



## MESSAGE FROM THE MATCH ORGANIZERS

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, we welcome all participants to the 2017 Canadian Airgun Grand Prix. This is our 35th Anniversary since the match first began in 1983 and our second year the competition has been held in Cookstown at the new Pan American range. The PAN AM Shooting Range features 50 positions for air rifle and air pistol, including positions designated for access by Adaptive athletes, with Megalink electronic targets on all positions. The competition is a “cut score” match recognized by the Shooting Federation of Canada. It is our honour to again present a world class Grand Prix event.

We wish to thank the many volunteers who have donated their time, expertise and hard work in order that we may host this competition. An event of this size would not be possible without their significant contributions.

Our deepest appreciation is extended to our sponsors and all other supporting partners and organizations. Their generous contributions reaffirm the fact that this Grand Prix has the best quality support from the highest quality people in Canada.

At this time we would like to thank the members of the Organizing Committee whose assistance has been invaluable in the organizing of this competition: Louis Anderson, Richard Horne, Mark Lewis, Don Newman, Leslie Williamson and Shari Akow.

We wish all the competitors the best of luck and good shooting!

*Brett Nattrass*

Match Director





## Schedule of Events

### CANADIAN AIRGUN GRAND PRIX – May 5, 6 & 7, 2017

#### Pan Am Shooting Range

<b>Friday, May 5:</b>	<i>10:00 am – 8:00 pm</i>	<i>Registration &amp; Equipment Control</i>
	<i>12:00 noon – 4:00 pm</i>	<i>Practice</i>
	<b>5:30 pm start</b>	<b>Relay 1</b>
<b>Saturday, May 6:</b>	<i>8:00 am – 1:00 pm</i>	<i>Registration &amp; Equipment Control</i>
	<b>8:00 am start</b>	<b>Relay 2</b>
	<b>10:00 am start</b>	<b>Relay 3</b>
	<b>12:30 pm start</b>	<b>Relay 4</b>
	<b>2.30 pm start</b>	<b>Relay 5</b>
	<b>4:30 pm start</b>	<b>Relay 6</b>
<b>Sunday, May 7:</b>	<b>8:00 am start</b>	<b>Relay 7</b>
	<b>10:00 am start</b>	<b>Relay 8</b>
	<i>FINALS (tentative):</i>	
	<i>1:00 pm start</i>	<i>Final – Men's and Women's Air Pistol</i>
	<i>3:00 pm start</i>	<i>Final – Men's and Women's Air Rifle</i>
	<i>5:00 pm</i>	<i>Awards Ceremonies</i>

***Please note that Relay times posted are start times.***

*Shooters will be allowed to set-up equipment ½ hour prior to start time.*

*Preparation and sighting time will start 15 minutes prior to start time.*

#### **Notes:**

- *All attempts will be made to squad to your relay preferences, however, selections cannot be guaranteed. Please check your confirmation.*
- *This schedule is subject to change. Always check the squadding lists and notices posted during the competition.*
- *Don't forget to register your teams at the 'Registration Desk'. Team entries and payment must be received before any member of the team starts his/her competition.*

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## **General Information/Match Rules**

The Organizing Committee is proud to present the 35th Anniversary edition of our Canadian Airgun Grand Prix, to be held May 5, 6 and 7, 2017 at the Pan American Shooting Range (at the Toronto International Trap & Skeet Club), 5206 - 5 Sideroad, Cookstown, Ontario, Canada.

The shooting range features 50 positions for air rifle and air pistol, including positions designated for access by adaptive athletes, with Megalink electronic targets on all positions. The top 8 in each of the Men's and the Women's events, including International Juniors and Sub-juniors, will compete in Finals to determine the "Open" winners.

This is a "cut score" event as recognized by the Shooting Federation of Canada. The number of competitors is limited, so it is recommended you register early in order to join in on the excitement of participating at one of the greatest airgun competitions anywhere. Request your preferred shooting times and, the earlier you register, the better chance of getting your preferred time slots.

The events for this year's competition are ISSF Air Pistol, ISSF Air Rifle, including the Adaptive events for both ISSF Air Pistol and ISSF Air Rifle, and the number of competitors is limited. International Juniors and Sub-juniors can compete in one category only: either by age (IJ or SJ) or by their SFC classification, but not both. International Juniors and Sub-juniors choosing to shoot in the class event must pay the Senior registration fee rather than the Junior fee.

