

To all interested shooters!

YOU ARE INVITED...

“Iron Shoulder Shoot”

November 4-5, 2017

We encourage participants to donate prizes adding a wonderful personal atmosphere of camaraderie. So please feel free to add something to the prize table, if you choose.

It would be deeply appreciated if each of us would put a little extra effort into our clothing and accoutrements providing the best historical ambience for the shoot! Prizes will be awarded for the best dressed in each of the following four categories. “Business/Sunday go-to-meetin” for both men and ladies and “Work/Everyday” clothing for ladies and gentlemen that may be specific to your gun era. This is not mandatory, but encouraged.

The American Historical Rifle Association, forbids the open display or sale of alcoholic beverages. This is STRICTLY ENFORCED!

Camping

Tent and trailer camping is available at the shooting grounds. When you set up your camp please allow a minimum of 100 feet clearance behind the loading area for emergency services access. There will be a taped area. This is a legal requirement.

Please note!!! For liability reasons, no shooting activities will be permitted other than defined hours. Please leave the grounds in good conditions and place all trash in provided receptacles. Please make sure that fires are out and not smoldering. Please be courteous and helpful to the volunteers that are helping make this a safe, fun and friendly atmosphere.

Membership And Registration

You must be a member of the American Historical Rifle Association to participate. Your membership registration of \$50.00 covers your membership dues, shooting and

Camping. Pre-registrations must be received no later than October 25, 2017 however; you may register at the shoot. until Capacity is reached.

VENDERS ~ PLEASE NOTE!!!

Many of our members bring items for sale. This practice of “tailgating” is encouraged and appreciated. However, because of insurance purposes, it has become necessary that we require all vendors (with the exception of those consigned by the organizers) to be registered shooters, whether you choose to shoot or not.

SAFTY FIRST!!!

A required safety meeting will be held at 7:30 AM Central Standard Time for shooters of the first relay. Shooting range safety rules are strictly enforced and we stress: 1. All rifles must be carried muzzle up as to be above competitor's heads. 2. Pre-loading for the next target is not permitted. 3. No loaded rifle should be left unattended. 4. Blowing down the barrel from the muzzle end is strictly forbidden. Non-compliance may result in removal of the competition and may be asked to leave.

IMPORTANT SPECIFICS

Shooting coaches for juniors, shooter assistance for people with physical challenges, Range Officers or authorized event staff should be within the loading area or on the firing line.

No Spotting scope will be allowed on any discipline. Inlines are welcome to participate as long as round ball is used and are obeying all specific sight rules.

Over the Log

RIFLES

May be either flint or percussion in traditional hunting or traditional target style. There is no limit as to weight or caliber. The rifle may not be equipped with a false muzzle. Patched round ball only.

SIGHTS

The front sight may be a blade, pin-head, post or barleycorn. The use of Shaders is permitted. All rear open sights must be at least six inches forward of the breech end of the barrel. They must have a "U", "V" or rectangular opening, as wide at the top as any part of the notch. Adjustable rear open sights will be permitted. However, no adjustment may be made to the sites after the beginning of the competition. And adjustment screws will be covered with either wax or tape.

OTL / BARREL REST

Barrel rest will be a log provided by the range, no items to stabilize the gun will be allowed. A scrap of leather to protect the finish, provided by the range, may be placed on the log.

Targets will be boards with 10 2inch X's on them. Your spotter will be moved to a different X for each shot. This will be shot at approximately 60 yds..

Table Shoot

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SIGHTS

The front sight may be a blade, pin-head, post or barleycorn. The use of "shaders" is permitted. All rear open sights must be at least six inches forward of the breech end of the barrel. They must have a "U", "V" or rectangular opening, as wide at the top as any part of the notch. Adjustable rear open sights will be permitted. However, no adjustment may be made to the sites after the beginning of the competition. And adjustment screws will be covered with either wax or tape

All shooters will use a common table or tables provided by range. The muzzle will be supported by a pyramid of 2X4s provided by range. no items to stabilize the gun will be allowed. A scrap of leather to protect the finish, provided by the range, may be placed on the rest.

The distance shot will be approximately 30 yards at board a with 10 2inch X's on them. Your spotter will be moved to a different X for each shot.

COW PASTURE TRAP

Trap positioning will be determined by event staff. May be shot with an open bore shotgun. Shooting positions will be assigned by event staff. This will be a 10-bird match with re-entry available at an additional cost of \$4.00. All Birds will be counted.

Range for bird flight is anywhere from 10 yds. to 50 yds.

WOODSWALK

Woodswalk will consist of 10 pts available with 9 targets. Targets are at the discretion of the event staff. This will be scored as 1 point for a hit, 0 for a miss. One part of your body must be touching the shooting position stake at the time of firing. Must be shot out "of the bag". Range rods will be allowed. This is a re-entry event also with an additional cost of \$5.00 per re-entry.

Hawk, Knife, and a "Plank Shoot" will be there for demonstration purposes only at this time.