



**SEATTLE POLICE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION  
&  
WASHINGTON STATE POLICE PISTOL ASSOCIATION  
PRESENT:  
  
2008  
Northwest Regional Championship PPC Matches  
August 9 and 10, 2008  
SPAA Range  
Seattle, Washington**

This year the Seattle Police Athletic Association and the Washington State Police Pistol Association will be hosting the Northwest Regional Championship PPC Matches at the Seattle Police Athletic Association Range facility located at 11030 E. Marginal Way S. in Seattle.

The match program is attached along with a schedule of events and a pre-entry form for your use. **Note:** This year there **will be** a warm-up match conducted on the Friday preceding the State Championship (August 8<sup>th</sup>).

Entry fees for the Regional will include a Saturday evening Catered Dinner in the SPAA Pavilion. Dinner tickets will be available for purchase by non-competitors for \$15. Dinner will include prime rib or roast tri-tip, Caesar salad, salmon, dinner rolls and garlic potatoes, fresh fruit, desert, coffee and pop.

Every effort has been made to keep the costs reasonable, and you will note that the fee schedule includes a single entry fee for both the 1500 revolver and 1500 auto combined. (Although a shooter may fire both matches) NRA Fees reflect firing of both 1500's.

We will be offering a Civilian Match for those who do not qualify under the NRA eligibility rules for PPC. That match will be fired as a full 1500 with a separate relay on both Saturday (Revolver) and Sunday (Auto) and will have an entry fee of \$35 with prizes awarded for the top three shooters. (Entry fee includes Saturday Dinner).

We encourage you to utilize the pre-entry form provided and send it to the address indicated. Registration will open at 0730 Hours each day and the matches will begin at 9:00 am sharp.

## **2008 NORTHWEST REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP PPC MATCHES**

**Location:** Seattle Police Athletic Association Range  
11030 E. Marginal Way S.  
Seattle, Washington 98168  
(206) 767-1816 Match Director: Tom Giboney. Email: [tegiboney@earthlink.net](mailto:tegiboney@earthlink.net)  
Range Office (206) 684-7470 Web page [spaarange.com](http://spaarange.com)

**Time:** Registration office open 0730 Hrs, matches begin at 0900 Hrs

**Rules:** Current NRA Police Pistol Combat rules for registered tournament will apply.

**Eligibility:** Competitors must be eligible to compete per NRA rules 2.1, or 2.1.1 and 2.4. Eligibility authentication will be required as per NRA rule 2.4.1. Shooters must provide appropriate law enforcement identification and NRA classification cards or temporary score books when registering or picking up squadding tickets.

**Entries:** Advanced entries are encouraged, but are not required. Address all inquiries or advanced entries to: Northwest Regional Championship PPC Matches  
C/O Thomas Giboney  
11030 E. Marginal Way South  
Seattle, Washington 98168 or contact via email at [tegiboney@earthlink.net](mailto:tegiboney@earthlink.net)

### **Regional Championship:**

#### **Match Fees:**

Individual 1500 (revolver & semi-auto)	\$40
NRA Reg. Fees	\$9
Teams (per member)	\$4
Service Revolver (incl NRA)	\$7
Revolver Distinguished (incl NRA)	\$7
Off-Duty Sidearm Match (incl NRA)	\$7
Semi-Auto Distinguished (incl NRA)	\$7
Stock Semi-Automatic Pistol (incl NRA)	\$7

**Squadding:** All matches will be squadded with the exception of Team matches. Squadding tickets for individual matches will be issued from the statistical office and will be available at the time of registration. Those individuals pre-registered will be able to pick up squadding tickets the day prior to or the morning of the match. Squadding will be in accordance with the shooters most recent/current classification. A competitor, who fails to obtain his squadding ticket or to present himself at a proper firing point when his relay is called, may lose his right to compete in that event.