All Air Pistol and Air Rifle events will be run in accordance with ISSF rules. It is the responsibility of the athlete and coaches to be familiar with the current ISSF rules. All equipment must meet ISSF specifications. Although equipment check is optional, random spot checks will be performed.

### **Courses of fire and Finals**

ISSF Air Pistol and ISSF Air Rifle competitors will shoot **2 complete courses of fire**. The overall top 8 in each of the Men's and the Women's events (including International Juniors and Sub-juniors regardless of whether competing by age or class) will then compete in Finals to determine the "Open" winners. Finals will follow the new ISSF format, as introduced by the ISSF on January 1, 2013, and any amendments thereto.

The Adaptive Events will consist of: Adaptive Air Rifle - a 120-shot aggregate of 60 shots standing and 60 shots prone; Adaptive Air Pistol - 120 shots. All Adaptive athletes will be competing on the same relays as all non-adaptive athletes.

### **Don't forget to register your Teams.**

Sign-up your 3-Person Senior Team (\$30/team) and 2-Person Junior Team (\$20/team) at the Registration Desk - only \$10.00 per athlete. Competitors can only compete on one team per event entered. Team entries and payment must be received before any member of the team starts his/her competition.

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## **Safety**

All pertinent firearms safety practices will be observed. Failure to follow safety rules or direction from Range Officers or Range Jury may be cause for disqualification and/or removal.

Eye protection is recommended for all competitors and officials on ranges while shooting is in progress. Any medical emergencies should be reported to a range official.

The Organizing Committee and the Canadian Airgun Sports Association will not be responsible for any articles lost or stolen or any article left at the range during the competition.

No uncased firearms may be transported outside of the shooting range.

## **Permits**

Visitors to Canada who are bringing an air pistol or air rifle that has a muzzle velocity of less than 500 feet per second do not require permits.

### ***Attention 'International' competitors:***

*Please be aware, we DO NOT use any outside agents to sell registrations and/or VISAs to this event. If someone is offering this service then it is an act of fraud which should be reported and we are in no way associated with such actions. Register ONLY directly with us online at <http://www.cagprix.ca>. Each competitor is responsible for applying and obtaining any necessary travel VISAs and/or equipment applications for entry into Canada and unfortunately we are NOT able to assist in this process in any way.*

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## CATEGORIES AND CLASSIFICATIONS

Shooting Federation of Canada (SFC) members with a current, valid classification will compete in their respective class. USA competitors with a current, valid classification card will be placed in the equivalent SFC classification. All others will compete in the Temporary Master Class – or Veteran, International Junior or Sub-junior if they qualify.

To qualify as an International Junior, your 21st birthday must be after December 31, 2017.

To qualify as a Sub-junior, your 17th birthday must be after December 31, 2017

Veteran class is for competitors who are 55 years or older as of January 1, 2017.

All competitors may shoot in **one class only**. International Juniors and Sub-juniors may choose to shoot in a Senior class (MA, EX, SS, MM), if they pay the Senior fee but are then ineligible for the International Junior or Sub-junior awards. Competitors who shoot in the Veteran class may not shoot in any other class.

## TEAM COMPETITIONS

Senior teams will consist of 3 competitors (\$30/team), and Junior teams of 2 competitors (\$20/team). The team fees are \$10 per team member. International Juniors and Sub-juniors may shoot on a Junior and on a Senior team, but a Senior may not shoot on a Junior team. Team entries and payment must be received at registration before any member of the team starts his/her competition.

## ENTRY FEES

ISSF Senior Pistol or Rifle	\$150
ISSF Senior Pistol and Rifle	\$175
ISSF Junior Pistol or Rifle	\$130
ISSF Junior Pistol and Rifle	\$150
Teams – Senior	\$ 30 each team entry
Junior	\$ 20 each team entry

## MATCH INFORMATION

**Rules:** Pistol and Rifle events will be governed by the latest International Shooting Sport Federation (ISSF) rules wherever possible.

**Competitor Responsibility:** It is the competitor's responsibility to be aware of the rules for competition, to have airguns, clothing and equipment inspected and approved before starting the competition, and to inform a range official immediately of any error or deviation from prescribed procedures.

