

16 March 2024 22 Benchrest Results:

Last Saturday we started our "11th" season of benchrest shooting at PHA. We had 16 shooters come out on a "near" perfect morning to shoot. Everyone came out early and all 14 benches were filled by 7:30. Because of the large number of shooters, we had to shoot 2 full relays. Even at that we were done shooting by 10:00am and having breakfast at Stamey's at 10:30.

Our largest class was our new Budget class with 10 shooters. With the shortage of ammunition and the price of ammunition, hopefully this will help of the cost of shooting. Mark Talbert, shooting a Tikka with CCI ammunition, won our first Budget class with a 250/5X's.

Dennis Bennett, Dale Hoover, Mark Talbert and Gary Talbert all doubled-up with wins or 2nd places in two different classes. Congratulations to all four with some very good shooting.

The next largest class, light sporter, saw 8 shooters come out, with only the "X" count separating the first 5 spots. Mark Talbert won the class with a 250/18X's with a Tikka.

The Harbor Freight award was won by Dale Hoover. Dale chose a precision screwdriver set for his award.

Our next match will be Thursday, March 21, April 20th & 25th. For more information on benchrest shooting, go to PHA websit.

MATCH RESULTS:

Factory-light: Dennis Bennett, CZ452, 245/8X's

Light-sporter: 1st - Mark Talbert, Tikka, 250/18X's, 2nd - Dennis Bennett, Sako, 250/15X's
3rd - Gary Talbert, Tikka, 250/14X's

Sporter: Dale Hoover, Remington 40X, 250/16X's

Open-sight: Gary Talbert, Kimber 82, 271/1 X

Budget Class: Mark Talbert, Tikka, 250/5X's, 2nd - Gary Madden, Remington 37, 249/14X's,
3rd - Dale Hoover, Remington 40X, 249/10X's.

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