

MUZZLE LOADING RIFLE, PISTOL & SHOTGUN

No changes for 2010

Rule changes effective 2009

2.3 Junior - A person may compete as a Junior if they have not yet turned 21 at the time of match registration.

2.3.1 Intermediate Junior - A person may compete as an Intermediate Junior if they have not yet turned 16 at the time of match registration.

2.3.2 Sub-Junior - A person may compete as a Sub-Junior if they have not yet turned 12 at the time of match registration.

NOTE: Junior definitions comply with NMLRA rules.

3.2 Rifles and Muskets -

- (a)
- (3) Set triggers, butt or cheek pads are not permitted on military rifles and muskets.

17.5 Courses of Fire for which National Records are Recognized -

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NOTE: The NMLRA targets may be used if same value scoring rings as current NRA Rule Book.

Rule changes effective July 2008 (Changes made due to the removal of the membership requirement to participate in some NRA programs)

1.6 Types of Tournaments

- (g) Registered Tournaments - May be authorized by the NRA after application has been filed by the local that will act as the sponsor. Application forms are available from NRA on request. National records only may be established in Registered Tournaments. (See Rule 17.1).
- (h) Approved Tournaments - May be authorized by the NRA after application has been filed by the local organization that will act as the sponsor. Application forms are available from NRA on request. This is the least restrictive type of tournament. No National records may be set. NRA Conventional and USIMLC International firearms are allowed in these type of tournaments. Match Sponsors may require all competitors to be NRA members if specified in the program.

2.1.1 Non-U.S. Citizens - Non-U.S. Citizens may compete in any NRA Sanctioned Tournament, unless further restrictions are imposed by conditions stated in the program.

2.11 Club Teams - All team members, including Team Captain and firing coach, must have been active fully-paid members of the club team represented for a period of at least 30 days immediately prior to the competition. The club may be affiliated with the NRA. If specifically allowed by

conditions of the program, a person who is not a club member may serve as the coach of a Club Team but may not be a firing member.

2.11.1 Other Organizations - All members of such teams must have been fully-paid members of the organization the team represents for a period of at least 30 days immediately prior to the competition, and the organization must be affiliated with the NRA and in good standing.

9.31 Suspension - For violations of these Rules deemed so to justify, any competitor may be suspended from competition and/or expelled from the National Rifle Association upon presentation of evidence and conduct of a hearing as prescribed in the Bylaws.

17 National Records

NRA National Records shall be established only by American citizens who are NRA members or Junior members of NRA affiliated clubs..

National Records may be established only when competition exist, i.e., more than one competitor or team in an event.

17.4 Scores for National Team Records - Such scores will be the aggregate of the scores fired by the individual team members who represent an organization affiliated with the NRA, in team matches or over the courses of fire established in Rule 17.5, for four member teams representing NRA Clubs as provided in 2.11, or four member teams representing State Associations as provided in Rule 2.12, and must be fired in NRA Registered Tournaments. National Records will not be recognized for "pickup" teams.

20.1 Eligibility - Any individual, 21 years of age or older who fulfills the requirements currently in effect may be certified as an Official Referee.

20.5 Duties - During Tournament -

- (a) Observe the functioning of the Statistic Office when first opened to help establish proper registration and squadding procedure. Make sure the Statistical Office has arranged to check all competitors current classification before issuing competitors' first squadding ticket.

Changes effective 2008

2.3.2 Sub-Junior - A Junior may compete as a Sub-Junior through December 31st of the calendar year in which his or her 14th birthday occurs.

3.17 Ammunition -

- (c) Funnels/loading tubes may be used in all competitions. Shot funnels, 4" or smaller, may be used in these matches to avoid spilling powder.
- (d) Cleaning wiping rods: may be used in all competitions.

9.31 Suspension - For violation of these rules deemed to so justify, any member may be suspended or expelled from the National Rifle Association upon presentation of evidence and conduct of a hearing as prescribed in the Bylaws.

In as much as the commission of any of the forgoing offenses, Rule 9.23 through 9.29, are of such importance as to be major offenses, all of the forgoing that may merit action under Rule 9.31, shall be sent to the NRA Protest Committee. The complaint shall be in writing, notarized and signed by the complainant.