

NATIONAL MUZZLELOADING RIFLE ASSOCIATION
NEW YORK TERRITORIAL
September 22, 23, 24, 2017

Hosted by the Old Saratoga Muzzle Loading Club, 159 Duell Road, Quaker Springs, NY
 Website: WWW.OSMLC.COM

- Friday 9 am – 5 pm, Saturday 8 am - 5 pm, Sunday 8 am – 3 pm
- Cookshack open each day, camping available, indoor facilities
- For more information, call (518) 496-5580 or email osmlcsecretary@gmail.com

Fees

- Registration fee for MEMBERS of NMLRA, NRA, NSSA, SASS, CBA, BAR or ACWSA is \$8.00 /\$13.00 family.
- All members of above associations must show a valid membership card at time of registration.
- Registration fee for NON-MEMBERS is \$12.00/\$18.00 family.
- Entry fee for each Aggregate is \$8.00 Members/\$12.00 Non-Members
- Sub-Juniors (under age 12), Juniors (under age 15), & Intermediates (under age 18) shoot free.
- Sub-Junior, Junior, and Intermediate shooters must have a Junior Shooter Card or Junior Membership
- NMLRA Membership and Junior Shooter Cards available at Territorial.

Awards

- NMLRA Territorial Championship medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place winners of each Aggregate unless otherwise noted.
- Medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place winners of each match unless otherwise noted.
- TOP GUN Award
- All registered competitors are eligible for all awards including Top Gun

General Match Procedures

- Competitors must enter Aggregates only.
- Each match target must be fired separately in the course of a single relay (30 minutes) except any bench and musket matches, which are allowed two consecutive relays. Bench matches may be shot from the cross sticks position.
- All targets are to be fired as issued—no aiming spots, dots, etc.
- The muzzle of all firearms must be pointed up or down range between shots.
- NMLRA Rules are in effect for all shooting and scoring.
- All targets must be dated by the person issuing the target and returned to the Range Officer immediately following the relay. (OSMLC Rule)
- All targets must be shot on the day the target is dated. If unshot targets are held over to the next day, the person issuing targets must update the date of the target.

OFFHAND CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter A) – Flintlock or Percussion.

One rifle, any metallic sights, offhand, one relay per match. This AGG qualifies for NMLRA Offhand Classification.

Match	A1	25 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	A2	50 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	A3	50 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	A4	100 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)

FLINTLOCK CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter B)

One rifle, Traditional rifle, open sights, offhand, one relay per match. Sights may be adjustable. This AGG qualifies for NMLRA Offhand Classification.

Match	B5	25 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	B6	50 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	B7	50 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	B8	100 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)

BENCH REST CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter C)

One or more rifles, sights as noted, 5 shots each target. Two (2) consecutive relays may be used to fire each of these matches. Bench matches may be fired from the cross sticks and will still be allowed two (2) consecutive relays for each match.

Match	C9	50 yards	any metallic sights	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	C10	50 yards	open sights	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	C11	100 yards	any metallic sights	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	C12	100 yards	open sights	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)

MUSKET CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter D)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

One musket, as issue sights on an approved musket (See *NMLRA Range Rules and Regulations*). 10 shots each target.

Two (2) consecutive relays may be used to fire each of these matches.

Match	D13	50 yards	offhand	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	D14	100 yards	any military position	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)
	D15	100 yards	offhand	200 yard target

ONE GUN CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter E)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

One gun, 14 pound weight limit, open sights, sights may be adjustable, 5 shots each target, position as noted. One relay per match except for bench rest matches which may use two (2) consecutive relays. Bench matches may be shot from the cross sticks position and still be allowed two (2) consecutive relays to complete the match.

