slim margin of five points.

The overall winner was Maggie Holt with a 260-6. Maggie is a member of the Versailles Post 173 Junior Shooting Sports Team. Second place was John Hamilton firing a 255-2 and is a member of Southern Indiana Rifle & Pistol Club "Young Gunz" Team. Third place was Richard Block who had a 254-4. Richard is also a member of Versailles post 173 team.

Versailles also received the Top Team Award shooting a team score of 1016-23, 2nd was North Webster post 254 - 956-18, and 3rd was Marion post 10 with a 939-13.

More results from this match can be found on page 12.



Correct position, sight alignment, breath control, squeeze the trigger...repeat.

American Legion Air Rifle State Championship



(L- R) are Mark Guillion youth chairman, Richard Block - 3rd, Maggie Holt - Match Winner, John Hamilton - 2nd and Ed Giltner Southern Vice Commander.

JUNIOR SPOTLIGHT

By Mike Smith, Director SW

Southern Indiana Rifle and Pistol Club's Junior Program member John Hamilton (R) competed in the CMP National Postal competition where he qualified 12th out of 293 competitors in the Northeast region of the CMP tournament in the Sporter Division with a 3x10 score of 268-6, earning him a spot at the CMP regionals held at Camp Perry on March 28-30. With his willingness to compete and to better himself, he did just that. He decided to shoot the ISRPA Junior Olympic 3-P Qualifier held at the X-Count in Fort Wayne. Out of 100 competitors John finished third overall with a 553.9 earning him an automatic qualifying score for the CMP National Three Position Championship held at Camp Perry in June.



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Tickets are on sale now on the [ISRPA website](http://www.isrpa.org) for Fashion & Firearms, Saturday April 27! This will be the "After Party" of the year! Doors open at 6 pm at the Indiana War Memorial, right after the doors close at the NRA - AM.

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St. Joe Valley Conservation Club	3000	Floyd Central ROTC	5000	Marshall County 4H	2800
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Sagamore Council BSA	7500	New Albany ROTC	5000	The X Count	4000
Pike County Bird Hunters	5000	Porter County 4H	4000	Vigo County 4H	1600
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Danville Conservation Club	2500	Benton 4H	3000	Maddison County 4H	11000
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Louie Schenkel attends Carroll High School and competed in Prone Sporter Air Rifle at the State Junior Rifle Championships held at The X Count, Fort Wayne in March. Results and pictures start on page 8.

