

Detroit Sportsmen's Congress 2024 Highpower Rifle League Program & Procedures

1. League Type:

This is a CMP (Civilian Marksmanship Program) High Power Rifle sanctioned league.

2. CMP Rules:

Its guiding document is the CMP Highpower Rifle Competition Rules – 27th Edition - 2024. Rules are available for free download at thecmp.org under “compete” then “competition rules”.
<https://thecmp.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/2024-Highpower-Rifle-Rules.pdf>

2.2 Rifles:

Rifles for this competition are M16/AR-15 – Type Service Rifle (4.1.1), M14/M1A – type Service Rifle (4.1.3), M1 Garand – Type Service Rifle (4.1.4), and Match Rifle (4.1.5).

2.3. Course of Fire:

The Course of Fire follows the Rifle National Match Course (5.4 Table 40):
10 Shots, Slow Fire, Standing Position, 10 minutes, SR target
10 Shots, Rapid Fire, Sitting or Kneeling from standing Position, 60 seconds, SR target
10 Shots, Rapid Fire, Prone Position from standing, 70 seconds, SR-42 target
20 Shots, Slow Fire, Prone Position, 20 minutes, MR-52 target

The order of the course of fire may be altered at the match director's discretion. For example, it is sometimes advantageous to start with prone slow fire.

3. Alibis:

There are no alibis for equipment malfunctions (5.2.6).

4. Rapid Fire Loading:

In loading rifle in preparation for the rapid fire stage, the magazine is loaded with the proper amount of ammo and the bolt is allowed to go forward on an EMPTY CHAMBER ONLY (5.2.3(b))!

5. Eligibility:

The High Power League is open to DSC full members, associate members and approved junior members. A DSC Rifle League Registration Form and Fees must be turned into the DSC office. Escorted guests may participate in order to encourage club membership but are not eligible for League awards or the Banquet.

6. Dates:

Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays beginning May 1, 2024 through September 28, 2024 unless preempted by special events that have been previously approved by the DSC Rifle Committee and recorded on the official DSC calendar of events.

7. Location:

The DSC rifle range is located at 49800 Dequindre, Utica, MI 48317 entrance is of Juengel Road, south end of the property.

8. Starting Times:

Wednesdays: Squadding closes at 5:45 p.m., Commence Fire at 6 p.m.
(September, squadding closes at 5:15 p.m.)
Fridays: Squadding closes at 8:45 a.m., Commence Fire at 9 a.m.
Saturdays Squadding closes at 8:45 a.m., Commence Fire at 9 a.m.

9. Registration and Fees:

A one-time (annual) league fee of \$50 is due prior to the start of the High Power season. This fee includes CMP registration of scores, entrance to the season ending league banquet and prizes awarded at the banquet. Associate members must pay an additional \$50 fee for associate membership. All participants must supply their CMP competitor number on the league application form so that their scores can be officially recorded. DSC full members may participate in other DSC rifle leagues at no additional cost.

Range fees are collected before each match. Range fees follow DSC rules. Full members \$8, members with work hours \$6, associate members \$14 and escorted guests are \$15.

10. CMP League Scoring:

A participant must shoot 10 matches to be eligible for Awards. Awards are based on the Lewis System. For CMP classification, the last 6 matches that were recorded for score will be used. Scores are submitted to the CMP for classification purposes.

11. Competitor Responsibilities:

Competitors will conduct themselves in a safe and respectful manner at all times. They are responsible for knowing and following all safety regulations. It is requested that cell phones be turned off or put on vibrate during matches.

All competitors are responsible for scoring the adjacent competitors target. CMP rules prohibit scoring of one's own target. All score sheets must be signed by both the competitor and the scorer. Competitors are responsible to make sure their score sheet is correct and to turn it into the range officer.

If attendance at a match exceeds capacity, priority will be given those shooters that have not yet turned in 10 scores for record.

Competitors are responsible for setting up and taking down their own targets and to help with general setup and break down.

It is requested that competitors bring exact change to pay the daily range fees because change will not always be available.

12. Challenges:

The attending league range official will be responsible for resolving any challenges or rule/procedural disputes. The League Statistician will have the final decision over scoring/classification disputes.

13. Responsibilities / Equipment:

Participants must provide their own ammo and supplies. Shooting mats are available for use at the range.

14. Range Officer Duties:

The Range Officer is responsible for conducting the match in safe and organized manner in accordance with CMP High Power Rules. He is responsible for collecting range fees, making targets and supplies available and ensuring that the League Statistician receives competitor score sheets in a timely fashion. If the statistician is not present at the match, the Range officer will place scores in an appropriate storage container in the league shed. The Range Officer is responsible to ensure the range is left in proper condition. The Chief Range Officer has the option to delegate any portion of his duties to an assistant RO.

15. League Information:

A copy of the CMP High Power Rule Book and this DSC High Power League Program and Procedures will be stored in the DSC rifle range building and is available for all competitors to consult. It is the responsibility of the competitor to know and follow the rules. General league information and rules clarification can be obtained by contacting Jim Parsons jimparsons@comcast.com or 586-306-2724.