

BAUSCH AND LOMB TROPHY



The Bausch and Lomb Trophy is an equestrian statuette by the famous Western sculptor and artist C.M. Russell. It was presented to NRA in 1933 by the Bausch and Lomb Optical Company, to be awarded to the High National Guard Team competing in the Herrick Trophy Team Match. With the exception of one year (1966), when it was fired as an individual match, the trophy has been awarded to a team, when it was in competition. The match conditions are the same as those for the Herrick Trophy Team Match, 1000 yards in Long Range High Power, fired at the NRA National Championships.

Match Conditions:

- 1933 Competition between teams of eight firing members, two alternates, Team Captain and Coach. 15 shots per firing member at 800, 900 and 1000 yards on the "C" target, prone slow fire with the Free Rifle.
- 1935 Course of fire reduced to 10 shots per firing member at 800 and 900 yards, and 15 shots per firing member at 1000 yards.
- 1936 Team composition reduced to six firing members, Team Captain and Coach. Course of fire changed to 20 shots per firing member at 1000 yards.
- 1966 Conditions changed to make the Trophy an individual trophy, 20 shots for record, metallic sights, at 1000 yards.
- 1967 Conditions changed back to those specified in 1936.
- 1976 Conditions changed to reduce the number of firing members to four. Target changed from the "C" target to the LR decimal target.
- 1979 Conditions changed to allow two sighting shots per firing member; presentation made for the first time to the High Reserve Component Team (including National Guard).

TROPHY WINNERS

1933	Washington (State) NG	1707	1980	USMCR Gold	776-20X
1934	Washington (State) NG	1690	1981	NGUS Lloyd	760-18X
1935	California NG	1366	1982	NGUS Himes	782-24X
1936	California NG	763	1983	USAR Int'l #1	788-29X
1937	Oklahoma NG	783	1984	USAR Int'l	781-29X
1938	California NG	782	1985	ALL NG Lloyd	793-32X
1939	Montana NG	769	1986	USAR Coots	789-34X
1940	California NG	767	1987	USAR Coots	779-26X
1941-55	NO COMPETITION		1988	USAR Silvia	782-24X
1956	Wisconsin NG	559-43V	1989	ALL NG Hoffer	787-38X
1957	Oregon NG	566-49V	1990	USAR Blue	792-37X
1958	New York Naval Militia	552-39V	1991	USAR Craig	779-33X
1959	Minnesota NG	584-56V	1992	All Guard Shew	781-23X
1960	Wisconsin NG	578-67V	1993	All Guard Zaborac	792-27X
1961	Wisconsin NG	585-54V	1994		NOT FIRED - WEATHER
1962	Wisconsin NG	596-70V	1995	All Guard #2	791-27X
1963	New York Naval Militia	579-55V	1996	All Guard Bowman	785-22X
1964	Michigan NG	579-44V	1997	All Guard Hollan	772-21X
1965	Tennessee NG	583-64V	1998	All Guard #1	766-25X
1966	William C. Wolf	100-16V	1999	All Guard Newman	742-23X
1967	Tennessee NG	568-54V	2000	All Guard Silver	790-26X
1968	All NG Nelson	580-53V	2001	All Guard Gold	774-21X
1969-75	NO COMPETITION		2002	All Guard	754-18X
1976	NO COMPETITION		2003	All Guard Scandale	707-8X
1977	All NG Easley	1095-19X	2004	All Guard	776-25X
1978	NO COMPETITION		2005	All Guard Morgan	796-47X
1979	USMCR Gold	794-43X	2006	All Guard Morgan	779-29X

2007	All Guard Big Mac	777-26X
2008	All Guard Mayer	768-21X
2009	All Guard Kerin	749-21X
2010	USAR Gold	769-27X
2011	All Guard Gamboa	767-18X
2012	All Guard Gamboa	760-15X
2013	All Guard Tanner	791-44X
2014	All Guard Gold	773-17