

2005 NRA OPEN SECTIONAL
National Indoor Conventional Pistol Championship
March 6, 2005

Sponsored by:
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The 2005 NRA Open Sectional - National Indoor Pistol Championships are being fired at Sectional Tournaments throughout the United States. They are operated by match staff composed of local match officials. All local challenges and protests are to be resolved on the match site according to procedures outlined in Section 16 of the NRA Pistol Rule Book. Each individual competitor and team firing in a Sectional will automatically be entered in the National Championship at no additional charge.

All fired scores are sent to NRA where they are compiled and a National Champion determined. For the purpose of the National Championship, the National Match Director may require that any or all fired targets from any sectional be sent to NRA Headquarters under the provisions of rule 16.1.

National Indoor Championships Match Officials:

Match Director: M. S. Gilchrist
Statistical Officer: Robert J. Piccoli
Referee: Jerry Long

All fired targets must be retained until the challenge period for the National Sectional Indoor Championship Final Result Bulletin has ended, two weeks after the bulletin is mailed to all competitors.

ELIGIBILITY:

A Competitor (individual or team) may enter only one NRA Pistol Sectional during 2005. Competitors may enter other types of Sectionals if eligible. Adult competitors must be individual members of the NRA and be prepared to exhibit their membership card. A junior competitor may be an individual member of the NRA or a member of a club affiliated with the NRA.

Tournament officials (Rule 11) may not compete in the Sectional at which they are officiating.

TEAMS - A team will consist of four (4) firing members representing an NRA affiliated club (Rule 2.11 or 2.11.1), a law enforcement agency (Rule 2.14), a regular service, National Guard or Reserve Unit (Rule 2.13). Teams composed of competitors not all in the same category are mixed teams. Mixed teams in Sectionals may fire for open awards only. Scores for mixed teams will not be used for National ranking or awards.

NOTE: In order for scores from a Sectional to be recognized for Sectional awards, there must be teams and individuals entered in the Sectional concerned representing more than one affiliated organization. All scores, except those for mixed teams, will be recognized for National Awards.

NRA MEMBERSHIP NUMBER: All competitors must put their NRA Member ID number on their entry card.

RULES: Current NRA Pistol Rules will govern.

EQUIPMENT: .22 Caliber Pistol (Rule 3.4).

DISTANCE: 50 feet

TARGETS: B-2, slowfire target, B-3, timed & rapid fire target. Turning targets are required for Conventional Sectionals.

SCORE CARDS: Special Sectional score cards will be used and must be signed by the competitor to be considered for National ranking and awards. If category is not indicated on the score card, competitors will be placed in the Civilian category.

SOUVENIR AWARDS: NRA will provide to the sponsor a souvenir pin for each competitor.

CATEGORIES: The National Individuals and Team Championships, separate class awards will be given in each of three categories; Civilian (Rule 2.2), Police (Rule 2.4), and Service (Rules 2.5, 2.6, and 2.7) subject to the conditions of the award schedule.

SENIOR, JUNIOR, AND HIGH WOMAN CATEGORY: Although not required, sponsors are encouraged to provide an award for the high senior, junior and woman in the aggregate.

CLASSIFICATION: All competitors will be classified according to the NRA Classification System in individual and team matches and must exhibit their classification card or Temporary Score Record Book at the Statistical Office. Unclassified competitors will fire in the Master Class if they do not have an assigned classification (Rule 19.6).

ENTRIES: (Individuals) Entries in individual matches will be made by completing and submitting the attached Registration and Entry Form, accompanied with a Check or Money Order. Be sure to indicate the date and time that you wish to fire. Return entry form immediately with correct fees to: CONTACT PERSON LISTED ON THE COVER and ON THE ENTRY FORM.

TEAMS: Entries made for team participation should be indicated on each individual entry form. Team entries should be made by the Team Captain in person prior to start of the firing of the team match.

ENTRIES CLOSE: Individual Match entries must be received no later than the Monday preceding the opening date of the Sectional. Team entries may be made any time prior to the start of firing of the Team Match.

ENTRIES LIMITED: Entries are limited to fifty (50) competitors. Persons making entry within the time limit who cannot be accepted will be notified by mail and their fees will be returned.

POST ENTRIES: Post entries will be accepted up to the range capacity provided extra relays are not required.

FEES: See Registration and Entry Form.

SQUADDING: Matches will be squadded and assignments will be made by the Statistical Office. Teams are not required to be squadded to fire as a unit.

TIME OF FIRING: (date and starting time for relay)

March 6, 2005	9:00AM,	11:00AM	
	1:00PM	3:00PM	5:00PM (will run only if other relays are full)

MATCH SCHEDULE:

Match #1 - 20 shots slow fire, 2 strings of 10 rounds, 10 minutes per string.

Match #2 - 20 rounds timed fire, 4 strings of 5 rounds, 20 seconds per 5 shot string.

Match #3 - 20 rounds rapid fire, 4 strings of 5 rounds, 10 seconds per 5 shot string.

Match #4 - 30 shots, 10 rounds slow fire, 10 rounds timed fire, 10 rounds rapid fire - Gallery Course.

Match #5 - 90 round aggregate.

Match #6 - Team Match - NRA Gallery Course - All members of each team must fire, this is not a paper match.

SECTIONAL AWARD SCHEDULE:

Individual - Awards will be provided by the NRA for the Sectional Individual and Team Matches on the following basis:

If there are fewer than five (5) entries in a category, they will be combined with entries of another category within the same class.

The Categories are: Civilian, Police, and Service.

If there are fewer than 5 entries after combining all the categories of a class, there will be No Awards provided in that class and all competitors in the next lower class will be removed to their respective category in the next higher class. Competitors of lower classifications will not be combined with the High Master Class. If fewer than five entries in the High Master Class, they will compete for Open Awards only.

