Emerald Team & Individual Matches

Presented by the NRAI

7-11 June 2017

1. INVITATION: The National Rifle Association of Ireland invites F-Class shooters of all countries to compete in the 2017 Emerald Individual and Team Matches.

2. RANGE LOCATION: Midlands National Shooting Centre of Ireland, Blue Ball, Tullamore, Co. Offaly.

3. RULES: All targets and rules will be in accordance with current ICFRA F-Class rules.

4. ENTRIES: All entries must be paid in advance. Complete entry forms on the enclosed Registration and Entry Form. The following payment methods may be used.

Make cheque or bankers draft payable to: National Rifle Association of Ireland

Mail to:

National Rifle Association of Ireland

The Midlands National Shooting Centre of Ireland

Derrymore, Blueball, Tullamore, Co. Offaly, Ireland

Bank Transfer:

NRAI Bank details:

A/C name: National Rifle Association of Ireland

IBAN: IE58 BOFI 9016 7795 5082 44

BIC: BOFIIE2D

Please ensure you include identification message with payment

5. ENTRIES CLOSE: Entry forms are attached and must be forwarded to reach the Squadding Department at the NRAI, at above address, by no later than 15 May 2017.

6. ENTRY LIMITS: 120 Individual Entries.

7. FOULING SHOTS: There will be a fouling (blow off) period before the start of fire each morning.

8. TARGET SERVICE: All competitors will be required to mark their own targets in practice and individual match days.

   Target Pullers for team match will be provided.

9. FEES:

All Individual Matches (Thu-Sat)	€125
Alternate Daily Fees:	
Long Range Match (Thu)	€40
Emerald Ind. Day 1 (Fri)	€50
Emerald Ind. Day 2 (Sat)	€50
Emerald Team Match (Sun)	€70
Presentation Barbecue (Sun)	€10
All practice days	Free of charge

10. MATCH SCHEDULE

Wednesday 7th June 2017
Squadded practice.

Thursday 8th June 2017
Long Range Match – 2 sighters and 15 shots to count at 1100 & 1200 yards. The top 10 F-Open and F-TR competitors will compete in a final shoot-off. The final will consist of 2 sighters and 10 shots to count. Informal practice will be available in the afternoon.

Friday 9th June 2017
Emerald Individual Day 1 – 2 sighters and 15 shots to count at 800, 900 and 1000 yards.

Saturday 10th June 2017
Emerald Individual Day 2 – 2 sighters and 15 shots to count at 800, 900 and 1000 yards.

Sunday 11th June 2017
Emerald 4-Man International Team Match – 2 sighters and 15 shots to count at 800, 900 and 1000 yards. Teams will consist of four firing members, captain, coach and an alternate (if desired). Teams to be named by 4pm Saturday 10th June.

Awards Ceremony for Emerald Matches.

The Presentation/Barbecue will be held on Sunday afternoon. Details to follow.

11. AMMUNITION REQUIRED FOR COMPETITION
(excludes practice and blow off shots)

Long Range Match	- total 46
Emerald Individual	- total 102
Emerald Team	- total 51

12. RELOADING COMPONENTS – If reloading components are required, please contact Midlands National Shooting Centre or National Rifle Association of Ireland at jpcraven@eircom.net or info@nrai.ie. Components are still hard to find, but we will assist in any way we can.

13. IRISH FIREARMS PERMITS – The fee for an Irish visitors permit is €40. You may apply for the permit yourself, or each country (NRA) may appoint a nominee who will post all their completed forms and fees to the NRAI and the NRAI will lodge the applications with the Garda. Please allow 6 weeks for visitor permit applications.

The visitors permit can be found at the following link. Alternatively, we will provide a link on the NRAI website at www.nrai.ie.

http://www.garda.ie/Documents/User/non%20resident%20form%20amended%20-%2016.1.13.pdf

Competitors will also need the following documentation:

US Shooters – Letter of support from local Sherriff's or Police Dept office.
EU Shooters – Euro firearms pass.
Rest of world – Copy of rifle permit.

14. ACCOMMODATION – Accommodation is available 9 miles from the range in Tullamore. Contact the Tullamore Tourist Office for a complete list of accommodations.

Tullamore Court Hotel	www.tullamorecourthotel.ie
Bridge House Hotel	www.bridgehouse.com
Central Hotel Tullamore	www.booking.com/hotel/ie/daystullamore.en.html

15. ON-SITE CATERING – There will be approximately a one hour lunch break on each day of the competition. Snacks and beverages will be available.

16. ASSISTANCE – Any other questions can be sent to NRAI at nraisec@gmail.com. They will happily answer any questions or put you in touch with the correct people.

Emerald Individual Entry Form

Name:	
Address:	
Country:	
Tel no:	Email:

Please select the appropriate box: F-TR ☐ F-Open ☐ Calibre _____

Individual Match Fees – please tick or circle

All Individual Matches (Wed-Fri)		€125
Alternate Daily Fees:		
Long Range Match (Thurs)		€40
Emerald Ind. Day 1 (Fri)	€50	
Emerald Ind. Day 2 (Sat)		€50
Visitors' Permit		€40 per firearm
Official Function meal		€20 per person

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED_ _____

Certificate: I make this entry subject to the rules of the National Rifle Association of Ireland. My name and club may be used in prize lists. I also certify that the information I have provided on this entry form is correct and that I am in good standing with my home NRA (National Governing Body).

Signature_____ Date_____

Please make all cheques or bankers drafts payable to the:

Midlands National Shooting Centre of Ireland Ltd

When completed, this form should be sent, with a full remittance payable to the M.N.S.C.I. Ltd at Midlands National Shooting Centre, Derrymore, Blue Ball, Tullamore, Co. Offaly.

Emerald Team Entry Form

Team Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Teams must submit their completed entry form no later than 4pm Saturday 10th June 2017. Teams will consist of four firing members, captain, coach and an alternate (if desired); and may be called by their country or any reasonable name. The NRAI reserves the right to refuse an entry it feels is inappropriate.