

# 2009 U.S. NRA F-Class National Championships

Sponsored by North State Shooting Club

Butner, NC

[www.northstateshootingclub.com](http://www.northstateshootingclub.com)

**Dates:** Thursday October 1, 2009 to Sunday October 4, 2009

**Location:** Camp Butner NC National Guard training facility, KD Range #4. Located in Butner, North Carolina. Directions from I-85 (north and south) are available on the club website ([www.northstateshootingclub.com](http://www.northstateshootingclub.com)).

**General Information:** Camping or housing will not be available on site. Hotels are located in Creedmoor, Raleigh and Durham. Contact Jeff Rorer at ([rorerj@embarqmail.com](mailto:rorerj@embarqmail.com)) if you have questions or need assistance. Some local hotels offer discounts for competitors. Check our website for more details.

**Entries:** Entries and fees must be mailed to Jane Green, 6147 Hebron Road, Oxford, NC 27565. Credit cards will not be accepted. International competitors must make payment via money order (US funds only).

**Entry closing date and fees:** Early registration is desired. Entries must be received by September 15, 2009 or once range capacity has been reached, whichever is sooner (check website for updated information). Range capacity is 176 shooters with 4 relays.

**Individual entry - \$180 (does not include a puller)(does include dinner)**

- \$100 for juniors

- \$100 for 4-man teams

- \$75 for 1 day individual

- \$60 for target pullers (Thu, Fri, Sat) if available

**Rules:** NRA High Power Rifle rules and NRA F-Class rules will be in effect for this match.

**Competitor Eligibility:** NRA membership is not required, however all competitors should consider NRA membership to support the future of competitive shooting.

**Competitor Classifications:** This is a classified match and will be conducted using the current NRA High Power Rifle classification in all matches. Any individual or team may elect, before firing, to compete in a higher classification than the one in which classified. Such individual or team must fire in the higher class throughout the tournament. In the event of insufficient entries in any class to warrant an award in that class, individuals or teams may be moved to a higher class. Any competitor without NRA USA classification will compete in the master classification per rule 19.2.

**Challenge Fees:** Challenge fees will be \$1.

**Ammunition:** Competitors must provide their own ammunition. Butner has a caliber restriction of .30 cal or less. Also, M118, tracers, and armor piercing ammo is prohibited.

**Squadding:** All matches will be squadded by the Chief Statistical Officer at 7:00am each day at the stat office.

**Rifle Classification:** There will be two classes of rifles recognized, F-Open and F-T/R per rule 3.4 (a)(b).

**Targets:** Targets will be NRA MR-FC at 600 yards and NRA LR-FC targets at 1000 yards.

**Empty Chamber Indicators (ECI):** Empty Chamber Indicators must be used at all times. Bolts or actions will remain open and magazines out and ECI's inserted at all times unless on the firing line in prep or during live firing.

**Coaching:** Coaching is only allowed while firing unlimited sighters in the first match of the day.

**Scoring:** Competitors are required to perform scoring and pit duties. Those failing to adhere to this may be disqualified.

**Awards:** Award ceremony is scheduled for Saturday October 3 after completion of firing, unless bad weather requires firing on Sunday. There must be five competitors in a class or three teams for an award. Awards will be given for each match 1-16.

**Clearing the line:** At no time should a competitor leave the line without the ECI inserted into the chamber. All competitors are responsible for safety on the line. Scorekeepers will be responsible for verifying that the rifle is safe and the ECI is inserted before getting out of position. The penalty for violating this rule will be disqualification of the shooter and possibly the scorekeeper. This will be at the Match Directors discretion.

**Preparation Period:** Competitors will be given a 3 minute preparation period at which time ECI's can be removed. However, a live round can not be loaded until given direction to do so. If you fire a round during the preparation period, you will be scored a miss on your first record shot of that match. If you fire a round during any nonfiring period other than the preparation period you will be disqualified.

**Shelters:** Large tents are scheduled to be provided for competitor use. A few tables will be set up with vendors and/or for competitor use.

