



**Official Newsletter of the Dormont / Mt Lebanon Sportsmen's Club**  
**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**  
**January 2021 Edition**

**February 2021**

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
	<b>1</b> 3:15-6:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice 6:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 3	<b>2</b> 3:15-6:30PM - MTL Rifle Practice	<b>3</b> 9:30AM-12:00 - Air Rifle 12:00-3:00PM - Open Shoot 3:15-6:30PM - MTL Rifle Practice 7:00PM - PSRL Practice	<b>4</b> 3:15-6:30PM - MTL Rifle Practice	<b>5</b> 3:15-6:30PM - MTL Rifle Practice	<b>6</b> 9:00-10:30 - Air Pistol 10:30-12:30 - Open shoot 1:00PM - Air pistol Silhouette
<b>7</b> 8:00-12:00 - <b>New Member Interview &amp; Orientation</b> 12:30-3:30 Indoor Pistol 6:00PM - PSRL Rifle Practice	<b>8</b> 3:15-6:00PM - MTL Rifle Practice 6:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 4	<b>9</b> 3:15PM - MTL Rifle Match Woody Hills@Home	<b>10</b> 9:30AM-12:00 - Air Rifle 12:00-3:00PM - Open Shoot 3:15-6:30PM - MTL Rifle Practice 7:00PM - PSRL Practice	<b>11</b> 2:00PM - MTL Rifle Match @Penn Trafford 7:30PM - <b>Board Meeting via Zoom</b>	<b>12</b> 3:15-6:30PM - MTL Rifle Practice	<b>13</b> 9:00-10:30 - Air Pistol 10:30-12:30 - Open shoot 1:00PM - Air pistol Silhouette
<b>14</b> <b>Valentine's Day</b> 12:30-3:30 Indoor Pistol 6:00PM - PSRL Rifle Practice	<b>15</b> <b>President's Day</b> 6:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 5	<b>16</b> 9:15PM - <b>WPIAL Teams</b>	<b>17</b> 9:30AM-12:00 - Air Rifle 12:00-3:00PM - Open Shoot 7:00PM - PSRL Team @Allegheny	<b>18</b> 9:15AM - <b>WPIAL Individuals</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 9:00-10:30 - Air Pistol 10:30-12:30 - Open shoot 1:00PM - Air pistol Silhouette
<b>21</b> 11:00AM CMP rifle match 12:30-3:30 Indoor Pistol 6:00PM - PSRL Rifle Practice	<b>22</b> 6:00PM - Indoor pistol (NMC) MPRL Week 6	<b>23</b> TBA - <b>PIAA Individuals</b> @frazier	<b>24</b> 9:30AM-12:00 - Air Rifle 12:00-3:00PM - Open Shoot 7:00PM - PSRL Practice	<b>25</b> <b>Purim</b> TBA - <b>PIAA Teams</b> @frazier 8:00PM - <b>Membership Meeting TBD</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 9:00-10:30 - Air Pistol 10:30-12:30 - Open shoot 1:00PM - Air pistol Silhouette
<b>28</b> 12:30-3:30 Indoor Pistol 6:00PM - PSRL Rifle Practice						

- **January Meeting:** Due to the Governor's edict, ALL Membership meetings are cancelled until further notice. The outdoor matches have been resumed. The outdoor ranges are open, but please maintain separation and use masks. For the latest status, look at the Calendars on the website and not the Notes calendar.
- **Feeling Under the Weather:** The Club would like you to evaluate yourself if you are going to be visiting the range. We are not your mother, so please effectively gauge how you are feeling and then decide on whether you are healthy enough to come to the range.
- **DMSC Board of Directors:** DMSC would like to welcome Jim Locke as the new Vice President of DMSC. We would like to thank Ted Hildabrand for his service as the past Vice President for many years. Thanks Ted & Welcome Jim!
- **DMSC 2021 Annual Dues:** At the end of this month is when your dues are due!! Do not let your membership lapse! Dues are to be mailed to the Club PO Box:  

**Dormont-Mt. Lebanon Sportsmen's Club**  
**PO Box 12692**  
**Pittsburgh, PA 15241-0692**
- **Membership 2021:** DMSC will be opening the application process for accepting new members in 2021. We will be hosting 3 interview sessions and 3 orientations. If you know anyone interested in joining the Club, please direct them to the website for the application process.
- **Junior Rifle Program:** The coaches have cancelled the open shooting for the 2021 season. There are plans to continue Instruction of the Junior program in the Fall. Please keep an eye out for the information on this in the club newsletters starting in the summer of 2021.
- **RSO's and ACT 33 CERTIFICATION:** Just a reminder to keep your status up to date. Your RSO certification is due every 2 years and your ACT 33 certification is due every 60 months. Check yours now so you can keep them up to date.
- **LOST & FOUND:** If you believe you've lost an item of yours in or around the Range property, please email DMSCNews@gmail.com to inquire about it.

