

LONG GONG 2025

This is a fun 300yd shooting challenge using rifles chambered in 22lr only. The object is to have fun, shooting the highest score possible.

The targets are rimfire (8", 6", and 4") gongs. Each gong has a value. 1 point for the 8", 2 points for the 6", and 3 points for the 4" gong. From a bench rest (limited to bipod and bags, no sleds) each shooter, with 10 rounds of ammunition begins shooting the 8" gong. The shooter has a 3-minute time limit to complete their round, the clock starts when the scorekeeper says "BEGIN". A complete game has each shooter firing 5 complete sets for a total of 50 rounds of ammunition (1 full box).

If the shooter hits the 8" gong, they score 1 point and can choose to advance to the 6" gong or continue shooting the 8" gong. If the shooter advances to the 6" gong and hit it, that hit is worth 2 points and they may choose to continue shooting at the 6" gong or advance to the 4" gong. If they miss, they move back one gong

Hitting gongs at 300yd with a 22lr is challenging. Hitting them repeatedly under changing conditions requires all the fundamentals used by long-distance shooters in the world. Do you think you have what it takes?

Join us on the third Sunday afternoon of each month, May through Oct, at 12:00, on the 300yd rifle range. The match starts promptly at 1:00pm. There will be a \$10 charge (half to the club/half to competitors).

This year we are going to set a Short Gong, at 200yd, for beginning novice shooters.

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They will be some impromptu practice shoots in the evening, if you would like to attend them, send me your email/phone #.