

2023 Gulf Coast Air Rifle Match  
February 5, 2023  
Montgomery County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall, Conroe, TX

Official Match Bulletin

Montgomery 4-H Shooting Sports will host the 2023 Gulf Coast Air Rifle Match February 5, 2023.

DIRECTIONS TO RANGE: Montgomery County Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall 9201 Airport Rd. Conroe, TX 77303

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RULES: The match and all conditions will be governed by the CMP's 2022-2024 National Three-Position Air Rifle Rulebook 14th Edition. It is the responsibility of all range personnel, each competitor, and coach to know and/or become familiar with these Rules. These can be viewed and/or downloaded through the CMP website.

ELIGIBILITY: Individuals (Rule 3.1) – Any person may compete in School Age Three-Position Air Rifle competitions until 31 August of the year in which they graduate from high school or the equivalent. There is no minimum age limit, but competitors must be in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade or above. Athletes who represent schools must meet the eligibility requirements of their school or school's governing organization. Athletes who graduate from school at mid-semester or during the current school year continue to be eligible to compete until 31 August following that school year.

Teams (Rule 3.2) – Teams (sporter or precision only) must be made up of four individuals from the same school or club, declared before 1st shot. No shooter may be a member of more than one team. Teams must be composed of individuals either all competing in sporter class or all competing in precision class. No mixed class teams. Coach or parent must contact Match Director by January 15, 2023 to declare teams. Prone Only Match will allow two person teams formed from two competitors from the same club.

ENTRY FEES: Entry fees are \$30 per individual. There will be no additional entry fee for teams.

ENTRY INFORMATION: To register, complete form at: <https://www.jotform.com/213105067529048>. Registration will be on a first come, first served basis, and will be limited to the first 40 competitors to complete and submit payment and registration form. Payment and registration forms should be received no later than January 1, 2023. Late registrations will be accepted through January 15, 2023, as space allows. No onsite registration will be available.

COURSE OF FIRE: See chart under Rule 5.3.3 – Individual Event, 3x20, No Finals for Sporter and Precision Air Rifle Competitors. Prone Only Match for Juniors will be 20 shots, No Finals.

SCORING: The Orion Scoring System will be used. Scores will be uploaded to the Orion Results website as targets are scanned. Orion 10 meter air rifle 12 bull targets will be used for this match.

TIME LIMITS: See chart under Rule 5.3.3 – Individual Event, 3x20 (P-S-K Order). Prone Only Match will operate under time limits listed for sighters and prone position under rule above.

EQUIPMENT: Rules are under 4.0 of the current rulebook. Prone Only match will be run under Sporter classification rules for equipment.

COACHING: Competitors, coaches, family members, etc. must become familiar with the Rules that apply to the class the competitor intends to participate in. Sporter – Rule 5.2.1

TIES: See Rule 8.6

AWARDS: Medals will be awarded to the top 3 Individuals in each event: Sporter Class, Precision Class, and Prone Only. Team awards will be given based on number of team entries per class. Medals will be awarded to the 1<sup>st</sup> place team in each class with a minimum of three teams entered into a class. 2<sup>nd</sup> place team medals will be awarded if entries reach 4 teams per class. 3<sup>rd</sup> place team medals will be awarded if entries reach 6 teams per class. Awards ceremony will take place at end of the day after all scores are tabulated. (approximately 5:30 P.M.).

AVAILABLE RELAYS:

Relay	Event	Arrive/Check In	Match Begins	Match Ends
4A	3 Position Sporter/Precision	12:00 P.M.	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
4B	Prone Only Junior Match	12:00 P.M.	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
5A	3 Position Sporter/Precision	2:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.
5B	Prone Only Junior Match	2:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.
	Awards Ceremony	≈ 5:30 P.M.		

MATCH STARTS: Arrive at least one hour early for check in and firing point set up. Time listed as beginning time is time of first shot for that relay to go down range. Relay start time will not be delayed for tardiness. Seating will not be provided. Spectators should bring their own chairs.

CHANGES TO MATCH BULLETIN: Though this Bulletin is intended to benefit the match personnel and shooters, changes can be made where deemed necessary by authority of the Match Director. Where there are any questions, changes, or comments please bring them to the Match Director's attention.

CONCESSIONS: Available for purchase at match venue. Proceeds will be donated to cover costs of hosting this match.