**Coaching:** These events are individual in nature. Coaching will not be permitted on the line, but shooters may be assisted by coaches who will be allowed to communicate with them as permitted by the Range Officer. While shooting is in progress, competitors must always advise the Range Officer before leaving the line for any reason.

**Equipment:** Competitors must provide their own equipment which must comply with ISSF and/or SFC rules, as applicable. Equipment Control is not mandatory but it is recommended you go through in order to ensure all your equipment meets ISSF requirements as spot checks will be conducted on the line.

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**Propellant:** CO2 gas and compressed air will be available for filling of rifle and pistol cylinders, but competitors must provide their own tank/cylinder adapters.

**Protests:** Filing and deciding of protests will be in accordance with ISSF rules and regulations. The fee is \$10 per protest.

**Competitor Numbers:** Numbers will be supplied at registration. The competitor number is to be worn on the competitor's back above the waist. Numbers must be visible at all times while competing.

**Targets:** Megalink targets are used on all positions.

**Ties:** Ties in individual events will be broken as per ISSF rules, and on the second course of fire for Pistol and Rifle. Ties in team events will be determined by the highest total score in the last 10-shot series fired by each shooter, working backwards by 10-shot series until the tie is broken.

**Anti-doping Controls:** Anti-doping controls may be conducted by the Shooting Federation of Canada and the Canadian Centre for Drug-free Sport in accordance with ISSF and International Olympic Committee anti-doping regulations.

## THE MATCHES

All competitors, except Adaptive Air Rifle, will shoot 2 matches in an event to qualify for awards.

### Air Pistol, Air Rifle

ISSF – Men, International Junior Men, and Sub-junior Men's events consist of 60 shots standing, fired at 10 meters, twice over the course.

ISSF - Women, International Junior Women and Sub-junior Women events consist of 40 shots standing, fired at 10 meters, twice over the course.

### "Final" Events

Championship awards for Women and Men in Air Pistol and Air Rifle will be decided by Final event scores being added to the total score of the competition, as per ISSF rules and regulations. The 8 highest placing shooters in the Men's and Women's events, including International Juniors and Sub-juniors, will be eligible to participate in the Final. Ties in qualifying for the Finals will not be broken by a shoot-off, but by the regular tie-breaking rule (see "Ties" above).

### Adaptive Air Pistol

Adaptive competitors must shoot 2 matches in an event to qualify for awards, each match consisting of 60 shots fired at 10 meters. Men and women competitors will be combined to shoot for the same awards.

### Adaptive Air Rifle

There will be two categories for Adaptive Air Rifle: SH1 and SH2. The match will consist of 120 shots: 60 standing and 60 prone. Men and women competitors will be combined to shoot for the same awards.

## COMPETITION FINAL RESULTS

A limited number of competition results will be available on request for out-of-country teams following the Awards Ceremonies. Results will be sent to all other participants by e-mail if possible. Results will be available at: <http://www.facebook.com/canadianairgungrandprix>

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## Awards

### Each of Pistol, Rifle

Men, Women	Master	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Expert	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Sharpshooter	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Marksman	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	International Junior	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Sub-junior	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Veteran	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Open Teams	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	Junior Teams	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>

Adaptive Air Rifle	SH1	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
	SH2	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>

Adaptive Air Pistol	SH1	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup>
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### QUALIFYING ROUNDS:

Medals will be awarded in the above categories for the scores fired in the qualifying rounds.

### OPEN FINALS:

In the Finals, first place winners will receive a medal and an **exclusive Canadian Grand Prix Jacket\***. Second and third place finishers in the Finals will receive medals.

### JUNIORS:

The top International Junior will receive an **exclusive Canadian Grand Prix Jacket\*** and a first place medal. Second and third place finishers will receive medals.

The top three Sub-juniors will receive first, second and third place medals.

*\*Note: A competitor who wins a Grand Prix Jacket is ineligible to receive another jacket in the same year.*

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## Location of the 'Pan Am Shooting Range:

The address of the **Pan Am Shooting Range** is:  
Toronto International Trap & Skeet Club  
5206 5th Side Road, Cookstown, ON L0L 1L0

Link to Google Maps: <https://goo.gl/maps/3ZZx6>

The **Pan Am Shooting Range** is located only 45 minutes from the **Toronto International Airport**.

