

World Class Steel Hosted at Old Bridge Rifle & Pistol Club, P.O. Box 586, Old Bridge, NJ 08857-0586
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THE STEEL MILL



April 2007

Dear Competitor:

Well, the 2007 shooting season has begun for World Class Steel at our home range, the Old Bridge Rifle and Pistol Club. The turnout has been surprisingly well, considering the weather and all, for both the knockdown steel match on every 1st Sunday and for the static steel match on every 2nd Saturday. A big “thank you” to those of you who have helped out with the matches so far; John P and I have had some time constraints lately and we both really appreciate you jumping in and helping Chris Buchholz and Danny Lisk in our absence.

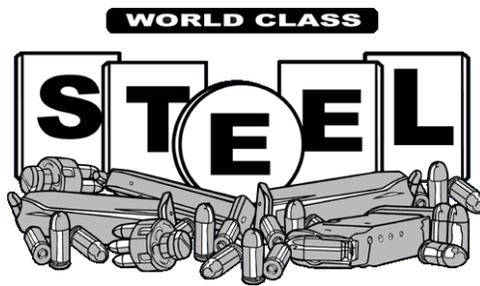
Here’s some important information for you concerning the ***SPEED on STEEL 2007*** match set for June 8th and 9th and **SIDE MATCH SUNDAY** on Sunday, June 10th.

The Stages to be used this year are basically the same as those used in 2006; four are the same, two have been modified only by the relocation of the Stop Plate and one has had two plates reduced in size. These stages are exactly as those shot at our monthly WCS Match on April 14th and will again be used at our monthly match on May 12th. Schematics of the stages are located in the “Stages” page of our website and are as follows:

- Speed Brake
- Blast’n & Wail’n
- I Don’t Know
- Frying M
- Fade In
- Jersey Smoke
- No Option

This year we will be using our newly developed World Class Steel Scorer[®] Scoring Program that will enable us to post the results sooner than last year, so scores will be posted at 12 noon on Sunday, June 10th and all results will be considered final one hour after posting.

The list of sponsors grows each day and up to now includes Beretta, STI International, Springfield Armory, Mike Gibson Manufacturing, DPMS, Bushmaster, Glock, Safariland, Dick’s Sporting Goods, CED, Leapers, Lee Precision, Harry’s, Montana Gold Bullets, Zero Bullets, Harris Bipods and Speedwell Targets. And you know that we get really great stuff from our sponsors, including guns. And you don’t have to be reminded that the WCS matches are famous as the ones that give away guns, lots and lots of guns, via our many raffles. So far our gun raffle has nine pistols including those from Beretta, STI, Springfield and Glock and three rifles, including a real beauty from DPMS. And we’re optimistic about getting a few more guns. So we’re going to have a whole lot of winners despite how well or badly they actually shoot. Unlike in 2006, this year the



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prizes will be announced and awarded during the lunch break on Friday for those winners registered to shoot that day and will be announced and awarded at lunch time Saturday for those winners registered to shoot on that day. (As an aside, I must remind you that if the winner of a gun requires a transfer in New Jersey, the winner is responsible for the payment of the transfer fee, NICS and sales tax). Just about every day when we check our mail and the UPS and FedEx deliveries we see more evidence from those fine manufacturers and organizations that continue to provide our match with sponsorship support. In this regard, I cannot say it enough - if you are out surfing the net and you come across their website or you are at a match where you see these sponsors' representatives, please take a moment to tell them how much you appreciate their support. Hopefully, in the future we will be able to host them at our match so that their products can be showcased for all the competitors and spectators to see.

Also, this year we are planning to give you an opportunity to buy shirts at the match, so for our ordering purpose we would like your feedback as to whether we should offer you a long-sleeved shirt or one with short sleeves. Let John P or myself know of your preference by email at the email address listed below. Thanks in advance for your help and cooperation in this regard.

By now you know that we put on a fun and rewarding match, but that's the result of work done by more than our match committee. Specifically, we count on volunteers to act as RO's during our match sessions so we're looking for people to help in that role again this June. For those of you, who've helped at any of our matches in the past, please sign to do so again. Haven't RO'd any of our steel matches? No problem- we will be conducting an RO class specific to *Speed on Steel* before the actual match in June. At least one of the advantages of volunteering to RO is that you will get shooting time preference and those of you who have helped in the past know that there are other advantages, too. So if you are serious about helping, contact either John P or myself via email at JohnP@WorldClassSteel.com or Match_Director@WorldClassSteel.com.

And since you're reading this on our website, look at the rest of this site for lots more useful information, including the stage schematics of the stages we will be using in June, rules for our WCS matches, updates and other good stuff that's packaged and put up there and administered by Matt DeVries, the other member of the World Class Steel Match Committee and whose expertise we count on to keep this site going.

When visiting this site, look for the latest issue of this *STEEL MILL* that will be published here monthly. And don't hesitate to give us recommendations and suggestions for making our monthly and main matches even better. Your input into your match is very important and is what has helped propel the *SPEED on STEEL* match to the forefront and has made it the premier static steel match on the East Coast, if not in the entire United States.

In the meantime, shoot safely and have fun.

Sincerely,

John Soltesz

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WCS Match Director