

22LR BRS

22 Long Rifle Bench Rest Silhouette



The Ridgway Rifle Club is excited to introduce another new exciting shooting discipline to its extensive list of competitive shooting disciplines in 2021. 22LR BRS will combine Metallic Silhouette and 100 meter bench rest into one new exciting game. As in Silhouette the shooter will be presented steel targets in banks of 10 at four distances that must be knocked over to be scored as a hit. As in silhouette, a match will consist of 40 shots fired for record, 10 shots at each distance and different steel animal target. The match winner will be the competitor who knocks over the greatest



number of targets of the combined distances (best of 40).

The target shapes and distances are:

1. Crows at 40 Meters
2. Ground hogs at 60 Meters
3. Bobcats at 78 Meters
4. Coyotes at 100 Meters

There are two classes of guns

1. Small-Bore Standard Silhouette Rifle:

- Maximum weight 10 pounds, 2 ounces, including sights
- Scopes may not be more than 2 inches above the rifle as measured from the top of the receiver to the underside of the scope tube, nor may the scope be offset from the top center line of the receiver. Any sighting device programmed to activate the firing mechanisms is prohibited.
- Stock: The stock must be traditionally styled and may not be bent and/or twisted so as to deviate from conventional the forend, including the trigger guard mounts and screws, shall not exceed 2 1/4 inches wide, and 2 1/4 inches deep measured from the centerline of the bore. The forend shall extend a minimum of 8 inches forward of the forward edge of the receiver ring. The comb shall not extend above the centerline of the bore, but Monte Carlo roll may rise 1/2 inch on the off side. Buttplate or recoil pad may not extend below the lower line of the stock.
- The barrel may be no longer than 30 inches including any sleeve or attachment
- The rifle shall be chambered for only factory loaded .22 Long Rifle and you must use **standard velocity target round (1100 FPS or Slower)**

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2. Small-bore Hunting Rifle:

- A hunting style rifle having a maximum weight of 8.5 pounds, including Scope and an empty magazine or clip. The intent of this rule is to describe a common hunting rifle.
- Scopes may not be more than 1.5 inches above the rifle, as measured from the top of the receiver to the underside of the scope tube, nor may the scope be offset from the centerline of the bore.
- Stock: A hunting style stock; thumbhole-type stocks are not permitted
- Trigger pull shall not be less than 2 pounds and all safety features, including any manual safety, must be functional
- Barrel: A hunting style contoured barrel that tapers from chamber to muzzle. Bull barrels are not permitted. A factory tuner that does not act as a muzzle brake or compensator is permitted. Maximum barrel length is 26 inches
- The rifle shall be chambered for only factory loaded .22 Long Rifle and you must use standard velocity target round **(1100 FPS or Slower)**

Shooting Rules:

- Bench, stool and sandbag will be provided for you. (This can be substituted for a Bi-Pod) You will be required to use the house bench, stool and sandbag.
- No modifying of the benches and they must be kept 4 inches from the shooting rail.
- Benches must remain in the position they are placed. There is no moving of the bench.
- You may bring a pad to raise the height of the stool and sandbag that is provided.
- Rear of stock will be supported by your hand (no rear bag will be allowed and is not allowed to rest on the bench)
- You must use a 22LR standard velocity target round **(1100 FPS or Slower)**
- You will be given 3:00 minutes which includes a 15 second ready followed by 2:45 for 10 shots at 10 animal targets for record. Followed by a cease fire any shot fired after the cease fire will be counted as a miss.
- Tie Breaker will be a reverse Animal Count: Bobcats, Ground Hogs, Coyotes and Crows.
- If a shoot off is needed then crows will be placed on the 77m line and it will be best out of 5 shots.
- Shooters will set their own targets after they shoot.

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Registration for Matches:

- Will open on the first of the month and close on the Sunday before the Match. (for example Registration for the April match will open April 1st and close on Sunday April 18th)
- If spots are available you may walk is on the day of the match.
- Match times are—8:00am, 10:00am, 1:00pm or 3:00pm.
- Complete the registration form found at <http://tiny.cc/22lrbr>
- Shooter will only be able to register for one match at a time
- You are only able to register for one gun. If spots are available we will allow you to shoot a 2nd gun.
- Cost of the match is \$15.00 per gun.



Classifications:

Small-Bore Standard Silhouette Rifle		Small-Bore Hunting Rifle:	
Number of Targets	40	Number of Targets	40
Master	34 - 40	Master	32 - 40
AAA	28 - 33	AAA	26 - 31
AA	21 - 27	AA	20 - 25
A	15 - 20	A	15 - 19
B	0 - 14	B	0 - 14

- First time shooters will compete in the "Unclassified" category.

Establishing Classification - Competitors will receive their first classification on the score of the first match fired.

Retaining Classification - Competitors will be reclassified to a higher classification when they fire two scores in any higher classification to go from B class upward or three scores in any higher classification to go from A, AA or AAA upward. Scores used for reclassification are from the current and last calendar year.

A match winner will be determined for each match and in each classification in standard and hunter rifle. (i.e. one winner at 8, 10, 12, and 3)

- The match winner will then qualify for the 22LRBR championship match which will be held on September 25 & 26.
- **Questions please email match director Anthony Santiso at 22lrbrs@gmail.com**