## Accommodations

The **Pan Am Shooting Range** in Cookstown is about 15 minutes from Barrie, Ontario. There are many hotels available in the area:

- **Nottawasaga Inn Resort & Conference Centre** (*approx. 7 minutes to the range*)  
Highway 89, Alliston, ON, L9R 1A4  
(705) 435-5501  
Toll Free: 1-800-669-5501  
[www.nottawasagaresort.com](http://www.nottawasagaresort.com)
- **Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton Barrie** (*Official Hotel of the CAGP*)  
74 Bryne Drive, Barrie, Ontario, L4N 9Y4  
705-719-9666  
<http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/ontario/hampton-inn-and-suites-by-hilton-barrie-ONTBRHX/index.html>
- **Holiday Inn Barrie - Hotel and Conference Centre**  
20 Fairview Rd, Barrie, ON L4N 4P3  
(705) 728-6191  
<http://www.hibarrie.ca>
- **BEST WESTERN Royal Oak Inn**  
35 Hart Drive, Barrie, ON L4N 5M3  
705-721-4848  
[http://book.bestwestern.com/bestwestern/CA/ON/Barrie-hotels/BEST-WESTERN-Royal-Oak-Inn/Hotel-Overview.do?propertyCode=66053&cm\\_mmc=BL- -Google- -GMB- -66053](http://book.bestwestern.com/bestwestern/CA/ON/Barrie-hotels/BEST-WESTERN-Royal-Oak-Inn/Hotel-Overview.do?propertyCode=66053&cm_mmc=BL- -Google- -GMB- -66053)
- **Quality Inn Barrie**  
55 Hart Drive, Barrie, ON, CA, L4N 5M3  
705-734-9500  
<http://www.qualityinnbarrie.com/>

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## Transportation

Athletes are responsible for arranging their own transportation from and to the NEW Pan Am Shooting Range. Rental cars are available at the **Toronto International Airport**, Mississauga, ON:

- **Enterprise Rent-A-Car**, (416) 798-1465  
<https://www.enterprise.ca/en/car-rental/locations/qpbr.ca-on-toronto-international-airport.c2pa.html>
- **National Car Rental**, (905) 676-4000  
[https://www.nationalcar.ca/en\\_US/location-details/ca/yyzt01-toronto-intl-arpt.html](https://www.nationalcar.ca/en_US/location-details/ca/yyzt01-toronto-intl-arpt.html)
- **Alamo Rent A Car**, (888) 826-6893  
[https://www.alamo.ca/en\\_US/car-rental/locations/location-details/CA/YYZT71-toronto-international-airport.html](https://www.alamo.ca/en_US/car-rental/locations/location-details/CA/YYZT71-toronto-international-airport.html)
- **AVIS**, 905-676-1100  
<http://locations.avis.com/ca/on/mississauga/yyz.html>
- **Dollar Rent A Car**, 905-673-8811  
[https://www.dollar.com/Locations/LocalSites/Toronto.aspx?LocationID=YYZ&s\\_kwid=AL!3762!3!75426640162!b!!q!! inurl:locations&ef\\_id=VmOSsQAAAI1OPC5J:20151206014313:s](https://www.dollar.com/Locations/LocalSites/Toronto.aspx?LocationID=YYZ&s_kwid=AL!3762!3!75426640162!b!!q!! inurl:locations&ef_id=VmOSsQAAAI1OPC5J:20151206014313:s)

## Further Information

- ONLINE Registration/Information at: <http://www.cagprix.ca>
- For additional information and 'Letters of Invitation', please contact Shari Akow, Registrar:  
e-mail: [sakow@dwpv.com](mailto:sakow@dwpv.com)

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## **JURIES AND OFFICIALS**

Match Director	Brett Natrass
Jury of Appeal	Steven Spinney (Chair) Louis Anderson Brett Natrass
Classification Jury	Maureen Spinney (Chair) Mark Lewis Richard Horne
Range Jury	Rob Jones (Chair) Rayhanul Islam Steven Spinney
Equipment Control Jury	Maureen Spinney (Chair) Ian Pattison Rob Jones
Equipment Control Official	Rob Jones Maureen Spinney Ian Pattison Claude Munari
Chief Range Officer	Richard Horne
Megalink System	Dennis Pyle
Chief Scoring and Statistics	Louis Anderson
Technical	Don Newman (Chief)
Registration & Awards	Leslie Williamson (Chief) Shari Akow
Auxiliaries	Jenny Meloche Amanda Maclennan

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These major partners for their support of our event”*



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