**Food:** Food will be provided each day (Thu. – Sat.) check website for information.

**F-Class National Competitors:** North State Shooting Club is a civilian organization with the privilege to utilize the Camp Butner military facilities. As such the NC National Guard has complete control over range operations. Priority for range usage lies with the military and not civilian clubs like NSSC. Therefore, under no fault of NSSC, this event may be cancelled due to National, State or military emergency, with little or no warning. The intention of NSSC and Camp Butner Training Center is to host a successful championship.

**WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 30, 2009 – Practice.**

**Open practice** at 600, 1000. 9:00 am – 12:00 pm.

**Team practice** at 600, 1000. 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm.

**Open practice** at 600, 1000. 4:00 pm - on

**THURSDAY OCTOBER 1, 2009 F-CLASS - 600 YD PHASE OF THE NATIONAL CHAMP.**

**Match 1:** 600 yd individual slow fire prone: unlimited sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 17 minutes. (**firing time 8:00 am**)

**Match 2:** 600 yd individual slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 17 minutes.

**Match 3:** 600 yd individual slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 17 minutes.

**Match 4:** 600 yd Aggregate (total of Matches 1,2,3).

**Match 14: Four Person Team Match:** 600 yd slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 20 rounds for record per team member. Time limit will be 43 minutes per 2 member phase. A pit change will occur between phases.

**FRIDAY OCTOBER 2, 2009 F-CLASS - 1000 YD PHASE 1 OF THE NATIONAL CHAMP.**

**Match 5:** 1000 yd individual slow fire prone: unlimited sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 22 minutes. (**firing time 8:00 am**)

**Match 6:** 1000 yd individual slow fire prone.: 2 sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 22 minutes.

**Match 7:** 1000 yd individual slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 22 minutes.

**Match 8:** 1000 yd Aggregate (total of Matches 5,6,7).

**Match 15: Four Person Team Match:** 1000 yd slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 20 rounds for record per team member. Time limit will be 63 minutes per 2 member phase. A pit change will occur between phases.

**Match 16:** Team aggregate (total of match 13,14) **National Team Champions**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 3, 2009 F-CLASS - 1000 YD PHASE 2 OF THE NATIONAL CHAMP.**

**Match 9:** 1000 yd individual slow fire prone: unlimited sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 22 minutes (**firing time 8:00 am**)

**Match 10:** 1000 yd individual slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 22 minutes.

**Match 11:** 1000 yd individual slow fire prone: 2 sighters and 15 rounds for record in a time limit of 22 minutes.

**Match 12:** 1000 yd Aggregate (total of Matches 9,10,11).

**Match 13:** Individual grand aggregate (total of matches 1-3, 5-7, 9-11) **National Champion**

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 4, 2009**

Will be used as a make up day, in the case of a rain out.

## 2009 F-Class National Championships Registration and Entry Form

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday September 30, 2009 – Practice  
\_\_\_\_\_ Thursday October 1, 2009 – 3 x 600 yards + team  
\_\_\_\_\_ Friday October 2, 2009 – 3 x 1000 yards + team  
\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday October 3, 2009 – 3 x 1000 yards

Please put a check mark next to the dates you intend to shoot.

Name (Last, First, MI) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

NRA # \_\_\_\_\_ Rifle Division (F/O or F/TR) \_\_\_\_\_

NRA F-Class LR Prone Classification \_\_\_\_\_ (HM, MA, EX, SS, MK, MU)

NRA F-Class MR Prone Classification \_\_\_\_\_

Check all that apply: I am a woman \_\_\_\_\_

I am a Junior \_\_\_\_\_ and I was born in \_\_\_\_\_

I am a Intermediate Junior \_\_\_\_\_

I am a Sub-Junior \_\_\_\_\_

I am a Senior \_\_\_\_\_

I am a Grand Senior \_\_\_\_\_

Mail entry with entry fees before September 15, 2009 to:

Jane Green  
6147 Hebron Road  
Oxford, NC 27565