



2023
Mid Carolina Rifle Club
Monthly High Power Rifle Match

Sponsored by Mid Carolina Rifle Club
Second Sunday of Every Month

MATCH DIRECTOR: Scott Johnson - (803) 338-5505

MATCH DATES: Jan-8; Feb-12; Mar-12; Apr-9; May-14; Jun-11; Jul-9; Aug-13; Sep-10; Oct-8;
Nov-12; Dec-10

LOCATION: Mid Carolina Rifle Club (MCRC)
3435 Fish Hatchery Road, Gaston, SC 29053

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all competitors eligible to fire in NRA sanctioned matches. NRA/MCRC membership is NOT required to attend and/or compete in this match.

RULES: Unless modified by this program, current NRA Rules will apply. Competitors will score and assist the Range Officer(s) as required. Use of plug type scoring gauge is restricted to the Range Officer ONLY. This match takes place on a 200-yd range without pits. Subject to equipment availability, transportation to and from the targets will be provided for scoring and pasting.

MCRC REQUIRES ALL SHOOTERS AND SPECTATORS TO WEAR HEARING AND EYE PROTECTION!

ENTRIES: Entries are accepted the morning of the match. The gate will be open by 0800, **match registration will close at 0845** and the first relay is called to the firing line at ~0905.

ENTRY FEE: **\$15.00 (Juniors shoot free)**. If you are a new shooter and do not have a rifle notify the Match Director in advance and we will try to have a loaner rifle, ammunition and a coach to work with you. This is designed as a shooter friendly match and perfect for new shooters to learn the sport.

RIFLES: Rifles in accordance with current NRA High Power rules. Muzzle brakes are prohibited.

AMMUNITION: Competitors must provide their own ammunition. Unsafe firearms or ammunition will be disallowed. Incendiary bullets are not allowed.

If you are a new shooter, and notify the Match Director in advance that you want to shoot this Match, we will assist in providing a rifle and ammunition for your first match.

SQUADDING: Open squadding - first come/first serve with respect to choosing firing point.

COURSE OF FIRE: This is a 50 round 200-yd reduced course match.

As a new shooter friendly match, we have a 5-minute unlimited slow fire sighting shot period prior to each stage of the match to allow new shooters to get zero's and some additional coaching.

First Stage: 10 slow fire¹ shots in a time period of 10 minutes from standing position

Second Stage: 10 rapid fire² shots in a time period of 60 seconds from seated position

Third Stage: 10 rapid fire² shots in a time period of 70 seconds from prone position

Final Stage: 20 slow fire¹ shots in a time period of 20 minutes from prone position

¹ – slow fire requires each cartridge to be loaded and then fired individually – the rifle shall never contain more than one cartridge at any time

² – rapid fire stages require a magazine/clip change during the string of fire

GENERAL: Bring plenty of drinking water to stay hydrated. No food service - no lunch break. The range has designated male and female restroom facilities.

DIRECTIONS: **From I-26 East:** Take exit 115 and take a right off the exit ramp (toward Swansea). At the traffic light at the top of the hill take a right onto Fish Hatchery Road. After about 5 miles, you will come to a traffic circle, bear right. Once you pass Forest Manor Mobile Home Park, look for the blue MCRC sign/driveway on the left.

From I-26 West: Take exit 115 and take a left from the exit ramp (toward Swansea). Go under the interstate and continue to the traffic light at the top of the hill. Take a right onto Fish Hatchery Road. After about 5 miles, you will come to a traffic circle, bear right. Once you pass Forest Manor Mobile Home Park, look for the blue MCRC sign/driveway on the left.

From I-77 South: As you approach the I-77 and I-26 interchange, you will see a sign for Exit 1 (Cayce). Exit here (before getting to I-26). At the end of the exit ramp, at the traffic light, proceed straight onto Fish Hatchery Road. After about 5 miles, you will come to a traffic circle, bear right. Once you pass Forest Manor Mobile Home Park, look for the blue MCRC sign/driveway on the left.