Small Bore (22) Pistol
Central Illinois Precision Shooters, Bloomington, IL.

Small Bore (.22) Pistol General Rules

The Youth Safety Handgun Act, as included in the Gun Control Act of 1968, puts restrictions on the use and possession of handguns by youth under 18 years of age. Youth participating in National 4-H Shooting Sports Invitational must, at all times, follow all provisions of this act. Therefore, event officials will require “the prior written consent of the juvenile’s parent or guardian who is not prohibited by Federal, State, or local law from possessing a firearm.” This written permission must be in possession of the youth – even if a parent/guardian is present. We suggest a simple statement, reduced to wallet size with the name of the youth, a parent’s name, address, as well as their signature, and that of a witness and dates. The participant can laminate this card and keep it with the shooting kit or on their person. This document must be displayed at check-in. Failure to have this document will require the State Committee to disqualify the shooter to avoid violation of federal law.

By entry in these events, the team coach or shooting sports program coordinator verifies that those youth entered are bona fide members of the 4-H program in their respective counties, knowledgeable and proficient in the safe use of the equipment, and knowledgeable of the general rules of the events. Match and/or range officials may dismiss or disqualify any participant if he/she believes the participant does not demonstrate the basic proficiency and knowledge required. Violation of any of these policies and/or rules are grounds for disqualification and dismissal from the 4-H Shooting Sports State Championships.
Any Competitor found to be unable to control his or her shots (shooting the Floor, Side Walls, Target Frames, or Back Safety wall) will be removed from competition and disqualified. Any damage to the ranges accrued during this event will be the responsibility of the Competitor, Coaches and County Coordinator.

- All smallbore pistols are required to use a Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) type CBI (Clear Barrel Indicator) when the handgun is uncased and not being fired. Cased pistols will be the last equipment to be brought to the range and the first to be removed from it.
- All events are “single pistol” matches, meaning participants are to shoot the entire course of fire, with the same pistol. No pistol changes will be allowed between stages, and only one pistol per shooter is allowed on the line. Pistols may be replaced only if they are disabled or malfunctioning.
- Pistol and ammunition must be checked in at designated rifle area for safety inspection. Ammunition will be labeled with participant’s name.
- Equipment (Pistols) allowed for events – found in individual events information
- Ammunition – to be brought by participant and meet the following specs: .22 long rifle; 40 grain solid round nose bullet; 1250 fps or less.
- Ear and eye protection: All shooters, coaches and spotters at the firing line are required to have eye and ear protection and must be provided by the individual.
- All Position, 50 feet matches
- Magazines – 5 shot maximum per string. Maximum of 5 rounds are to be loaded at any time

Small bore (.22 caliber) Pistol Events
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Small Bore Pistol will consist of two events: SLOW-FIRE BULLSEYE – single stage and CAMP PERRY ROUND (modified) (The State 4-H Shoot Planning Committee reserves the right to limit/change the number of shots being fired in any event.)

**Event #1 – Smallbore SLOW-FIRE BULLSEYE**

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<td>RANGE</td>
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<td>2-20 shots strings shot at 5 rounds at a time at 50 feet, 40 record shots</td>
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<td>TIME LIMIT</td>
<td>Please note: Sighting shots are not allowed as a part of the course of fire in pistol matches per Rule: 9.2, 2-20 shot string shot in 5 round segments at 2 targets at a time. Time limit is 20 minutes.</td>
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Any .22 caliber rimfire Pistol chambered for .22 long rifle cartridge may be used.; Barrel length, including cylinder, not more than 10 inches, no restrictions of overall weight, Trigger pull not less than 2 pounds. weight of Pistol and accessories other than those laid out in NRA Precision Pistol Rules.

Any sights, including telescopic, are permitted with the exception of those sights that project an image on the target. Open sights may be adjustable but not over 10 inch sight radius

Solid point (40 grains) standard velocity; match or target ammunition

Standing, One Handed

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Event #2

CAMP PERRY ROUND (modified)

50 feet
60 shots for record
50 feet, 20 shots slow fire, 20-timed fire and 20-rapid fire; (60 record shots)
The Match consists of: *One slow fire string of 20 rds. in 5 minutes
*Four timed fire strings of 5 rds. in 20 seconds
*Four rapid fire strings of 5 rds. in 10 seconds See NRA Rules 10.7 for commands and details.

Malfunctions: For allowable malfunctions (Rule 9.6) one refire string will be allowed in timed fire and one refire string in rapid fire. See Rule 10.9 for malfunctions in slow fire.

All Strings are shot in 5 shot segments. Maximum of 5 rounds are to be loaded at any time.
3.1.3 Standard Smallbore Pistol .22 caliber rim fire – The pistol may be any .22 rimfire pistol, either semi-automatic or revolver. The pistol shall most closely match the description of a pistol of the NRA Production Division – except as noted in Rule 3.1.3 or a rule specified in this synopsis. A Production Firearm is one which is or has been a catalog item readily available to the general public equipped with factory notch and post sights. All standard safety features of firearms must operate properly. The firearm shall have no visible internal or external modifications except as noted in the NGB rules. Barrel length, including cylinder, not more than 10 inches. Trigger pull not less than 2 pounds. .22 caliber rimfire – long rifle. Open sights only (4-H National Championship match rule). Rear sight may be adjustable, but sight radius no more than 10 inches.

Please note that those selected to attend the National 4-H Shooting Sports in Smallbore Pistol will also be required to shoot a Smallbore Silhouette Pistol event – so three shooting events at National – Slow Fire Bullseye, Camp Perry round and Silhouette. Minimum total scoring at this State Shoot will also be considered for attending the National competition.

Equipment Check-in:

We will be Checking Trigger pull, so make sure your pistols are in compliance with the listed rules of the specific class.

Smallbore – Trigger pull of at least 2.0 lbs.

Agenda – please note that the agenda may change if participant numbers require the change.