

Lowellville .22 Silhouette Rifle Match Rules and Guidelines

1. Legal Rifle
 - a. Any safe rifle firing a .22 Long Rifle Cartridge
2. Cartridges
 - a. .22 Long Rifle ONLY
3. Sights
 - a. Any type iron sight or scope. Scope limited to 10X or less. Variable scopes are permitted but must be set to 10X or less.
4. COURSE OF FIRE
 - a. Chickens - 50 Yards Off Hand
 - b. Pigs - 100 Yards Prone or Sitting off the cross sticks
 - c. Turkeys - 150 Yards Prone or Sitting off the cross sticks
 - d. Rams - 200 Yards Prone or Sitting off the cross sticks
5. MATCH PROGRESSION AND RANGE COMMANDS
 - a. Chickens - Shooters will be called to the line and given 3 minutes to position themselves for this OFF HAND match. When the 3 minutes has expired the command will be shooters set your timers for 12 minutes – 15 seconds. The command is READY - shooters may load their rifle and be ready. Fifteen seconds later the command FIRE is given and shooters will have 12 minutes for unlimited sighters and 10 shots for record. When time expires CEASE FIRE will be called and shooters will make the line safe.
 - b. Pigs - Shooters will be called to the line and given 3 minutes to place their mat and cross sticks. Shooters may shoot prone or sitting. When the 3 minutes has expired the command will be shooters set your timers for 12 minutes - 15 seconds. The command is READY - shooters may load their rifle and be ready. Fifteen seconds later the command FIRE is given and shooters will have 12 minutes for unlimited sighters and 10 shots for record. When time expires CEASE FIRE will be called and shooters will make the line safe.
 - c. Turkeys - Shooters will be called to the line and given 3 minutes to place their mats and cross sticks. Shooters may shoot prone or sitting. When the three minutes has expired the command will be shooter set your timers for 12 minutes - 15 seconds. The command is READY - shooters may load their rifle and be ready. Fifteen seconds later the command

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- d. Rams - Shooters will be called to the line and given 3 minutes to place their mats and cross sticks. Shooters may shoot prone or sitting. When the three minutes has expired the command will be shooters set your timers for 12 minutes - 15 seconds. The command is READY - shooters may load their rifle and be ready. Fifteen seconds later the command FIRE is given and shooters will have 12 minutes for unlimited sighters and 10 shots for record. When time expires CEASE FIRE will be called and shooters will make the line safe.

NOTES:

1. Shooters wishing to shoot the match will need to have their rifles sighted in for all four distances:

50 Yards, 100 Yards, 150 Yards, and 200 Yards. See below to help you with sight settings. It is suggester you zero your rifle at 50 yards and work out your come ups from their for 100, 150, and 200 yards.

- a. Wolfe Match - muzzle velocity 1050 FPS b. Federal Gold Medal - Muzzle velocity 1250 FPS

50 yards - 0

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100 yards - 7.6 inches

100 yards - 5.5 inches

150 yards - 25.6 inches

150 yards - 19.5 inches

200 yards - 55 inches

200 yards - 43.1 inches

- b. These values may vary due to your rifle, barrel length etc.

2. The match will be shot from the common 200 yard firing line directly in front of the covered firing line.
3. Target stands will be placed at the 50 yard target line for the first phase of firing at Chickens. When this phase is complete target stands will be moved to the 100 yard target line for PIGS and so on until firing at TURKEYS and RAMS is complete. As firing is completed on each animal the animal target will be brought back for scoring and the sighter target pasted.
4. At each yard line the appropriate target will be posted complete with a sighter target.

5. Target will be score by the number of hits IN THE BODY of the animal only. Winner will be determined by total number of hits on all four targets. In the event of a tie a shoot off will be held on CHICKENS.
6. Cross stick specifications are maximum width 2", maximum thickness 1", and maximum length 36". You may have 3" spikes in the end of each leg to secure the cross stick to the ground. It is suggested that you pad the X section to protect your rifle and minimize rifle jump.