## MEMBERSHIP YEARLY DUES

Full Membership	\$100
Senior (65 and up, 10yrs consecutive membership)	\$40
Intermediate (18 -21)	\$40
Junior (12-17)	\$15
Spousal membership	\$50
Initiation Fee	\$100
Lost Gate Card	\$10

## EXECUTIVE STAFF

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Pittsburgh and Suburban Rifle League  
National Shooting Sports Foundation

## SANCTIONED BY

National Rifle Association  
Civilian Marksmanship Program  
Pennsylvania Rifle and Pistol Association

## CLUB COMMUNICATION

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## Shooting Events

Program	Description	Contact	Centerfire Pistol	Rimfire	Air Pistol	Centerfire Rifle	Rimfire	Air Rifle	Shotgun	Muzzleload
<b>Monday Night Pistol</b>	This program takes place year-round. Indoors during the winter and outdoors during the summer. National Match Course. First line fires at 7pm indoors, and 6pm outdoors	George Taylor (412) 855-6721 Bruce Ungar (412)343-2256	X	X						
<b>Outdoor Silhouette</b>	This fires the 4th Saturday of the Month at 9 AM. April—September	George Taylor (412) 855-6721	X	X		X	X			
<b>CMP Rifle</b>	The Civilian Marksmanship Program rifle matches occur the third Sunday of every month January - October. Matches begin at 11 AM.	Bruce Ungar (412) 343-2256				X				
<b>NRA High Power</b>	200-yard match. 2014 season begins March 8. Matches begin at 9 AM. March - October	John Tupta (724) 941-1494 teefam@verizon.net				X				
<b>Pittsburgh Suburban Rifle League</b>	Our champion small-bore team practices every Sunday at 7 PM	Dean Trew (724) 239-3012					X			
<b>Trap</b>	Trap shooting occurs every Tuesday starting at 6pm. The season runs April - October	Wayne Thompson (412) 874-8888							X	
<b>Winter Indoor Shooting League</b>	The season runs January - March. The shooters participate and shoot concurrent with the indoor open shoots on Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, or Sunday	Ted Hildabrand (724) 344-8171 tkhaquariusnetwk@gmail.com Mike Leone (724) 554-9544 Bruce Long (724) 941-3918 Dave Faust (724) 225-9057	X	X	X		X	X		
<b>Antique Military Rifle Match</b>	This program typically takes place in June and November. Any centerfire original military rifle with original open sights, no scopes, manufactured prior to January 1, 1946 and in safe shooting condition. No semi-autos	Bruce Ungar (412)343-2256 Gary Scherer (724)809-7358				X				
<b>Blackpowder Skirmish</b>	The Black Powder matches are held Semiannually. See the club calendar for exact dates	Ron Watton (724) 941-5891								X
<b>Indoor Air Rifle &amp; Pistol</b>	Wednesdays 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM. October - March	Mike Leone (724) 554-9544			X			X		
<b>CMP Junior Rifle Program</b>	Every Tuesday September - March at 7 PM.	Chuck Augenstein (724) 255-6127 Brian Herrig (412) 341-0618					X			
<b>Indoor Air Pistol Silhouette</b>	Saturdays @ 1pm January - March	George Taylor (412) 855-6721			X					

See our website for more detail about shooting opportunities at the club:

[www.mdi.net/dml/programs.html](http://www.mdi.net/dml/programs.html)

**YEARLY DUES ARE BEING COLLECTED!!!**

**2021 MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE OWED BY**  
**JANUARY 31, 2021**

**DON'T LOSE YOUR MEMBERSHIP!!!**

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## **America's Rifle Challenge (ARC)**

### **Schedule of Events 2021**

\*\* Note: Due to ARC requirements and range restrictions, each event will have a limited number of slots that will be assigned on a first come – first served basis. **You must reserve your spot by sending an email** to John T. [dmlscNRA@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscNRA@outlook.com) Registration will open one month prior to the month in which the event is held.

<b><u>Event</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Registration Opens</u></b>
ARC Plus (Pistoleer)	Saturday March 27	February 1
Advanced Match	Sunday April 11	March 1
ARC Plus 22LR Fun Match	Saturday May 1	April 1
Clinic/Basic Match	Saturday June 12	May 1
Advanced Match	Saturday July 10	June 1
ARC Plus Match	Saturday August 7	July 1
ARC Plus (2 gun)	Sunday September 12	August 1
ARC Plus (Pistoleer)	Saturday October 2	September 1

**Please stay tuned to Newsletters and Bulletin Board Flyers for more detailed information regarding each of these events.**

