



Panola County Gun Club Highpower Across the Course Regional & Club Championship

with CMP EIC Matches (Service Rifle, Rimfire Pistol, Service Pistol)

hosted by Panola County Gun Club, Carthage, Texas
30 May - 1 June 2025

Range Location: PCGC is located at ~ 5221 FM 2517, Carthage, TX (NOT a mailing address). Google maps will also bring you to the range. Also see website: http://epcgc.com/?page_id=25

Match Staff: Director - Jerry Iliff, jerrypcgc@gmail.com; Admin/Stats – Yvonne Roberts, kd4kty@gmail.com; Pit Officer – TBD.

Range Access: Entrance gate will be unlocked ~ 6:45 AM (Saturday/Sunday). Gate will then be locked for the duration of the match day ~ when the first competitors go to the pits.

Entries: Entry forms completed/submitted electronically at <https://forms.gle/JPbMQ6tWJsw5Xd5NA>, or print/mail enclosed form.

- Advanced entries are required. Entry forms **and** fees must be received by **Tuesday, May 6, 2025**.
- Entries will be considered standby until payment is received.
- Completed registrations (entry form + payment) will be acknowledged by email from the Match Director.
- If entry forms are submitted online, they **do not** need to be printed and mailed with the entry fees.
- Make check or money order payable to “Panola County Gun Club” and mail to PCGC, 107 Belair St, Carthage, TX 75633. Electronic payments can be accepted via Zelle to Yvonne at kd4kty@gmail.com or via Venmo to Yvonne @kd4kty; ensure the team name is in the comments/memo section of the payment.
- Rifle competitors **MUST** bring an electronic device capable of interfacing with the electronic target system (Shotmarker)

Entry Limit: For rifle, the field will be limited to the first 21 individuals if utilizing e-targets (3 relays & 7 targets). If there is interest by more than 21 non-distinguished rifle competitors for the rifle EIC, then pulled targets will be used. For pistol, the limit is 18 (2 relays) each pistol type (Rimfire, Service).

Entry Fees: 800 point Regional \$60 adult / \$35 juniors; all EIC (LEG) matches \$25 each match (Rifle, Rimfire, and Service Pistol). Late fee \$15 (if entry form/payment received after 6 May). Discounts for shooting multiple matches

Refunds: Before 6 May 100% refunded. “No shows” will not be refunded.

Daily Start Times: Rifle (both Saturday & Sunday): Check-in will begin at 6:45 AM in the pits. Safety Brief is at 7:15 and pits are sealed. The match begins at 7:00 AM.

- Pistol (Friday only) check-in ~ 1:45 PM with Rimfire relay starting ~ 2 followed by a Service Pistol relay.

Governing Rules: Current NRA High Power Rifle rules apply for the Saturday Regional. The Excellence in Competition (EIC) aka “Leg” matches will be governed by the current CMP Highpower Rifle or Pistol Competition Rules, as applicable. Note that the CMP will not allow non-distinguished civilians to fire an EIC match in the “open” or “out of competition” category until they have completed five EIC matches in the calendar year.

Competitors are responsible for being aware of the Match Program; for following all posted safety regulations as well as those announced at the match / during the safety brief; and knowing the contents of the

current, applicable rule book especially those pertaining to electronic target scoring rules and protests. The Match Director reserves the right to disqualify any unsafe rifle, ammunition, or competitor. The Match Director reserves the right to modify the course of fire and/or pit rotations based on the number of shooters, weather, and/or range conditions.

Classifications: The competitor will utilize their NRA classification for the Regional, or CMP if they do not have an NRA classification. Unclassified competitors will compete in the Master class.

Challenge Fee: \$2 will be charged for each challenge but will be refunded if challenge is sustained. All scores are tentative until publication of the final bulletin. Notify the Statistical Officer of any apparent errors.

Targets: Rifle: SR, SR-3, and MR-1. Pistol: NRA B-6 and NRA B-8.

