

# 2012 ARKANSAS AMERICAN LEGION JR 3- POSITION AIR RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIP

## Official Match Program

The 14th annual Arkansas State Junior Olympic Three-Position Air Rifle Championship will be held at Fisher Armory in North Little Rock, Arkansas on Saturday, March 10, 2012.

This championship was initiated in the fall of 1999 by the National Guard Marksmanship Training Center, the Civilian Marksmanship Program, Daisy Jaycees Shooter Education Program, National 4-H Shooting Sports, The American Legion, and USA Shooting.

Based on the results of this match, teams in each category and qualified individuals who meet the minimum CMP score requirements will be invited to attend the 2012 National Junior Olympic Three-Position Air Rifle Championship in Anniston, AL.

Three-position Sporter and Precision air rifle shooting represents the fastest-growing and largest segment of youth sport shooting events in our country.

**Eligibility:** Any student currently enrolled in elementary, middle or high school or equivalent educational program such as home schooling.

Refer to the 2010 -2012 National Standard 3-P Air Rifle Rules which are posted at the CMP website: <http://www.odcmp.com/3P/Rules.pdf>.

**Scoring:** Scoring will be done using the Orion Scoring system which is more accurate than manual scoring and required by Junior Olympics.

**Categories:** For State awards there are 2 categories, Precision & Sporter. However, there are four categories of teams that can qualify to move on to the Nationals: Sporter Club & Scholastic and Precision Club & Scholastic.

Teams and individuals with the following minimum scores automatically qualify for Nationals:

Automatic Precision Individual	580
Automatic Precision Team	2260
Minimum State Championship Team - Precision	2160
Automatic Sporter Individual	525
Automatic Sporter Team	2000
Minimum State Championship Team - Sporter	1800

CMP will do all invitations to Nationals which will be posted by May 21, 2012. The following website will list how to enter the match:

<http://www.odcmp.com/3P/JO.htm>.

**Course of Fire:** 20 shots each prone, standing, and kneeling (fired in this order) 3X20.

3X20 Event	Time Limit
Preparation period	10 minutes
20 shots prone	30 minutes
Change-over period	5 minutes
20 shots standing	40 minutes
Change-over period	5 minutes
20 shots kneeling	30 minutes

**Conduct of Match:** While this is a four person team match, individuals may also participate. All entrants will also compete as individuals (coaches see note 5.2.1 3-P Rules).

Match "Registration Confirmation" forms and CMP Team Registration Cards must be turned in to the Registration desk before any team member fires a record shot.

**Relay Times:** Saturday:

Relay 1 (7:30 am to 9:30 am)

Relay 2 (9:30 am to 11:30 am)

Relay 3 (11:30 am to 1:30 pm),

Relay 4 (1:30pm to 3:30pm if needed)

**Awards:** A traveling trophy will be presented to the winning Precision & Sporter team as well as keeper team trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd placements and for individual overall and position placements, Precision & Sporter.

**Note:** Team member scores will also count for individual scores.

**Entry fees:** For entries received by February 10, the entry fee is \$40 for each Team and \$10 for each non-team member shooter. (For instance, the total fee for a 4 member team is \$40.)

Beginning February 11, the entry fee is \$50 for each team and \$15 for each non-team member shooter.

Entry fees must be sent to John Horton, the Match Director.

**You are on your own for lunch.** There are many restaurants nearby and one within a short walking distance of the Armory.

**Match Director:** John Horton,  
1325 Marsh Mountain Road,  
Pangburn, AR 72121, (501) 279-8659  
[jhorton@landofrost.com](mailto:jhorton@landofrost.com).

**Squadding:** Teams will be assigned relays and lanes in advance based on their entry request and travel distance and are required for Orion scoring system set up.

Shooters should report to the ready line 10 minutes before their relay starts. They will be called to move onto the firing line at their relay time. There will be a 10 minute preparation period.

**Equipment:** Shooters must bring their own rifles, pellets, shooting mats, kneeling rolls and optics.

**Match Advisory Council:** John Horton, American Legion, (501) 728-4755. Rex Roberg, 4-H, (501)671-2334. LTC Artis Lofton, JROTC, 501-771-8133/8127.

**Directions to Fisher Armory:**  
At 2600 Poplar Street, the armory is located south of the intersection of I-40, Main Street, and John F. Kennedy Blvd. in North Little Rock. Take the JFK Exit (153A) off I40 and go South (this road turns into Main Street). Get in the far left lane and immediately turn left at the light on Pershing. The armory is at the end of the street on Poplar. **Fisher Armory is across the street from Bonanza and Simply Home Inn & Suites (hotel).**