## ARC Plus Pistooleer Match

As part of the America's Rifle Challenge Program, DMSC will conduct **the first of two** Pistooleer Matches. Pistooleer Match?? **Just what is a Pistooleer Match?** If you have been shooting down on the lower ranges, then you are a "Pistooleer", and this match may be something of interest to you. Participants will compete in seven "pistol only" stages firing at paper, steel, and motion targets. This is an action pistol match, and the course of fire entails modern day defensive shooting skills involving distances from 5 to 30 feet, multiple targets, barricades, several reloads, **and a whole lot of fun.**

**Date:** Saturday, March 27, 2021 **Time:** 8 AM **Cost:** \$5 for DMLSC members; \$10 for non-members.

**Pistooleer Course of Fire: Total rounds - 79**

**\*\* Note: After signing up for the match, a full detailed description will be sent along with other important information. \*\***

**Firearm Categories:**

**Iron Sights:** a pistol that has only iron sights

**Optics:** a pistol that has only an optic, such as a Red Dot, laser, etc.

**Pistol Types:** semi-automatic, double action revolver (DA), single action revolver (SA)

- **While there are no pre-requisites, this match will not involve any instruction and participants should possess safe pistol handling skills.**
- All NRA Safety Rules and DMLSC Rules apply.
- Competitors need to attend a mandatory safety briefing conducted at the clubhouse.
- Keep all pistols cased and in your vehicles until instructed to bring them to the lower ranges.
- Eye/Ear Protection is mandatory.
- Calibers from 9 mm through 45LC are allowed, but no magnums. **All pistols must be securely carried in an exterior holster.**
- The match will be conducted as an individual utilizing a shot timer. Scoring will be a combination of speed and accuracy. All stages will begin from the low-ready position.
- Competitors should have a minimum of 3 magazines for the semi-automatic pistols and will need to carry them on the person for each live fire stage. While primarily designed for semi-automatic pistols, **participants using DA or SA revolvers** may experience longer run times due to reloading but will still get to enjoy the same marksmanship challenge and fun.
- No incendiary ammunition. **All stages utilizing steel targets - Lead core ammunition only**, no armor piercing (AP), no solid or partial core ammunition containing steel or any metal other than lead.

**Space is limited to 24 shooting positions. Registration opens on February 1, 2021. To ensure your participation, contact John T. via email: [dmlscNRA@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscNRA@outlook.com)**

**Dormont-Mt. Lebanon Sportsmen's Club  
NRA High Power Match Schedule (2021)**

**Saturday April 10  
Sunday May 2  
Saturday June 5  
Sunday July 11  
Sunday Aug 8  
Saturday Sep 11**

**All matches will start at 9:00 AM – participants should arrive NLT 8:00 AM to help with set up.**

**This match is shot at 200 yards and is a 50-round course (500 points total).**

**Course of fire is:**

**10 rounds slow fire-standing  
10 rounds rapid fire-sitting or kneeling  
10 rounds rapid fire-prone  
20 rounds slow fire- prone**

**John T. is the Match Director. For more information, please send an email to [dmlscnra@outlook.com](mailto:dmlscnra@outlook.com)**



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**KEEP IT SAFE**

- ALWAYS** keep firearms pointed in a safe direction.
- ALWAYS** keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to shoot.
- ALWAYS** keep firearms unloaded until ready to use.
- ALWAYS** unload, remove the magazine, and open the action of a firearm when someone is going down range.
- NEVER** handle firearms while someone is down range.
- ALWAYS** wear proper eye and ear protection at the range.

**DMSC Conducts Safety Reviews**

Range Safety Officers (RSOs) will conduct random membership checks and safety reviews. RSOs will meet with members and guests while at the firing range. Membership ID's will be checked and a copy of the range rules will be made available. It's important for all members to review safe gun handling procedures and to focus on the safety rules for each range used. The RSOs will be wearing a distinctive safety vest or hat and will only ask for a few minutes of your time. Guests and Visitors are subject to the same rules as members. Violators will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from club grounds and termination of membership.

**Safe Shooting Hours**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Begins</b>	<b>Ends</b>
<b>January 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>5:30 PM</b>
<b>January 16-31</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>5:45 PM</b>
<b>February 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>
<b>February 16-28</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>6:15 PM</b>
<b>March 1-10</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
<b>March 11-31</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>7:30 PM</b>
<b>April 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>
<b>April 16-30</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:15 PM</b>
<b>May 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:30 PM</b>
<b>May 16 - July 31</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:45 PM</b>
<b>August 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:30 PM</b>
<b>August 16-31</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>
<b>September 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>7:30 PM</b>
<b>September 16-30</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>7:15 PM</b>
<b>October 1-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>
<b>Oct 16 - Nov. 5</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
<b>November 6-15</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>5:15 PM</b>
<b>Nov 16 - Dec. 31</b>	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>

**\* Note: No shooting before 9am on Sundays**

**MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO CARRY THEIR GATE CARDS AND BE ABLE TO IDENTIFY THEMSELVES WHEN ASKED TO BY A RANGE OFFICER OR OTHER MEMBER**