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From: Commander

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Subj: ANNUAL MCB, QUANTICO INTRAMURAL RIFLE AND PISTOL MATCH

Ref: (a) MCO 3574.2J
(b) MCO 3591.2J

Encl: (1) Match Schedule
(2) Minimum Unit Quotas for Eastern Division Matches 2004
(3) Example Team Roster

1. Purpose. To announce instructions for the conduct of the Annual Intramural Rifle and Pistol Matches to be conducted at Weapons Training Battalion (WTBN) between 20 October and 7 November 2003.

2. General

a. The FY 04 Intramural Rifle and Pistol Matches will include rifle and pistol qualification firing. The matches will also allow competitors to receive the 8530 MOS.

b. Since officers cannot be assigned the 8530 MOS, they are encouraged, but not required, to attend the entire 3 weeks of training. Likewise, SNCOs will not be required to attend the entire 3-week package; however, the 8530 MOS is a prerequisite for continuing on to receive MOS 8531 or 8532. Officer or SNCO competitors who opt not to attend all training, but intend to shoot the rifle and pistol qualification courses for score, must complete all Phase I training per reference (a) prior to 27 October 2003. The use of match specific equipment will be allowed only during the competition phase following Sustainment Level Rifle (SLR) Training.

c. Reference (b) provides guidance for the Local Match Competition and Competition-In-Arms Programs (CIAP) within the Marine Corps. The references emphasize the importance of a competitive marksmanship program and the need for local commanders to promote the establishment of marksmanship teams. CIAP has traditionally provided the Marine Corps with the skilled and experienced marksmen and instructors necessary to support a

productive marksmanship program. Whether involved in requalification, match competition, or actual combat, the application of the fundamentals of marksmanship to each round fired is a requirement for success. The primary objective of the subject program is to enhance the combat marksmanship proficiency of the Marine Corps.

d. This Annual Intramural Rifle and Pistol Match serves as a basis for selecting the rifle and pistol teams that will represent the organizations aboard MCCDC at the division matches.

3. Information

a. The CO WTBN will host the intramural rifle and pistol matches aboard the Calvin A. Lloyd Ranges. The OIC, Range Unit is the Match Executive Officer, and can be reached at 703-784-5527.

b. All officers and enlisted Marines and Sailors of MCCDC are eligible to compete at the Intramurals, provided the following requirements are met:

(1) No minimum qualification score is required for competitors; however, Marines should be thoroughly screened to ensure the best qualified are selected for participation and that they have sufficient time remaining on-station and in service to allow them to complete the competitive cycle should they be selected to move to the next level of competition.

(2) No conviction by court-martial within the past 6 months.

4. Weapons

a. Rifle. Standard service rifle, M16A2. Organizational weapons will be utilized during the intramural matches.

b. Pistol. Standard service pistol, M9. Organizational weapons will be utilized during the intramural matches.

c. Weapon limited technical inspections are a unit responsibility.

5. Eligibility of Teams for Rifle/Pistol Team Matches

a. Team members must be bona-fide members of the unit represented. Final firing team selections are not required until match day. Units entering more than one team may not alternate competitors between teams once the match has commenced.

b. Each firing team will consist of four firing members, a team captain and a team coach. The team captain and coach may be the same individual, and may be a firing member(s) of the team. Each team must have one firing SNCO or officer and one sergeant or below.

c. Additional team members and/or alternates are encouraged. Marines who are not selected as members of a competing team are encouraged to compete in the individual matches and are eligible for individual awards.

d. Teams must provide their own butt pullers for rifle team matches.

6. Individual Eligibility for Rifle/Pistol Awards. Marines who have earned a Marine Corps Rifle and/or Pistol Competition Badge (Leg Medal) are ineligible to compete for intramural awards, but are welcomed as coaches and will complete requalification firing. All other Marines/Sailors are eligible.

7. Administration

a. Matches will be conducted per the rules contained in enclosure (7) of reference (b), except as modified herein.

(1) Pistol boxes will not move forward of the ready line during pistol competition.

(2) No shooting jackets will be authorized for rifle requalification firing.

(3) Only ammunition issued to competitors on the firing line will be used.

(4) Uniform for the matches is utilities.

b. Match awards will be presented by the Commander or his designated representative. The awards presentation will take place at WTBN upon completion of the competition firing on Friday, 7 November 2003. The presentation will include:

(1) A perpetual Rifle Team Trophy to the winning team.

(2) A perpetual Pistol Team Trophy to the winning team.

(3) Trophies to each member of the first and second place rifle teams.

(4) Trophies to each member of the first and second place pistol teams.

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(5) Individual trophies to the first, second and third place winners in the rifle individual matches.

(6) Individual trophies to the first, second and third place winners in the pistol individual matches.

NOTE: The winning unit will retain perpetual trophies until next year's competition.

