



## PROFESSIONAL SHOOTING LEAGUE **Benchrest Series 2018**

Presented by **ELEY**

ELEY ammunition has come on board as the 2018 title sponsor which means the Main Event payouts will increase significantly! So, in addition to great payouts at each tournament individually, the Main Event qualifiers will have the opportunity to win (or earn) some great compensation.

## Sponsors, Events, & Payouts

### The ELEY Benchrest Series Main Event

**1st Place = \$5000**  
**2nd Place = \$3000**  
**3rd Place = \$2000**

### PSL Main Event Qualifying Tournaments

Payouts at each tournament are based on the number of competitors. \$75 of each entry fee is used in awarding the top 10 overall finishers and each Target Winner.

- Shotmaster 10X Winter Shootout
- Holeshot Arms Benchrest Brawl
- Triple Crown PSL (3 targets - Main Event qualifying ONLY. Payouts and awards are part of the Triple Crown of Rimfire.)
- Muller Works Barrels Summer Showdown
- Shilen Rifles - Shilen Challenge

### Target Sponsors

Each target winner earns \$100!

- Killough Shooting Sports Target 1
- Chickenfoot ARA Target 2
- The Triple Crown of Rimfire Target 3
- C-Yankees Target 4
- Rimfireaccuracy.com Target 5

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## Jim Pollard

Jim Pollard grew up in Rankin, Texas, a small town in the middle of the Permian Basin. Jim went to Southwest Texas State College in San Marcus, TX and graduated in 1965 and became a shop teacher.

Jim now resides in New Mexico and will turn 76 years old this coming May. He began his rimfire shooting experience on-line at www.rimfirecentral.com in about 1997. At that time, matches were held at your local range and your scores were submitted through the website through an honor system. At one time he says there were over 100 participants in this on-line game.

After his on-line experience, he began shooting IR 50/50 in Gatesville, Texas with fellow shooters Billy Russell and Fred Gould.

Jim now is a very active rimfire benchrest shooter at the Zia Rifle and Pistol Club in Albuquerque, New Mexico as well as San Juan Wildlife Federation in Farmington, New Mexico. Jim plans on competing at the ARA Outdoor Nationals in St. Louis again this year as well.

Jim says the best part of his shooting experience has been meeting and making friends with many people over the years, like Johnny Montgomery, Jay Sullivan, Kurt Palmer, David III and Ed Shilen to name a few.



### 2018 Main Event Qualifiers from the Shotmaster 10X Winter Shootout at Rocky River Barn 12/2017:

Chuck Morrell	William Casey	Donald Hamblin
Jeff Patterson	Tom Wilkinson	A.W. Jeffreys
Brian Brandt	Michael Sherrill	George Donovan
Tim Miller		



## ELEY Establishes the Lones Wigger Award

In the field of shooting, "legend" could be replaced with a name and that name would be Lones Wigger. Wigger is the most decorated



shooter of all time and his impact on the sport and shooters alike has never been equaled. On December 14, 2017, the shooting world had to say goodbye to their legend, as after a two-year battle with pancreatic cancer, Wigger passed away.

A five time Olympian and a retired Lieutenant Colonel of the Army, Lones Wigger is the only USA Shooting athlete in the U.S. Olympic Committee's Hall of Fame. He has won 111 international medals, more than any shooter in the world. In 1996 and 2002 he carried the Olympic Torch and was selected as one of the U.S. Olympic Committee's 100 Golden Olympians. Lones was a fierce competitor and continued to gain accomplishments throughout his shooting career, which spanned well into his late 70s.

USA Shooting and the Wigger family held a memorial for Lones on February 24 at the USA Shooting range that was recently dedicated in his name. Wig's presence will be missed on the ranges around the country, but his legacy will live on.

ELEY has established the Lones Wigger Award, which will support shooting sports by providing ammunition donations to events and matches throughout the calendar year. With the support Lones gave to ELEY, it is just a small token of appreciation to name an award after the Legend. To apply for a donation from this award for your match or event please contact marketing@eleyammunition.com.

