



FEBRUARY 2021 NRL22 OFFICIAL COURSE OF FIRE

February introduction:

Happy Valentine's Day love birds! Who will be your Valentine this month? In celebration of this, we'll be running a special contest and allocating a prize to the club that hosts the "most female competitors" in February! This is the last official points race COF for the 2020/2021 season. March and April's COF will be for fun so we encourage everyone to either use those matches to hone your NRL22 skills or modify them for longer distances to prepare for the 2020/2021 National Championship.

We are approaching next season and preparing for updated rules and invites to the championship. Match Directors be on the lookout for emails starting in March. A survey for new rules and for championship invites will be coming and we are looking forward to your input. Also, as you all know, I am fortunate to have a team of people who help with our monthly course of fire, rules and equipment interpretation. The NRL22 team is Janae Frehner, Erik Severson, Michael Millikan, Travis Walla, Levi Sanderson, Lynn Bigelow and Dominic Thompson. These guys and gal do wonders to share my burden so that I can maintain my real job and family. As good as they all are, one has constantly devoted untold hours to the NRL22. To reward this hard work Dominic Thompson is now officially part of the NRL22 Administration and holds the title of NRL22 Coordinator. Please take the time out of your day and congratulate Dom for his new position.

Happy Valentine's Day!
Tyler Frehner
NRL22 Director of Match Operations

Equipment Update:

"A plate and single bag combination, attached or not attached, is considered 1 piece of equipment. It must be used together throughout the stage and may not exceed 9"x11"x7" together. Any piece of equipment added to a plate/bag combination is considered a second piece of equipment and is not allowed"

Section 5 C. 1. is the only rule that may be changed during the course of the season. All rule questions should be directed at each club's Match Director. The 2020/2021 NRL22 rules can be found at [NRL22 Rules](#).

If you need clarification on the rule change regarding equipment, then click this link [Equipment Video](#)

Here is the link for the PractiScore template for this month's COF. This template has all the stages already built for you if you don't want to create them yourself. All you need to do is follow the instructions to the letter otherwise you risk your match results being overwritten. [PractiScore Template](#)

We would like to thank DST Precision for coming onboard and creating a free product for everyone to use that allows the shooter to practice this COF inside their home with the use of their DFAT device. The DFAT allows you to use the rifle and optic to dryfire practice in a very small area. With this adapter most scopes focus in the 11-15 feet range. You can find this month's COF range card here. [DFAT Range Practice Range Card](#)

Let's introduce a first time COF, Jacob Beutler. Jake is the Match Director from Watertown Rimfire League out of Watertown, South Dakota. Jake did a great job with this COF and we wish everyone luck on high scores.



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Range requirements: This month's COF will require the 2020/2021 NRL22 standard target package, sawhorse, chair, 5-gallon bucket, ladder, and stopwatch that can time down to a tenth of a second.

Safety suggestions: Weed whacker plastic string works very well for Empty Chamber Indicators (ECI). Using ECI ensures a rifle is not loaded and especially useful for semi-auto rifles. Mag block flags are acceptable for and ECI; however, the RO needs to ensure that the chamber is clear. The stages' starting positions were deliberately set up for safety. Ensure RO's are very close to new shooters and kids, especially in case the 180 rule is broken or a transition is made without the action open or safety engaged.

Scoring submissions: Download the NRL22 Scores sheet from the downloads section on NRL22.org, fill out the results, and submit scores sheet to matches@nrl22.org, followed by payment for admin fee. Deadline for submissions is **March 3rd, 2021**. Keep in mind that only NRL22 members are eligible for prizes and while we have a 30-day grace period for membership, if the prizes are already distributed, it is the competitor's loss. The live Facebook show for prizes will happen on **March 10th, 2021**.

Here is the running list of likely Base class rifles and scopes MSRPs. If you notice models that are not on this list that are missing, please let your match director know. If you have questions about base class, please ask your match director.

They are the ones who make the determination.

