

**SLSC High Power Sporting Rifle Match  
23 September 2017  
Match Report**

It was a beautiful day to shoot, but it must have been a beautiful day to do other things too judging from the sparse attendance. None the less, the usual suspects showed up and had a fine old time.

The Swierczeks ruled the roost today with Jake shooting a Master class 300-6x score with his scoped AR-15 for Match Winner honors and Mark shooting his iron sighted AR-15 to a 299-3x, just one point below Master to win the Metallic Sights category. Jake re-entered and shot an unusual AR-15, one of the first batch Colt produced before the Army selected the AR-15 as the official service rifle, nudging the M14 aside. Robert Bond gave a good account of himself with a personal high which also was a Sharpshooter class score.

Our next high power rifle match will be the always challenging 50 shot National Match Course which will be held on October 28<sup>th</sup>. Get those newly allowed scopes mounted and zeroed in and join the fun. The 5 shots we allow for sighters is usually not enough, but was meant to be just a final check anyways. More details on that match will come out as the date nears.

The usual thanks to the competitors for their help in setting up and breaking down the range, and to Mark for running a second relay enabling me to shoot. Unfortunately my rifle was not co-operating and I had to withdraw from the competition. And "I could have been a contender" as Marlon Brando said in "On the Waterfront".

Dick Chadwick, Match Director

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***Optical Sights***

<b>Name</b>	<b>Rifle</b>	<b>Prone Slow</b>	<b>Standing</b>	<b>Sit/Kneel Rapid</b>	<b>Prone Rapid</b>	<b>Aggregate</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>NRA Class/Cat</b>
Swierczek, J.	AR-15, .223	80-4x	69-1x	72-0x	79-1x	300-6x	Match Winner	EX
Bond, R.	Rem 700, .243	78-2x	63-0x	70-1x	69-0x	280-3x		MK
Stephens, P.	Browning .30-06	74-2x	67-0x	60 -0x	72-0x	273-2x		MA

***Metallic Sights***

Swierczek, M.	AR-15, .223	80-2x	71-0x	74-1x	74-0x	299-3x	1st Metallic Sights	EX
Swierczek, J	AR-15, .223	75 -0x	64-1x	76-2x	76-1x	291-4x		EX

80 points possible each stage, 320 points possible aggregate.

MA: Master, EX: Expert, SS: Sharpshooter, MK: Marksman, Temp.: Temporary Classification