# Firing Report Form 2025-2026 CMP 3PAR Postal Championship

**INSTRUCTIONS.** This Firing Report is to be completed by the team coach after all athletes on your team finish firing. Be sure to complete and enclose this form with your team or individual's fired targets OR scan a copy and email it to <a href="mailto:postals@thecmp.org">postals@thecmp.org</a>.

Name of Team	
(Please use team	name on targets.)
Type of Entry. □ Team □ Individual	
Team Coach or Contact.	
	(team coach signs on back).
DATE FIRED	
Firing Verification. At least one verification  ☐ Secondary Witness (sign back).	n method should be used to verify firing.
o Name	CMP#
Changes to registration were made: □ NO	□ YES. If yes, please fill in below.
Name & CMP Number – DROPPED	Name & CMP Number – ADDED
Please mark the targets with the replacement found in the firing instructions.	nt athlete's names. Instructions for this is
<b>Notes.</b> Please describe any rule issues that outside of the scoring ring, double loads, etc.	

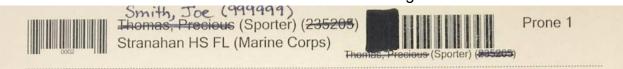
Certification (instructor, coach or parent):	
Please initial bullet points and sign below.	
<ul> <li>Targets were hung at 10 meters at the co</li> </ul>	rrect target heights for each position.
Kneeling, Prone, and Standing positions	were all fired in the correct order.
<ul> <li>Standard positions were fired</li> <li>The names on each set of targets match</li> </ul>	the name of the athlete that fired.
I certify that I witnessed the targets enclosed in a requirements in the Official Program for the 2025 Firing Instructions were followed.	this package being fired. All
Signature:	Date:
Phone Number:	
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# **Firing Instructions**

Enclosed you should find the target sets, *Firing Report Form and Firing Instructions* for the 2025-2026 CMP 3PAR Postal Championship.

#### **Before Firing:**

- σ **Check Targets**. The targets will have the names and positions printed on each target. There is no need to write additional information on the targets unless you are making a score notation (i.e., first sighting shot outside of scoring ring or double loads) or need to update an athlete name.
- σ **Hanging Firing Distance**. All firing must be done on a range where the targets are placed 10 meters (33 feet) from the firing line.
- σ **Targets**. Hang the three record targets at the designated target heights. Prone 19.7 in., Standing 55 in., Kneeling 31.5 in. (Rule 5.5.4).
- σ **Fire Record Targets**. After making sure each athlete has the proper targets, the team may fire their postal targets by following these instructions. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact CMP Competitions at 419-635-2141 or email, <a href="mailto:postals@thecmp.org">postals@thecmp.org</a>.
- **Replacing Athletes**. If an athlete is unable to fire, and another will replace him/her, please fill out the top portion of the *Firing Report Form*. Draw a vertical line through the barcode on the right side of the target, cross out the athlete's name and print the athlete's name that did fire above. Do this on all three targets.



## **During Firing:**

- Sighting Shots. Competitors may fire as many sighting or practice shots as they wish during sighting stages. All sighting shots must be fired at the two bullseyes in the center of the target that are printed inside the oval guard ring and marked with an "SS." Any shot that strikes outside of the guard ring during sighters must be marked (instructor/coach may circle and write "SS" next to shot to indicate this.)
- Record Shots. Athletes should fire one shot at each of the record bulls. If an athlete makes a mistake and fires two record shots at one record bullseye, leave another bullseye on that target blank so that there will still be no more than 10 total record shots on that target (there is no penalty for this for the first two times it is done in the 60-shot event). Please circle any instance where this happens three or more times and note this in the *Firing Report Form*.

σ **Crossfire**. A crossfire is when an athlete fires on the targets of another athlete. Please circle these shots, write "Crossfire" and note in the *Firing Report Form* what occurred. Include the names of both athletes involved (if known).

#### **Procedures for Firing the Postal Competition:**

σ **Range Command Script**. A range command script is available at the end of this document.

Stage	Activity	Time Limit
Stage 1	Preparation and Sighting Stage for	8 minutes
	Kneeling	
Stage 2	Kneeling Record	10 minutes
Stage 3	Changeover Period	5 minutes
Stage 4	Prone Sighters	5 minutes
Stage 5	Prone Record	10 minutes
Stage 6	Changeover Period	5 minutes
Stage 7	Standing Sighters	5 minutes
Stage 8	Standing Record	15 minutes

## **After Firing the Postal Competition:**

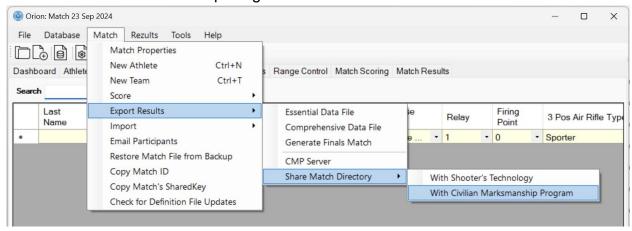
- Gracking Fired Scores. After your athletes finish firing, you may wish to estimate the scores of their targets before sending them to the CMP for official scoring. If you do this, do not use a scoring gauge (plug) to check shot values. The insertion of a scoring gauge may distort the shot holes and cause a false reading by the scoring system. You may use an *Eagle Eye™* or scoring template (overlay) to aid you in estimating target scores. When checking the fired targets, everyone should handle the targets by edges; do not touch the shot holes. Evidence of tampering with pellet holes is grounds for disqualification.
- **Returning Targets**. When firing is complete, the team contact must complete the *Firing Report Form*, place all fired postal record targets and the *Firing Report Forms* in an envelope and forward the complete package to CMP. Alternatively, teams that have access to the Orion Scoring System are encouraged to send their targets to CMP Electronically. This will eliminate the need to mail your targets. Regardless of the method of submission, <u>all targets need to be returned by 21 January 2026.</u>
- Scoring and Results. The CMP will score all targets and post all scores in ranked results lists on the CMP website at <a href="http://ct.thecmp.org/2024CMPPostalResults">http://ct.thecmp.org/2024CMPPostalResults</a>. Protests of shots will be handled in accordance to rule 8.5.5 of the *National Standard Three-Position Air Rifle Rules*. Protests can be made by phone at 419-635-2141 or e-mail postals@thecmp.org.

**Shipping Targets**. All official targets for your team should be forwarded to the CMP in one package. If you have uploaded your target images over Orion, there is no need to send back the targets.

**Orion Submission.** Teams that have access to the Orion Scoring System may send their targets to CMP electronically, and do not need to ship targets. To send targets to CMP, Orion users must do the following. Teams are encouraged to send files immediately after firing.

- Create a new local match in Orion, with a 3x10 course of fire (under the National Standard Three-Position Air Rifle Rules).
- The match name should include the name of the school/club and CMP POSTAL.
- Scan and score all targets.
- Share files with CMP. Go to Match 

   ⇒ Export Results 
   ⇒ Share Match Directory 
   ⇒ with Civilian Marksmanship Program.



- Click "Yes" to send all match files and Target Images.
- The process will take a few minutes. A green status bar will appear indicating the progress. Keep Orion open until you receive the confirmation message.
- Submit the Firing Report Form by email to postals@thecmp.org.