Match	E16	50 yards	offhand	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	E17	50 yards	bench rest	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	E18	100 yards	offhand	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)
	E19	100 yards	bench rest	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)

CROSS STICKS CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter F)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

One or more rifles, 14 pound weight limit, sights as noted, five shots each target, one relay per match. Cross sticks may be either round, oval, triangular, square, or rectangle (it does not matter the shape of the wood). Cross sticks must be made of wood and may not exceed the following dimensions: 2 pieces of wood, each no longer than 40" in length, no wider than 2 ¼", and no thicker than 1 ¼". If they are round, they may not exceed 1 ¼" in diameter. They may be pointed on one end to facilitate insertion into the ground. They may be driven into the ground with a hammer or other device for safety purposes. Overall length of the cross sticks may not exceed 44" with spikes. The pieces of wood must be BOLTED (with washers if desired) together to form an uneven X. They may have ONE layer of material on the sticks, either glued, strapped, tied, or laid on them to protect the rifle. All targets must be posted in the "natural" position (i.e. **no target may be posted upside-down or sideways**). No practice or record target may be posted at the same distance as another record target for the same relay. Only one record target may be posted during the same relay regardless of the distance. A practice target may be posted at one distance and a record target posted at another distance during the same relay. See *NMLRA Rules and Regulations* for further cross sticks rules.

Match	F20	50 yards	any metallic sights	5 bull buffalo target (large rings)
	F21	50 yards	open sights	5 bull buffalo target (large rings)
	F22	100 yards	any metallic sights	Single bull buffalo target
	F23	100 yards	open sights	Single bull buffalo target

LADIES CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter G)

One or more rifles, any metallic sights, 5 shots each target, position as noted, one relay per match except for bench rest matches, which may use two (2) consecutive relays for each bench rest match. Bench rest matches may be fired from the cross sticks and they will still be allowed to use two (2) consecutive relays for each match.

Match	G24	25 yards	offhand	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	G25	50 yards	offhand	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	G26	50 yards	bench rest	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	G27	100 yards	bench rest	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)

JUNIOR/4-H CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter H)

Shooter who has not reached his/her 15th birthday at the time of registration. Must have a NMLRA Junior Shooter Card or a Junior membership. Open to all 4-H shooting teams.

One or more rifles, any metallic sights, 5 shots each target, position as noted, one relay per match except for bench rest matches, which may use two (2) consecutive relays for bench rest matches. Bench matches may be fired from the cross sticks position and still be allowed two (2) consecutive relays to complete the match.

Match	H 28	25 yards	bench rest	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	H29	25 yards	offhand	3 bull 100 yard target
	H30	50 yards	offhand	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)
	H31	50 yards	bench rest	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)

PISTOL CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter K)

Competitor must notify Range Officer before firing Match K37 (limited fire).

Percussion pistol or revolver, 10 shots each target, one relay per match. Scores fired will be submitted to the NMLRA Pistol Committee Chairperson. In order to obtain a National Pistol Classification, competitor must request NMLRA classification through the Pistol Committee Chairperson.

Match	K36	25 yards	slow fire	25 yard pistol target
	K37	25 yards	limited fire*	25 yard pistol target
	K38	50 yards	slow fire	50 yard pistol target

**Time starts at first shot fired*

PRIMITIVE CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter L)

The matches of this Aggregate are designed to prove baseline skills in primitive competition. Distances are unknown to competitors. Sighters are not usually fired and no spotting scopes are allowed. Sights are described in the *NMLRA Range Rules and Regulations* under the rules for the Primitive Range. Loading is to be from the pouch and horn/flask. While period costume or clothing is recommended, it is not required. All matches may be fired using flint or percussion.

Match L39 – Free Trapper

- Target is standard 6 bull 50 yard target. One sighting shot permitted, 5 shots for record, one per bull, each shot from a different position: offhand, kneeling, sitting, prone, and cross stick. Maximum score is 50 points.

Mach L40 – Hawken

- Target is Single bull 100 yard target. Minimum caliber is .45. 5 shots for record, no sighters or spotting. 3 shots are to be fired from cross sticks position and 2 shots are to be fired from offhand position. Maximum score is 50 points.

Match L42 – Mountain Man (Match to be held at 5:00 pm on Saturday)

Maximum score for this match is 100 points, based on 6 shots, knife and tomahawk throws, and fire-making. Ties are broken based on the fire-making time.

