



# NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION

## CSR League 2022/23 Competition Notes

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023

- **Programme:**
  - **0830-1500:** Short Range & Urban Match (£28.25)
  - **1530-1730:** Whitehead Match (£13.00)
- **Entry Deadline:** Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September at midday
- **Cancellations:** Cancellations must be received via email to [competitions@nra.org.uk](mailto:competitions@nra.org.uk) by **8am Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September**. Entries will be fully refunded (or credited) before this time, after this point entries are non-refundable. Credits are valid for 12 months from the date of cancellation

### General CSR League Event Information:

- **Entry Requirements:**
  - ✓ **Shooter Certification Card (SCC):** Each civilian shooting on a MoD or NRA range has to carry a SCC issued by the chairman of a club of which they are a member and which is affiliated to the NRA. Competitors **MUST** be in possession of their SCC when shooting on NRA ranges. If you do not have an SCC for the type of firearm you wish to participate with please contact the Competition Co-ordinator before entering
  - ✓ This competition is open to members of Home Office Approved Clubs (HOAC) who are not prohibited under section 21 of the Firearms Act (The NRA is the largest HOAC in the UK)
  - ✓ Non-NRA members are welcome, but are required to pay an additional Non-NRA Member Fee (£8.70)
  - ✓ On the first day of the Competition you must be aged 14 or over (please contact the Competition Co-ordinator before entering if this is not the case)
- **Making an entry:** Entries can be made and paid for online via: [online.nra.org.uk](http://online.nra.org.uk). A downloadable paper entry form will also be available which can be returned via email or post
- **Gallery Rifle ID (GRID):** This is a unique index number that allows us to match up your scores from multiple CSR League Meetings, and is also used for the CSR Imperial and Action Weekend Competitions. Your GRID is listed on your membership profile and on our online booking website: [online.nra.org.uk/customer/info](http://online.nra.org.uk/customer/info)
- **Firearm Classes:**
  - Historic Enfield: Any SMLE/ No.4/ No. 5 rifle, service pattern as issued, with no attachments
  - Any Iron: Any rifle with iron sights, with no restriction on slings (but rests may not be used)
  - Service Optic: Any rifle with optic sights, max 4.5 magnification with no restriction on slings. Rests may not be used. (Any vertical or angled fore grip, if fitted, may be used)
  - Practical Optic: Any rifle with optic sights, with no restriction on slings or rests. If any rest is utilised it must remain fitted to the rifle at all times during the match
- **Classifications:** Within each firearm class shooters will be divided into classification groups based on their final League total from the past 3 seasons. New shooters to the 2023/24 season will be placed in the lowest class for the duration of the season. The boundaries and full details of the classification system can be found in section B11 of the CSR Handbook
- **Discounts:** (*off entry fee only*)
  - **40% discount** for those that are under 25 years old on the last day of the Event
- **Courses of Fire:** Conditions and courses of fire are listed on the event page and in the CSR Handbook which can be found [online](#) and in a FREE paperback book available from NRA Reception
- **Muzzle Energy:** Ranges at Bisley use the Danger Area of Pirbright Range, which under MoD requirements state that all firearms used must either have a muzzle energy under 4,500 Joules (3,319 ft lbs), or else be zeroed at 200 yards or on the Bisley Zero Range prior to being used at a longer distance. If your ME exceeds the limit then you must zero your rifle, using the specially designed target, the day before the start of your particular Meeting

