



Long-Range Airgun Bench-Rest Silhouette matches will be held on the first Saturday of January, April, July and October 2023 at the Central Texas Rifle And Pistol club. Matches start immediately after the shooters meetings at 2 PM during Daylight Saving Time, and noon during Central Standard Time.

The gate opens for practice an hour before shooters meeting times. There are 3 classes- 80 Foot-Pounds (maximum) Pellets, 35 FP (maximum) Pellets, and 80 Foot-Pounds (maximum) Slugs. Maximum caliber allowed is .30, all-lead projectiles only. No tethering allowed. Scopes must be set no higher than 16x magnification, and if the the scope doesn't have a 16X marking it must be set to the next lower factory marking.

Shooting is from concrete shooting benches. Wind flags, spotting scopes, spotters, and coaching are allowed. A sandbag or **bipod** is allowed under the fore-end or front rail. Only shooter's off hand is allowed under the rifle butt. Targets are 1/10 scale airgun-silhouette swingers. Matches are forty shots-ten shots each at 60 yard chickens, 75 yard pigs, 90 yard turkeys, and 100 yard rams. Steel back-stops behind the silhouettes show your misses.

At the "fire" command, shooters have 10 minutes for unlimited sighting shots at the backstop, AND THEN ten shots at the animal target for record.

Match Winner hat-pins are awarded when at least 5 shooters contest a match. Match Winner hat-pins are also awarded to class winners of at least 4 shooters in a class. Ten-in-a-row hat-pins are awarded in all classes.

Entry fees are \$15 per gun or class, or \$40 total if contesting all three classes. Shooters may contest any or all classes.

This is a very fun and challenging airgun competition. The venue has a well-deserved reputation for challenging winds.

Gun-handling safety and all rules are strictly enforced at all times.

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