**Classification:** a) Individuals will be classified within six (6) classes per NRA Rules section 19: High Master, Master, Expert, Sharpshooter, Marksman and Classified. Classification will be based on NRA Police Combat classification, the scores for which are taken from NRA sanctioned Police Pistol Combat matches or registered leagues. Unclassified competitors, without a temporary score book, are required to compete in the High Master Class (NRA rule 19.2).  
b) Team matches will not be classified. Teams will not be divided into the five categories for award distribution.  
c) Insufficient entries in a class May require those competitors to be moved by the Match Director to the next higher class as per NRA Rule 19.8. (Every effort will be made to provide awards for each class. See Awards Section)

**Categories:** There will be no category breakdowns for this Regional.

**Challenges:** A challenge fee of \$3.00 will be charged for each challenge made. NRA rules Section 16.

**Arms Allowed:** Per NRA Rules see section 3 Equipment and Ammunition, Rule 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7 and 3.8 for the respective matches. (If there are any questions check with Match Director regarding approved firearm)

**Ammunition:** Either hand or factory loaded ammunition, .32 caliber or larger (revolver) or .35 caliber (semi-auto), may be used unless otherwise specified in this match program. No high speed or magnum ammunition will be allowed. See NRA rule 3.17.

**Firing Method:** D.A. will designate matches that will be fired double action. S.A. will designate matches that can be fired either single or double action.

**Loading:** All loading will be with cartridges taken from the competitor's pocket, cartridge belt, mechanical loaders or special pouch. Cartridge belts and special pouches may be used if they are practical for police duty use. It is the competitor's responsibility to have sufficient ammunition in his possession to complete the event/match. If the equipment to be used is questionable, it should be submitted to the Match director for decision prior to the firing of the first match. All loading will be with six cartridges. Time for reloading is included in the time limit for each match or stage.

**Time:** Time will be as shown for each match or stage. Time will start with loaded gun in the holster. No part of the competitor's hand may touch the gun or holster until the command to commence firing is given.

**Optical Devices:** No optical devices (other than normal glasses for corrective eyesight purposes or sunglasses) will be permitted on the range during match firing for the use by competitors. Optical devices have also been interpreted to prohibit the use of a mechanical iris, eye patch or eye cover. Only open sights will be allowed. Optical, mirror, telescopic, laser beam, electronically projected dots, etc., computerized sighting-aiming devices are prohibited. Any device programmed to activate the firing mechanism by other than conventional trigger movement is prohibited. (For team Coaches during team match, see Rules 12.5 and 12.6).

**Holsters:** Holsters will be in accordance with NRA rule 3.12. Conventional right- or left-handed holster must be used. For safety reasons, shoulder, cross draw, or holsters with require releasing by insertion of finger within the trigger guard will not be allowed. Semi-automatic pistol holsters must completely cover the trigger. This rule shall apply to all matches and tournaments fired pursuant to these rules.

**Targets:** Only NRA Authorized NRA B-27 targets will be used. Hits on the 7, 8, 9, and 10 scoring areas will be used.

**Sighting shots:** No sighting shots will be allowed.

**Refires:** No refires will be allowed for defective guns, ammunition or other malfunctions of the shooter's equipment. Competitors may clear jams or malfunctions provided all safety requirements are met. Refiring will be authorized in accordance with revisions to NRA Rule 9.16.

**Target Handling:** Each competitor will be responsible for picking up new targets when entering the range, for going forward on command to mount the target, fill in the legend, and sign his name.

**Scoring:** At the end of firing for each match, competitors will move to the scoring area. Competitors will score the number of hits, by value on the target and enter in the appropriate scoring area on the score card. All scoring will be done by competitors. The use of plug type scoring gauges will be restricted to use by the scoring officers or referee. Competitors will score the target of the shooter to their right. Competitors will move back to their own target, check target and score card for correctness and sign their score card to indicate acceptance of the score. If the competitor does not accept the score, the competitor must contact the referee and post a challenge per NRA rule 16.1. If the score is accepted, scores will be checked by the statistical office and posted on the bulletin board. Competitors must sign score cards or risk not having scores accepted.

**Breaking Ties:** When two or more competitors have the same numerical score, scores will be ranked according to NRA rule 15.11.

