

NRA/BSA 2007 INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION COURSE

The North Florida Council will host NRA's shooting instruction training for Modern Rifle and shotgun and Black Powder Rifle and Shotgun. This course is conducted on two weekends, October 19, 20 and 21, and November 2, 3 and 4. The classes begin at 7:00 P.M. on Friday. Class is dismissed for the weekend at approximately 3:00 P.M. on Sunday.

NRA's program is for the serious shooter who wishes to become an NRA Certified Instructor. Successful completion of pre-course assessment that are equivalent to the NRA Basic shooting Courses are expected for all participants. You do not have to be a marksman but are expected to know how to be around and handle firearms safely, however we do acknowledge that a lot of scout leaders are inexperienced but are still welcome.

ATTENDANCE AT BOTH WEEKENDS IS REQUIRED FOR COURSE COMPLETION AND CERTIFICATION TO USE NORTH FLORIDA COUNCIL BSA RANGES, There are no refunds as all course materials and food are arranged for before the first day of school.

Location: Camp Shands on Baden Powell Scout Reservation- approximately three miles South and East of Melrose, Florida. (see attached map)

Dates: October 19, 20 and 21 and Nov 2, 3, and 4, 2007

Lodging: Limited bunk house indoor space is available on reservation basis; this is primarily reserved for the handicapped. Other adults are lodged in the tree houses, preferably. We do not provide linen service or personal care items. Space is available for personal tents and trailers. Campers and motor homes may be used: \$20.00 fee, 15 amp service, at barn.

Firearms and equipment: See equipment list

Food: All meals and cracker barrels included in pricing.

Cost: Cost for program is \$285.00. A non-refundable reservation fee of \$75.00 is due with application for attendance. There is a \$25.00 discount for active Scouters. Balance is due October 9. A discount of \$30.00 applies, if paid in full before September 15.

Membership in the NRA is \$35.00 per year. Membership is optional. A one-time NRA certification fee of \$10.00 is required for the first instructor certification for NRA members; non-members fee is \$25.00. NRA fees will be paid after successful completion of the course. These fees are set by the NRA and are subject to change.

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Make checks payable to North Florida Council, BSA, 521 S. Edgewood Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32205

Enclosed: { } \$75.00 Balance if paid by Sept 15 [] \$ _____
Balance if paid by Oct 9 [] \$ _____

NAME: _____ PHONE: () _____ - _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL (necessity): _____

SEX: M _____ F _____

I request the following accommodations { } indoor, or tree houses
{ } I will bring my own tent/camper

CAMPER HOOK-UP FEE DUE WITH APPLICATION. THERE ARE ONLY A LIMITED NUMER OF SPACES.

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FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION:

- A. We will use Camp Shands firearms for all modern shooting. You may bring your own shotgun for your own use; however, you will learn to teach on a Camp Shands Remington 1100.
- B. We will use Camp Shands Black powder equipment; however, you are encouraged to bring your favorite black powder rifle or shotgun.
- C. Standard velocity .22 ammunition will be available for purchase (approximately 100 rounds required), **ONLY STANDARD VELOCITY – 40 grain WILL BE USED IN THIS COURSE.**
- D. 2 ¾ inch, 2 ¾ dram, 1 oz. No.8 shot 12 Gauge will be used; it will be available for purchase. Approximately 100 rounds are necessary.

NOTE ALL ARMS AND AMMUNITION WILL BE STORED IN THE CAMP'S ARMS ROOM UNDER LOCK AND KEY WHEN NOT AT THE RANGE.

OTHER EQUIPMENT:

- A. Shooting or safety glasses.
- B. Ear protection, muff or foam
- C. Equipment to clean your personal firearms.
- D. Pencils, paper, pens.

PERSONAL ITEMS:

Please remember it is entirely probable that it will be cold. Coffee will be served at all times, so unless you like drinking out of Styrofoam, bring a cup. Camp Shands is dark; bring a flashlight. Classes usually end around 9:30 P.M.

Please consider arriving before 6:15 P.M. so that you may get settled into your campsite, or bunkhouse before class.

If you have any questions, contact Dick Gentry 386 684 3433, Gentryre@windstream.net.

I must have your Email address, as this course is during hurricane season, and I may have to make arrangements to avoid camping in a storm. I will contact by email.