

alberta smallbore rifle association

ON THE LINE



Smallbore Rifle Events Calendar

When	What	Where	Who
2016			
Jan 9	Calgary .22 match	CRPC	hunterwj@shaw.ca
Jan 29-31	Alberta Provincial air gun match	Sylvan Lake	rpentelski@gmail.com
Feb 6	Calgary .22 match	CRPC	hunterwj@shaw.ca
Mar 5	Calgary .22 match	CRPC	hunterwj@shaw.ca
Apr 1-8	US A Olympic trials	Ft. Benning	USA shooting
Apr 2	Calgary .22 match	CRPC	hunterwj@shaw.ca
Apr 29	Canadian Grand Prix	Toronto	
May 5	Maple Leaf Open	Leduc	
June ???	Summer Solstice match	Lethbridge	
June 22-29	USA National rifle matches	Ft. Benning	USA shooting
June ???	Alberta Provincial .22 match	???	rpentelski@gmail.com
Aug ???	National rifle matches	Pan Am shooting facility Barrie*	

*This location is tentative at this date.

● BULLETS

● Internet/Web access

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<http://www.facebook.com/AlbertaSmallboreRifleAssociation>

You can follow us on Twitter: @ASRA_177_22

Web site : www.albertasmallborerifle.ca

- **Newsletter**-This is newsletter is published three times per year. The dates are approximately March 31, August 31 and November 30. If you want something published please get it to me two weeks prior to the publication date. I will be issuing some more timely items on an as needed basis.. I would love to hear from anyone as to the types of things that they think would be of value in this newsletter or in the accompanying "panel discussion" email.
- **Sponsors**
These people sell products related to your shooting. Please use them, where possible, as a thanks for helping support us through their ads. When you do order, be sure to tell them thanks for the support.
- **Panel discussion**
Once again we have a very interesting panel discussion. The question how to best spend your time 30 minutes before the commencement of the match.
Note: The panel discussion will be in a separate email.
- **Donations**
Thanks to those who contributed beyond their membership fee this year.
Daniela Sirbu and Tyler Ross
- **Associate membership**

There is now an associate membership available for those who wish only to receive the digital copy of the newsletter. The price for 2016 is \$5 Canadian for the year. What a bargain! Don't rely on someone passing you a copy get your own by filling out the membership form.

- If you are reading this and haven't paid your fee please send it to the ASRA address.
- **SCATT machines- ASRA** clubs and members have an opportunity to use a SCATT machine for training and/or demonstrations. These machines are available on a first come first serve basis. For details see the form near the end of this newsletter. It has been decided to charge a nominal fee of \$1 per day so everyone can afford them but in turn they won't sit idle with the "clock running". If you wish to obtain the units contact Wynn Payne at wynn.payne@gmail.com . They come complete with a computer with the software installed and all the cables and mechanical pieces. They will arrive in a locked padded hard case that allows for Greyhound shipping.

This provides a great opportunity for the athlete and the coach to look at the tracing of an athlete's hold before the shot is fired. It is an awesome training tool. All shooting on them has to be done in dry fire mode so ensure your air rifles can dry fire. .22 rifles just need a piece of brass in the chamber.

- Please reply if you would like to continue receiving this newsletter with the panel discussion or if you would prefer to have emails sent when there is particular content. Your comments will determine the outcome.
- **ASRA executive**
 - The ASRA executive committee has struggled through this last year without a President. Please consider putting your name forward for this position.
 - Our current treasurer is resigning from the position effective January 1. Please consider putting your name forward for this position.

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Hello ASRA members,

My name is Daniela Sirbu. Many of you may already know me, especially if you shoot air rifle. I have been shooting competitively for almost half my life and within the past 5 years started to shoot and compete at the international level. Because of my active involvement in the sport of air rifle, I have decided to become a Kurt Thune dealer.

Many of you may know or have dealt with our current Kurt Thune dealer, Wayne Sorenson, based out of Calgary. He has decided to step down as an active dealer and allowed me to take over in his place.

