

Riverside Sheriff & Riverside Sheriff Reserve
NRA Police Pistol Combat Tournament Announcement
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California Police Pistol Association



The Riverside Sheriff and the Riverside Sheriff Reserve are conducting NRA Registered Police Pistol Combat Tournaments at the Ben Clark Public Safety Training Center on the same weekend and simultaneously as a “Postal Tournament” at the California Highway Patrol Academy.

The Tournaments will be conducted on Saturday April 8th and Sunday April 9th with the Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament being fired first and then the Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament will be fired. By having back-to-back Tournaments shooters can compete in two Tournaments in one day or fire in one each day.

Each Tournament will be offering the NRA Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Match, Open Class Revolver Match, Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistol Match and Stock Service Revolver Match. Shooters can also sign up to fire the non-sanctioned California Distinguished Revolver and Semi-Automatic Pistol Matches.

These Tournaments are a great way for you to evaluate your skill level, identify needed training areas, and practice your handgun skills to keep you prepared for the ever-increasing dangers you face on the street and off duty.

First Time Shooters

You do NOT need any fancy gear or guns to start shooting these matches. Just bring your duty handgun, four magazines, holster & magazine pouch. There is nothing to memorize, the course will be announced as you shoot just like the stages during a qualification and fellow officers will gladly help you out. You can even use your stock duty gun to fire the Open Class Division matches to get started and see how challenging and fun these matches are.

Dates: Saturday April 8th and Sunday April 9th. The Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament will be conducted first each day and the Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament will be fired after the first Tournament’s relays have completed.

Locations and Points of Contact:

Primary Range - Ben Clark Public Safety Training Center
17425 Ferguson Avenue
Riverside, California 92518 ([map](#))

Please contact Adrian Ruiz at 951.486.2763 or apruiz@riversidesheriff.org for more information or to check on relay times.

Directions: From I-215 [SR-60], Exit Van Buren Blvd, Turn West onto Van Buren Blvd for 2.5 mi, Turn LEFT (South) onto Barton Rd for 1.0 mi, turn LEFT (East) at the first stop sign, which is Larry Parish PK way then follow the signs to the range. The range is located in the far southwest corner of the training center.

Postal Location - Sacramento County Sheriff at the California Highway Patrol Academy
3500 Reed Avenue
West Sacramento, CA. 95605

Please contact Bob Yoshida at bob.yoshida@sbcglobal.net for more information or to check on relay information which will run from 0900 to 1300.

Governing Rules: Current NRA Police Pistol Combat Rules will govern throughout the Tournaments. All competitors are encouraged to review the current PPC rules. The NRA Police Pistol Combat Rule Book is available on-line at ppc.nra.org.

Eligibility: Open to any eligible law enforcement member as outlined in Police Pistol Combat Rule Section 2.4.

Registration: Will be done on-site. Please complete the Registration Form at the end of this announcement and bring it with you to speed your registration process.

All competitors **MUST** present the following items during Registration:

1. Valid Department or Agency Identification
2. Current Classification Card or current Temporary Classification Book unless they have not fired in a PPC Tournament before.

Ben Clark Public Safety Training Center Relay Times: 0800 to 1500 Saturday and Sunday

Lanes 1-9 will be utilized. If necessary an additional range will be used.

0800: NRA Open Class Revolver Matches 1 thru 5 and Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Matches 8 thru 12

1100: Fire either the NRA Stock Service Revolver Match 7 or Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 14

1130: Fire either the California Distinguished Revolver or Semi-Auto Distinguished Match

1400: Fire either the NRA Stock Service Revolver Match 7 or Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 14

1430: Fire either the California Distinguished Revolver or Semi-Auto Distinguished Match

California Highway Patrol Academy Range Relay Times: 0900 to 1300 Saturday and Sunday

Please contact Bob Yoshida at bob.yoshida@sbcglobal.net for relay and time specifics.