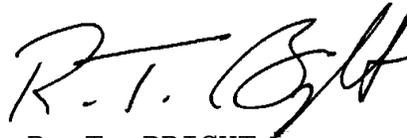
8. Action

a. COs of Resident Commands (Battalion/Squadron Level). Enter a minimum of one team, as defined in paragraph 5b of this Bulletin, for the intramural competition.

b. Director, Marine Corps Community Services. Procure the trophies for the individual and team competitions as shown in paragraph 7b.

c. Units must submit rosters of all participating team members to the Operations Officer, WTBN not later than 14 October 2003, using the format contained in enclosure (3).

9. Applicability. This Bulletin is applicable to all commands and organizations aboard MCB.



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Chief of Staff

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MATCH SCHEDULE

1. 20 - 24 October 2003

20 Oct, Mon	0630	Check-In/Sustainment Level Rifle (SLR) Prep Training
21 Oct, Tues	0700	SLR Prep Training
22 Oct, Wed	0700	SLR Prep Training
23 Oct, Thurs	0700	Pistol Prep Training
24 Oct, Fri	0700	Pistol Prep Training

2. 27 - 31 October 2003

27 Oct, Mon	0630	Rifle Block 1 Pistol Block 1, Division Match Course (DMC) Practice
28 Oct, Tues	0630	Rifle Block 2 Pistol Block 2, DMC Practice
29 Oct, Wed	0630	Rifle Block 3 Pistol Block 3, DMC Practice
30 Oct, Thurs	0630	Rifle Block 4 (qualification), Match Day 1 (Individual) Pistol Block 4, Match Day 1 (Individual), DMC Practice
31 Oct, Fri	0630	Rifle Match, Day 2 (Individual) Pistol Block 5 (qualification), Match Day 2 (Individual), DMC Practice

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3. 3 - 7 November 2003

3 Nov, Mon	0630	Rifle Team Match Pistol Team Match (DMC)
4 Nov, Tues	0630	Rifle Infantry Trophy Team Match
5 Nov, Wed	0630	Rifle Field Firing Pistol Field Firing
6 Nov, Thurs	0630	Rifle Field/Night Firing Pistol Field/Night Firing
7 Nov, Fri	1000	Awards

4. Sequence of Fire. Sequence of fire for SLR will be per MCO 3574.2. Match Course for rifle and pistol is outlined below.

a. SLR Course, Rifle

<u>Stage</u>	<u>Range/Type</u>	<u>Time Limit</u>	<u>Rounds</u>	<u>Target</u>	<u>Position</u>
1st	200yd/Slow	20 minutes	15	"D" mod	Sitting Kneeling Standing
2nd	200yd/Rapid	70 seconds	10	"D" mod	Kneeling from Standing
3rd	300yd/Rapid	70 seconds	10	"D" mod	Prone from Standing
4th	500yd/Slow	10 minutes	10	"B" mod	Prone

b. DMC, Pistol, (Team Matches)

<u>Stage</u>	<u>Range/Type</u>	<u>Time Limit</u>	<u>Rounds</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Magazines</u>
1st	25/Slow	10 minute	10	one-hand	1
2nd	25/Timed	20 sec/mag	5/mag	one-hand	2
3rd	25/Rapid	10 sec/mag	5/mag	one-hand	2

ENCLOSURE (1)

MINIMUM UNIT QUOTAS FOR EASTERN DIVISION MATCHES 2004

1. Per enclosure (2) of MCO 3591.2, the following quotas are identified.

<u>Actual Strength (Joined, Chargeable)</u>	<u>Command Quotas</u>
76-300	One rifle competitor or one pistol competitor or both. Organizations are encouraged to enter a team of one officer and three enlisted Marines in appropriate team trophy matches.
301-600	One rifle competitor for every 300 Marines and one competitor for the remaining fraction thereof. One pistol competitor for every 450 Marines and one competitor for the remaining fraction thereof. Organizations are encouraged to enter a team consisting of one officer and three enlisted Marines in appropriate team trophy matches.
601 or more	Rifle and pistol competitors per quotas established for organizations of 301-600. Organizations will enter at least one team in appropriate rifle and pistol team trophy matches.

2. An individual may fill both one rifle and one pistol quota for the organization.

3. These Quotas are a Minimum. Requests for reduction, with justification, will be submitted to the CG MCCDC (C 476-T).

ENCLOSURE (2)

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EXAMPLE TEAM ROSTER

COMMAND LETTERHEAD

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From: Commanding Officer, Unit Name
To: Operations Officer, Weapons Training Battalion
Subj: TEAM ROSTER FOR FY 04 MCCDC INTRAMURAL RIFLE AND PISTOL
COMPETITION
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1. Per the reference, the following individuals will be representing this Command.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SSN</u>	<u>EAS</u>	<u>LAST RIFLE SCORE</u>
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2. Point of contact is Name at Telephone Number.

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ENCLOSURE (3)