



## Northeast Ohio Airgunners (N.O.A.) July 14, 2024 Match Report

(Match Report by Jeff P.)

With higher temperatures forecasted for the day of our July match, we decided to set up our woods course. Twenty-seven participants joined us for the match. Even early in the morning it was evident that it was going to be a warm day. Temperatures were in the mid-eighties with sunny skies. It helped being shielded from the sun under the tree canopy in the woods. The winds were rather calm early on but later in the day we did have some noticeable wind which made people pay attention to some of the longer shots.

### N.O.A. July 14, 2024 Match Results

Place	Name	Class	Rifle	Scope	Pellet	Score/60
1	Dale Prulhiere	Hunter PCP	Daystate Wolverine	Athlon Heras	AA 10.3	52
2	Doug Cunningham	Hunter PCP	Thomas	Sightron SIII FT 10-50x60	JSB 13.43	50
3	Eric Jones	Hunter PCP	Crosman Challenger	Hawke Sidewinder	AA 10.3	49
4	Jeff Swartz	Hunter PCP	USFT	Sightron SIII	JSB 13.4	48
5	Lou Jimenez	Hunter PCP	Daystate Redwolf	Athlon	FX 13.4	46
6	Steve Hockenberry	Hunter PCP	Thomas Carbine	Sightron SIII	JSB 8.4	46
7	Craig Clark	Hunter PCP	FX M3	Element Helix	FX 13.4	45
8	Paul Nickerson	Hunter PCP	Daystate Wolverine	Sightron Siii 10-50	JSB 13.4	44
9	Jamie Marusiak	Hunter PCP	Air Arms s500	Hawke Airmax 4-16x50	AA 10.3	40
10	Dan Clark	Hunter PCP	RAW Micro Hunter	Nightforce NX8 2.5-20	JSB 13.4	31
11	Rick Mueller	Hunter PCP	Air Venturi Avenge-X	Vortex Strike Eagle 6-24	FX 13.4	12
1	Larry Gromacki	Open PCP	Thomas	March HighMaster 10-60	JSB 13.4	50
2	Roger Barker	Open PCP	Air Arms ProTarget	Sightron III 10-50X60	AA 10.34	47
3	Larry Justinus	Open PCP	Raw	Nightforce	JSB 10.34	26
1	Bill Rabbitt	WFTF PCP	Thomas Carbine	March HM 10-60	JSB 8.4	55
2	Lucas Marusiak	WFTF PCP	Thomas	Sightron SIII 10-50x60	JSB 8.4	54
3	Keith Walters	WFTF PCP	Raw	March HighMaster 10-60	JSB 8.4	53
4	Jeff Paddock	WFTF PCP	EV2	Vortex	JSB 8.4	48
5	Dan Putz	WFTF PCP	Thomas	March 10-60	JSB 10.34	46
6	Ted Andro	WFTF PCP	Thomas	Sightron SIII	AA 8.4	45
1	Matt Uhler	WFTF Piston	TX200	Hawke Sidewinder 8-32	AA 8.4	52
2	John Cerne	WFTF Piston	Air Arms TX 200	Sightron S3 10-50x60 FT	AA 8.4	36
1	Tim Baylor	Unlimited	Thomas	Nightforce	JSB 13.43	56
2	Alan Barker	Unlimited	Brocock Bantom Sniper	Athlon Argos BTR 6-24 (gen 2)	JSB 18.13	52*
3	David Hitchcock	Unlimited	Thomas	Nightforce	JSB 10.34	52
4	Rick Smelko	Unlimited	Brocock Sniper Sahara	Athlon Argos BTR 6-24	Benjamin 10.5	52
5	Dave Kovach	Unlimited	Daystate Wolverine	Riton 5-25	JSB 10.34	DNF
27 total						

\* Tie decided by forced positions

R.M. = redesigned Monster

The Troyer for the course was 32.7, with 16 targets (53%) over 40 yards and an average target distance of 37.9 yards.

With Bill Rabbitt switching his Thomas over to a 12 ft-lb WFTF rig, it was going to be interesting to see who was going to claim the top spot in Hunter PCP. At the end of the day, it was Dale Prulhiere taking first place with a score of 52. Doug Cunningham was second with a 50 and one point behind was Eric Jones in third with a 49.

Larry Gromacki took first place in Open PCP with a score of 50 and with a score of 47 Roger Barker ended up in second place.

Even though he had just recently converted his Thomas to 12 ft-lb's, Bill Rabbit did very well in his first match with this rifle scoring a 55 and taking top spot in WFTF PCP. Lucas Marusiak finished only one point behind Bill in second with a 54 and Keith Walters placed third with a 53.

Matt Uhler did an amazing job with his TX200 in WFTF Piston scoring a 52 and placing first.

In Unlimited, there was a three-way tie for second place with scores of 52 so whoever did best on their positional lanes was given the award and that turned out to be Alan Barker. Tim Baylor shot well and took the top spot with a score of 56.

After the match everyone was treated to pizza at the club house. Several volunteers stayed to help clean up and tear down the course, which was greatly appreciated.

The next local match will be at Sherwood on the 21<sup>st</sup> of July.

N.O.A. will be bringing back our grand prix match, the Burning River 120, on August 23-25. Take note that it is scheduled a month earlier this year. If anyone is interested in attending this match, head over to our website at [ohioairgunners.com](http://ohioairgunners.com) and complete the registration. We once again hope to offer a top-notch field target grand prix match.

Until next month at the BR120 in August, stay safe and shoot well.