1. Likely Base class rifle MSRP list:

- Ruger models: 10/22 \$309-899. Precision Rimfire \$529. American Rimfire \$359-579.
- CZ 457 \$365-1144
- Savage models: B22 \$286-445. A22 \$284-509. Mark 2 \$230-639.
- Bergara models: BXR Steel \$565. BXR Carbon \$659. BMR Steel \$565. BMR Carbon \$659

2. Likely Base class scopes list:

- Vortex models: Diamondback Tactical \$449.99-499.99
- Bushnell Match Pro 6-24x50 \$499.99
- Athlon models: Midas Tac \$709-755. Helos BTR \$638-719. Talos BTR \$204-329. Argos BTR Gen 2 \$450-\$500
- SWFA models: SS 10x42 Tactical \$299.95 (6, 12, 16 and 20 are the same. SS 10-42M \$399.95. SS 3-15x42 \$699.99.

Love Stinks And So Do Ladders

Time: 120 Sec

Round Count: 10

Ranges and Targets: 70 yds, 2" steel on a single hanger

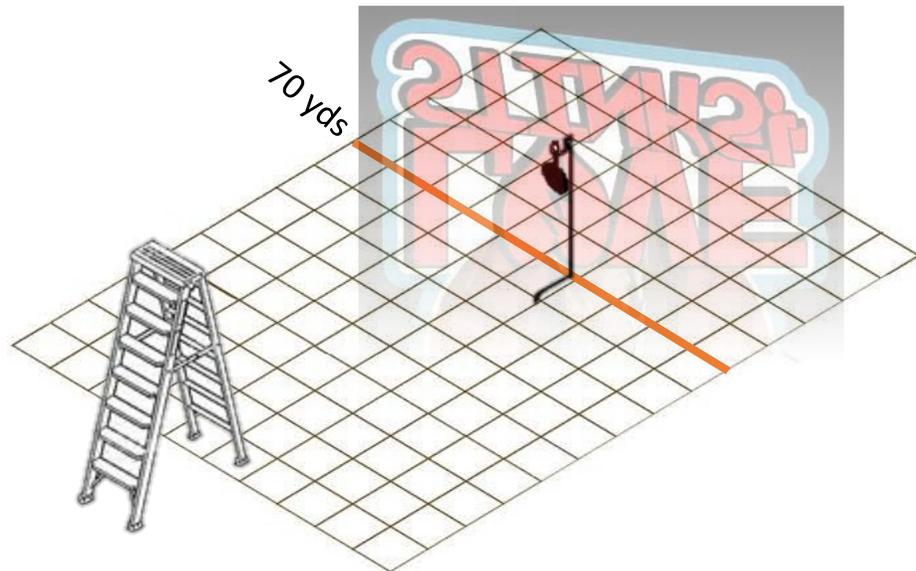
Equipment: 1 piece of equipment in accordance with the NRL22 rules.

Points: 10 points per impact, 100 points possible

Start Position: Standing, rifle and all gear in hand, mag in, action open

Description: Upon the start signal, engage the target with 4 shots from any step on the ladder. Move to a different step and re-engage the target with 3 shots. Move to a different step and re-engage the target with 2 shots. Move to a different step and re-engage the target with 1 shot.

Note: No step can be repeated, must use 4 different steps.



Pick Your Poison, But Do It Quickly

Time: 120 Sec  Round Count: 10

Ranges and Targets: 65 yds: 5" & 4" on a double hook
65 yds: 3" & 2" on a double hook



Equipment: 1 piece of equipment in accordance with the NRL22 rules on the sawhorse. Sling only for any unsupported positions

Points: 10 pts per impact plus 0.1 bonus points per second remaining, i.e. if 8.7 sec remain the shooter will earn 0.87 points. **For the PractiScore NRL22 template enter the total time elapsed in seconds.**

Start Position: Standing, rifle and all gear in hand, mag in, action open

Description: Number of shots per target per position is predetermined but on signal, the shooter can pick their poison by shooting the stage in the order they see fit.