Tournament Fees: *Includes NRA Match Fees*

Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament - Saturday April 8th and 9th.

- NRA Open Class Revolver Matches or Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Matches \$ 35.00
- NRA Stock Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 14 \$ 15.00
- NRA Stock Service Revolver Match 7 Match \$ 15.00
- California Distinguished Revolver Match \$ 10.00
- California Distinguished Semi-Auto Match \$ 10.00

Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament - Sunday April 8th and 9th after the above Tournament is completed.

- Fees are the same as above.

Classification: Competitors will be entered using their current NRA Police Pistol Combat Classification of High Master, Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, Marksman, or Classified. Competitors with expired Classifications, new shooters with no Classification, or those without a Temporary Record Score Book will be registered in the High Master Class as required by PPC Rule 19.2.

Competitors may check their current NRA Classification at LEcompetitions.nra.org.

Categories: There will be no categories used in these Tournaments.

Targets: Official NRA B-27 targets will be used. Competitors **MUST** bring their own staple guns and staples.

Scoring: Competitor scoring will be used. Pursuant to PPC Rule 14.2, NO competitor will score their own target NOR may a competitor score the targets of a competitor from their same agency. If this cannot be avoided due to the Relay's makeup contact a Match Official to score the targets. PPC Rules prohibit the use of plug-type scoring gauges. Overlays and Eagle Eyes may be used by competitors.

Score cards must be signed and are FINAL once signed so **PLEASE** double check the recorded hits and values BEFORE signing.

Courses of Fire: To force reloading under time restraints and magazines are loaded with a maximum of 6 rounds. All times start with loaded gun in holster with hands at sides.

NRA PPC Match Number		Course Description
Revolver Match	Semi-Automatic Pistol Match	
<i>Total</i>		Open Class Division Matches – “The 1500’s” 150 Rounds
Match 1	Match 8	Two stages of 12 shots each fired double action standing without support. First stage fired at 7 yards and second stage fired at 15 yards. Time limit is 20 seconds per stage including time to reload.
Match 2	Match 9	At 25 yards, 18 rounds fired; 6 shots kneeling; 6 shots standing left handed with support from behind left side of barricade, 6 shots standing right handed with support from behind right side of barricade, all fired double action. Time limit 90 seconds, including time to reload.
Match 3	Match 10	At 50 yards, 24 rounds fired; 6 shots sitting; 6 shots prone; 6 shots standing left handed with support from behind left side of barricade; 6 shots standing right handed with support from behind right side of barricade. All shots may be fired single or double action. Time limit 2 minutes and 45 seconds including time to reload.
Match 4	Match 11	At 25 yards, 24 rounds fired in two stages of 12 shots each fired double action, standing without support. Time limit 35 seconds for each 12-shot stage including time to reload.
Match 5	Match 12	<p>Stage 1: 7 yards, 12 shots double action standing without support. Time limit 20 seconds including time to reload.</p> <p>Stage 2: 25 yards, 6 shots kneeling; 6 shots standing left handed with support from behind left side of barricade, and 6 shots standing right handed with support from behind right side of barricade. All fired double action. Time limit 90 seconds, including time to reload.</p> <p><i>Change Targets</i></p> <p>Stage 3: 50 yards, 6 shots sitting; 6 shots prone; 6 shots standing left handed with support from behind left side of barricade and 6 shots standing right handed with support from behind right side of barricade. All shots may be fired single or double action. Time limit 2 minutes and 45 seconds including time to reload.</p> <p>Stage 4: 25 yards, 6 shots double action standing without support. Time limit 12 seconds.</p>
Match 6	Match 13	<p>Match 6 is the Aggregate of the shooter’s Open Class Revolver Match 1 through Match 5 scores with a total possible score of 1500 points.</p> <p>Match 13 is the Aggregate of the shooter’s Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 8 through 12 scores with a total possible score of 1500 points.</p>
		NRA Stock Service Duty Gun Division Matches 48 Rounds Total
Match 7 <i>Stock Service Revolvers</i>	Match 14 <i>Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistols</i>	<p>NRA Stock Service Duty Gun Match</p> <p>Stage 1: 3 yards, 6 shots one handed standing without support in 8 seconds.</p> <p>Stage 2: 7 yards, 12 shots, one or two handed standing without support position. Twenty second time limit which includes required reload.</p> <p><i>Change Targets</i></p> <p>Stage 3: 15 yards, 12 shots, one or two handed standing without support. Twenty second time limit which includes required reload.</p> <p>Stage 4: 25 yards, 18 shots, one or two handed; 6 shots kneeling, from behind the right side of the barricade for cover and support; 6 shots standing left handed from behind the left side of the barricade; and 6 shots standing right handed from behind the right side of the barricade. Time limit is ninety seconds which includes the required two reloads.</p>
		California Distinguished Matches
<i>Revolver</i>	<i>Semi-Automatic Pistol</i>	Please contact one of the Point of Contacts for Course Descriptions, round count and Firearm Requirements.