**Course-of-Fire:** (Revolver (1 through 6) and semi-auto (Match 7 consisting of matches 1 through 6)  
**Revolver 1500 Saturday August 9, 2008**

**Match 1:** Standing without support-D.A.  
Stage 1: 7 yards-12 shots -----20 seconds  
Stage 2: 15 yards-12 shots-----20 seconds

**Match 2:** 25 yards (kneeling & Standing)-D.A.  
6 shots kneeling  
6 shots standing left hand with support  
6 shots standing right hand with support-----90 seconds

**Match 3:** 50 yards (sitting, prone, standing)-S.A. or D.A.  
6 shots sitting  
6 shots prone  
6 shots standing left hand with support  
6 shots standing right hand with support-----2 minutes & 45 seconds

**Match 4:** 25 yards (standing without support)-D.A.  
Stage 1: 12 shots -----35 seconds  
Stage 2: 12 shots -----35 seconds

**Match 5:** NRA National Police Course:

**Stage 1: (a)** 7 yards-12 shots standing without support----20 seconds

- (b) 25 yards (kneeling and standing)-D.A.  
6 shots kneeling  
6 shots standing left hand with support  
6 shots standing right hand with support-----90 seconds
- Stage 2: (a)** 50 yards (sitting, prone, standing) S.A. or D.A.  
6 shots sitting  
6 shots prone  
6 shots standing left hand with support  
6 shots standing right hand with support-----2 minutes & 45 seconds
- Stage 2: (b)** 25 yards (standing without support) D.A.  
6 shots -----12 seconds

**Match 6: Aggregate of Matches 1,2,3,4,5 (revolver and semi-auto)**

**Match7: Semi-Auto 1500 Match ----- Sunday August 10, 2008**  
Course-of-Fire same as above.

**Match 8: NRA National Police Course-4 Man Team Match (Revolver and semi-auto). Open to four firing members, one alternate, team captain and team coach representing any police department whose members are eligible to compete under eligibility rule as stated earlier. All individual names must represent the same agency or department. No pickup teams will be allowed. Each shooter will fire the course as stated in Match 5.  
**Revolver Saturday August 8, 2008**  
**Semi-Auto Sunday August 9, 2008****

**Match 9: NRA National Police Course 2 Man Team Match (revolver and semi-auto). Open to two firing members, representing any agency eligible according to the eligibility rule as stated earlier. Both members must represent the same agency or department. No pickup teams will be permitted. No individual can shoot both matches 8 & 9. No agency will be allowed to enter more than one team in this match. Course of fire will be as stated in Match 5. Match 8 will be fired concurrently with Match 9.  
**Revolver Saturday August 8, 2008**  
**Semi-Auto Sunday August 9, 2008****

**Match 10: Service Revolver Match-----Saturday August 8, 2008**  
Arm allowed per NRA Rule 3.5. Must be D.A. capable. Barrel length not to exceed 4". Ammunition allowed: 38 SPL 158 Grain lead round nose or semi-wadcutter.

- Stage 1:** 3 Yards, D.A., 6 shots one hand, from standing without support position, 8 Seconds.
- Stage 2:** 7 Yards, D.A., 12 shots, one or two hands, from standing without support position. 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.
- Stage 3:** 15 Yards, D.A., 12 shots, one or two hands, from standing without support position. 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.
- Stage 4:** 25 Yards, D.A., 18 shots, one or two hands, 6 shots kneeling, using the barricade for cover and support; 6 shots standing left hand from behind the barricade; 6 shots standing right hand from behind the barricade. 90 seconds, includes reloading for subsequent 6 shot strings.

**Match 11: Off-Duty Sidearm Match-----Saturday August 8, 2008**  
Note: Officers have the choice to compete using a revolver or semi-automatic pistol meeting Rule 3.6 or 3.8. If you compete with a semi-automatic pistol, then your semi-automatic pistol classification will be used. If you compete with a revolver, then your revolver classification will be used. Barrel length not to exceed 2 ¾" (Revolver ) or 3.65" (semi-auto). Ammunition allowed: 38 SPL 158 Grain lead round nose or semi-wadcutter (revolvers). .35 cal or larger for Semi-auto pistols.

- Stage 1:** 3 Yards, D.A., 6 shots one hand, from standing without support position, 8 Seconds.
- Stage 2:** 7 Yards, D.A., 12 shots, one or two hands, from standing without support position. 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.
- Stage 3:** 15 Yards, D.A., 12 shots, one or two hands, from standing without support position. 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.

**Stage 4:** 25 Yards, D.A., 18 shots, one or two hands, 6 shots kneeling, using the barricade for cover and support; 6 shots standing left hand from behind the barricade; 6 shots standing right hand from behind the barricade. 90 seconds, includes reloading for subsequent 6 shot strings.