Course of Fire:

- **Friday, 30 May:** Pistol EICs (rimfire followed by service pistol relay(s)) Pistol EIC, 30 shots, no sighters. Pre-registration IS required to ensure a minimum of 6 competitors. Squadding will be done on the pistol range 50 yard line at 2:00 PM. This is a walk and score/paste match.
 - Match 1: 10 shots slow fire at 50 yards in 10 minutes
 - Match 2: 10 shots (fired as two, 5-shot strings) in 20 seconds
 - Match 3: 10 shots (fired as two, 5-shot strings) in 10 seconds
- **Saturday, 31 May:** Regional 80 NMC with sighters. Competitors will be pre-squadded. It is anticipated that this match will be fired on electronic targets. Competitors must have their own device to interface with the Shotmarker target.
 - Match 1: 2 sighters + 20 shots for record slow fire standing
 - Match 2: 2 sighters + 20 shots for record (fired as two, 10-shot strings) rapid fire sitting or kneeling
 - Match 3: 2 sighters + 20 shots for record (fired as two, 10-shot strings) rapid fire prone
 - Match 4: 2 sighters + 20 shots for record slow fire prone
 - Match 5: Aggregate of matches 1-4
- **Sunday, June 1:** CMP Service Rifle EIC (LEG) match, 50-shot National Match course (no sighters) Squadding will be done in the pits at 7:00 AM.

Equipment: Rifle - In accordance with current NRA rules, allowed rifles for Saturday's Regional are as follows: Service Rifle (3.1), Any Rifle/Any Sights (3.2); Match Rifle (3.3). **Compensators, suppressors, and muzzle brakes are prohibited** (3.16.1). Note, if anticipated 2025 rule change is published prior to start of match, suppressors may be allowed for the Regional (Saturday only). Suppressors are not allowed in CMP matches. **Empty chamber indicators (ECI) are required** (3.21).

Pistol – Section 5 of the CMP Pistol Rules (2025) fully define the requirements for Service and Rimfire pistols.

Ammunition: Competitors are required to furnish their own safe ammunition. Any defective or unsafe ammunition will be removed from the firing line. Any competitor that cannot get/stay on target will be removed from the firing line. No tracers or AP are allowed. No calibers larger than 0.35 may be used at PCGC. All 5.56 / .223 ammunition must utilize a 62-grain or heavier bullet at the 600 yard-line.

Range Rules & Policies:

- No equipment on the firing line (or concrete) until the relay is called to the line. Each relay will be called to the line ~ 5 minutes prior to the start of the preparation period.
- On the firing-line, competitors as well as any observers must wear hearing protection.
- The use and proper wearing of eye protection is required for the EIC matches (rifle and pistol) and is highly encouraged during the 800-point Regional.
- Competitors must bring their own device by which to receive/view/record the electronic shot placement

and value. PCGC will NOT provide devices nor power to charge device batteries.

- Brass must be picked up, even if the competitor does not want to keep it.
- Trash must be placed in a trash bag, where available, or leave with the competitor.
- Speed limit on range roads is 15 mph.
- Chamber Flags: The use of an empty chamber indicator (ECI) is always required even while the rifle is in the case. Only during a preparation period or actual firing may the ECI be removed from the rifle. ECI's may be purchased for \$1.00 each.
- Magazines and loading blocks may only be inserted in the rifle during the preparation period or live firing.
- Level-loading is required. Rifles must be pointed at the impact berm or lower while closing the bolt.
- Parking is behind the ready line (indicated by white posts) at the 200 & 300 yard lines and to either side of the 600 yard line.
- Electronic Devices: All electronic communication and audio devices forward of the ready line are to be silenced and communications disabled (NRA rule 3.22 / CMP Rule 5.5.8) This prohibition applies when shooting, scoring, and performing pit duties. Use of a cell phone to keep time is permitted only when "cellular data" is turned off, i.e., the phone is in airplane mode. Further all devices or equipment which may facilitate shooting are forbidden (NRA rule 3.18 / CMP Rule 5.5.6), this includes chronographs of all types during competition. No wind indicators may be placed forward of the firing line (CMP rule 5.5.9)

Scoring: Competitors must perform scoring/verifier duties and be familiar with applicable rules NRA sections 10.17 and 14.3 and CMP 4.2.9, and sections 4.9 and 7.6. Remember, it is the scorer's/verifier's duty to faithfully observe both the shooter and the electronic target monitor to guard against crossfires and spurious electronically recorded shots.