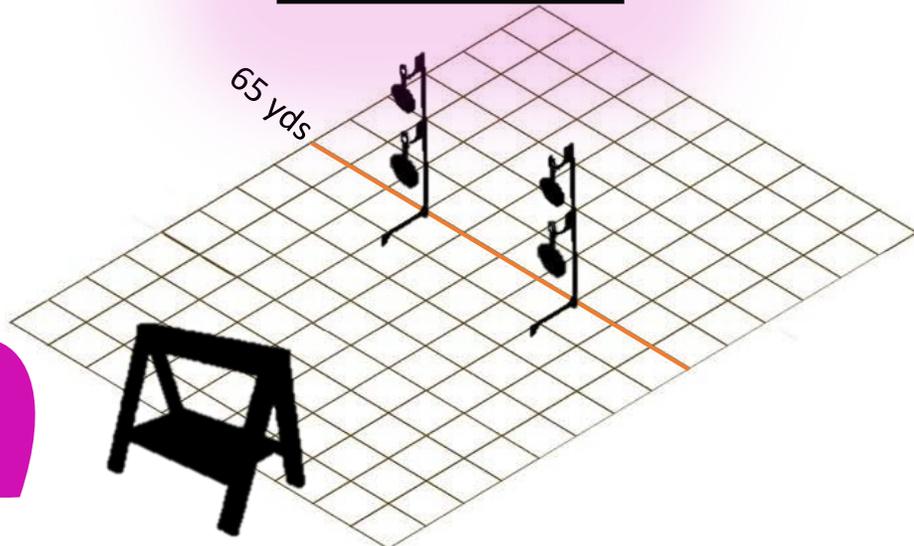
Standing (5") – 2 shots

Top of sawhorse (4") – 3 shots

Bottom of sawhorse (3") – 3 shots

Prone un-supported (2") – 2 shots

If the shooter completes the course of fire before the time limit, the shooter will let the RO know by yelling "Done" to stop time.



Shot Through The Heart

Time: 120 Sec

Round Count: 10

Ranges and Targets: 85 yds: 2.5" & 3" on a double hanger

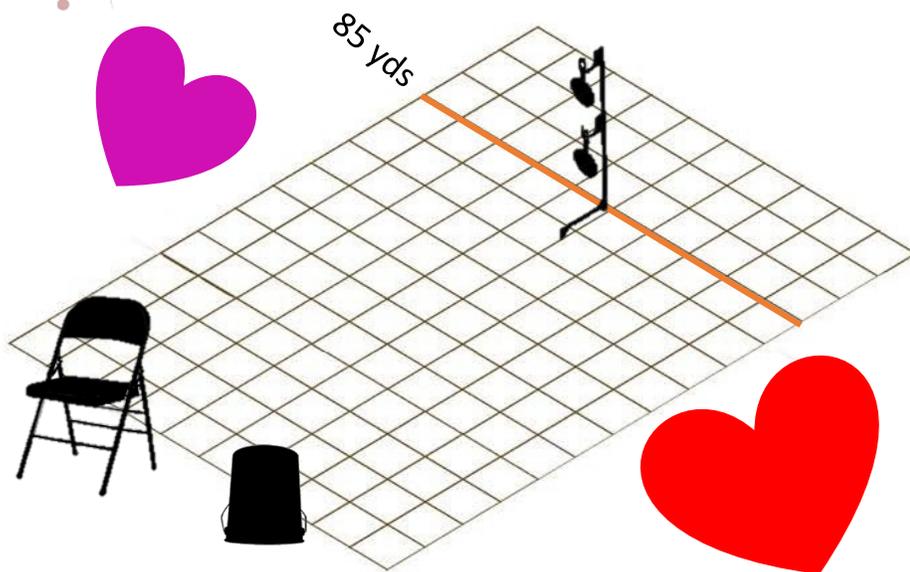
Equipment: 1 piece of equipment in accordance with the NRL22 rules.

