

OFFICIAL PROGRAM

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Introduction

It is our privilege to sponsor the 9th Annual NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Club Championship hosted at Fort Benning in Columbus, Georgia March 23–25, 2018.

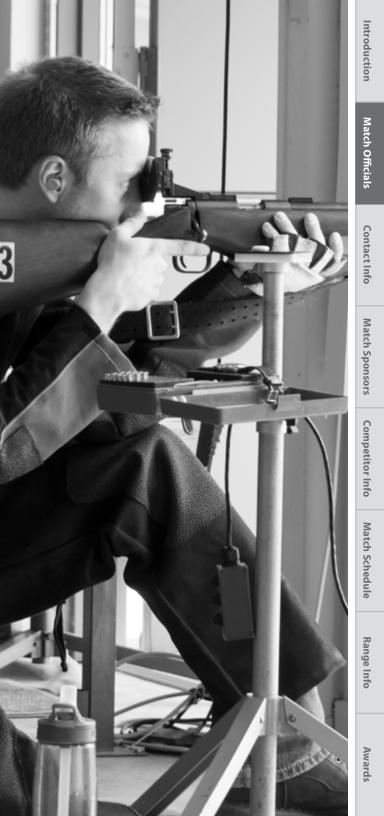
The purpose of the NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Club Championship is to determine the National Collegiate Individual and Team Champions in Air Rifle and Smallbore Rifle. Qualifications for an invitation to the Championship are determined from minimum qualifying scores fired in the 2018 NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Sectionals held throughout the U.S. between January and February 2018 The Championships attract competitors and schools nationwide.



Friday March 23, – Sunday March 25, 2018 Fort Benning, Georgia

Match Officials

NRA COORDINATOR	Victoria Croft
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NRA Contact Information

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES

Ironworks Trade Center

801 Front Avenue, Columbus, GA. 31901.

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The DoubleTree Hotel

5351 Sidney Simons Blvd, Columbus, GA 31904.

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Fort Benning Map

See page 12.

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Competitor Information

DATE

March 23-25, 2018

LOCATION

Fort Benning, Columbus, Georgia

ELIGIBILITY

NRA Rule 2.8 applies in that Intercollegiate Sectional matches are open to individuals and teams whose members represent any one college, junior college or university, provided each member is eligible for participation in intercollegiate competition under the rules of the institution. *For purposes of NRA Intercollegiate Sectionals/ Nationals ONLY: A collegian may compete for a maximum of four years during their undergraduate career. Collegians must be fulltime during all semesters in which they compete; except for their final semester which may be less than 12 hours. If a collegian goes to graduate school directly after graduation from undergraduate school, and has one, or more, year(s) of eligibility left, the graduate student may compete (and complete their four years of eligibility) in their first year of graduate school.

INVITATIONS

Competitors who achieve the minimum qualifying score (MQS) in the 2018 NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Sectionals are invited to compete in the 2018 NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Club Championship. Only one team per institution per event may qualify to compete. Once the teams are selected the same team members who fired in the sectional do not have to compete on the team in the Championships. Any shooter from that school, who fired in an Intercollegiate Rifle Sectional, may fire as a team member at the Championship. Teams (shoot five, count four) must be listed by 7pm Friday March 23, prior to competition. Individual competitors may compete in both disciplines regardless of qualifying for both. Individual MOS:.....Smallbore Rifle — 450Air Rifle — 495 Team MQS:.....Air Rifle — 1980 Teams qualifying in one of the two team events may participate in both team events in order to compete for national aggregate championship awards only.

ENTRY FEES

Individual competition per event\$45.00
Team competition per event\$60.00
Each competitor firing in the individual matches will pay an entry
fee of \$45.00 per match event to the NRA. Each team will pay \$60.00
per match event to the NRA. Payment is due no later than March 25,
2018. Make checks payable to the National Rifle Association.
The top qualifying team and the top qualifying individual from the
overall results in the 2018 Intercollegiate National Rifle Sectionals
will be awarded free entry to the NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Club
Championships. These awards will be made in both the Smallbore
Rifle and the Air Rifle Championships.