- **Firing Positions:** Prone, sitting, kneeling and standing. Para A3.2.22 of the CSR Handbook: A firer who has a physical disability (temporary or permanent) which prevents the use of a position specified in the match conditions may assume the next most difficult position instead. The CRO, RO and the MD must be informed before the start of the match. The following substitutions are among those permitted:
  - a. The sitting position instead of the prone position
  - b. The kneeling position instead of the sitting position
  - c. The standing position instead of the kneeling position
  - d. The kneeling unsupported position (either on two knees or on one knee without resting the elbow on the knee) instead of the standing position
- **Squadding:** You will be 'squadded' into one of 6 groups, who will rotate between firing the two competitions and operating targetry in the Butts. On Century range there will always be two groups on the firing point, and two in the butts at any time. On Short Siberia there will be two groups on the firing point. If you are physically unable to operate targets there should be additional competitors available to assist. Once entries to the event have closed, you will be emailed a copy of the squadding which can be found here: [nra.org.uk/csrsquadding/](https://nra.org.uk/csrsquadding/)
  - If you are new to CSR and wish to be squadded alongside another competitor, please add a note to this effect on your entry form and we will try to arrange this
  - *Due to the volume and complexity of squadding requests in previous years, we are asking that you supply the name and GRID number of only one individual you wish to be squadded with/ alongside*
- **On the Day:** Please head straight to the range for the pre-event briefing – do not go to NRA Reception
- **Results:** Results will be input on the day of the Competition and will be available online: [www.nra.org.uk/liveresults](https://www.nra.org.uk/liveresults)
- **Challenging Results:** It is the competitor's responsibility on the day of the competition to ensure that the Wing Officer records their scores correctly. Any challenges of this nature must be made immediately on the day. Following the publishing of scores online competitors have until midday on the Thursday of the following week to contact the NRA for errors relating to the digitising of the hand recorded scores. Please email [competitions@nra.org.uk](mailto:competitions@nra.org.uk) with any challenges
- **Firearms Usage:** The NRA is required to keep a record of firearms used by competitors as required by the Firearms (Amendment) Acts 1997. Following a Competition please go to your online profile and update your firearms usage: [online.nra.org.uk/customer/firearmusages](https://online.nra.org.uk/customer/firearmusages)
- **Awards:** NRA Medals and awards are presented based on the final results in the CSR League, not for individual rounds in the league. NRA Medals are awarded in each firearm class, for each classification group, subject to Prize List D of the NRA handbook:
  - 2+ Scores: Gold Medal
  - 6+ Scores: Gold and Silver Medal
  - 11+ Scores: Gold, Silver and Bronze Medal

The highest placed competitors in each firearm type (regardless of classification) at the end of the League season will also receive an engraved piece of glassware, as per the below:

- Historic Enfield: 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place
- Any Iron: 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place
- Practical Optic: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place
- Service Optic: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place

In addition, the following awards are provided by our sponsor **Vortex Optics**:

- Historic Enfield 'A' Class 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Vortex Binoculars
- Any Iron 'A' Class 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Vortex Binoculars
- Practical Optic 'B' Class 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Vortex Scope
- Service Optic 'B' Class 1<sup>st</sup> Place: Vortex Scope

- **Prizegiving:** Prizegiving will take place on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2024, following the completion of the Individual CSR Imperial Competitions

- **Terms of Entry:**

- I agree I meet the entry criteria as stated within the details of the Event I am entering
- I am not a prohibited person within the meaning of Section 21 Firearms Act 1968 (as amended)
- I have never had a Firearm or Shotgun Certificate refused or revoked. (If you have, please enclose full details in a sealed envelope marked 'Confidential')
- I agree that I have been warned that ear and eye protection must be worn at all times in the vicinity of all firing points while shooting is in progress, and shall not hold the organiser responsible for any injury resulting from non-compliance therewith
- I confirm that the information given in this form is true, complete and accurate
- I meet at least one of the following conditions:
  - I hold a Firearm Certificate permitting me to use the firearms that I shall fire in this competition for target shooting
  - I am a full member of a Home Office Approved Club and will be shooting as a full member of that club and will use any firearm for which I do not hold a Firearm Certificate only in accordance with the applicable exemptions to S1 Firearms Act 1968 as amended
  - I will only shoot with airguns that are exempt from the requirements of S1 and S5 Firearms Act 1968 (as amended) and/or with shotguns falling within the limits of S2 Firearms Act 1968 (as amended)
- I agree to abide by the rules of the National Rifle Association and of the Meeting and I will accept the decisions of the Meeting Director or the NRA as final
- I agree that results of a Competition and classifications may be published on the internet or elsewhere containing my name, competitor number, class and score