An Individual or team winning an Open Award will not be entitled to a Class Award in the same match. Such awards will be passed down to the next eligible Individual or Team.

Team - NRA will provide awards at the Sectional level for the Open Winning Team only. Additional places in the team match may be provided by the sponsor at his discretion.

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT AWARDS (Matches 1, 2, 3, and 4)

Provided by: the Oneida Rifle Club, Inc.

Open Winner each match: Gold Medal.

Awards will be given only by classes; there will be no category breakdown. The sponsor will combine classes for awards if there are fewer than five (5) competitors in a class.

First Place each class: Silver Medal. Provided there are five (5) or more competitors in a class.

Second Place each class: Award Certificate. Provided there are eleven (11) or more competitors in a class.

An additional Award Certificate for each ten (10) competitors or major fraction thereof in a class of over 21 competitors. For example, the Third Place Award would be given if there were 27 competitors in a class, and a Fourth Place Award would be given if there were 37 competitors in a class, etc..

SECTIONAL INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Open Awards: First place will be given regardless of the number of competitors in the Sectional. There must be a minimum of 15 competitors for second place to be given and a minimum of 30 competitors for third place to be given.

Provided by: the National Rifle Association

Winner: Gold Sectional Medallion and 15 NRA Award Points.

Second: Silver Sectional Medallion and 10 NRA Award Points.

Third: Bronze Sectional Medallion and 5 NRA Award Points.

Class & Category Awards: Separate class awards will be given in each of 5 classes, High Master, Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, and Marksman. There must be a minimum of 5 competitors in a class and category to establish competition, 8 or more to provide Second Place, and 13 or more to provide Third Place. No NRA Awards will be given below Third Place.

First in Class & Category = 10 NRA Award Points

Second in Class & Category = 8 NRA Award Points

Third in Class & Category = 6 NRA Award Points

SECTIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Provided by: the National Rifle Association

Winning Team: 20 NRA Award Points, (5 per team member).

Provided by: Oneida Rifle Club, Inc.

Team Awards will Be given only by classes; there will be no category breakdown. The Sponsor will combine classes for awards if there are fewer than five (5) teams in a class.

First Place: 4 Bronze Medals, 1 per team member, will be awarded in each class in which there are five (5) or more teams, with additional Bronze Medals for subsequent places as follows: eleven (11) or more Teams in a class for Second Place Award, twenty-one (21) or more Teams in a class for Third Place Award.

NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL SECTIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Open Awards: First Place will be given regardless of the number of competitors in the National Individual Championship. There must be a minimum of 25 competitors for Second Place to be given, and a minimum of 35 competitors for Third Place to be given.

Provided by: the National Rifle Association

Winner - Gold National Championship Medallion and 50 NRA Award Points.

Second - Silver National Championship Medallion and 40 NRA Award Points.

Third - Bronze National Championship Medallion and 30 NRA Award Points.

Special Awards:

Woman Champion - Trophy

Junior Champion - Trophy

Class and Category Awards - Separate awards will be given in the five classes: High Master, Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, and Marksman. Same as outline under "Categories" and "Sectional Award Schedule"). There must be a minimum of five competitors in a class and category to establish competition, 8 or more to provide a second place and 13 or more to provide a third place. An additional 3 NRA Award Points will be given in each category of each class for each 20 entries or major fraction thereof over 50. Individuals of lower classification Will Not be combined with the High Master Class. If fewer than 5 entries in the High Master Class, they will compete for Open Awards Only.

First in Class & Category = 10 NRA Award Points

Second in Class & Category = 8 NRA Award Points

Third in Class & Category = 6 NRA Award Points

NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Provided by: The National Rifle Association

Winning Team - 4 Gold Medals

Second Place Team - 4 Silver Medals

Third Place Team - 4 Bronze Medals

Class and Category Awards - Separate class awards will be given.

Teams of lower classification Will Not be combined with the High Master Class. If fewer than 5 entries in the High Master Class, they will compete for Open Awards only.

A Team winning an Open Award will not be entitled to a Class Award in the same match. Such awards will be passed down to the next eligible team.

First Place - 4 Silver Medals

An additional four (4) Bronze Medals in each category of each class for each twenty (20) teams or major fraction thereof over forty (40).

DIRECTIONS TO RANGE

The Clubhouse and Range are located on Randel (Randall) Road, Oneida, New York, about 1 mile North of the Sconodoa St. intersection.

NY Route 5 (Genesee St.) runs east and West on the Southern edge of the City of Oneida.

NY Route 46 (Main St.) runs North and South through the City of Oneida.

Madison St. runs East from Main St. (Route 46) and continues into Sconodoo St.; Randel Rd. runs North from Sconodoo St. approximately one (1) mile East of the intersection of Madison St. and Main St. Just before you reach the intersection of Randel Road and Sconodoo St., you will cross the Oneida Creek bridge and on your left will be a junk yard.

Those traveling the Thruway (I-90) into Oneida from the West will exit at the Canastota Interchange (Exit 34), and take NY Route 13 South (left) to NY Route 5; Route 5 East (left) to Oneida and onto Main Street (left) to Madison St. (right) and Sconodoo Street to Randel Rd. (left) to the Club.

Those traveling the Thruway (I-90) into Oneida from the East will exit at the Verona Interchange (Exit 33), and take Route 365 South (left) to Sconodoo St. (turn right) onto Sconodoo St. and follow Sconodoo St. to Mason Rd. or Randel Road (Turn right).

****** FOOD ******

The usual good food will be available at the Range during the tournament.

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR ENTRY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