- Signed scorecards are to be turned in by the scorekeepers following the completion of each match.
- Errors on a scorecard should be crossed out and initialed by the scorer. Erasures and/or changes without the scorer's initials could disqualify the team for that match.

Challenge Period: The challenge period will end 15 minutes after the posting of scores and when the competitors in the pits return to the firing line. The statistician officer will resolve all protests.

Pit Service & Requirements: If target pulling becomes necessary, e.g. issues with e-targets, competitors must:

- Ride the trolley to/from the 600-yard line and the pits; no walking back/forth.
- Hearing and eye protection are required to be worn/used. Also, wearing of a billed hat is highly encouraged.
- Except for match staff, non-competitors are not allowed in the pits unless prior approval & permission is obtained from the Match Director. These individuals must abide by the pit rules.
- Paid (hired) pullers are not available, but competitors must notify the Match Director if they make their own arrangements for a puller. Competitors not physically able to pull targets must provide their own qualified target puller and notify the Match Director.

Range Amenities:

- Portable toilets are available behind the firing line and in the pits.
- There is no potable water at the range, but bottled water will be available in the pits.
- Shade canopies (personal) are only permitted in the parking area; no shade canopies behind the 600-yard line (area between the concrete and the tree line). Owners assume all risks.
- There will not be a lunch break.

Results: Match results will be temporarily posted on the Club home page, www.epcgc.com, and then archived

by year at http://epcgc.com/?page_id=123. Competitors will be able to download and save/print their results.

Awards (for EIC matches): Achievement pins (Gold, Silver, Bronze) will be awarded based upon a competitor's total score for the match and the applicable firearm cut off score in accordance with the current, applicable CMP rulebook.

The CMP will make the final determination of eligibility for EIC credit points and Distinguished status. A competitor will receive notification directly from the CMP. Note, the CMP has established minimum scores by firearm type that must be achieved before EIC credit points can be earned.

Awards (for Saturday's Regional & Club Championship):

- The Club Championship will be shot concurrently with the Regional. However, only a PCGC member can be named the Club Champion. The Club Champion will be awarded a Club Champion plaque and will be eligible for all Regional classification, category, and aggregate awards.
- Grand aggregate place awards will be presented to the winners by rifle type. If there are less than five any/match rifle entries, then there will no differentiation by rifle type.
- Classification awards will be made if there are a minimum of five competitors within that classification. Classes will be combined upward as required except that the High Master class will not be combined. If less than 5, the High Master classification will fire for place awards only.
- Classification awards will be made per stage: standing, rapid sitting, rapid prone, slow prone, and the grand aggregate.
- The number of classification awards is determined by the number of competitors within that classification. Second, third, fourth place, etc., awards will be given based on one award for each five (5) competitors, i.e., second 6-10; third 11-15, etc.
- Competitors winning a grand aggregate place award may not receive a Special Category Award.
- Competitors who receive a grand aggregate award will not receive a classification award for the grand aggregate score.
- A "Special Category Award" will be awarded based upon the Grand Aggregate scores if there are three (3) or more competitors in that special category. The Special Category Award recipients may receive classification awards for the individual stages.

NRA Distinguished Rifleman Award (Saturday only): Steps toward this distinguished award will be reported based on the Grand Aggregate (Match 9) score.

National Records (Saturday only): May be set in accordance with Section 17 of the current NRA Highpower rulebook. Competitors must be an NRA member to set a National Record.

