

**FSA- PATROL RIFLE COMPETITION 2024**  
**TWO DAYS: Thursday May 23rd & Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**GENERAL COMPETITION RULES AND INFORMATION**

**READ ALL RULES CAREFULLY AS VIOLATIONS WILL RESULT IN PENALTY**

- 1) All competitors must be registered and have submitted payment to the Florida SWAT Association before they will be allowed to compete.
- 2) Competitors will refer to the Patrol Rifle Competition Schedule to ensure punctuality and avoid penalty. Any shooter that is not present at a scheduled event, with all needed equipment, will be assessed a 'Late to Line' penalty.
- 3) Upon arrival at the host facility, competitors will check in at the main gate. Competitors must provide the appropriate, signed waivers. Each competitor will receive a wrist band with their 'Shooter Number' and a chamber safety flag.
- 4) The host facility will be run as a **COLD RANGE** during the two days of competition. As such, competitors will be required to leave all firearms secured in the vehicle except for their patrol rifle for competition. All rifles must be carried void of any magazine or ammunition with the provided chamber safety flag in the gun until event staff has instructed the competitor to remove it.
- 5) Rifles and Equipment:
  - All rifles for competition must be approved by the competitor's agency to be deployed at the patrol level. No scoped precision rifles are allowed. If the competitor's rifle has an optic with magnification, it must be run at the lowest magnification setting.
  - **Competitors are required to have 60 rounds of frangible ammunition and 40 rounds or ball or duty ammunition for competition.**
  - Eye protection, hearing protection, and soft body armor will be mandatory for all events.
  - Refer to the individual event rules to determine if additional equipment is needed.
- 6) During Thursday morning's Safety Brief at 0830 hours, the group and competitor number assignments will be made. Group and shooter assignments will remain the same for both days of competition.
- 7) Scoring: Upon completing each event competitors will have the opportunity to immediately view their score sheet and will sign the sheet acknowledging their finalized score. Competitors will not be permitted to come back to the scoring table multiple times to inquire about scores. Any rules or scoring issues will be referred to a member of the scoring committee and final determination will be made by the Competition Director.
  - \*Competitors will be assigned to a Division as follows:
    - Patrol Division- Non-SWAT Personnel
    - SWAT Division- All active or former SWAT Personnel
- 8) Any competitor that is deemed to have committed a third 'Major Safety Violation' will be disqualified from the Competition.
- 9) Thursday night's Situational Debrief and Hospitality Evening is mandatory for all competitors as it will be part of the educational aspect of the competition.
- 10) Finally, this competition is meant to push your individual limits and test your skillset. Come prepared to perform your best. You should leave this competition with new prospective and a refreshed eagerness to train!

## **REQUIRED EQUIPMENT**

**READ CAREFULLY AS ALL ITEMS LISTED BELOW ARE MANDATORY**

### Mandatory Safety Equipment

- Hearing Protection
- Eye Protection
- Soft Body Armor- Vest worn during routine patrol assignment

### Mission Equipment-

- Sub-gun/Carbine Patrol Rifle with sling attached (No scoped precision rifles)
- BDU pants
- Duty Boots
- Minimum of three rifle magazines
- Addition equipment of shooter's choice (i.e., bag/duty belt/magazine pouch)

### Total Competition Rounds – **120 Rounds**

- 40 Rounds of Frangible Ammunition
- 60 Rounds of Ball or Duty Ammunition