2021 F-Class/High Power Rifle
Long Range Prone (3 x 1000) Program
(NRA Approved)

Sponsored by
Long Range Shooters of Louisiana, LLC
Grand Cane, Louisiana

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Location: 2007 Hwy 5, Grand Cane, Louisiana, 13 miles South of Shreveport, LA along Interstate Highway 49. From I-49, exit at Highway 175 (Kingston/Frierson) (Exit 186). South bound travelers turn right, north bound travelers turn left on to Highway 175. Drive approximately 2 miles and turn left onto Highway 5 East just after the Long Range Alley Gun Club sign. Drive another 2 miles and after crossing over I-49, take first entrance to the left. Continue on roadway until arriving at club house. (See Map)

Rules: Current NRA High Power Rifle Rules will govern. Competitors are responsible for knowing the contents of the current NRA rule book. Competitors will score, work target pits and assist range personnel as required. Competitors are expected to stay and perform pit and scoring duties until all firing is complete. Please do not enter a match if you cannot stay until firing is complete for the day. The Match Director reserves the right to modify the course of fire and/or pit rotations based on the number of shooters, weather and range conditions

Eligibility: Open Tournament (Long Range Alley Gun Club and NRA membership is desired but not required)

All participants who are not members of the Long Range Alley Gun Club, LLC or have not participated in previous matches at Long Range Alley must complete and sign a "Hold Harmless" guest form before participating in the scheduled match(s). Forms will be available at registration.

Participants under 14 require prior approval of the Match Director. Shooters under 14 must be able to safely complete the course of fire and be able to pull targets (or have a target puller).

2021 Schedule:	Date	Registration/Sign In
	April 17th	07:30 – 08:00
	May 15th	07:30 – 08:00
	June 19th	07:30 – 08:00
	July 17th	07:30 – 08:00

August 21st	07:30 – 08:00
October 16th	07:30 – 08:00
November 20th	07:30 – 08:00

Registration: Sign-in & registration will take place on the day of the tournament between 7:30 and 8:00 am, in the parking area to the rear of the 1000 yard berm. Target and Relay assignments (squadding) will be done at close of registration.

Entry Fees:	Individual	$20.00
	Juniors	$15.00

Challenges: $1 will be charged for lost challenges. Scores can be challenged only prior to awards.

Time of Firing: Pits will be sealed by 8:30 AM with preparation period and firing to commence as soon as competitors are in position on the firing line.

Classification: NRA High Power Classification will be used in all matches "Assigned Classification & Temporary Classification" (Rule 19.6) may be used. Unclassified competitors and competitors without proof of classification will be required to compete in the Master class.

Competitor Responsibilities: Each competitor will be required to serve in the Pits where eye & ear protection, as well as a billed cap are required. Competitors not physically able to pull targets must provide their own qualified target puller and have pre-arranged approval of the Match Director. Children and non-competitors are not allowed in the pits.

Competitors will also score and assist range personnel as required.

Rifles:
1. Service Rifle (Rules 3.1)
2. Any/Match Rifle (Rules 3.2, 3.3)
3. U.S. Palma Rifle (Rule 3.3.1)
4. F-Class Open (Rule 3.4 (a) Section 22) may use scopes, rests, & non-Magnum calibers
5. F-Class Target Rifle (Rule 3.4 (b) Section 22) see limits on ammunition

No 7.62 x 39 caliber rifles allowed
No Muzzle Brakes or Suppressors allowed (Rules 3.1, 3.2)

Sights Categories: Metallic (Iron) sights, Telescopic, or Any sights may be employed according to rifle classification, Rule 3.7. Competitors will be grouped into categories defined by rifle type and sight configuration as defined above. Metallic Sights (Rifles 1, 2, & 3) and Telescopic Sights (Rifles 5 & 6).

Targets: Metallic Sight Competitors (Palma (PR), Match Rifle (MR), and Service Rifle (SR)), will use official NRA LR targets. Metallic Sight Competitors may incorporate the use of Optical sights (Rule ?.??) but will continue to us the NRA LR target. Telescopic Sight Competitors (F-Class Open (F-O) and F-Class Target Rifle (F-TR)) will use official NRA LR targets with LR-FC centers. (Rule 4.7)

Ammunition:
(a) Not permitted - No bullet with a diameter greater than .338 inch will be allowed. .223 bullet weights less than 80 gr will not be permitted. Tracer, incendiaries, armor piercing ammo is not permitted. Cartridges based on the 50 BMG are not permitted. Ammunition must safe and must remain supersonic at the target. The Match Director will have the right to remove the competitor/ammunition from the line if the bullet is not supersonic. 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.

(b) U.S. Palma Rifle - .308/7.62mm with a maximum permitted bullet weight of less than 156 grains or .223/5.56mm x 45 with a maximum permitted bullet weight of less than 92 grains.

(c) Any/Match and F-Class Open (F-O) Rifles - Ammunition of any description, but no larger than .338 inch, that may be fired without danger to competitors or range personnel.

(d) F-Class Target (F-TR) Rifles - A rifle limited to .223 Remington or .308 Winchester or their commercial and/or metrification equivalents. Chamber dimensions must not exceed the maximum SAAMI or CIP specifications. Bore, groove, and throat dimensions may be selected to suit bullets used. There is no restriction on bullet weight.

Safety: Any competitor that cannot stay on target will be removed from the firing line. The Match Director can remove any competitor from the firing line if he rules the rifle, ammo or competitor is unsafe. Any competitor that is unable to get on target within 7 shots may be removed from the firing line.