REGISTRATION/SQUADDING

Registration for all teams and individuals attending the Championship will be Friday March 23, from 9 am - 4 pm at the range. If late registration is required an appointment must be scheduled.

Squadding will be done on site. First come, first served. Requests will be honored for special circumstances. Please place requests in advance.

RANGE WAIVERS

NRA range waivers as well as USAMU range waivers must be completed by each competitor prior to firing.

RULES

The 2017 NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules & 2017 NRA Precision Air Rifle Position Rules will govern the 2018 NRA Intercollegiate Rifle Club Championships.

EMPTY CHAMBER INDICATORS

All participants will be required to use empty chamber indicators (ECI'S) during the matches.

COURSE OF FIRE

Smallbore Rifle: refer to Rule 7.5.....Event Distance: 50 meters Air Rifle: refer to Rule 7.1.....Event Distance: 10 meters

TIES

Ties will be broken in accordance to the NRA Rule Book, Section 15.

COACHING

Coaching is not permitted while a competitor is on the firing line (Rule 9.10).

SCORING

Electronic scoring will be used for all events. All scoring will be done by the Sius Ascor Target Computer System. Competitors will be asked to sign their tapes.

CHALLENGES

All administrative questions or challenges on scores should be directed to the Statistical Officer. Challenge time expires one hour after all scores for each relay are posted. Only Administrative Challenges will be accepted regarding posted scores.

PROTEST/APPEAL

A Jury Chairman and Jury will be appointed in accordance with NRA rules. The decision of the Protest/Appeal Jury is final.

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Friday, March 23, 2018

- 4:15 pm 5 pm Range operation procedures, scoring, challenges, and other details will be reviewed and questions will be addressed. Match staff are introduced. (Pool Indoor Range)
- 5:15 pm Fun Shoot. A great opportunity to have some fun with your peers! Come on out! (Pool Outdoor Range)

Saturday, March 24, 2018

 $2:\!00~pm-5~pm$ — Clinics for Coaches and Competitors. Hosted and run by the United States Army Marksmanship Unit. The Clinics are FABULOUS and mandatory for all competitors.

Coaches are welcome, and invited, to attend. (Fort Benning)

EQUIPMENT STORAGE

All coaches and competitors must keep track of their own equipment. There is no storage facility for guns on base.

GUNSMITHING, AIR AND CO, TANKS

A gunsmithing room will not be set up at the Championships. Vendors may be available. Teams and individuals are advised to bring their own tools. Air tanks will be on site for use. Shooters should bring their own adapters.

Match Schedule

March 23, 2018 — Friday

Arrival/Championship Registration	9:00 am – 4:00 pm Pool Indoor Range
Practice — Air Rifle	9:00 am – 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm Pool Indoor Range
Practice — Smallbore Rifle	9:00 am – 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm Pool Outdoor Range
Coaches & Competitors Meeting	4:15 pm – 5:00 pm Pool Indoor Range
Fun Shoot	5:15 pm Pool Outdoor Range

March 24, 2018 — Saturday

Arrival/Championship Registration	8:00 am – 4:00 pm
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Smallbore Rifle Championship

Relay 1	9:00 am
Relay 2	11:30 am Pool Outdoor Range
Rifle Clinics	1:30 pm – 5:00 pm Finals Hall

March 25, 2018 — Sunday

Range Opens	8:00 am
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Air Rifle Championship

Relay 1	9:00 am
Relay 2	11:30 am Pool Indoor Range
Awards Ceremony & Banquet	4:00 pm Ironworks Trade Center

Day 1

Range Opens	8:00 am
Smallbore Rifle Relay 1	9:00 am
Smallbore Rifle Relay 2	11:30 am

Day 2

Range Opens	8:00 am
Air Rifle Relay 1	9:00 am
Air Rifle Relay 2	11:30 am

NRA Smallbore Rifle Rules & NRA Precision Air Rifle Position Rules

Notes:

- 1. Modified timing for half course of fire using electronic targets.
- 2. Firing will cease after the expiration of time or when the last competitor has completed.
- *Please note: there will be a 10 minute prep period BEFORE each relay begins. Please arrive no less than 20 minutes before your scheduled relay.