- Part 1 – Split Ball on an Ax. One shot, both clay pigeons must be hit and broken in order to score. Scoring value is 10 points.
- Part 2 – Cut Playing Card. One shot, card must be cut cleanly into two pieces in order to score. Scoring value is 10 points.
- Part 3 – Cut Crossed Strings. One shot, both strings must be severed in order to score. Scoring value is 10 points.
- Part 4 – Tomahawk Throw. 3 throws at playing card for score. One complete turn of the tomahawk is required. Cutting card scores 5 points, sticking tomahawk scores 1 point, bonus for three sticks without ever cutting card scores 1 point. Maximum scoring value is 15 points.
- Part 5 – Knife Throw. 3 throws at playing card for score. One complete turn of the knife is required. Cutting card scores 5 points, sticking knife scores 1 point, bonus for three sticks without ever cutting card scores 1 point. Maximum scoring value is 15 points.
- Part 6 – Gongs. 3 gongs, 10 points per gong. Maximum scoring value is 30 points.
- Part 7 – Fire-making. Using flint, steel, and traditional form of tinder, the competitor makes a fire. The score is determined by the time elapsed from the first strike of flint and steel until an open flame is seen. Scoring available at match. Maximum scoring value is 10 points.

Match L43 – Rifle Frolic

- Target is NMLRA Bottle Silhouette. Six shots are fired for record, all offhand. Scoring available at match. Maximum score is 60 points.

SUB-JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter M)

Shooter who has not reached his/her 12th birthday at the time of registration. Must have a NMLRA Junior Shooter Card or a Junior membership.

One or more rifles, any metallic sights, 5 shots each target, bench rest matches may use two (2) consecutive relays for each bench rest match. Bench rest matches may be fired from the cross sticks and they will still be allowed to use two (2) consecutive relays for each match.

Match	M44	25 yards	bench rest	3 bull 100 yard target
	M45	25 yards	bench rest	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)

HUNTERS CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter N)

One relay per match, flint or percussion, Traditional Offhand Rifle, open sights, sights may be adjustable. All targets must be posted in the "natural" position (i.e. **no target may be posted upside-down or sideways, no sighters**). Practice targets may be purchased but not used as sighters with match target.

Match	N46	25 yards	5 shots	Crow target (Haffner)
	N47	50 yards	5 shots	Standing Groundhog target (Haffner)
	N48	50 yards	5 shots	Running Fox target (Haffner)
	N49	100 yards	5 shots	Standing Bear target (Haffner)

SIGHTED SMOOTHBORE CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter O)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

Flintlock or percussion, fixed open sights (front and rear), offhand. No limitations on caliber.

Match	O50	25 yards	5 shots	Six bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	O51	25 yards	5 shots	3 bull 100 yard target
	O52	50 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)
	O53	100 yards	5 shots	200 yard target

UNLIMITED LONGHUNTER'S CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter P)

Any muzzleloading gun, any sights including scopes, ball, bullet, or sabot. Offhand. All targets must be posted in the "natural" position (i.e. **no target may be posted upside-down or sideways, no sighters**). Practice targets may be purchased but not used as sighters with match target. One relay per match.

Match	P54	25 yards	5 shots	Squirrel target (Haffner)
	P55	50 yards	5 shots	Running Chuck target (Haffner)
	P56	50 yards	5 shots	Running Deer target (Haffner)
	P57	100 yards	5 shots	Standing Buffalo target (Haffner)

LADIES OFFHAND CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter Q)

One or more rifles, any metallic sights, offhand, one relay per match.

Match	O58	25 yards	5 shots	3 bull 100 yard target
	O59	25 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	O60	50 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	O61	50 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)

SMOOTHBORE CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter R)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

Flintlock only. No rear sights above plane of barrel, no set triggers, .54 cal. minimum, offhand.

Match	R62	25 yards	5 shots	Standing Groundhog target (Haffner)
	R63	25 yards	5 shots	Running Deer target (Haffner)
	R64	50 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	R65	100 yards	5 shots	200 yard target

INTERMEDIATE/4-H CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter T)

Shooter who has not reached his/her 18th birthday at the time of registration. Must have a NMLRA Junior Shooter Card or a Junior membership. Open to all 4-H shooting teams.

Percussion or flintlock. Any metallic sights, offhand, one relay per match.