Points: 10 points per impact, 100 points possible

Start Position: Standing, rifle and all gear in hand, mag in, action open

Description: Upon the start signal, engage the 3" target with 3 shots from the back of the chair then engage the 2.5" target with 3 shots from the seat of the chair. Move to the 5-gallon bucket and engage the 3" target with 2 shots with the bucket on its side and then engage the 2.5" target with 2 shots with the bucket on its end.

Note: The chair will be facing down range. When shooting from the back of the chair, nothing may be touching the seat. "Engage from the seat," means rifle on the seat, not the shooter.



You Give Love (And Support Side) A Bad Name

Time: 120 Sec

Round Count: 10

Ranges and Targets:

- 50 yds: 1.5" on a single hanger
- 60 yds: 1" on a single hanger
- 75 yds: 2" on double hanger
- 90 yds: 3" on a double hanger
- 100 yards: 2.5" on a double hanger

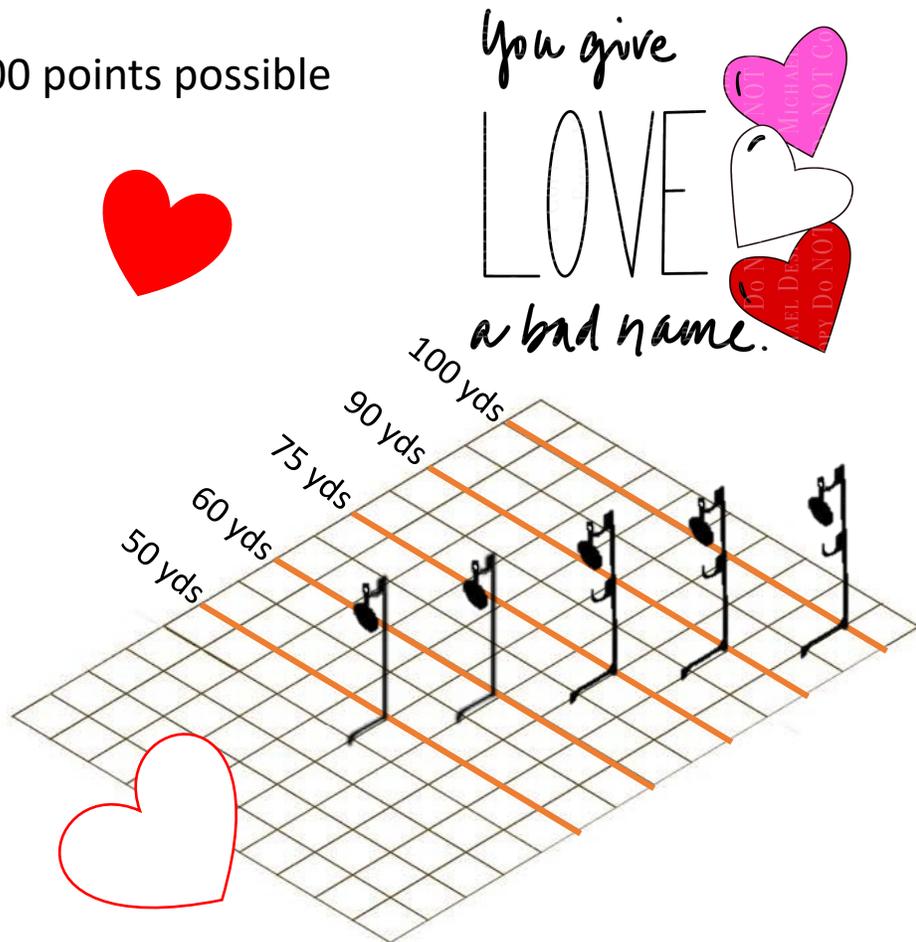
Equipment: 1 piece of equipment in accordance with the NRL22 rules.

Points: 10 points per impact, 100 points possible

Start Position: Standing, rifle and all gear in hand, mag in, action open

Description: Upon the start signal, take a prone supported position and engage the targets Large to Small (90, 100, 75, 50, 60) with 1 shot each. Then switch to Support Side and re-engage the targets Large to Small (90, 100, 75, 50, 60) with 1 shot each.

Note: Support side means Support Eye, Shoulder, and Hand.



