

**2017 NRA Approved
High Power & High Power Hunting Rifle Silhouette Matches
Sponsored by River Bend Gun Club**

Dates: April 2nd, August 6th and October 1st.

Location: River Bend Gun Club, Dawson County, GA. River Bend Gun Club is located north of Atlanta in the southeast corner of Dawson County, approximately one hour drive from Atlanta. From the north side of I-285 take GA 400 to intersection of State 369. Go 12.3 miles to Yellow Creek Road. Turn right and go 4.5 miles to Shiloh Church Road. Turn right and go 0.3 miles to paved fork; bear right to gravel county road to the gun club—1.25 miles. GPS Coordinates: N34 20.198 W84 14.819

Times: Sight-in/Practice begins at approximately 9:00 AM local (EST/EDT) time or whenever the range setup is complete. Hunter match begins at 10:00 AM local time. Standard rifle match begins following the hunter match (approximately 1:00 PM).

Eligibility: Open to all eligible competitors. NRA membership is not required. Shooters younger than 18 must complete a RBGC Youth Shooter Range Release form in order to compete. Please note that this form requires that a parent or legal guardian sign and accompany the young shooter while participating in the match.

Registration & Fees: Advanced registration is not required. Entries accepted to range capacity (32 competitors in 4 relays) until 9:30 AM on the day of the match. Fees for the hunter and standard rifle matches (both matches) are \$20 for RBGC members and \$25 for non-members. All competitors must have a current NRA Silhouette Competition book (available for purchase on the day of the event).

Classification & Awards: NRA classification system will be used. Classes with less than three (3) competitors will be combined with the next higher class. Unclassified shooters will compete in the Master class. 5 and 10 in-a-row pins will be awarded to all competitors when they are earned. There will be no other awards associated with these matches.

Rules: Current NRA Silhouette Rifle Rules will be used.

Rifles & Ammunition: NRA Silhouette Rifle rules 3.1 (Standard Rifle), 3.1.1 (Hunting Rifle) and 3.17 (Ammunition) will govern. In addition, River Bend Gun Club Silhouette Range Rules will be enforced. If it is determined that any competitor is causing damage to targets, they will not be allowed to continue shooting.

Course of Fire:

Match 1 – Forty (40) shot High Power Hunting Silhouette Rifle Match comprised of the following four (4) stages:

- Ten (10) Gallina (chicken) targets at 200 meters
- Ten (10) Javelina (pig) targets at 300 meters
- Ten (10) Guajalote (turkey) targets at 385 meters
- Ten (10) Borrego (ram) targets at 500 meters

Match 2 - Forty (40) shot High Power Silhouette Rifle Match comprised of the following four (4) stages:

- Ten (10) Gallina (chicken) targets at 200 meters
- Ten (10) Javelina (pig) targets at 300 meters
- Ten (10) Guajalote (turkey) targets at 385 meters
- Ten (10) Borrego (ram) targets at 500 meters

Match 3 – Aggregate of matches 1 and 2

Target Setting, Squadding & Scoring: Target setters will be provided and costs for this service are included in the entry fees. Competitors will be required to score for other competitors. Squadding will be done on the morning of the event on a first come, first served basis. Competitors sharing equipment will be given squadding priority.

Facilities: Restrooms are provided. Please bring your own refreshments.

Accommodations: See rbgc.org web site under the “Club Information” section for a list of nearby motels and restaurants.

Contact: Match director can be contacted via email at [nrasilhouette at rbgc dot org](mailto:nrasilhouette@rbgc.org)