

SMOOTH BORE LONGARMS

In addition to rules specific to smooth bore long arm events, the standard range and competition rules also apply.

1: MUSKETS

1.1 FIRELOCK MUSKET SPECIFICATIONS

1. All firearms used in this category must be original or reproduction smooth bore long arms, unaltered from their historical appearance, except as required by these rules.
2. Lock types permitted in this category include, match locks, wheel locks and flintlocks.
3. Bore size permitted is 0.5 inch (12.5 mm) to 0.751 inch (19 mm).
4. Rear sights are not permitted.

1.2. CAPLOCK MUSKET SPECIFICATIONS

1. All firearms used in this category must be original or reproduction smooth bore long arms, unaltered from their historical appearance.
2. Caplocks only permitted in this category.
3. Bore size permitted is 0.5 inch (12.5 mm) to 0.751 inch (19 mm).
Rear sights are not permitted.

1.3. OPEN MUSKET SPECIFICATIONS

1. Firearms used in this event include all muzzle loading smooth bore long arms that do not meet the specific criteria for firelock or caplock musket events.

N.B: Firelock and caplock muskets may be used in an Open Musket event.

2: STANDARD MUSKET MATCH SPECIFICATIONS

Range	- 50 yards. (or metres)
Number of shots	- 13 shots, best 10 to count.
Time limit	- 45 minutes
Target	- Standard 50 metre pistol target.
Shooting position	- Off hand, (see Definition Section)
Loading method	- Field loading only. (See Definition Section)
Type of projectile	- Round ball only.