

**3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Ten-X 500-yd Wind Readers' Trophy Match**  
**Sponsored by Rio Salado Sportsman's Club HP Division**  
**Saturday, Dec. 28, 2024**

**FORMAT:** Rio Salado members and non-members alike are invited to compete in a special 500-yard prone rifle match designed to test individual competitor's wind-reading skills. The match will be held on Rio's 500-yard high-power range, 3960 N. Usery Mountain Pass Rd.

**RULES & EQUIPMENT:** Competitors must provide their own equipment, a minimum of 70 rounds of ammo (including sighters & "Shoot-Off" rounds; spotting scopes or binoculars, and ECIs (available for purchase at \$2 each). All competitors must be prepared to score and pull-targets for the duration of the match. Eye & protection is required at all times the range. No alcohol or glass bottles.

**TIME:** Squadding will start 8 a.m. Live-fire will start at 9 a.m, with a three-minute 5-shot sight-in period. The match can accommodate a maximum of 45 shooters.

**TARGETS:** F-Class NRA M65 centers (1 MOA 10 ring, ½ MOA X-ring) will be used for F-Open, F-TR (.308 Win and .223 Rem), and PRS rifle shooters; NRA M65 targets will be used for Match and Service rifle.

**MATCH NO. 1:** 5 sighters, followed by 20 shots for record, scoring Xs, 10s, 9s ONLY, all other shots to be recorded as a "miss"; (15 minutes with four wind flags)

**MATCH NO. 2:** No sighters, 20 shots for record, scoring Xs, 10s, 9s ONLY; (15 minutes with two flags)

**MATCH NO. 3: Stage 1)** String-fire; no sighters, 10 shots for record, scoring Xs, 10s, 9s ONLY; all other shots to be recorded as a "miss"; (five-minutes with one red flag on 500-yd berm). A four-minute cooling off period will be held prior to the start of **Stage 2)** String fire; no sighters, 10 shots for record (scoring Xs, 10s, 9s ONLY; 9s (five minutes, NO FLAGS)

**MATCH NO. 4:** Aggregate of matches 1,2, 3 to decide high-scorers in the six competitor categories.

**MATCH NO. 5: SHOOT-OFF:** The high-scorer in F-Open, F-TR, PRS, Match & Service rifles, and high-scoring junior will compete for an **OVERALL-WINNER CASH AWARD OF \$150**. String-fire, no sighters, five shots for record; scoring only 10- and X-ring shots on respective F-Class and Match/Service rifle targets. (two minutes, NO FLAGS.)

**AWARDS** will be made for the Overall high-score, and high-scorers in F-Open, F-TR, PRS rifle, Any-Any rifle sling (scope or irons), Service Rifle, and for junior under age 18 shooting in any category.. Names will go on the HP Division's 10-X Windreaders' Trophy on permanent display in Club's OETC Bldg.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$40 per adult, \$15 juniors under 21, payable in CASH ONLY during squadding.

**ADVANCE EMAIL ENTRIES:** Must be made by no later than Thursday, Dec. 26, by emailing your full name, age, email address, phone number, and rifle category to **dcfrerichs@gmail.com**

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