

N-SSA Rule Changes for 2014

Rule changes effective March 1, 2014

- 2.13 Amends the rule governing recruitment events to include artillery participation, with restrictions.
- 3.1.2 Amended to state that company match events at national skirmishes will be shot in the order listed, and amends the order of events for revolver company, BR/C2 company, and smoothbore company matches.
- 4.10 Amended to alter distances in **4.10a**, and to incorporate items moved from other locations.
- 8.7 Corrects the omission of the command “**LOAD MAGAZINES.**”
- 10.11 (g-k) Amended to clarify artillery participation rules.
- 12.1; 12.2 Establishes 25- and 50-yard Single-Shot Smoothbore Pistol matches, and a Single-Shot Smoothbore Pistol Aggregate.
- 18.7 Amended to require a penalty if a competitor is disqualified during individual matches.
- 19.3l Defines arms eligible for Single-Shot Smoothbore Pistol matches.
- 25 (all) Substantially rewritten to clarify range features, and to add a range diagram.
- 25.5.1 Requires that a competitor stand straddling the firing line, or have the forward foot on it, and to require that a competitor standing improperly must be warned before being disqualified.
- 35.8.6 Adds standards for costume inspection during competition.
- 37.5 (d and e) Amends requirements to retain use of an assigned Fort Shenandoah campsite.
- 37.8 Amends the time allowed for generator use at Fort Shenandoah.
- 37.17 Amended to clarify the different parking area at Fort Shenandoah during national skirmishes.
- 37.17.4 Establishes a serious penalty for misusing handicapped parking.
- 37.18b Prohibits the use of “Chinese sky lanterns” at all skirmishes.
- 37; 37.1 Adds a note concerning the applicability of the Bivouac and Camping Rules, and amends the purpose of those rules.
- 38.1.1 Closes the main range on Monday following each national skirmish.

Policy changes effective in 2014

- 2000.2 Amended to clarify that host organizations will each receive one bridge pass at a national skirmish.
- 2014.2 Photographs of award winners will not be printed in *The Skirmish Line* unless recipients are in uniform, at least from the waist up.