Range Information

HOUSING

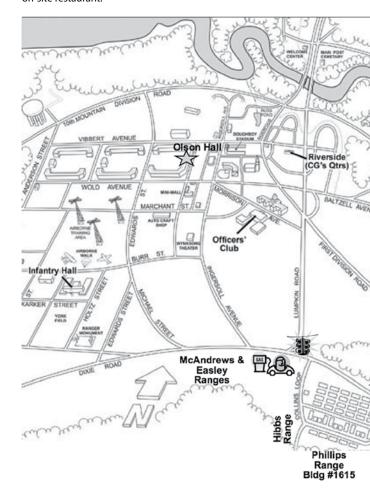
Host Hotel: The DoubleTree Hotel

5351 Sidney Simons Blvd, Columbus, GA 31904

Phone: 706-327-6868

Refer to NRA Collegiate Program for the special \$99.00 rate. 50 rooms have been blocked for the championship.

This will be the NRA Match Headquarters Hotel. Hot breakfast is included with the room rates. Close to restaurants, Downtown Columbus, Columbus Airport, and the Fort Benning ranges. The DoubleTree has an outdoor pool, a workout room, a business center, free internet, delicious daily fresh baked cookies, and an on-site restaurant.



DIRECTIONS

Take I-185 South

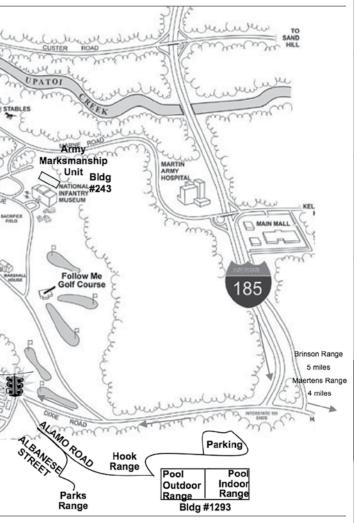
Follow to Fort Benning Access Control Point. Follow road straight, yield right to Dixie Road.

TRANSPORTATION

All coaches and competitors are responsible for making their own travel arrangements for the Championships.

MEALS

The Awards Banquet will be provided by the NRA. All other meals are at the expense of each individual.



Awards

The top three scoring competitors in each discipline will receive awards. The high ROTC individual will receive a medal providing there at least 2 ROTC individuals in that category. The top three scoring teams in each discipline will receive awards. The high ROTC team will receive awards providing there are at least two teams in that category.

MATCH AWARDS SCHEDULE AND HONORS

On Sunday, March 25, there will be an Awards Ceremony & Banquet at 4:00pm. Ironworks Trade Center. Please dress appropriately, not casual, for a nice meal and awards ceremony with pictures.

*National Individual and Team Rifle Champions will be honored.

NRA INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Team Awards

- National Team Champion Aggregate —
 from combined team scores in Smallbore Rifle and Air Rifle
 Plaques for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place teams.
- Smallbore Rifle National Team Champions Achieve Trophy and 4 gold medallions.
- Smallbore Rifle ROTC National Team Champions 4 gold medallions and a team plaque.
- Air Rifle National Team Champions in Club and ROTC 4 gold medallions and a team plague.
- Second Place Teams in Club and ROTC 4 silver medallions and a team plaque.
- Third Place Teams in Club and ROTC 4 bronze medallions and a team plaque.

Individual Awards

- National Individual Aggregates NRA award plaques for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.
- Smallbore Rifle National Champion Norwegian Trophy and gold medallion.
- Smallbore Rifle National ROTC Champion gold medallion.
- Air Rifle National Champion
 Butterman Trophy and gold medallion.
- Air Rifle National ROTC Champion gold medallion.
- Second Place Individuals in Club and ROTC silver medallion.
- Third Place Individuals in Club and ROTC bronze medallion.