Website: www.eleyammunition.com

## 2018 CALENDAR

**May 25-26 PSL Holeshot Arms BR Brawl & Triple Crown of Rimfire**

Kettlefoot Gun Club, Bristol, VA

**July 14 PSL Muller Works Summer Showdown**

Oil Capital Rod & Gun Club, Coweta, OK

**Aug. 31 PSL Shilen Challenge**

BRC of St. Louis, Wright City, Mo

**Sept 1-2 ARA Outdoor Nationals & The PSL Main Event**

BRC of St. Louis, Wright City, MO

## PSL Registration is OPEN

PSL Schedule for 2018 & 2019 is updated on the PSL website at proshootingleague.com

# Holeshot Arms

## TRIPLE CROWN OF RIMFIRE IS HAPPENING SOON!



IR 50/50 - PSL - ARA

Only 120 can shoot and there are 9 on the waiting list already, so get your name on the waiting list to be called if a spot opens up. Countries represented will be USA, UK and Ireland.

**The Prize Table is expected to be \$16,000 - \$17,000 worth of prizes!**



### Schedule of Events for Kettlefoot Gun Club, Bristol, VA:

**May 22nd** Virginia State 10-shot

**May 23rd** Virginia State IR 50/50 Unlimited

**May 24th** Virginia State ARA

**May 25th** Holeshot Arms PSL

**May 26th & 27th** Triple Crown of Rimfire



The building up on the hill is enclosed now with heating and air conditioning. Lights have also been installed down on the range to light it for night matches.

## SHILEN 12TH ANNUAL SWAP MEET

**SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 2018**  
**8AM - 2PM**

**\*\*NEW ADDRESS\*\***

2501 North Interstate Highway 45, ENNIS, TX 75119

**ANYONE CAN SET UP A TABLE OR PULL UP AND DROP YOUR TAILGATE • NO ENTRY FEE!**

(No jewelry or beef jerky please)

Shilen will provide a complimentary lunch, for this reason please call/email if you plan on attending so we can have a rough head count. Machines will run from 8am and 11am so you can see barrel making in process. If you want to get rid of something or pick up something specific let us know and we will add you to the list of vendors below. (See below)

Call: 972-875-5318 • Fax: 972-875-5402

comments@shilen.com

### VENDOR LIST / ATTENDEES

**Shilen** • Swap meet barrels.

**Richard** • Gunsmith lathe – 12"x 36" Craftsman (not at meet but have pictures and video) - Gunsmith mill – Index – Full size – 9"x 42" table travel (not at meet but have pictures and video).  
- Complete Rifles, actions, mags. bullet castings

**Jim** • S&W pistols, rifles, other treasures

**Blake** • Suppressors

**Scott** • 22RF barrels, tuners and more



**celebrating 2018**

## 3 RIFLE GIVEAWAY!

Each year the American Rimfire Association gives away one "project rifle" at the ARA Outdoor National Tournament held Labor Day weekend at the Bench Rest Rifle Club of St. Louis. In celebration of ARA's 20th year, we will be giving away at least 3 Project Rifles! You will definitely want to make sure you get entered to win!

### Project Rifle 1 • Gunsmith: Jerry Stiller One-Off Custom Action, Barrel & Stock

Receive 1 entry for each target you shoot in an ARA sanctioned match between May 1-August 19, 2018. All scores must be submitted to the ARA office by August 24. The drawing will take place at the ARA Outdoor Nationals Tournament Awards ceremony. **NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

### Project Rifle 2 • Gunsmith: Tim Miller X3L Action, Muller Works Barrel

Each participant in the 2018 ARA Outdoor National Tournament will receive one entry. The drawing will take place at the end of the ARA Outdoor National Tournament Awards ceremony. **WINNER MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

### Project Rifle 3 • Gunsmith: Richard Gorham 2500X Action, Shilen Barrel

Each JUNIOR shooter participant in the ARA Outdoor National Tournament will receive one entry. The drawing will take place at the end of the ARA Outdoor National Tournament Awards ceremony. **WINNER MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

**Thanks to these gunsmiths and the following sponsors for making this happen!**



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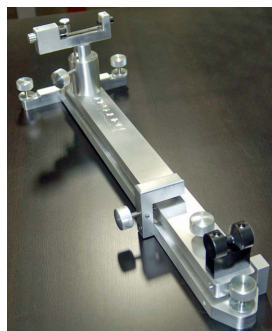
**ARA Certified  
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Jason Frymier • Rock River Barn #1 • Mar. 3  
(See March match winners and April shooting schedule on separate page attached)

*Congratulations!*

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## KNOW THE RULES!