Firearms & Ammunition Allowed: Please see NRA Police Pistol Combat Rule Book Sections 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.6 and 3.7 and the *NRA PPC rule Book Quick View Matrix* reproduced below.

NRA PPC Rule Book Quick View Firearm Matrix

APPLIES TO ALL FIREARMS		Rule 3.1
<p>Each competitor is responsible for their firearm and any which may be questionable should be submitted to the Tournament Director, Referee, or 3-Man Jury for decision prior to being used.</p> <p>All standard safety features of the pistol must operate properly.</p> <p>With respect to Sections 3.2 through 3.10, and in addition to the firearm specific regulations below, the following features are either Allowed or Prohibited on all firearms.</p>		
Action work to make a crisper and/or smoother trigger pull	Allowed	
Fixed or adjustable sights	Allowed	
Sight Blackening	Allowed	
Modification or change of stocks because of the size of a competitor's hand or to facilitate loading	Allowed	
Internal modifications that would render the firearm less safe than originally designed by the manufacturer	Prohibited	
Any external modifications, except those allowed within each rule	Prohibited	
Front sight extending beyond muzzle	Prohibited	
Compensators, barrel venting, or barrel porting	Prohibited	
<p>Ammunition: No high speed or Magnum ammunition will be allowed. Ammunition must be hand loaded or factory loaded to produce sufficient velocity to pass through the target AND the backer. Shots which do not pass through the target and the backer will be scored as misses.</p>		

OPEN CLASS REVOLVER		Rule 3.2
<p>In addition to the specifications within Section 3.1, the following specifications apply for Open Class Revolvers.</p>		
Firearm / Caliber: A revolver chambered to fire center-fire cartridges .32 caliber or larger		
Barrel Length Maximum	6 Inches	
Trigger Pull Minimum: Single Action	2.5 Pounds	
Sight Radius Maximum	8.5 Inches	
Sight Guards which do NOT extend rearward more than 2 inches	Allowed	
External Trigger Stops	Allowed	
Grips/Stocks that when measured from side-to-side at the base are greater than 1 ¾ inches in thickness (1.75')	Prohibited	
<p>Caliber / Ammunition: Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. Wadcutter ammunition is allowed.</p>		

OPEN CLASS SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOL		Rule 3.3
<p>In addition to the specifications within Section 3.1, the following specifications apply for Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistols.</p>		
Firearm / Caliber: Center-fire pistols of .35 caliber or larger. All double action semi-automatic pistols must fire the first shot of every stage double action except at the 50 yard line.		
Barrel Length Maximum	6 Inches	
Trigger Pull Minimum Single or Double Action	3.5 Pounds	
Sight Radius Maximum	8.5 Inches	
Sight Guards which do NOT extend rearward more than 2 inches	Allowed	
Extended Magazine Well Funnel	Allowed	
Magazine Bumper Pad	Allowed	
External Trigger Stops	Allowed	
<p>Caliber / Ammunition: Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. Wadcutter ammunition is allowed.</p>		

