

CMP National 3PAR Championship

Sporter: 18 - 20 June 2026
Precision: 9 - 11 July 2026



Congratulations to all teams and individual athletes who qualified for the National 3PAR Championships! There will be one day of training followed by two days of competition. Teams may bring four (4) team members and one (1) alternate. The four members of each unit team, all individual qualifiers, and all alternates will compete for individual awards.

Location and Facilities: The championships will take place at the Gary Anderson CMP Competition Center, located at Camp Perry Training Site, 1000 N. Lawrence Road Bldg #5042, Port Clinton, OH 43452.



Organizers: This competition will be organized and conducted by the Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP).

Competition Sanction: The National Three-Position Air Rifle Council has sanctioned this event and scores fired in this competition will count for national records.

Eligibility: All qualifying juniors and high school seniors who have just graduated are eligible. Shooters may not participate in both the Sporter and Precision competitions.

Rules: The competitions will be three-position air rifle events fired at 10 meters. Rules that will govern are:

- **2024-2026 15th Edition National Standard Three-Position Air Rifle Rules (NS3PC).** Copies of the rules may be purchased from the Civilian Marksmanship Program, or rulebooks may be downloaded from the CMP website at <https://thecmp.org/air/national-standard-three-position-air-rifle-rules/>.
- **Note.** These rules have not been updated to include new ISSF clothing stiffness and rigidity standards.

Course of Fire: The course of fire will be one 3x20 three-position air rifle event on each competition day. Teams will be comprised of four members selected before the competition begins. A final will be fired for the top 8 individuals. A start-from-zero three-position final will be conducted (Rule 10.4.1).

Equipment Control: All competitors must have their air rifles and shooting equipment checked at equipment control before official training. Equipment control will be scheduled

according to your relay. Note: the new 2026 ISSF clothing rules are not in effect for this event.

Entry Fees: The entry fee is \$75.00 per participating competitor (team member, alternate and individual shooters). There are no additional team entry fees. Fees must be paid two weeks before the competition. Refunds will be given if notice is given two weeks or more before the competition, a 50% refund if notified within two weeks of the competition, and no refunds if not notified before the start of the competition. Payment can be done at the time of registration or call 419-635-2141 ext. 724 to make payment over the phone. Please make out checks to CMP and mail them to: Civilian Marksmanship Program; P.O. Box 576; Port Clinton, OH 43452.

Awards:

- **Individual Awards.** The individual sporter and precision class winners will receive gold medals and the 2nd place individuals will receive silver medals. Sporter and Precision class individuals in places 3 through 8 will receive bronze medals. In addition, CMP will present 1st place with \$1000, 2nd place with \$750, and 3rd place with \$500.
- **Individual Age Group Awards.** First through third age U15 and U17 medallions will be presented. The top 8 individuals (already receiving individual awards) will not be eligible for these awards.
- **Graduated Senior Scholarships.** The top three graduating seniors in each class will be awarded a CMP Scholarship for \$1000.
- **Overall Team Awards.** The winning sporter and precision class teams will each receive a trophy and gold medals for each team member. The second-place teams will each receive a trophy and silver medals, and the third-place through fifth-place teams will receive a trophy and bronze medals for each team member. In addition, CMP will present award checks to the top three teams. (1st - \$2000, 2nd - \$1500, 3rd - \$1,000).
- **Team Category Awards:** In sporter, the top three club teams will be recognized with medals. In precision, the top three JROTC teams will be recognized with medals for the team.
- **National Futures Team Selection:** USA Shooting will present a National Futures Team slot to the top male and female shooters in the precision class. An aggregate score of the two days will be used to determine who will earn this slot. If this athlete is not already a member of the National Futures Team, an official team jacket will be presented during the awards ceremony.



EIC Credit Points: The National Three-Position Air Rifle Council recognizes the CMP National Three-Position Air Rifle Championship as a National Council Member Championship. The top 50% of all Non-Distinguished competitors in the overall individual rankings will receive EIC credit points (counts toward Junior Distinguished status). The aggregate scores between Day 1 and Day 2 will determine the EIC rankings.

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- **Squadding.** Squadding will be posted on the championship website.
- **Music.** Music will be played in all phases of the competition.
- **Team Check-In.** At check-in, teams must confirm final entries and identify alternates.
- **Electronic Targets.** The matches will be fired on Electronic Targets.
- **Prone mats.** Prone mats are available, but athletes may bring and use their own.
- **Off-Hand Stands.** No off-hand stands are provided (please bring your own).
- **Spotting Scopes.** Shooters should not bring spotting scopes because the exact shot locations are shown on electronic monitors at each firing point.
- **Shipping Air Cylinders.** Participants who plan to travel by air may choose to ship cylinders in advance to the addresses below. **It is recommended that you ship via FedEx or UPS so that you have a tracking number for your packages and that you include a RETURN LABEL.**

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- **Compressed Air.** Compressed air will be available at the range.
- **Score Posting.** All scores fired will be displayed on the CMP Competitor Tracker results system at <http://ct.thecmp.org/2026N3PARCResults>. Scores and competitor rankings will be displayed electronically on the range throughout the competition. Anyone not at the competition can also view live target images by following the links provided on our website. The live target page will list the current relay and can be viewed here: <https://thecmp.org/competitions/live-targets/>.
- **Dress Code.** All championship events will be informal. Team apparel is recommended for the award ceremony.
- **Parents and Guests.** Parents or other individuals who wish to attend the Championship are welcome and encouraged to attend. The monitors that display all competitors' targets, shots, scores, and rankings will make being a spectator at this Championship an especially memorable experience.

If you have questions regarding the CMP National 3PAR Championships, contact Katie Harrington at 419-635-2141, ext. 731 or kharrington@thecmp.org.