^{*}All Star Team will be announced.

^{*}Outstanding College Coaches will be named.

NRA Intercollegiate Club Rifle ALL STAR Teams

- Smallbore Rifle 1st Team
- Smallbore Rifle 2nd Team
- Air Rifle 1st Team
- Air Rifle 2nd Team

Historical Awards

Intercollegiate Rifle Club Nationals Individual Champions

SMALLBORE RIFLE

YEAR	NAME	SCORE	SCHOOL
2010	Marybeth Brewer	559	University of Michigan
2011	Clayton Peck	570	Michigan State Univ.
2012	Amos Peck	559	Michigan State Univ.
2013	Matthew Chezem	565	University of Akron
2014	Brandon Godbout	554	North Dakota State Univ.
2015	Madeleine Godwin	565	Thomas Nelson CC
2016	Matt Plummer	562	Kansas State University
2017	Rachel Mangan	575	Clemson University

Intercollegiate Rifle Club Nationals Team Champions

SMALLBORE RIFLE

 2010 University of Michigan 2011 Penn State 2012 Michigan State University 2013 University of Michigan 	2079 2142 2172
2012 Michigan State University	
3 ,	2172
2013 University of Michigan	
	2142
2014 University of Michigan	2146
2015 West Virginia University	2116
2016 University of Michigan	2152
2017 University of Akron	2181

Intercollegiate Rifle Club Nationals Individual Champions

AIR RIFLE

YEAR	NAME	SCORE	SCHOOL		
2010	Marybeth Brewer	569	University of Michigan		
2011	Clayton Peck	582	Michigan State Univ.		
2012	Amos Peck	590	Michigan State Univ.		
2013	Ying Yi Liu	575	University of Michigan		
2014	Ying Yi Liu	581	University of Michigan		
2015	Madeleine Godwin	588	Thomas Nelson CC		
2016	Rachel Mangan	584	Clemson University		
2017	Madeleine Godwin	586	Univ. of North GA		

Intercollegiate Rifle Club Nationals Team Champions

AIR RIFLE

YEAR	NAME	SCORE
2010	Clemson	2186
2011	Clemson	2218
2012	Michigan State University	2285
2013	University of Michigan	2221
2014	University of Michigan	2258
2015	University of Michigan	2268
2016	University of Michigan	2253
2017	University of Akron	2278

Intercollegiate Rifle Club Nationals Individual Champions

INDIVIDUAL AGGREGATE

YEAR	NAME/SCHOOL	SB	AIR	TOTAL
2010	Marybeth Brewer University of Michigan	559	569	1128
2011	Clayton Peck Michigan State University	570	582	1152
2012	Amos Peck Michigan State University	559	590	1149
2013	Matthew Chezem University of Akron	565	567	1132
2014	Georgia L. Yarbrough Central Piedmont CC	549	579	1128
2015	Madeleine Godwin Thomas Nelson CC	565	588	1153
2016	Rachel Mangan Clemson University	561	584	1145
2017	Rachel Mangan Clemson University	575	577	1152

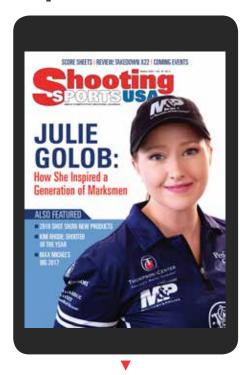
Intercollegiate Rifle Club Nationals Team Champions

TEAM AGGREGATE

YEAR	SCHOOL	SB	AIR	TOTAL
2010	University of Michigan	2079	2177	4256
2011	Penn State	2142	2184	4326
2012	Michigan State University	2172	2285	4457
2013	University of Michigan	2142	2221	4363
2014	University of Michigan	2146	2258	4404
2015	West Virginia University	2116	2247	4363
2016	University of Michigan	2152	2253	4405
2017	University of Akron	2181	2278	4459

NOTES

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