I remember buying my first shooting suit from him and the instant improvements I experienced. I hope to help and service the shooters of Alberta and beyond, the same way I was once helped by Wayne in my developing years.

I am often at the competitions held in Alberta, so feel free to come over and introduce yourself and see what Kurt Thune equipment can do for you!

Jacket

Pants

Boots

Slings

**Daniela Sirbu
Kurt Thune Dealer
(780)380-5963
just_me_danie@hotmail.com**

Form for borrowing SCATT machine systems with computers

This agreement is between ASRA and _____ (hereafter called CLUB) a shooting club in the Province of Alberta. (or athlete who is a registered member of ASRA)

By this agreement ASRA (as trustee) is lending at nominal cost (\$1/day as of November 2013), a SCATT laser training system to the CLUB for use in training and demonstrations in their area. The CLUB will pay for the transportation to obtain the unit and it's return to 2033-74 Street NW Edmonton, AB T6K 2L3 or to the next location wanting to use it.

The CLUB agrees to post a \$2000 cheque as guarantee for the safe return of the system. This cheque will be returned to the CLUB or destroyed upon the return of the system in full working order. The CLUB will be responsible for any repairs needed while the machine is in their possession.

It is understood if the system is not returned on request the \$2000 cheque will be cashed to enable a new system to be purchased in replacement. If the system is returned, but not fully functional, any repairs will be deducted from the \$2000 deposit.

The system will be lent to clubs for a 3 week period that may be formally renewed as deemed fit based on the demand from other locations.

Agreed to by the CLUB _____

Dated _____

by _____

President of the CLUB

email and phone number contact information

FOR SALE

Free listing for members, \$5 per issue for non members.

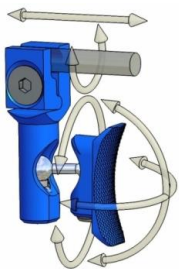
MEC Collimator-Spy (MEC part number 19918818)

New never used. \$90



SE Sensitive trigger

Essentially new, only used for a short time testing. \$80



Contact Peter Scantlebury peter.scantlebury@hotmail.ca

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2016 ALBERTA AIR RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sponsored by ALBERTA SMALLBORE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Date: 29 -31 January 2016: Concurrent with AHA Pistol Prov. Co-Sponsor
Location: Sylvan Lake Community Centre, 4725 - 43 ST Sylvan Lake, Alberta.

Range Facilities: 28 Positions, Portable, MegaLink Electronic Acoustic Targets
Rules: SFC and ISSF rules will apply.
SFC Classification system will be used. Unclassified SR shooters will compete as Temp. Experts. Please indicate your Class on entry form; bring your SFC Card to the match. Match Jury has the right to reclassify obvious errors or old Classification cards, and/or make changes to the program as needed.

Eligibility: Membership in ASRA or other provincial association (see entry form).
Air Rifles: All air rifles and clothing must meet ISSF specifications.
Course of Fire: Mens - two 60-shot matches - Aggregate of 120 shots
Ladies - two 40-shot matches - Aggregate of 80 shots
Jrs Male - two 60-shot matches - Aggregate of 120 shots
Jrs Female - two 40-shot matches - Aggregate of 80 shots
Finals will be conducted to determine award winners.(2013 Format)

Schedule: **Friday 29 Jan.'16**
5:00 to 8:00 PM - Registration, equipment check, and practice, training
Saturday 30 Jan.'16
8:00 AM - Registration and equipment check
9:00 AM - Relay 1
11:00 AM - Relay 2
13:30 PM - Relay 3
15:30 PM - Relay 4
Sunday 31 Jan.'16
09 :00 AM - Mens' Air Pistol Final
10:00 AM - Womens' Air Pistol Final
11:00 AM - Mens' Air Rifle Final
12:00 PM -Womens Air Rifle Final 13:00- Awards

Squadding: Posted Friday 29 Jan. at the range. Verify Schedule upon arrival.
To be based on the date your entry form is received.

Challenges: Challenge fee is \$10.00; refunded on a change of score, Protest fee is \$20.00.

Awards: Trophies and Medals. Previous year winners please return Trophies.

