



T. I. G. E. R. VALLEY

Tactical Institute Gun Education Research

US Military Service Rifle Across the Course / Rattle Battle Memorial Match November 19 & 20th 2005

*All proceeds of this match will be donated to the **Special Operations Warrior Foundation**, and the **Garland, TX. Citizens Police Academy***

WHAT IS THE SPECIAL OPERATIONS WARRIOR FOUNDATION?

The Foundation mission is devoted to providing a college education to every child who has lost a parent while serving in the Special Operations Command during an operational or training mission. The Warrior Foundation is currently committed to providing scholarship grants, not loans, to more than 500 children. Read more at: www.specialops.org

WHAT IS THE CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY?

The Garland Citizen Police Academy focuses attention on the internal values, philosophy, and operations of the Garland Police Department. Designed for citizens, the academy educates citizens about the "How's and Why's" of the department, and the citizen's role in the interaction of citizens and police. Students are encouraged to share this realistic view of the department with other citizens to improve the efficiency of law enforcement in their neighborhoods through shared responsibilities and resources. www.gcpaaa.com

Location / Time: **TIGER VALLEY** Shooting Facility (15 miles east of Waco on HWY 84). Firing will begin at approximately 09:00. Squading will be held at the statistical office starting at 08:00 before the match.

Entry Fees: \$150.00 **If you would like to sponsor a military shooter that can not afford the entry fees, send the entry fee to TIGER VALLEY. If you are a military shooter who would like to be sponsored, contact us as well.**

Rifles: All rifles must fall into the US Military category. Example 1903 Springfield, M1 Garand, M14 / M1A, M16 / AR15, M4, and M1 Carbine (M1 Carbine for Rattle Battle only).

Rifle Classifications:

Service Rifle: 1903 Springfield, M1 Garand, M1 Carbine, M14 / M1A, and M16
Carbine: M4, M1 Carbine
Open: Any rifle, sight, and caliber (Not to exceed .338 Lapua in caliber)

Ammunition: Competitors must furnish their own ammunition. No tracers or armor piercing ammunition will be allowed. All bullets must remain supersonic. Ammunition not meeting this requirement will be removed from the firing line.

Targets: The standard SR for 200, 300, and the MR for 600 yards. The standard full length Silhouette rifle target and the "dog" target. (Shoulder head target) will be used for the rattle battle.

Course of Fire:

Saturday across the Course:

Match 1: 2 Sighting shots and 20 shots for record at 200 yards, 22 minutes, standing.

Match 2: 2 Sighting shots and 2 strings of 10 shots standing to sitting rapid for record at 200 yards, 60 seconds each string

Match 3: 2 Sighting shots and 2 strings of 10 shots standing to prone rapid for record at 300 yards, 70 seconds each string

Match 4: 2 Sighting shots and 20 shots for record at 600 yards, 22 minutes, prone

Sunday Rattle Battle: Each competitor will have 10 minutes to fire eight rounds slow fire to confirm 200 yard zeros. Each competitor will then have one minute exposure on the full length (Silhouette target), and then another one minute exposure on the full length (Silhouette target) All firing will be done at the 200 yard line. Each competitor will bring a maximum of 56 rounds of ammunition to the firing line during this portion of the match. Each competitor should bring a minimum of 64 rounds. **(All magazine fed weapons that are capable of holding more than ten rounds will be require to complete at least four magazine changes)**

Challenge: No alibis or refires because of rifle or ammunition malfunctions are allowed during any stage of these matches.

General: Competitors will be required to pull targets and score. There will be no lunch break. There are five RV hook-ups, and multiple camping sites. There are also showers and restrooms available at the range. The fee is \$15.00 per day for RV, and \$5.00 a day per tent. Please call in advance to reserve an RV spot.

There will be an awards ceremony and a Texas style barbecue dinner at the range on Saturday night.

Safety: All Safety rules at **TIGER VALLEY** Shooting Facility will be obeyed at all times. An open bolt indicator will be inserted into the breech of all rifles when not on the firing line and firing is in progress. Rifles will not be allowed on the firing line until directed by the range officer. Bolts will not be closed until the rifle is horizontal at the shoulder.

Directions to the Range: From Interstate 35 Exit 339 (Lake Waco / Lake Shore Drive exit), take Loop 340 eastward to HWY 84 (approximately 1 mile). Proceed on HWY 84 east approximately 13 miles to Watt (sign on both sides of post on right). Continue to the top of the next rise: the main gate is on the left between two modular homes (immediately after the brown one). DO NOT go past LCR 126 (Joe Russell Road) or Christmas Creek.

Advanced Entries: You may register on – line at www.tigervalley.com or send your information to the following information with entry fees to the following address:

**Tiger Valley
6309 Scottsboro Lane
Garland, TX. 75044**

If you have any questions go to www.tigervalley.com or call T.J. Pillings at (214) 802-1288