

# **Riverside Sheriff & Riverside Sheriff Reserve**

## ***Police Pistol Combat Tournament Announcement***

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### **California Police Pistol Association**

The Riverside Sheriff and the Riverside Sheriff Reserve are conducting a Police Pistol Combat Tournaments at the Ben Clark Public Safety Training Center on the same weekend and simultaneously as a “Postal Tournament” at the Sacramento County Sheriff Range.

The Tournaments will be conducted on Saturday April 23rd and Sunday April 24th with the Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament being fired first. The Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament will then 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 a Open Class Semi-Automatic & Revolver Match, Distinguished Semi-Automatic Pistol, Distinguished Production Pistol & Distinguished Revolver, Production Semi-Automatic Pistol Matches, Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistol & Service Revolver Match and Off-Duty Sidearm Matches. Shooters can also sign up to fire the non-sanctioned California **Invitational** Production Duty Optic Match.

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 23rd and Sunday April 24th . 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 Gio Barr at 951.505-3832 or [gbarr@riversidesheriff.org](mailto:gbarr@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 Range  
12770 Bruceville Road  
Elk Grove, CA 95758

Please contact Bob Yoshida at [bob.yoshida@sbcglobal.net](mailto: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](http://ppc.nra.org)

“The NRA suggested that Match Directors could, at their discretion, use only the NRA National Police Course of Fire (or Matches 5 & 12) for their Tournaments.”

The CPPA Board of Directors and Match Hosts discussed the matter and came to the conclusion that for 2022 the registered matches could be the 60 round Match 5 or 12 if that host so desires. The State Championship and the Regional should remain a full 1500 (150 round course of fire) to maintain the integrity of a Championship or Regional. Overall, this should result in a much lower rate of ammo consumption for the shooters as well as making their match day shorter.”

RSO will be shooting the 60rnd matches.

**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 1300 Saturday and Sunday  
*Lanes 1-9 will be utilized.*

0800 -1130 Open Matches or California Distinguished Matches

1130 -1300 Stock/Production Matches, including Off-Duty and Invitational Duty Optic Matches

**Sacramento County Range Relay Times:** 0900 to 1300 Saturday and Sunday Please contact Bob Yoshida at [bob.yoshida@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bob.yoshida@sbcglobal.net) for relay and time specifics.

**Tournament Fees:** *Includes NRA Match Fees*

Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament - Saturday April 23rd and Sunday April 24th.

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|---|----------|
| ▪ Open Class Revolver or Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Matches | \$ 25.00 |
| ▪ Stock Semi-Automatic/Production Pistol Matches                  | \$ 15.00 |
| ▪ Stock Service Revolver Match                                    | \$ 15.00 |
| ▪ Off-Duty Sidearm Match  | \$ 15.00 |
| ▪ California Distinguished Revolver Match                         | \$ 10.00 |
| ▪ California Distinguished Semi-Auto Match                        | \$ 10.00 |
| ▪ California Distinguished Production Semi-Auto Match             | \$ 10.00 |
| ▪ <b>Invitational</b> Production Duty Optic Match                 | \$ 15.00 |

Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament - Saturday April 23rd and Sunday April 24th 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](http://LEcompetitions.nra.org).

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

**Targets:** Official NRA B-27 targets will be used.

**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.

| <b>NRA PPC Match Number</b>               |   | <b>Course Description</b>  |
|---|---|--|
| Revolver Match                            | Semi-Automatic Pistol Match                             |  |
| <i>Total</i>                              |   | <b>Open Class Division Matches – “The 1500’s”</b> 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><b>Change Targets</b></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>   |
|   |   | <b>NRA Stock Service Duty Gun Division Matches</b> 48 Rounds Total   |
| Match 7<br><i>Stock Service Revolvers</i> | Match 14<br><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><b>Change Targets</b></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>  |
|   |   | <b>California Distinguished Matches</b>  |
| <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***

| <b>APPLIES TO ALL FIREARMS</b>   |            | <b>Rule 3.1</b> |
|--|------------|-----------------|
| 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.  |            |                 |
| All standard safety features of the pistol must operate properly.  |            |                 |
| 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.   |            |                 |
| 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 |                 |
| 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. |            |                 |

| <b>OPEN CLASS REVOLVER</b>  |            | <b>Rule 3.2</b> |
|---|------------|-----------------|
| In addition to the specifications within Section 3.1, the following specifications apply for Open Class Revolvers.  |            |                 |
| 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 |                 |
| Caliber / Ammunition: Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. Wadcutter ammunition is allowed. |            |                 |

| <b>OPEN CLASS SEMI-AUTOMATIC PISTOL</b>   |            | <b>Rule 3.3</b> |
|---|------------|-----------------|
| In addition to the specifications within Section 3.1, the following specifications apply for Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistols.   |            |                 |
| 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    |                 |
| Caliber / Ammunition: Either hand loaded or factory loaded ammunition may be used. 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 UUNCLASSIFIED

**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***

## Riverside Sheriff Police Pistol Combat Tournament – April 23rd and April 24th

Range Location: ☐ Ben Clark Public Safety Training Center ☐ Sacramento County Sheriff Range

I want to Register for: ☐ Saturday ☐ Sunday

|       |   |          |
|-------|---|----------|
| _____ | Open Class Semi-Auto Match                                  | \$ 25.00 |
| _____ | Open Class Revolver Match                                   | \$ 25.00 |
| _____ | Stock Semi-Automatic Pistol Match                           | \$ 15.00 |
| _____ | Stock Production Pistol Match                               | \$ 15.00 |
| _____ | <u>Invitational</u> Production Duty Optic Match             | \$ 15.00 |
| _____ | Off-Duty sidearm Match                                      | \$ 10.00 |
| _____ | <u>California Distinguished Production Pistol Match</u>     | \$ 10.00 |
| _____ | <u>California Distinguished Revolver Match</u>              | \$ 10.00 |
| _____ | <u>California Distinguished Semi-Automatic Pistol Match</u> | \$ 10.00 |

**Riverside Sheriff Reserve Police Pistol Combat Tournament – April 23rd and April 24th after above Tournament is Completed.**

Range Location: ☐ Ben Clark Public Safety Training Center ☐ Sacramento County Sheriff Range

I want to Register for: ☐ Saturday ☐ Sunday

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| _____ | <u>California Distinguished Revolver Match</u>          | \$ 10.00 |
| _____ | <u>California Distinguished Semi-Automatic Pistol</u>   | \$ 10.00 |

### For More Information Please Contact

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