

AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA
JUNIOR SHOOTING SPORTS PROGRAM
OFFICIAL PROGRAM DECEMBER 2008/2009 POSTAL MATCH

- LOCATION: Postal Match Targets are to be sent to Roy Gene Kruger
324 7th ST. NW. Byron Minnesota 55920
- DATE: December 2008
- SPONSOR: American Legion Department of Minnesota, JSSP
- EVENTS: Individual 3 X 10 and Team 4 X 3 X 10. Ten shots prone, ten shots standing, and ten shots kneeling, in that order.
- TIME
SCHEDULE: Targets are to be fired and mailed by December 28th
- EQUIPMENT
CLASSES: Sporter
- COMPETITION
OPEN TO: This competition is open to School Age Three - Position Air Rifle Competitors **Sponsored/Affiliated with an American Legion Post**. Any person may compete in School Age Three - Position competition until 31 August of the year in which they graduate from high school or the equivalent. There is no minimum age limit. School Age competitors must meet eligibility requirements of their school or school's governing organization.
- RULES: The National Standard Three-Position Air Rifle Rules will apply. Individual and team events will be fired concurrently. A team will consist of four competitors. ***All team members must be named at the beginning of the season and only those team members will be eligible to compete in team competitions. One alternate will be authorized.*** The scores fired by each member of a team count for both individual rankings and team rankings. The team scores will be calculated by adding the individual scores of the four-team members. Coaching will be allowed only during sighting shots.
- AWARDS: Medals will be awarded to ***individuals*** for first place (gold medal), second place (silver medal) and third place (bronze). Competitors can only win one medal each season. ***Winning a medal qualifies the competitor to compete in the State Championship Individual Postal Match.*** Plaques will be awarded to teams for first, second and third place. ***The top five teams, based on team average scores will be invited to compete in the State Championship Team Postal Match.***

RANGE

LOCATION: Individual/Team Range at home stations.

ENTRY FEES: None

HOW TO ENTER: **Sponsors must complete the team member declaration form and submit it with the first match in which they compete.**

Sponsors must also complete the attached Individual Match Entry Form for each target set submitted.

TARGET SETS: Target sets will consist of official targets only. Authorized targets are the National Three-Position Air Rifle Council NC-AR10 targets or NRA AR5/10 targets dated 2004 or newer.

A target set is one prone, standing and kneeling target (3X10). ***Complete all of the information requested on the Match Entry Form and the American Legion Department of Minnesota Release and Consent Form (Note: Only one Release and Consent Form is required to be on file for each competitor). Missing or inaccurate data will result in disqualification.*** Print the name of the competitor across the top front of each target in the target set. Print the position fired in the upper left corner of the target. Targets that do not have the competitor's name printed across the top front or the positions fired printed in the upper left corner will be disqualified.

Only one shot is to be fired on each record bull. Competitors must fire all his/her targets at one sitting without pulling equipment off the line unless an allowance has been made for a disabled rifle.

Target sets will be assembled in the same order fired: First target prone, second standing, third kneeling. ***Place team target sets together. If you have individuals outside the team that score higher than team members you may submit their target sets for individual ranking.***

OTHER: Postal matches can only be competitive when all rules are followed. Integrity is a must! Coaches do not allow competitors to fire target sets unsupervised. All three targets must be fired within a 75-minute time frame. Train your competitors to use all of their time.

Preparation Period	10 minutes
10 shots prone	20 minutes
Changeover period	5 minutes
10 shots standing	20 minutes
Changeover period	5 minutes
10 shots kneeling	15 minutes

Team Member Declaration Form

American Legion Department of Minnesota Junior Shooting Sports Program

Please Print

Which Post do you represent ? _____

Which School do you represent ? _____

Sponsors Name: _____

Sponsors Phone Number: _____

Sponsors E-mail Address: _____

Team Member Names and Grade in School

1. _____
(Last, Name) (First Name) (Grade)

2. _____
(Last, Name) (First Name) (Grade)

3. _____
(Last, Name) (First Name) (Grade)

4. _____
(Last, Name) (First Name) (Grade)

Alternate:

(Last, Name) (First Name) (Grade)

The alternate may be used only if one of the team members becomes ineligible to compete. Once the alternate is placed in competition he/she must finish out the competition year. If other team members become ineligible your team will be disqualified from competition. There will be no other authorized replacements.

