2024 MINI-PALMA MATCH

U.S. NEW ENGLAND STATES

VS

CANADIAN MARITIME PROVINCES

September 21 - 600 Yards Matches begin at 9:00 am

CHESHIRE COUNTY SHOOTING SPORTS EDUCATION FOUNDATION, ORG. 19 Ferry Brook Road P.O. Box 233 Keene, NH 03431

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LOCATION: Cheshire County Shooting Sports Education Foundation, Org. - Keene, NH Arrive by 8:00 AM for team meeting and photos - Match starts at 9:00 AM

TEAMS: Each team is comprised of 6 target rifle members and 4 F/FTR members, with coaches and score keepers as required. Choice of starting firing points will be made by the visiting team. Two firing points will be provided for each team.

COURSE OF FIRE: Three 20 round stages fired at 600 yards on the MR-1 and MR-1FC targets. A team block time for each stage is 125 minutes.

Stage 1 - 600 yards - Unlimited sighting shots and 20 record shots in a total team time of 125 minutes.

Competitors must notify their score keeper before firing the first record shot.

Stage 2 & 3 - 600 yards - 2 convertible sighting shots and 20 record shots in a total team time of 125 minutes for each stage.

Team Championship - Aggregate total of stages 1,2, & 3

RULES: All current Mini-Palma rules plus any agreed to by team captains.

TARGETS: Shot Marker targets will be used. Each team must supply their own tablets.

SAFETY: ECI (Empty Chamber Indicator) rule 3.21. The ECI must be used at all times while the rifle is uncased on the range and until the competitor is on the firing line. The rifle must be shouldered and pointed down range before closing the action on a live round. Eye and ear protection are required.

TEAM RESPONSIBILITIES: Each team will supply official score keepers for the opposing team.

AMMO: 7.62/.308 & 5.56 /.223 consistent with Palma rules. (.223/5.6 - no bullets lighter than 69 grains at 600 yards) .308 target rifle limited to 156 grain bullets.

**The U.S. may field a "Good Will Team" to shoot along with the team match. The Canadian team is encouraged to field a "Good Will" team as well.

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BANQUET & HOTEL INFO.: The banquet will be held at a local restaurant (TBD). Hotel information to follow.

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 22nd: A mid-range 600 yard match consisting of four 20 round matches will be held. This is the New Hampshire Mid-Range State Championship - an NRA registered match and will be open to all Canadians wanting to compete. The fee is \$40.00 US.