Inquiries and entries: Ralph Pentelski , Match Director at 403-242-1416 in Calgary or email at rpentelski@gmail.com

Junior Age: Shooters under the age of 21 in the year of the match can compete as Jrs.

Guest Rooms: The closest hotels: Racoon Lodge, 4515 Lakeshore Dr Sylvan Lake,
Best Western Sylvan Lake 1-403-887-7788

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Additional Sponsors:

Date: 29 - 31 January 2016 Location: Sylvan Lake Community Centre, Sylvan Lake Alberta

COMPETITOR NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ PROV/STATE _____
POSTAL CODE _____ PHONE NO. _____
EMAIL ADDRESS _____

By signing this in you agree to having this information passed on to the match planning group to be used for operating the match.

Match Fees :

Competitors please indicate your choice of matches below. Please note:

1. All shooters must have valid SFC classification cards.
2. Junior Females may enter Ladies Class for no additional fee

Please circle Men, Lady or Junior and enter Entry Fee on blank line.

Mens Class	2x60 = 120 shots Agg.	\$75.00	\$ _____
Ladies Class	2x40 = 80 shots Agg.	\$75.00	\$ _____
Junior Male	2x60 = 120 shots Agg: Junior	\$70.00	\$ _____
Junior Lady	2x40 = 80 shots Agg: Junior	\$70.00	\$ _____
Range Rental fee per day: \$8.00 X No. of Days shooting =		\$ _____	Mandatory
Compulsory SFC Registration fee and Insurance.....		\$ 15:00	Mandatory
2016 ASRA Membership Required			
Total Match fees		\$ _____	
TOTAL amount of cheque enclosed -- payable to ASRA		\$ _____	

Please mail or fax your entry fee/forms to arrive by 23 December , 2016.

Junior birth date _____ Male ____ Female ____

ASRA Membership # _____ SFC Membership # _____

SFC Classification: MA EX SS MM TYRO (please circle one)

Squadding: Please check with the registration desk for your squadding. Please indicate your preference below. Space is limited.

RELAY	TIME	RELAY	TIME
Schedule changes may take place			
1.	Sat. 9:00 AM	Mens Final	Sun. 11:00AM
2.	Sat. 11:00AM	Womens' Final	Sun.12:00 AM
3.	Sat. 13:30 PM		

Please mail this form as soon as possible. Send your cheque payable to ASRA along with this registration form to:

Ralph Pentelski	PH: 403-242-1416
2808-37 St. SW	Email: rpentelski@gmail.com
Calgary, AB T3E 3B4	

“The quality of a person's life is in direct proportion to their commitment to excellence, regardless of their chosen field of endeavor.” Vince Lombardi

Report on the AFSS board meeting Oct 24, 2015

The meeting of the board is a forum for each discipline to present what has happened in their association for the current year. This is re-summarized and presented at the AGM in the spring of the following year.

In addition the AFSS presents business that affects one or more of the various disciplines making up the association.

There has been discussion about trying to set up a range that would be universal for all disciplines. The question has been raised if we want to proceed on this quest.

There has been an allocation of \$20,000 to aide in this search. It was mentioned that EPCORE is now selling some of it's properties and there is an indication that 5 quarter sections of land will be available near the Enoch reserve just west of Edmonton. Each association has *90 days to submit ideas on what the funds set aside for a range could be used for...*

This would be in addition to the ranges being developed in Tabor. There the county has got behind the multimillion dollar project and are developing shooting ranges of various sizes and for various disciplines.

The thought was that each association give up their Development grant for one year to fund such a search.

All grant forms are now available on the AFSS web site including all associated information for that particular grant.

Member organizations are to provide contact information for the province to allow the AFSS office to be able to respond to any requests.

AFSS would like to have member's list association on the AFSS site. Ie matches, training sessions

Two scholarships were given last year. It is recommended that future scholarship be given ½ on approval and ½ on the completion of the school year with the reporting of shooting activity participated in.

This means to get the full amount there will be some accountability with how successful the money was in helping the shooter juggle the demands of shooting and schooling at the same time.