All My Ex's Live In Texas

Time: 120 Sec

Round Count: 10



Ranges and Targets:

40 yds: 1", 3/4", 1/2", & 1/4" on a KYL rack
80 yds: 1.5" on single hanger

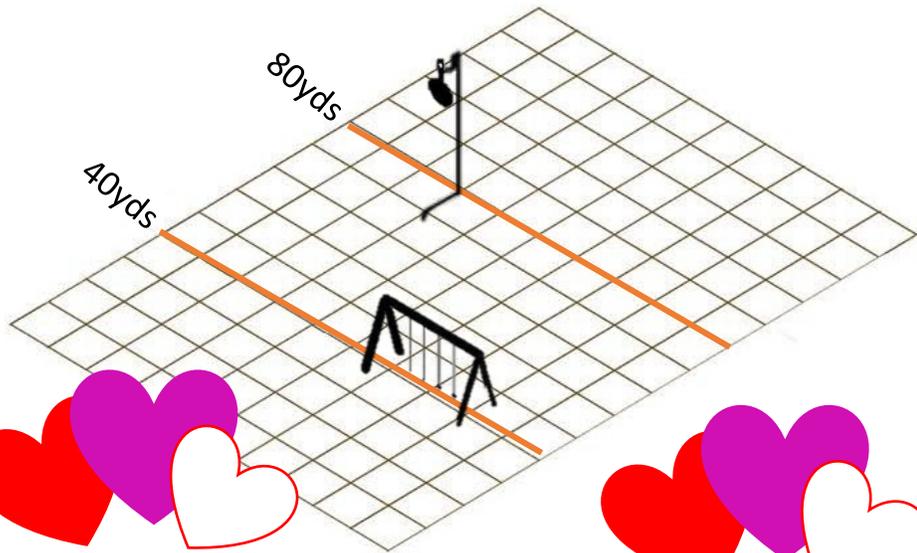
Equipment: 1 piece of equipment in accordance with the NRL22 rules.

Points: 10 points per impact, 100 points possible

Start Position: Standing, rifle and all gear in hand, mag in, action open

Description: Upon the start signal, shooter will take a prone supported position and engage the KYL (ex's in Texas) large to small with 1 shot each (hit or miss, move on) then engage the 1.5" target (my hat in Tennessee) with 1 shot. Re-engage in the same order.

Note: The shooter may not adjust magnification, windage, or elevation once given the start signal (you lost that privilege in the separation). Only parallax may be adjusted.



SUPPLEMENTAL

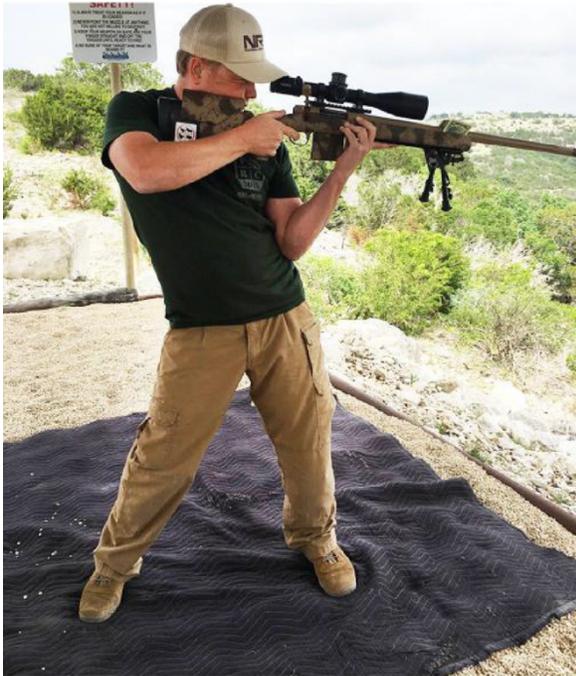


FIG.1: Standing Unsupported Position



FIG. 3: Prone Unsupported Position



FIG. 2: Kneeling Unsupported Position



FIG. 4: Seated Unsupported Position