

# NATIONAL PATROL RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS OPEN DIVISION INVITATION



**If you're looking for a venue to improve your defensive rifle skills, you've found it. Welcome to the NPRC OPEN!**

The Oakland County Sheriff's Office is hosting the 2023 NPRC on **October 14<sup>th</sup> from 8a to 7p** at the [Multi-Lakes Conservation Club](#) located at 3860 Newton Rd., Commerce Twp., MI 48382. This training event costs **\$129** per shooter if you register **before August 31<sup>st</sup> (\$159 afterward)**. Space is limited. No walk-ins allowed. To [REGISTER click this link](#) and make sure you select NPRC OPEN in the drop-down field and put Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 in the date field please. For more information on the [NPRC & NPRC OPEN, click this link](#).

The NPRC is now in its 23<sup>rd</sup> year and is America's oldest ongoing patrol rifle and active assailant training event. This one-of-a-kind event allows you to immerse yourself in patrol rifle training, education, and research.

## **NEW For 2023 - NPRC OPEN – Come shoot with your COPS**

We are inviting [QUALIFIED CITIZENS](#) to come train and compete with their law enforcement officers (LEO's). Our goal in doing this is to give law enforcement agencies a unique opportunity to help promote the event as a means of improving their community's readiness for violence and their relationships with their counterparts in the fire and medical services (medics, nurses, doctors), not to mention their citizens, politicians and business owners who are all stake holders in a community's response to violence. We are offering an **optional discount** program for our citizen attendees' consideration. If you have the means and sponsor (pay for) any active or reserve duty LEO(s), active or reserve duty military, or qualified active-duty fire/medical service professionals to attend the NPRC, your entrance fee will be reduced.

- **SPECIAL NPRC OPEN offer:** Any citizen who sponsors any of the professionals outlined above by paying their entrance fee of \$99 before August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023, will only **pay \$99.00** for their (citizen) slot in the **NPRC OPEN**.
- Please support these frontline professionals if you have the financial means to do so. Thank you.
- [For the rules governing the NPRC and the NPRC OPEN, click here](#)

The **NPRC OPEN** is a separate competitive training event that will run concurrently with the NPRC. You will be shooting with fellow citizens, LEOs and the other professionals outlined above. The courses of fire (COF's) are the same for both events. The COF's are crafted after officer involved shootings that are derived from [Chudwin Award](#) nominations and the NPRC's Patrol Rifle Engagement Survey data base. The events start at 8a and go until 7p (shooting from 9a-4p / [reception, debrief, dinner, prizes](#) from 4p-7p). Lunch (brat's, chips, pop) and dinner (prime rib or chicken, sides & drinks) are provided along with thousands of dollars in prizes from our sponsors and vendors.

### **What can I expect to experience and learn at the NPRC OPEN?**

Citizen attendees will shoot with officers from local, county, state, and federal law enforcement agencies. The NPRC & NPRC OPEN are training events first and foremost, giving the citizen shooter the opportunity to see and experience what their law enforcement professionals are doing to prepare for violence in their communities. The experience will be eye-opening for most citizen attendees. We hope it provides a newfound perspective on the real-life circumstances LEO's face and how critical the funding of proper equipment and training is to the LEO's survival, and ultimately to that of the citizens they protect and serve. We hope this experience results in a new level of mutual respect and friendships being made. Each course of fire is unknown to the attendee (just like it is on the street) until they arrive at the NPRC & NPRC OPEN and are subsequently briefed by the instructors. The COF's change every year, so there is no way to prepare for one specific skill. This format challenges participants to shoot the course of fire by reacting as they would on the street, using their issued equipment and training. The attendee's performance is then scored to help them identify their training regimen's strengths and weaknesses in comparison to their peers. If your equipment fails you here, consider it a blessing and make the necessary changes to ensure it doesn't happen on the street. The bad guy will not give you alibi rounds, redo's, or sympathy and neither will we during this reality-based training event. **Attendees must be in good physical condition to participate in this event.** The courses of fire are generally 200 yards and closer. They can include moving targets, multiple adversaries, target identification, judgment in the use of force, various shooting positions, movement, physical exertion, and mental stress. The event includes at least four live-fire graded exercises. Each attendee must bring **100 rounds of rifle and 10 rounds of pistol ammunition**. Check the [event rules](#) for equipment requirements and restrictions.

### **How does the NPRC OPEN BENEFIT you?**

The benefit of participating in this sort of independent assessment of your skill while using your equipment and training can be invaluable, both on the street, and in a court room. Regardless of how you score in comparison to your peers, you will be able to **unequivocally articulate that you took proactive action** by participating in this spontaneous-based training program as a method to validate your training and to help identify where performance could be improved. Each attendee will receive a training certificate, t-shirt, ChamberSafe and various swag that is graciously donated by our vendors and sponsors. You will also receive a detailed [event program](#) with courses of fire that can be used in your future training regime. Additionally, you will learn invaluable lessons from the Chudwin Award Recipient's debrief, as well as the research you conduct at the simultaneous vendor and sponsor exhibition. The learning experience at NPRC is unmatched in the law enforcement firearms training industry.

### **Vendor Show & Sponsor's Live-Fire Range Exhibition**

The NPRC provides a simultaneous vendor show and a live-fire [sponsor's range exhibition](#) that is **FREE** to all attendees to assist in your ongoing equipment and services research. Seeing products on a vendor's table at a tradeshow is one thing but being able to live-fire the sponsors products will provide you with a whole new perspective on their viability for your application. The vendor and sponsor exhibitions are free and open from 10a to 2p to all attendees and your guests.