

Japan WWII Surrender 80th Anniversary Shoot

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Japanese Emperor Hirohito announced Japan's surrender Aug. 15, 1945. The official signing of the surrender documents was Sept. 2, 1945 onboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay.



This commemorative shoot for the end of the war is for WWII military rifles. They can be from any nation, but they have to have been used in WWII. Therefore, M1As, ARs, SKS, AKs and they like are not allowed. You may still shoot one for fun, but will not factor into the final results.

Course of fire: 20 shots prone at 100 yards and 20 shots standing at 200 yards, slow fire.

Carbines and like is 20 shots prone at 50 yards and 20 shots standing at 100 yards, slow fire.

There will be a 10 minute unlimited shot, sighting period prior to the match start at competitor's choice of distance. Sight adjustments are not allowed between stages. Service rifle equipment allowed.

Targets: SR target at 200 yards and the SR-1 target at 100 and 50 yards.

Fees: \$20 for the first gun and \$10 each for any additional guns.

This is Match #2 of a two part series. The first part is the German surrender shoot May 4, 2025. You do not have to shoot both parts. Each match is a separate match. Both matches will be combined to find an overall champion.



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Match #2 of the End of WWII Series



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