There were comments on the Casino process. The next casino will be in Edmonton in 2017. It is requested that those that put their name down ensure they fulfill that obligation. As the summer is the normal shooting season the request for timing of the casino will be in the spring or the fall when fewer people will be away at matches. One potential is Christmas. We would work a ½ day on the 24th and not at all on the 25th but get credit for two full days. When signing up for a casino please honor your submission and show up for your shift.

The casino funds are pooled on a three month basis so it is not critical what days we are assigned as to getting the optimum dollar return. The last casino gave AFSS a net amount of \$84,000.

In the budget there is a hosting grant for holding nationals.

AFSS will investigate quantity buys of product for shooters to utilize wholesale pricing versus retail that most are forced to do at this point.

The RSOI (Range Safety Officer Instructor) program

It has been determined we need to have participant feedback as to the value of this program. Some instructors are very good but some are reaping the financial benefits while not providing a satisfactory product. To this end AFSS is developing a questionnaire that will be completed by the participants and sent directly to the AFSS offices.

One of the problems of RSO courses is that they vary as to producing a RSO for a particular discipline and range versus one conversant with all ranges and fire arms.

At the end of the meeting Mr. Pat Desrochers of the provincial government gave a presentation on changes in policy for organizations such as AFSS.

In the case of AFSS the changes were more housekeeping. This means using more everyday language versus a lot of legal terminology.

One of the key items in the policy regards harassment. Here the process must be confidential between the individuals and the AFSS office. A charge does not want to be forgotten but must ensure that the allegations are valid.

It is stated that if there is a potential conflict of interest between the various associations and an individual that individual must declare such potential appearance of the conflict.

Any actions must remain private and if need be will be resolved with dispute resolution

	ALBERTA SMALLBORE RIFLE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FOR 20__	
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Please print clearly to ensure an accurate mailing list and member data.

Date of birth is required for government survey purposes, determining provincial grant eligibility and will be kept confidential.

FAMILY NAME (SURNAME) _____

Given name _____ Date of birth ____/____/____
DD / M M / YEAR

Given name _____ Date of birth ____/____/____
DD / M M / YEAR

Given name _____ Date of birth ____/____/____
DD / M M / YEAR

Street _____

City/Town _____ Prov. _____ Postal Code ____ - ____

Residence Phone (____) _____ Bus./Fax (____) _____

E-Mail Address _____

I hereby apply for membership in the Alberta Smallbore Rifle Association [ASRA]. I also understand I will be insured through the ASRA insurance policy while my membership remains active and in good standing.

Signatures (required for insurance purposes) **Date**

Annual Membership Fee Schedule (Please use the one that applies to you):

Individual Memberships

Adult - \$35 \$ _____
 Junior - \$30 \$ _____

Family Memberships

Principal family member = \$40
 Additional family member + \$15 each per additional member.
 Family Membership (two individuals): \$40 + \$15 = \$55
 Family Membership (three individuals): \$40 + \$15 + \$15 = \$70 \$ _____
 Donation to ASRA* \$ _____
 Total cheque payable to **ASRA** \$ _____

Mail to: **ASRA Membership, c/o Diane Wereley 9631 114 Ave Grande Prairie, AB T8V 3L9**

Objectives of ASRA:

- Promotion of smallbore .22 and air rifle target shooting in Alberta
- Development of athletes, coaches and officials in the province
- Organize provincial match, air and sporting rifle championships annually
- Organize provincial teams to represent at Canada Winter Games and National Championships
- Organize zone coaches to promote sport across the province

*No tax receipt available. For ASRA donation above \$10, submit cheque payable to "ASRPWF" for tax receipt. Form version: 2 [November 013]

Air rifle Match results- with Alberta participants

2015 Western Canadian Junior Air Gun Championships

https://www.match-planning.com/matches/2/match_results

2015 AHA Memorial Match

https://www.match-planning.com/matches/3/match_results

The prairie open- Winnipeg (listed as 2014 but is for 2015)

http://sfc-ftc.ca/uploads/public_result/public_result_385.pdf