



The America Match ***Connaught Ranges, Ottawa, August 2014***

With the approval of the National Rifle Association of the United States of America (NRA-USA), the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association (DCRA) is very pleased to announce that the America Matches for both F Class and Target Rifle will be held during the Canadian Rifle Championships in August 2014.

Target Rifle

Date: Sunday 24 August.

Team Size: Captain, Adjutant, Main Coach, 2 Target Coaches, 8 firers and 2 Reserves (total team strength 15), from a single country or group of countries approved by the DCRA. One team per country/group may enter.

Course of Fire: 2 sighting shots (convertible) and 15 on score at 300 and 600 yards, 800 and 900 metres.

Targets: DCRA targets will be used

Alongside Events: subject to range space and demand, alongside events, following the same course of fire, will be held for Teams consisting of a Captain, Coach, 4 firers and 1 Reserve, *either* with all members under the age of 25 on the day of the Match from a single country *or* for additional teams with no restriction on country/province/state/club. Given sufficient demand, the Under 25 Match might be expanded to include 8 firers, with a maximum team size of 15.

Note: The Canadian Fullbore Rifle Championships (CFRC) will be held from Friday 15 to Saturday 23 August, with the Grand Aggregate commencing on Sunday 17 August and the Final of H.E. The Governor General's Prize on Saturday 23 August. Teams and individuals who may be attending the US National Matches and the World Championship Preliminaries at Camp Perry, Ohio, are most welcome to compete in the CFRC and the America Match.

F Class

Date: Saturday 16 August.

Team Size: Captain, Adjutant, Main Coach, 2 Target Coaches, 8 firers, not more than 4 of whom may be Class F(Open), and 2 Reserves (total team strength 15), from a single country or group of countries approved by the DCRA.

Course of Fire: 2 sighting shots (convertible) and 15 on score at 500, 600, 800 and 900 metres.

Targets: DCRA F Class targets will be used (these are normal DCRA targets, with an additional central V-bull, half the diameter of the normal V)

Alongside Event: subject to range space and demand, an alongside event, following the same course of fire, will be held for teams consisting of a Captain, Coach, 4 firers and 1 Reserve, with no restriction on F Class or country/province/state/club. If there are sufficient entries, this event may be split into F(O) and F(TR/F) groups.

Note: The Canadian F Class National Championships (C-FCNC) will be held from Wednesday 13 to Friday 15 August. The C-FCNC and CFRC are separate consecutive events. F Class shooters are welcome to enter both the C-FCNC and the CFRC, firing the latter in a separate class alongside the TR competitions.

All target marking services, as is usual at DCRA events, will be included as part of the entry for all the Matches and provided by our World Famous Group of young women from Smiths Falls.

Further information will be posted on the DCRA web site (www.dkra.ca) as it becomes available. To assist in planning for these events in 2014, the DCRA would appreciate preliminary indications of intention to attend from both F Class and TR Teams as soon as possible.