

## **Washington State Highpower Rifle Clinics at CSF 2016**

The annual Washington State Highpower Rifle Clinics have been set for Cascade Shooting Facilities at Ravensdale, WA (26520 292<sup>nd</sup> Ave SE). The Clinics will review NRA rules and equipment requirements, outline the different courses of fire, and help all students get into positions and stages. Experienced competition shooters will be on the line and in the pits to coach students throughout the Clinics.

Students in the first Clinic should have an AR15, M1A or M1 Garand (service rifles) or a bolt-action rifle with a magazine capacity of at least 5 rounds with the capability of reloading very quickly (detachable magazine, or stripper clips into receiver magazine). Students needing a rifle and/or ammunition (.223 only) should ask about availability when they register. If using a nonstandard rifle, students should be aware that some instruction may not apply to their situation. The second Clinic will allow service rifles, magazine or single-shot bolt-action rifles (iron sights and scope sights) and F Class rifles (scope sighted and bipod supported).

- 1) 6 February (Sat): Introduction to NRA Highpower Rifle Competition
  - a. Overview of NRA Highpower Rifle
  - b. The Short-Range Stages: Standing, Rapid-Sitting, Rapid-Prone
  - c. Score Keeping & Personal Record Keeping
  - d. Marking Targets in Pits
  
- 2) 5 March (Sat): Prone and Wind
  - a. Overview of Mid- and Long-Range shooting
  - b. The Prone Position
  - c. Reading Wind
  - d. Bullet Drift and Tactics

Each Clinic will begin at 0800 at the Range House (6 Feb) or on the Firing Line (5 March): registration to be finalized; relay and target assignments; handout material. Classroom presentation will begin at 09:00 and end at 10:30. Students to the firing line or pits by 11:00: on-Range and in-Pits instruction. Firing to begin at 11:30 for Relay 1; relays will rotate from pits to line through the day; clinic ends by 4:00pm.

Registration: Ken Littlefield at [littlefieldk@att.net](mailto:littlefieldk@att.net)

Presentation: Gary Rasmussen at [g\\_e\\_rasmussen@yahoo.com](mailto:g_e_rasmussen@yahoo.com)

Student numbers are limited to 45 in each Clinic, so register as soon as possible. Clinic fee is \$40.00 per adult (\$15.00 per junior).