Match	T69	25 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (8 ring)
	T70	50 yards	5 shots	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	T71	50 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (8 ring)
	T72	100 yards	5 shots	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)

LADIES HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter U)

Any metallic sight, one or more rifles. All targets must be posted in the "natural" position (i.e. **no target may be posted upside-down or sideways, no sighters**), Practice targets may be purchased but not used as sighters with match target.

One relay per match.

Match	U73	25 yards	5 shots	Running Chuck target (Haffner)
	U74	25 yards	5 shots	Crow target (Haffner)
	U75	50 yards	5 shots	Running Fox target (Haffner)
	U76	50 yards	5 shots	Standing Groundhog target (Haffner)

CARTRIDGE CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter V)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

Rifles as used at Friendship matches, one relay per match. Black Powder Cartridge Guidelines available at match or contact telephone number on first page of schedule.

Match	V77	100 yards	Sitting X-Sticks*	10 shots	3 bull Buffalo target
	V78	100 yards	Sitting X Sticks	5 shots	Standing Bear target
	V79	100 yards	Bench Rest	10 shots	5 bull Buffalo target
	V80	100 yards	Bench Rest	5 shots	Running Deer target

**NMLRA Rules 5310, 5320, 5330, & 5340 applies to the Cross Stick Position.*

LIGHT BENCH CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter W)

Guns must be inspected by Range Officer before firing any match.

One or more rifles, 14 pound limit, sights as noted, 5 shots each target. Friendship Cheater sights **NOT ALLOWED**. See NMLRA Rules #5030 & #5220. Matches may use two (2) consecutive relays. Bench rest matches may be fired from the cross sticks and they will still be allowed to use two (2) consecutive relays for each match.

Match	W81	50 yards	any Metallic Sights	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	W82	50 yards	open Sights	6 bull 50 yard target (7 ring)
	W83	100 yards	any Metallic Sights	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)
	W84	100 yards	open Sights	Single bull 100 yard target (7 ring)

LADIES PISTOL CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate Ter: X)

Competitor must notify Range Officer before firing Match X86 (limited fire).

Percussion pistol or revolver, 10 shots each target, one relay per match. Scores fired will be submitted to the NMLRA Pistol Committee Chairperson. In order to obtain a National Pistol Classification, competitor must request NMLRA classification through the Pistol Committee Chairperson.

Match	X85	25 yards	slow fire	25 yard Pistol target
	X86	25 yards	limited fire*	25 yard Pistol target
	X87	50 yards	slow fire	50 yard Pistol target

**Time starts at first shot fired*

UNLIMITED YOUTH HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter Y)

Shooter who has not reached his/her 18th birthday at the time of registration

Any muzzleloading gun, any sights including scopes, ball, bullet, or sabot. Offhand. All targets must be posted in the "natural" position (i.e. **no target may be posted upside-down or sideways, no sighters**). Practice targets may be purchased but not used as sighters with match target. One relay per match.

Match	Y88	25 yards	5 shots	Standing Groundhog target (Haffner)
	Y89	25 yards	5 shots	Running Deer Target (Haffner)
	Y90	50 yards	5 shots	Standing Bear target (Haffner)

REVOLVER CHAMPIONSHIP (Aggregate: Ter CC)

Competitor must notify Range Officer before firing Match CC96 (limited fire).

Guidelines:

- Any muzzleloading revolver (Ruger Old Army may compete)
- Adjustable sights allowed
- Open sights
- Round ball or bullet acceptable
- Match CC98 is 13 shots. The best 10 out of 13 will be scored.
- One target per 30 minute relay
- Specific time limits for limited timed fire unless range officer has approved otherwise
- For more rule specification, refer to the current NMLRA Rule Book, rule 6103.4.

Match	CC95	25 yds	slow fire	10 shots	25 yd pistol target
	CC96	25 yds	limited fire*	10 shots	25 yd pistol target
	CC97	50 yds	slow fire	10 shots	50 yd pistol target
	CC98	25 yds	slow fire	13 shots	B-19 Target**

*Time starts at first shot fired

**B-19 Target – Uses 4 animal silhouette targets, on "X" center target, and one 6-bull 50 yd overlay for scoring.