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STOCK SERVICE REVOLVER		Rule 3.6
In addition to the specifications within Section 3.1, the following specifications apply for Stock Service Revolvers.		
Firearm / Caliber: A factory manufactured (catalog item) revolver with duty sights capable of chambering and firing .38 Special ammunition.		
Barrel Length Maximum	4 Inches	
Replacement of service type sights with other service type sights, luminescent service sights, or fiber optic service sights provided such sights do not require alteration of the firearm for installation.	Allowed	
Ramp or post front sight as sold by the manufacturer of the firearm	Allowed	
Chamfered Cylinder	Allowed	
Adjustable Front Sight	Prohibited	
Trigger Modification as to length, width, or grooves	Prohibited	
Trigger Shoes	Prohibited	
External Trigger Stops	Prohibited	
Thumb Rest	Prohibited	
Grips/Stocks that when measured from side-to-side at the base are greater than 1 ¾ inches in thickness (1.75")	Prohibited	
Tape on the stock/grip	Prohibited	
Any substance that results in a sticky surface to the grip/stock, or hand	Prohibited	
Weighted grip/stock	Prohibited	
Ammunition: Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition. No wadcutter ammunition is allowed.		

STOCK SERVICE SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOL		Rule 3.7
In addition to the specifications within Section 3.1, the following specifications apply for Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistols.		
Firearm / Caliber: Factory manufactured (catalog item), center-fire semi-automatic pistol with duty sights capable of chambering and firing .35 caliber or larger ammunition, or FN 5.7 x 28 caliber ammunition. All double action pistols must fire the first shot of every stage double action.		
Barrel Length Maximum	5.5 Inches	
Trigger Pull Minimum: Single or Double Action	3.5 Pounds	
Sight Radius Maximum	7.5 Inches	
Any accessories, parts, or components which are manufactured to duplicate, in materials and dimensions, the original as offered by the manufacturer	Allowed	
Replacement of service type sights with other service type sights, luminescent service sights, or fiber optic service sights provided such sights do not require alteration of the firearm for installation.	Allowed	
Magazine bumper pads	Allowed	
Extended magazine well funnel	Allowed	
Finger groove and slip on grips	Allowed	
Adjustable Front Sight	Prohibited	
Full-length Bo-mar type rib on the slide	Prohibited	
Trigger shoe	Prohibited	
External Trigger Stops	Prohibited	
Thumb Rest	Prohibited	
Grips/stocks that are flared at the base	Prohibited	
Tape on the grip/stock	Prohibited	
Any substance that results in a sticky surface to the grip/stock or hand	Prohibited	
Weighted grip/stock	Prohibited	
Smith & Wesson Model PPC9 Pistols	Prohibited	
Ammunition: Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition. No wadcutter ammunition is allowed.		

Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament & Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament *Registration Form*



NAME: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

ADDRESS: _____
Street
City
State
Zip Code

AGENCY: _____

NRA MEMBERSHIP NUMBER or NRA ASSIGNED COMPETITOR NUMBER: _____

Please CIRCLE your NRA Police Pistol Combat assigned Classifications

Open Class Revolver Classification: HM MA EX SS MK CL UNCLASSIFIED

Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Classification: HM MA EX SS MK CL UNCLASSIFIED

Duty Gun Revolver Classification: HM MA EX SS MK CL UNCLASSIFIED

Duty Gun Semi-Automatic Pistol Classification: HM MA EX SS MK CL UNCLASSIFIED

Please check the Tournaments, Range Locations and Matches you wish to Register for.

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I want to Register for: Saturday Sunday

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Make sure you check out the other NRA Sanctioned Police Pistol Combat Tournaments in California by going to the NRA Police Pistol Combat *Find an Event* web page at www.lecompetitions.nra.org.