Chamber Flags: 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 rifle is being used by competitors on the firing line during preparation period and actual live firing (Rule 10.1.1). An Empty Chamber Indicator must be a bright color, extend into the chamber and have a flag that extends outside the action that prevents the bolt from closing. An 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.

Coaching: Being that this is a sanctioned/approved match and not a registered match, coaching is allowed during the period of unlimited sighters. With approval of the Match Director, limited

coaching is allowed for juniors and unclassified shooters during scored fire. Coaching is not allowed for all other shooters during scored fire.

Sighting Shots: Unlimited unless otherwise specified.

Tournament Course of Fire:

All competitor categories will compete at the same time; however, they will be positioned as separate and unique groups on the firing line.

Match 1 – From the 1000-yard firing line: Unlimited sighting shots followed by 20 shots for record, loaded one round at a time, within a time limit of 30 minutes. Competitor will be disqualified if unable to get on target within 7 sighting shots.

Match 2 – From the 1000-yard firing line: Unlimited sighting shots followed by 20shots for record, loaded one round at a time, within a time limit of 30 minutes.

Match 3 - From the 1000-yard firing line: Unlimited sighting shots followed by 20shots for record, loaded one round at a time, within a time limit of 30 minutes.

Match 4 – Aggregate of Match 1-3 will be used to determine overall Tournament Winners in each category and class.

NOTE: Due to excessive heat during Summer months, course of fire may be shortened, at the discretion of Match Director and range personnel, to Match 1 & Match 2 with an aggregate of Match 1 & 2 used to determine overall Tournament Winner in each class.

Award Schedule and Awards: Awards will be based on the aggregate of scores for matches completed. Awards will be given for individual Category and Class winners. Class winners within each category will be based on NRA classification and aggregate score. Tournament Category winners are not eligible to participate in class winner categories. A total of three or more shooters must be entered in the tournament in order to pay overall category 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 and will stop at the Master Class level. The HM Class cannot be combined upward or downward to establish another class.

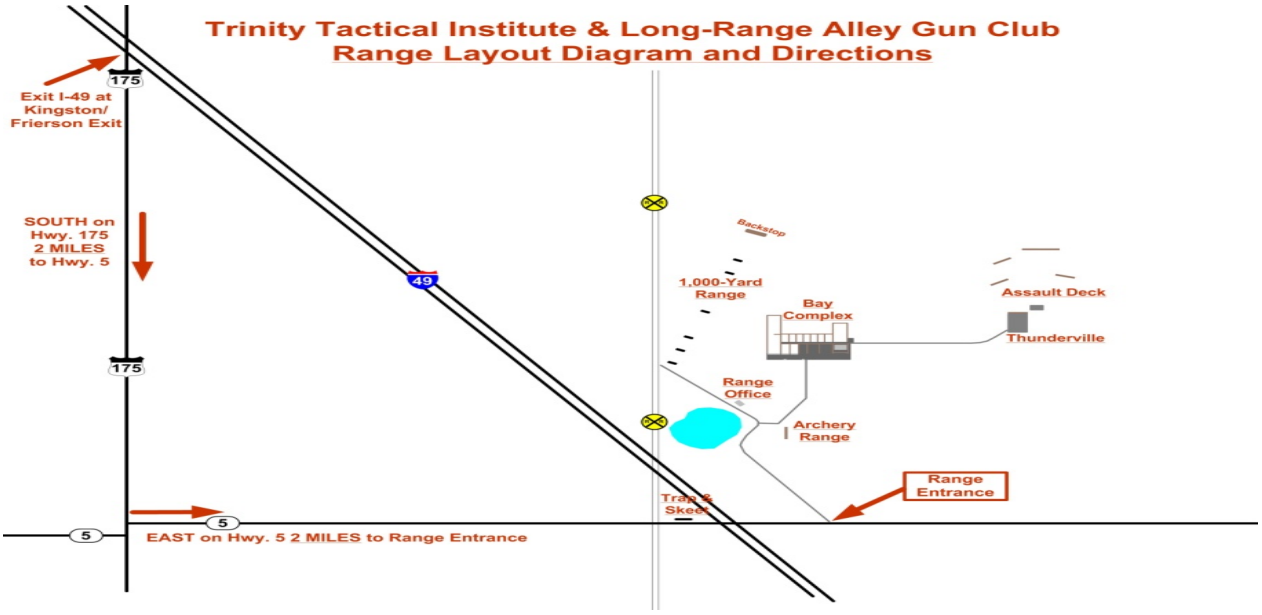
Award Schedule by Competitor Category

<u>F-Class Open - Match 4 (Aggregate)</u>
Match Winner - 5 points (3 Shooters)

1st in class - 3 points (min of 3 shooters)
2nd in class - 2 points (min of 6 Shooters)
3rd in class – 2 points (min of 9 Shooters)

<u>F-Class Target Rifle - Match 4 (Aggregate)</u>
Match Winner - 5 points (3 Shooters)
1st in class - 3 points (min of 3 shooters)
2nd in class - 2 points (min of 6 Shooters)
3rd in class – 2 points (min of 9 Shooters)

<u>High Power Rifle (Sling) - Match 4 (Aggregate)</u>
Match Winner - 5 points (3 Shooters)
1st in class - 3 Points (3 Shooters)
2nd in class - 2 points (6 Shooters)
3rd in class - 2 points (9 Shooters

The challenge period ends 5 minutes after the posting of the match results

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