ARA Competitor numbers are very important. Your scores at every event you attend are tied to your number. Know your number and make sure the match director at each event uses the correct number when they send in scores to the ARA office for posting. Of course, if you notice a posting mistake on the ARA website, notify the ARA office immediately for correction.

### 9.3 Sign in Sheets, Competitor Number, and New Competitor

9.3.1 Each competitor needs to accurately complete the Sign-In Sheet, including the last four digits of his/her Social Security Number, plus the initials of his/her name. (Example 1234MGL). This number becomes his/her official ARA statistical number, which is needed for maintenance of all statistical computer database records.

9.3.2 It is imperative that competitors sign-in consistently with the same numbers and initials each time or face the possibility that their scores may be improperly entered into the ARA database. If a competitor is new to a range, please check the competitor's ARA ID card to ensure the proper name and ARA number is used.

9.3.3 If a competitor has never competed in an ARA event, the match director shall have the new competitor fill out the "New Competitor" form and the match director will return that to the ARA business office.

## WELCOME FOUR NEW ARA SANCTIONED CLUBS!

We would like to welcome the following new ARA clubs to our team!

Taylor's Paradise Gun Club in Alledonia, OH, match director Dale Taylor. Their first match will be held on April 15th.

Page Gun Club in Page, AZ, match director Thomas Prior. They will shoot their second match on April 12th.

Port Malabar Rifle & Pistol Club in Melbourne, FL, match director Kris Van Nostran. They will shoot their 2nd match on April 7th.

Tri Town Conservation Club in Lowell, MI, match director William Wheeler. Their first match will be May 12th.



# FEBRUARY MATCH RESULTS & MARCH SCHEDULE

## MARCH ARA MATCH WINNERS

(Scores turned in through 3/21 - Scores are Agg and Agg + Points)

MAR 3	BUCKEYE RIMFIRE CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	BUTCH LONG	1952.50	1980.50
MAR 3	REDDING RIMFIRE #2, OUTDOOR		
	GRANT POLLOCK	2225.00	2245.00
MAR 3	SUNNYVALE ROD & GUN CLUB #2, OUTDOOR		
	DANA WYSE	1946.25	1974.25
MAR 3	ROCKY RIVER BARN #1, INDOOR		
	MIKE SHERRILL	2400.00	2500.00
MAR 10	BUCKEYE RIMFIRE CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	GLENN SPENCER	2043.75	2063.75
MAR 10	RIO SALADO SPORTSMAN CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	THOMAS PRYOR	2212.50	2332.50
MAR 10	BOERNE SHOOTING CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	LES WILLIAMS	2106.25	2134.25
MAR 10	PALO ALTO RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	CHUCK CAZENAVE	2041.67	2083.67
MAR 10	HOWARD PRINCE INDOOR RANGE #2, INDOOR		
	JASON THORNHILL	2308.33	2356.33
MAR 10	ZIA RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	KURT PALMER	1950.00	1974.00
MAR 17	NORTHEAST KENTUCKY FISH & GAME, OUTDOOR		
	GLENN SPENCER	2281.25	2309.25
MAR 17	ARLINGTON SPORTSMANS CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	GARY DUNCAN	2225.00	2269.00
MAR 17	BUCCANEER GUN CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	JEFF FOUNTAIN	1940.00	1970.00
MAR 17	BENCH REST RIFLE CLUB OF ST. LOUIS, OUTDOOR		
	GLEN TOWNLEY	2104.17	2164.17
MAR 18	MODESTO RIFLE CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	GISELE PRITCHARD	2275.00	2315.00
MAR 21	BOERNE ARA, OUTDOOR		
	HUBERT KELSHEIMER	1875.00	1895.00
MAR 24	FROG LEVEL RIMFIRE, INDOOR		
	ALAN FANNIN	2291.67	2345.67
MAR 24	FROG LEVEL RIMFIRE, INDOOR		
	DONALD HAMBLIN	2362.50	2470.50
MAR 24	CHATTANOOGA RIFLE CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	CHARLES WADKINS	2275.00	2350.00
MAR 24	ZIA RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	JAY SULLIVAN	2056.25	2072.25
MAR 24	NORTH TEXAS SHOOTER'S ASSN., OUTDOOR		
	JERRY STILLER	1918.75	1962.75
MAR 25	PIONEER GUN CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	JOE BESCHE	1964.17	2006.17
MAR 25	OPEN GROVE RIMFIRE, OUTDOOR		
	GLEN ROBINSON	2212.50	2224.50
MAR 28	RIO SALADO SPORTSMAN CLUB, OUTDOOR		
	GENE DELONEY	1887.50	1931.50

