

2026 Camps Info Sheet
Camp Perry, OH
Finals Camp

Location: Gary Anderson Competition Center, Port Clinton, OH 43452
Dates: July 06 - July 07
Start Time: Monday 8:00 EDT (NO lunch is provided on the first day)
Check-in: Check-in will be held at the range on the start date from 8:00am to 8:45am EDT
(This will typically take 5-10 mins)

Please note this is a new camp for us and the details are subject to change, thank you!

Range Facilities:

The range is located at the Gary Anderson CMP Competition Center in Port Clinton, OH, a state of the art, 80-point Megalink equipped range. The building also is home to a large classroom area, and an area for lunch.

Equipment Storage:

Rifle and equipment storage is the responsibility of the camp participants and are not allowed to be stored at any camp facility. This means camp participants will need to pack up equipment and take it with them each day.

Who may Attend:

The CMP Finals camp will be open to all juniors in the precision class grades 9 through 12 in the coming school year who have demonstrated the desire and ability to compete on the finals stage. While previous camp participation is not required and there is no minimum score or experience level, participants will be hand selected based on their application. This is necessary due to the narrow scope of the camp and the highly competitive nature of finals.

Adult Leaders:

An important feature of the CMP Junior Rifle Camps is the emphasis on athletes and adult leaders learning together. At least one adult leader (a coach, team or club leader, parent, etc...) must accompany each athlete or group of athletes who attend. Adults may not attend camps unless accompanying athletes. Adult leaders are encouraged, but not required, to attend instruction and coaching sessions with their athletes. Sessions that specifically cover coaching topics will be held for all interested adult leaders. **New in 2026 - There is no additional adult leader fee. Each individual registration and each team registration must still have a designated adult leader whose lunches will still be provided.**

What to Bring:

Campers are responsible for bringing their own equipment, including but not limited to rifles, appropriate clothing, shooting stands, and pellets (*CMP will provide ONE (1) tin of pellets for each camper; athletes will have to bring additional pellets*). ONLY compressed air will be provided at the range, though it is recommended that individuals bring their own fill adapters. If you are traveling via air travel, you may ship your air cylinder to CMP in advance due to TSA restrictions. PLEASE, LET US KNOW IF YOU SHIP ANYTHING TO CMP. Cylinders should be addressed to: Ryan Hinson, CMP Junior Rifle Camps (include Camp Number or date), 1000 N Lawrence Drive Bldg 3, Port Clinton, OH 43452. Make sure the athlete's name and team name are included with the package.

Camp Instructors:

Ryan Hinson will serve as the primary instructor for the camps, as well as the Camp Director. Hinson joined the program in 2018, and worked as a counselor with summer camps for three years while competing at Morehead State University. Upon graduating in 2021, he joined CMP full time, and began his role as Camp Director in 2022.

Also serving as a primary instructor will be Alana Kelly. Kelly has been with summer camp staff since 2017, and joined CMP full time after the summer of 2021 after graduating from the University of Mississippi in 2020.

The other lead instructors for the camps will be former counselors, collegiate coaches, and other athletes and coaches who have experience at the NCAA, National, and International stages.

Completing the staff will be a group of accomplished CMP staff members and collegiate athletes who will serve as assistant directors, gunsmiths, target technicians, and camp counselors. Finally, in addition to the traditional camp staff, additional guest instructors will be teaching topics vital to success in finals.

Training Groups:

Athletes will be divided into training groups, loosely based upon experience, and assigned a specific firing point throughout the camp. *NOTE: This means teams may not be squadded together.* Each training group will be under the instruction of a counselor or counselors, who are members of collegiate rifle teams, varsity or club. Each counselor will be responsible for roughly 4-6 camp athletes, and groups will work together for the entire camp.

Typical Training Day:

Instructional Topics:

The focus of this camp is to give athletes the necessary skills to prepare properly and perform effectively in the 24-Shot Standing Final. These topics include but are not limited to, effective qualifying strategies, finals preparation, time management in finals, stress management in finals, mixed team finals, and surprise sessions from guest instructors.

End-of-Camp Match, Award Ceremony and Graduation:

A formal competition (60 shot qualifying match with final) will be conducted on the last day of each full-length camp. Prizes will be awarded at the conclusion of the competition.

Each camp concludes with the competition awards ceremony following the finals. Participants will also be awarded a distinctive camp t-shirt and certificate for their attendance.

Code of Conduct:

Each participant, athlete and adult leader, must agree to abide by and sign a code of conduct at the beginning of the camp. Violations to the code may result in the removal of the offender from camp and a loss of fees paid. This includes, but is not limited to, behavior that is disruptive to the camp learning environment.

Food:

Lunch will be provided Monday - Tuesday, and snacks and water are provided each day at all camps.

Local Housing:

All camps are commuter only. Housing is the responsibility of each adult leader. There are many options for housing in the Port Clinton area. Here are helpful links to many of the local lodging sites:

[Places to Stay Along Lake Erie, Ohio](#)

[Area Lodging Info - Civilian Marksmanship Program](#)

Transportation:

CMP does not provide transportation to the camp location. Camp participants must arrange their own transportation to and from the site of the camp. Adult leaders are expected to provide local transportation for any athletes they bring.

Camp Schedule:

Monday	0800-0845	Check-in
	0900-1630	Camp Activities
Tuesday	0900-1500	Camp Activities
	1500 - 1700	Competition and Finals

A complete schedule will be provided at check-in.

Costs:

Camp: Athletes: \$125, Adults: Free with each individual or a single team registration

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE REGISTRATION PROCESS CAN BE FOUND ON THE CMP RIFLE CAMPS INFORMATION PAGE; A LINK TO THIS PAGE CAN BE FOUND ON THE CMP HOME PAGE: www.thecmp.org. If you have any questions after reviewing the camp registration process on the main camp info page, please contact Ryan Hinson (rhinson@thecmp.org; 256-689-1802) or Alana Kelly (akelly@thecmp.org; 419-635-2141 x 620)

Emergency Contacts:

Ryan Hinson (Camp Director) :

Alana Kelly (Camp Registration) : 419-635-2141 x 620