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Dear USA Shooting Sponsor Club:

USA Shooting is proud to announce the return of the Regional Shooting program in 2016. This series of events will take place across the country and will offer a great opportunity for competitive shooters to compete at a regional level and earn additional opportunities for National competitions.

Enclosed please find information regarding the 2016 Regional Program. This program covers Rifle, Pistol and Shotgun. These programs are for current USA Shooting member clubs who may be interested in holding one of these events for your region. Only one match per region will be sanctioned per event in a given year. CTC's (Certified Training Centers) will be given preference on their applications for hosting.

Please read the program over carefully as it differs somewhat from a PTO. Also, please note that the Zone Program has been discontinued. All fees will be paid via RailStation by the club. USA Shooting will setup the match online and then grant access to the Match Director. All scores must be reported within one week from the completion of the match.

Although matches can be held from May 1st through December 31st, we recommend that the Regional Championships be held during the summer months to allow more juniors to compete. Please review the boundaries for the regions enclosed.

If interested in hosting a 2016 USA Shooting Regional Program please submit the below forms by email or mail to Alex Szablewski. If you have any questions, please contact Alex Szablewski at 719-866-4882 or by e-mail at alex.szablewski@usashooting.org.

Sincerely,

Alex Szablewski

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Competitions/Events Coordinator

**USA SHOOTING
REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP PROGRAM
RIFLE, PISTOL & SHOTGUN**

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The number of targets, registration fees, awards and regulations are uniform for all Regional Championships. The courses of fire appear below. Only one match per region will be sanctioned per event in a given year. These are higher-level matches with awards provided by USA Shooting and supplemented by the host club.

REQUIRED COURSES OF FIRE: *-You must use the appropriate reduced target when using a reduced distance.*

SHOTGUN

Trap – 125 targets men & women (Bunker, Automatic)

Double Trap – 150 targets men (Bunker, Automatic)

Skeet – 125 targets men & women

RIFLE

Air – 60 shots men / 60 shots women (10M)

Smallbore – 3x40 men & women (50M, 50Yd)

Prone – 60 shots men & women (50M, 50Yd)

PISTOL

Air – 60 shots men / 40 shots women (10M)

Free – 60 shots men (50M, 50Yd)

Rapid Fire – men (25M, 25Yd)

Sport – women (25M, 25Yd)

ENTRY FEES:

A USA Shooting registration fee of \$15.00 per competitor per event is to be charged for those entering the Regional Championship.

The regional sponsor club may set the entry fee schedule to cover their own operating costs and any additional awards they present. Sponsor fees must be stated in the program separately from the USA Shooting registration fee.

RULES:

All matches must be conducted according to current USA Shooting Rules. The rulebook can be viewed and printed from our website at www.usashooting.org.

ELIGIBILITY:

All competitors must be individual members of USA Shooting. Individuals may compete in as many regional matches as they wish.

AWARDS:

USA Shooting will provide each sanctioned Regional Championship a gold, silver and bronze medal in each event being held.

SPONSOR CLUB INFORMATION:

A host club must be a current USA Shooting member club. Host clubs are encouraged to provide supplemental awards such as class, category, high visitor, etc.

REGIONS DEFINED:

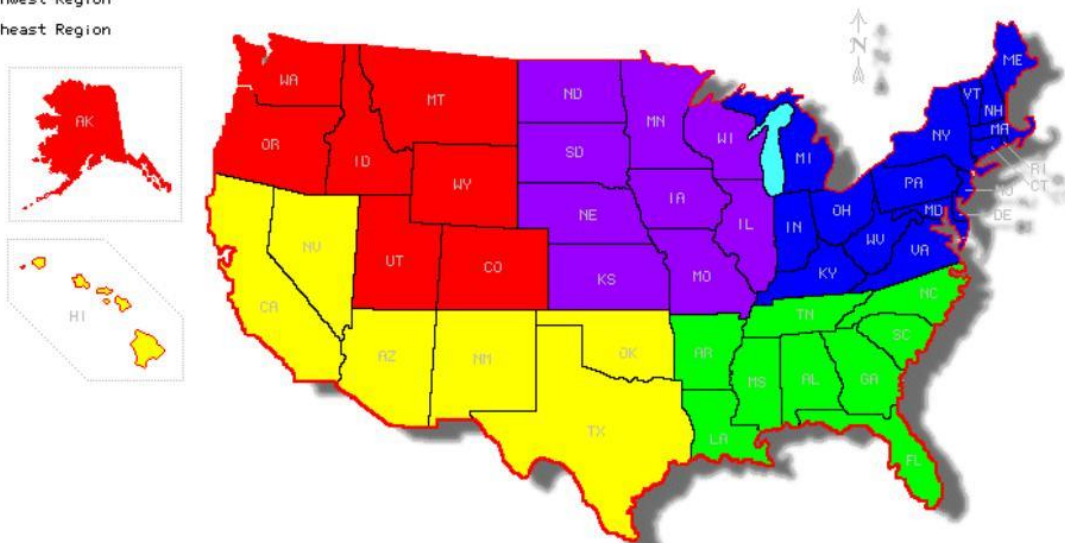
Regions will be determined after applications are received. USA Shooting will determine regions for each discipline and then make regional hosting awards to selected applicants. Multiple factors will be taken into account in awarding regional sites including club hosting history and location relevant to member demographics. We encourage clubs to apply for regional hosting.