## APRIL ARA MATCH SCHEDULE

Schedules are updated daily. For the most up to date schedules, visit [AmericanRimfire.com](http://AmericanRimfire.com)

04/07/18	Buckeye Rimfire Club, OH	Outdoor
04/07/18	Port Malabar Rifle & Pistol Club, FL	Outdoor
04/07/18	Green River Gun Club, KY	Outdoor
04/07/18	Palo Alto Rifle & Pistol Club, LA	Outdoor
04/07/18	Redding Rimfire #2, CA (Club tourn.)	Outdoor
04/07/18	Edwardsburg Conservation Club, MI	Outdoor
04/07/18	Sunnyvale Rod & Gun Club #2, CA	Outdoor
04/07/18	Zia Rifle & Pistol Club, NM	Outdoor
04/07/18	Bench Rest Rifle Club of St. Louis, MO	Outdoor
04/08/18	Marion County Fish & Game, IN	Outdoor
04/08/18	Wilderness Road, VA	Outdoor
04/09/18	Cumberland Riflemen, NJ	Outdoor
04/10/18	Yankton Sharpshooters, SD	Outdoor
04/12/18	Page Gun Club, AZ	Outdoor
04/13/18	Paducah Shooting Sports Complex, KY	Outdoor
04/14/18	Buckeye Rimfire Club, OH	Outdoor
04/14/18	Green Sea, SC	Outdoor
04/14/18	Central Texas Rifle & Pistol Club, TX	Outdoor
04/14/18	San Juan Wildlife Federation, NM	Outdoor
04/14/18	Boerne Shooting Club, TX	Outdoor
04/14/18	Owensville Gun Club #1, MO	Outdoor
04/14/18	Paducah Shooting Sports Complex, KY	Outdoor
04/14/18	Clark's Gun Range, IN	Outdoor
04/14/18	Oak Hills Gun Club, IA	Outdoor
04/15/18	Hat Creek Rifle & Pistol Club, CA	Outdoor
04/15/18	Taylor's Paradise, OH	Outdoor
04/15/18	Modesto Rifle Club #1, CA	Outdoor
04/18/18	Rio Salado Sportsman Club, AZ	Outdoor
04/18/18	Boerne ARA, TX	Outdoor
04/19/18	Minnetonka Sportsmen's Inc., MN	Outdoor
04/21/18	NE KY Fish & Game, KY (club tourn)	Outdoor
04/21/18	Oak Ridge Sportman's Association, TN	Outdoor
04/21/18	Zia Rifle & Pistol Club, NM	Outdoor
04/21/18	Caldwell County Sportsman's Club, KY	Outdoor
04/22/18	Pioneer Gun Club, MO	Outdoor
04/22/18	Wabash Wildlife & Sportsman Assn, IN	Outdoor
04/24/18	Green Sea, SC	Outdoor
04/27/18	Open Grove Rimfire #1, CA	Outdoor
04/28/18	Owensboro Rifle & Pistol Club, KY	Outdoor
04/28/18	Escondido Fish & Game, CA	Outdoor
04/28/18	Blasdell Rod & Gun Club, NY	Outdppr
04/28/18	Chattanooga Rifle Club, TN (club tourn)	Outdoor
04/28/18	Open Grove Rimfire #1, CA	Outdoor
04/28/18	Open Grove Rimfire #1, CA	Outdoor
04/28/18	Wilderness Road, VA	Outdoor
04/28/18	North Texas Shooter's Association, TX	Outdoor
04/28/18	Lakeland Rifle & Pistol Club, FL	Outdoor
04/29/18	Open Grove Rimfire #1, CA	Outdoor