

**2020 NATIONAL PROGRAM
NRA OPEN INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS
PRECISION PISTOL**

Sectionals are Registered matches. All regulations for Registered matches must be followed. **NOTE: Turning targets are required for Precision Sectionals.**

The 2020 NRA Open Sectional National Indoor Pistol Championships (ONIC) are being fired at Sectional Tournaments throughout the United States. They are operated by match staff composed of local match officials. All local challenges and protests are to be resolved on the match site according to procedures outlined in Section 16 of the NRA Pistol Rule Book. Each individual competitor and team firing in a Sectional will automatically be entered in the ONIC at no additional charge. All fired scores are sent to NRA Headquarters where they are compiled and a National Champion is determined.

NATIONAL MATCH OFFICIALS:

National Match Director: Cole McCulloch
National Statistical Officer: Elizabeth Martin

For the purpose of the ONIC, the National Match Director may require any or all fired targets from any Sectional be sent to NRA Headquarters under the provisions of Rule 16.1. Therefore, all fired targets must be retained until the challenge period for the National Indoor Sectional Championship Final Result Bulletin has ended, two weeks after the notification is emailed to all match points of contact.

ELIGIBILITY: An individual competitor may enter one NRA Pistol Sectional during 2020. Competitors may enter other types of Sectionals if eligible. Tournament officials (Rule 11) may not compete in the Sectional at which they are officiating.

NRA MEMBERSHIP: While NRA membership is encouraged, NRA membership is not required to compete in NRA Registered tournaments. However, NRA Members are required to include their NRA Member ID number on their entry card.

NOTE: In order for scores from a Sectional to be recognized for Sectional awards, there must be teams and individuals entered in the Sectional concerned representing more than one organization. All scores, except those from mixed teams, will be recognized for National awards.

RULES: Current NRA Pistol Rules will govern.

EQUIPMENT: .22 Caliber Pistol (Rule 3.4).

DISTANCE: 50 feet

TARGETS: B-2, slow fire target, B-3, timed rapid fire target. Turning targets are required for Precision Sectionals.

SCORECARDS: Sectional score cards will be used and must be signed by the competitor to be considered for National ranking and awards. Competitors will be placed in the Civilian category if a category is not indicated on the scorecard.

SOUVENIR PINS: NRA will furnish to the sponsors a souvenir pin for each competitor.

INDIVIDUAL CATEGORIES: Competitors will be divided into three categories per Section 2 of the NRA pistol Rules: Civilian (Rule 2.2), Police (Rule 2.4), and Service (Rules 2.5, 2.6, and 2.7) subject to the conditions of the award schedule.

SPECIAL CATEGORIES: Although not required, sponsors are encouraged to provide an award for the highest scoring senior, junior and woman in the aggregate.

CLASSIFICATION: All competitors will be classified according to the NRA Classification System in individual and team matches and must exhibit their classification card or Temporary Score Record Book at the Statistical Office. Unclassified competitors will fire in the Master class if they do not have an assigned Classification (Rule 19.6).

TEAM CATEGORIES: A team will consist of four (4) firing members representing an NRA affiliated club (Rule 2.11 (A) or (B)), a law enforcement agency (Rule 2.14), a regular service, National Guard or Reserve Unit (Rule 2.13), or a State Association (Rule 2.12). Teams composed of competitors not all in the same category are mixed teams. Mixed teams in Sectionals may fire for open awards only. Scores for mixed teams will not be used for National ranking or awards.

ENTRIES:

Individual match entries must be received not later than the Monday preceding the opening date of the Sectional. Team entries may be made any time prior to the start of firing the team match. Match capacity is determined by each individual host organization.

FEES: NRA Sectional Registration Fees include entry in the 2020 NRA National Indoor Pistol Championships.

NRA Individual Registration Fee: \$8.00 per competitor per match

NRA Team Registration Fee: \$5.00 per team

NOTE: ALL SCORES AND FEES ARE DUE TO NRA HEADQUARTERS NO LATER THAN April 30th, 2020. Documents received beyond this date without prior notification to the National Statistical Officer (bmartin@nrahq.org) will be returned to the match point of contact.

SQUADDING: Matches will be squadded and assignments made by the Statistical Office. Teams are not required to be squadded to fire as a unit.

MATCH COURSES OF FIRE:

Match #1 - 20 shots slow fire, 2 strings of 10 rounds, 10 minutes per string

Match #2 - 20 shots timed fire, 4 strings of 5 rounds, 20 seconds per 5 shot string

Match #3 - 20 shots rapid fire, 4 strings of 5 rounds, 10 seconds per 5 shot string

Match #4 - 30 shots, 10 rounds slow fire, 10 rounds timed fire, 10 rounds rapid fire - Gallery Course

Match #5 - 90 shot aggregate

Match #6 - Team Match - NRA Gallery Course - All members of team must fire - This is not a paper match.

SECTIONAL AWARD SCHEDULE:

CONDITIONS

Awards will be provided by the NRA for the Sectional Individual and the team matches on the following basis:

- If there are fewer than 5 entries in a category, they will be combined with entries of another category within the same class.
- If there are fewer than 5 entries after combining all categories within a class, there will be NO AWARDS provided in that class. All competitors will be moved to their respective categories and combined with the next higher class. Competitors of lower classifications will not be combined with the High Master class. If fewer than 5 entries in the High Master class, they will compete for Open awards only.
- An individual or team winning an Open award will not be entitled to a special category or class award in the same match. Such awards will be passed down to the next eligible individual or team.

OPEN: First place will be given regardless of the number of competitors in the Sectional. There must be a minimum of 15 competitors for second place to be given and a minimum of 30 competitor for third place to be given.

Winner	Gold Sectional Medallion
Second	Silver Sectional Medallion
Third	Bronze Sectional Medallion

TEAMS

Awards in the team match may be provided at the sponsors' discretion.

INDIVIDUAL FIRED MATCH AWARDS:

Sponsors are at liberty to furnish the type of awards they choose for the individual fired matches. They may be medals, trophies, plaques, etc. Please include your own awards schedule showing awards to be offered and manner of awarding them in your program.

NATIONAL AWARD SCHEDULE: The following awards will be provided by the NRA.

INDIVIDUAL

Open Awards: First place will be given regardless of the number of competitors in the National Individual Championship. There must be a minimum of 25 competitors for second place to be given and a minimum of 35 competitors for third place to be given.

Winner	Norman R. Adair Trophy Plaque, Gold National Championship Medallion
Second	Silver National Championship Medallion
Third	Bronze National Championship Medallion

Woman Champion	NRA Lucite Award
Junior Champion	NRA Lucite Award
Senior Champion	NRA Lucite Award
Grand Senior Champion	NRA Lucite Award

TEAMS

Winning Team	4 Gold National Championship Adair Trophies in Lucite
Second Place Team	4 Silver Adair Trophies in Lucite
Third Place Team	4 Bronze Adair Trophies in Lucite