With different shooting and member demographics across the United States, designated regions will vary per discipline. Regions will be established with the objective of promoting participation and keeping the competition sites accessible to our membership.

NORTHEAST REGION	CT, DC, DE, IN, KY, MA, MD, ME, MI, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, RI, VA, VT, WV
NORTHWEST REGION	AK, CO, ID, MT, OR, UT, WA, WY
CENTRAL REGION	IA, IL, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, SD, WI
SOUTHWEST REGION	AZ, CA, HI, NM, NV, OK, TX
SOUTHEAST REGION	AL, AR, FL, GA, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN

Regional Boundaries

- - Northeast Region
- - Northwest Region
- - Central Region
- - Southwest Region
- - Southeast Region



USA SHOOTING

APPLICATION TO CONDUCT A USA SHOOTING SANCTIONED REGIONAL COMPETITION
(Must be accompanied by a match program)

NAME OF CLUB _____ USAS CLUB # _____

COMPETITION NAME _____

DATES _____ ALT. DATES _____

CITY & STATE OF TOURNAMENT _____

SHOTGUN

Trap Double Trap Skeet

RIFLE

Air Rifle Smallbore Prone

PISTOL

Air Pistol Free Pistol Rapid Fire Sport Pistol

Match Director: _____

Submitted by: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone/Fax: _____

The following information will be used as contact information in Upcoming Events on our website:

Contact Person: _____

Email Address: _____

Contact Phone: _____

IF ACCEPTED FOR USA SHOOTING SANCTIONING, WE THE SPONSORING ORGANIZATION, AND USA SHOOTING, AGREE TO FOLLOW THE GENERAL REGULATIONS GOVERNING COMPETITIONS AS PUBLISHED IN ALL CURRENT RULE BOOKS.

Applications and programs for competitions should be received a minimum of 20 days in advance of the competition date in order to be sanctioned. In order to be listed in the Upcoming Events section of USA Shooting's monthly publication, applications and programs must be received by the USA Shooting Competitions Division by the first of the month, two months before the month of issue.

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING LIABILITY WHILE CONDUCTING USA SHOOTING COMPETITIONS OR OTHER ACTIVITIES – To insure competitive shooting activities are conducted with the highest degree of care for the safety of all participants, spectators, and the general public, it is the sole and exclusive responsibility of the USA Shooting sanctioned competition sponsor and the participating competitors to rigidly enforce all USA Shooting official competition rules and regulations, all local range regulations, and specific range official instructions. USA Shooting makes no representation or warranty, expressed or implied, that the official rules and regulations, even if carefully observed, are sufficient in themselves to provide conditions and procedures which insure adequate safety precautions, or that other persons shall properly interpret or enforce such rules. By sanctioning an event, USA Shooting makes no representation or warranty, express or implied, that the person conducting any sanctioned competition or the owners, tenants or licensees or the premises upon which such event is conducted, shall provide a shooting range and associated facilities which are reasonably safe, or that such persons shall prescribe and enforce local range rules adequate to provide reasonable safety and to control the activities of any person or persons. As a condition of registering any competition, the sponsor, together with its agents, servants, employees and members, agree that USA Shooting, its agents, servants, successors and assigns, shall be held harmless for any injury or damage to persons or property occurring either on the premises where the tournament takes place or as a result of such activity on the premises, unless caused by or resulting from the negligence of a USA Shooting employee or officer while properly engaged in the discharge of USA Shooting official business on the premises during the approved or registered activity or event.

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