

RRC End of Summer 2025 Newsletter

Fall League & program start dates at RRC

Sat 9/06/2025 11:00am-4:00pm **Open
House / Membership Drive.**

Demonstrations / Free Food / give a-ways /
raffle. Bring a guest!

Wed 9/10/2025 4:30-7:30pm **Community
Pistol League (CPL)** begins with Meet &
Greet

Thurs 9/11/2025 5-8pm **Sporterifle**
season (adult league) begins

Sun 9/14/2025 2-4pm RYMP-**Junior
Sporterifle** season begins

Sun 10/05/25 5-7pm **NRA Basic Rifle
Class Series** begins (contact
juniors@rochesterrifleclub.org or call 585-690-
7903 (This is a series of weekly classes for
youth and adults. Pre-registration required.)

Sun., 10/05/2025 7-9pm RYMP-**Junior
Precision** program practice resumes. (Sun.
nights)

Sat 10/06/2025 **DEC Hunter Training**
Class at the RRC

Tues 10/07/2025 7-9pm **RYMP-Junior
Precision** program practice resumes. (Tues.
nights)

Open House / Membership Drive

Sat 9/06/25

11am-4pm



Bring a guest or family
member down for
demonstrations, free food,
give a-ways and raffle. Meet
some instructors and 2A
folks.

UPDATES !!!

Remember – RRC
Membership no
longer requires NRA

Membership. Membership
in 2A organizations are still
encouraged. The RRC has been
affiliated with the NRA for roughly
110 years.



PISTOL PERMIT HOLDERS

IMPORTANT News from NYS
Reminder to **check your pistol permit renewal status**. Pistol or revolver licenses issued **outside** NYC, Westchester, Nassau or Suffolk Counties must recertify with the NYS Police **every 3 years for a concealed carry license** and every five years for other types of licenses. (ALL pistol or revolver licenses issued by NYC, Westchester, Nassau and Suffolk counties expire every 3 years.) Check your status at <https://firearms.troopers.ny.gov/pprecert/welcome.xhtml> .

Don't expect a notification from NYS about recertifying. However, if you don't recertify, NYS considers the license revoked and can send the police to make a house call to pick up your guns.

Pistol Legal Updates

If you received your Pistol Permit years ago, chances are you are having trouble keeping up-to-date on all the latest regulations in NYS. We have an instructor who will offer the Update to NYS Concealed Carry Laws as a 1-day class. Basically, this is Part 2 of the two-day required NYS Pistol Permit new applicant classes. The fee for an all day class is \$80 per person.

If you have an interest in taking this class, please e-mail president@rochesterrifleclub.org and we'll add you to a list and let you know when we get it scheduled.

Rochester Rifle Club Competitions

The CMP 2025 National Matches Camp Perry- Rochester Rifle Club was again well represented in the **Smallbore Prone Nationals** this year.

Rochester Rifle Club (Senior) team wins National Championship Smallbore Prone Team Match AGAIN !!!
The RRC won the Open Team Trophy beating even State

Association teams from around the USA and also won the High Club Award (July 2025).



National Team champs : Abigail Donovan, above right, volunteers with the Junior

Precision Youth Program at the RRC as the Junior Instructor. Andre Gross 2nd from left also works with our youth program.

Rochester Rifle Club

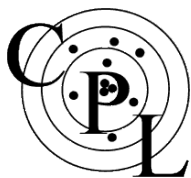
Junior wins National

Championship. Dominic Baliva,

won the High Intermediate award (U18). Dominic fired a total of 3,185 out of 3,200 and had 216 x's. He even had three different days where he fired a target that was 400 of 400! More results for our competitors can be found on The CMP Competition Tracker at TheCMP.org.

Smallbore Rifle Competitions at the RRC

Rochester Prone Series- We have a smallbore rifle competition series at the RRC, The Rochester Prone Series. We shoot the first Monday of the month **starting December** and finishing in May. This competition is open to everyone , members and non-members alike. If you would like to compete or need some more information, email Mike Benson at rochesterriflecompetitions@gmail.com.



Community Pistol League

Come join us at CPL on Wednesday nights. The range opens at 4:30pm till 7:30pm. Relaxed atmosphere, friendly group. We shoot National Gallery Course. All are welcome to join us. You don't have to be a RRC member to shoot.

So, if you know someone that enjoys shooting let them know. The CPL league starts with a meet and greet / practice on **Wed Sept. 10, 2025**. Match #1 begins the following Wednesday, Sept. 17th.



Sporterifle Youth Wanted

Rochester Rifle Club & the Rochester Youth Marksmanship Program invite juniors between the **ages of 12 and 19** to participate in our junior Sporterifle program. Sporterifle is a great way to introduce a youngster to safe firearms use.

What is Sporterifle? NYS Sporterifle is a 0.22 rimfire rifle competition with hundreds of competitors across New York State. It is a postal league competition with all participants firing their targets at their local sportsman's club. There are about 40 locations across NYS and northern PA. Junior competitors are placed in a junior-only league and compete with other juniors for awards.

The position used in Sporterifle is **"off-hand standing"** with a light rimfire rifle weighing 7.5 lbs or less. Targets are at 50 feet. Slings, palm rests, and other forms of extra support are *not* used.

Sporterifle has both team and individual awards. Junior scores contribute to the adult team scores but individual awards are based on competitions only with other juniors in the junior league. There are 6 classes based on competitor averages. Top of class awards are available for each class along with several other individual category awards.

To participate in Sporterifle at the Rochester Rifle Club, youth need only join the Rochester Youth Marksmanship Program (at the RRC) which is an annual fee of only \$10. **All needed equipment and ammunition is supplied by RRC & RYMP; there are no other additional fees for junior competitors. Interested juniors may join the program at any time during our active season from middle of September to the end of February.** Simply visit the club with a parent or adult during one of our Junior Sporterifle matches on **Sunday afternoons, 2-4pm** and our rifle instructors will instruct on firearm safety and teach the shooting position at the first visit. Often Sporterifle juniors are firing their first match the following week. **Adults and older siblings are welcome to also participate** with juniors if space and equipment permit. **Our junior season starts Sunday, 9/14/2025.**

More information about NYS Sporterifle at the RRC can be found on our website at:

<http://sporterifle.org>. For questions, contact president@sporterifle.org (585-742-1213) or editor@sporterifle.org (585-657-5413).