ONLY ONE FORM PER YEAR REQUIRED!

Individual Match Entry Form

American Legion Department of Minnesota Junior Shooting Sports Program

Please Print!

Competitor: _____
(First Name) (MI) (Last Name)

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Team Member: YES NO
(Month/Day/Year) (Circle one)

Which Post do you represent? _____

Post Address: _____

Which school do you represent? _____

School Address: _____

Army JROTC ____ Marine JROTC ____ Navy JROTC ____ 4-H ____ Other Youth Group _____

Rifle Manufactured by _____ Model _____

Sponsor Scoring. Targets are to be scored by the Adult Sponsor Only! Score each shot as you see it.

- Do not plug or tamper with any shot hole.
- Do not write scores on the target.
- Score each shot in the numerical sequence of the bulls on the targets.
- Write the value of each shot in the appropriate block.

Bull No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Prone											
Standing											
Kneeling											
Total											

Competitor Certification

I certify that the information on this entry form is true. I have fired the attached postal targets according to the requirements listed in the Official Match Program and the National Standard Three Position Air Rifle Rules. I have taken no action, which would give me unfair advantage over my competitors. I have fired only one set of targets for this match.

Signature of Competitor: _____

Adult Sponsor Certification

I certify that I witnessed these targets being fired and that I personally scored each target. All the requirements set forth in the Official Match Program and the National Standard Three Position Air Rifle Rules were followed.

Signature of Adult Sponsor: _____

Print Name: _____
(First) (MI) (Last)

Telephone Number: (_____) _____

Target Set Fired: ____/____/____
(Month) (Day) (Year)

NOTE: After this form is complete and Sponsor Scoring has been accomplished:

1. Organize the targets in the order shown in the sponsor scoring section.
2. Place this Match Entry Form in the front of the target set and staple them in the upper left corner.
3. ONLY ONE FORM PER COMPETITION REQUIRED!

**TARGETS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR OFFICIAL SCORING
UNLESS THIS FORM IS COMPLETED PROPERLY**

Mail Target Sets to:

Roy Gene Kruger
324 7th ST. NW
Byron, Minnesota 55920

**THE AMERICAN LEGION
DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA, INC.
ROOM 300A, 20 WEST 12TH STREET
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55155-2000**

RELEASE AND CONSENT

I, hereby expressly grant to **The American Legion, Department of Minnesota, and its employees, agents and assigns**, the right to film, videotape or photograph me and use my picture, silhouette and other reproductions of my physical likeness (as the same may appear in any still camera photograph and/or motion picture film and/or interactive media/internet), in and in connection with the exhibition theatrically on television, or otherwise. I further understand there will be no monetary compensation paid to me for said filming and any promotional materials, which may be derived from the same. I have read this document and discussed it with my parents or guardian and I freely enter into this contract:

Minors Full Name and Home Address (address, city, state, zip). Please Print

(Minors Signature)

Parent/Guardian Affirmation

I, the undersigned, hereby warrant that I am the parent or guardian of:

(Print Minor's Name)

a minor and have full authority to authorize the above Release which I have read and approved.

I hereby release **The American Legion, Department of Minnesota and its and their respective licensees, successors and assigns**, from and against any and all liability arising out of exhibition of the releaser's picture, silhouette and other reproductions of his/her physical likeness in connection with any print, film, interactive media/internet or videotape advertisement or other promotional media.

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____
(mm/dd/yyyy)