**Match 12: Distinguished Revolver Match -----Saturday August 8, 2008**

Note: Firearm per NRA Rule 3.1 barrel not to exceed 6". Ammunition allowed: **Factory loaded** 38 SPL 158 Grain Lead Round Nose or Semi-Wadcutter. Triggers must be weighed prior to firing this match (2.5 LB S.A.) and ammunition inspected prior to entering firing range for this match.

Course of fire will be as stated in Match 5 (PPC)

**Match 13: Stock Semi-Auto Match-----Sunday August 9, 2008**

Note: Firearm per NRA Rule 3.7 barrel not to exceed 5.5". Fixed sights only. Ammunition allowed: .35 Cal or larger .

**Stage 1:** 3 Yards, D.A., 6 shots one hand, from standing without support position, 8 Seconds.

**Stage 2:** 7 Yards, D.A., 12 shots, one or two hands, from standing without support position. 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.

**Stage 3:** 15 Yards, D.A., 12 shots, one or two hands, from standing without support position. 20 seconds, includes reloading for second 6 shot string.

**Stage 4:** 25 Yards, D.A., 18 shots, one or two hands, 6 shots kneeling, using the barricade for cover and support; 6 shots standing left hand from behind the barricade; 6 shots standing right hand from behind the barricade. 90 seconds, includes reloading for subsequent 6 shot strings.

**Match 14: Distinguished Semi-Auto Match-----Sunday August 9, 2008**

Note: Firearm per NRA Rule 3.4. Maximum sight radius not more than 7.5", minimum trigger pull not less than 3.5 LB single action. Ammunition: Factory loaded .35 Cal. or larger. Triggers must be weighed prior to firing this match and ammunition inspected prior to entering firing range for this match.

Course-of-fire will be as stated in Match 5 (PPC)

**Awards Schedule:** All awards will be trophies, NRA points and/or merchandise as provided by the sponsor and the NRA. An award will be presented to the winner in each class (min. of 5 competitors at the sponsor's option, where there are less than 5 competitors in a class, sponsor may offer a reduced award). A competitor may only receive one award per match. Awards will be as follows:

**Regional Championships:** (All Awards in Accordance with NRA Regional Guidelines)

- Individual matches (1-5): Match winner (regardless of class) first in each class minimum. (Revolver and semi-auto)
- Match 6 (aggregate of 1-5): Match winner (regardless of class) first in each class minimum.
- Two man Team (revolver and semi-auto)
- Four man Team (revolver and semi-auto)
- Service Revolver Match
- Off-Duty Sidearm Match
- Stock Semi-Auto match
- Distinguished Matches (Semi-auto and Revolver)

Note: NRA Membership (or equivalent Canadian) is required to participate in the Regional Match. NRA Membership applications will be available at the Range.

# Northwest Regional Championship PPC Matches

August 9 and 10, 2008

Seattle, Washington

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Saturday August 9, 2008: Revolver Matches 1-6 Revolver Team Matches 8 & 9  
Service Revolver Match 10, Off Duty Match 11,  
Revolver Distinguished Match 12  
(9AM to 5 PM)  
Banquet and Awards (6 PM to?)  
(Inside Pavilion)

Sunday August 10, 2008: Semi-Auto Matches 1-6 Semi-Auto Team Matches 8 & 9  
Stock Semi-Auto Match 13  
Semi-Auto Distinguished Match 14  
(9 AM to 4 PM)  
Awards (following last match)

### Registration:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

NRA/CPCA Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Area code & Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Revolver Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ (HM, MA, EX, SS, MKS, CLASS & UNCL)

Semi-Auto Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ (HM, MA, EX, SS, MKS, CLASS & UNCL)

### Regional Championship:

#### Match Fees:

Individual 1500 (revolver & semi-auto)	\$40	( )	
NRA Reg. Fee	\$9	( )	
Teams (per member)	\$4	( )	
Service Revolver (includes NRA fees)	\$7	( )	
Off Duty Sidearm (includes NRA fees)	\$7	( )	Revolver _____ Auto _____
Stock Semi-auto (includes NRA fees)	\$7	( )	(select firearm for Off-Duty)
Semi-auto Distinguished (includes NRA fees)	\$7	( )	
Revolver Distinguished (includes NRA fees)	\$7	( )	

Civilian Match \$35 ( )

Mail Registration to: Thomas Giboney  
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Seattle, Washington 98168