- Courses of fire which National Records potentially be established are as follows:
 - Highpower Rifle – 17.5(y) 80 shot regional course
 - Recognition for individual scores fired as a special group ("Police", "Service") may also be fired.

Motels: are located at the intersection of the east loop around Carthage and FM 699.

- Best Western: (903) 693-6700, **Mention PCGC for discount
- Western Twelve Oaks: 903-693-7828
- Holiday Inn Express: 903-693-8585
- Baymont Inn/Regal Hotel: 903-631-0010
- Super 8 by Wyndham: 903-693-7200
- **Pop's Place RV Park – 490 County Rd 104, Carthage 903-631-0236
- There are numerous RV parks in the Carthage area.
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Area information: See http://epcgc.com/?page_id=25 for information and links to local dining, etc.

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Entry is not complete until payment is received. Squadding will be confirmed when payment is received.

By submitting this form, your entry will be electronically sent to the Match Director/Statistician.



Last Name

Your answer

First Name *

Your answer

Rifle Type *

Service Rifle

Match/Any Rifle



Current Panola County Gun Club Member? *

Yes

No

Address (FULL street, city, state, zip code) *

Your answer

Email address: *

Your answer

Emergency Contact (name & phone number) *

Your answer

I am (check the appropriate box(es)) Distinguished with the

Service Rifle

Rimfire Pistol

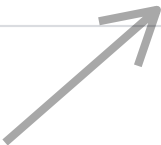
Service Pistol

neither rifle nor either pistol

NRA Rifle Classification (if no NRA, CMP). *

- HM
- MA/uncl
- EX
- SS
- MK

1. None
2. Grand Senior*
3. Senior*
4. Junior*
5. Woman
6. Police
7. College
8. ^Regular Service (Military)
9. ^Reserve Component (Military)
10. ^National Guard
- 11.



Special Category *

*If you are in a special category, please provide your birth date (month/year)

Your answer

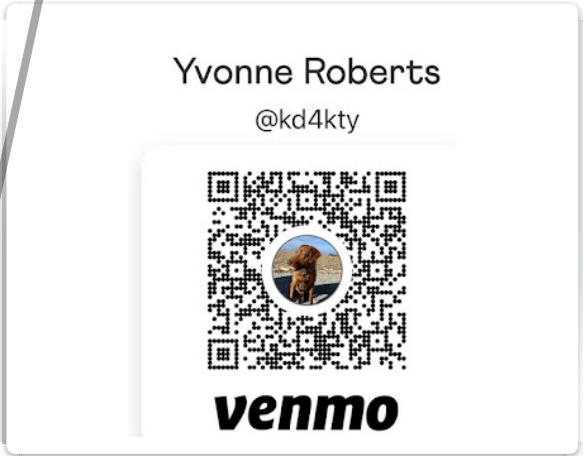
^If you are currently serving in the military, indicate Active, Reserve, or National Guard and provide rank (as abbreviation by service component)

Your answer

Indicate which matches you are entering:

Choose ▼

Indicate how your entry fee(s) are being paid: *



Mailing check/money order
(payable to "Panola County Gun
Club" mailed to 107 Belair St,

Carthage, TX 75633)

Venmo (comment "XTC Reg
")

- 1. EIC Rimfire Pistol only, \$25
 - 2. EIC Service Pistol only, \$25
 - 3. Regional (adult) & both pistol EICs: Rimfire and Service, \$100
 - 4. Regional (adult) + both Pistol EICs + Rifle EIC, \$120
 - 5. Regional (80 shot) only, junior \$35
 - 6. Regional (80 shot) only, adult \$60
 - 7. EIC Service Rifle only, \$25
 - 8. Regional (adult) & EIC rifle \$80
 - 9. Regional (junior) & EIC rifle \$50
- [Zelle to Yvonne Roberts @ kd4kty@gmail.com](mailto:kd4kty@gmail.com) (note "XTC Reg")