



BSA Great Smoky Mountain Council

Calling all Scoutmasters/Qualified Youth- for BSA/NRA Rifle and Shotgun

Certified Instructor training April 6th-8th, 2018

Camp Buck Toms/Rockwood Tennessee

Who can attend: Any 21-year old or older that would like to become an NRA Certified Rifle/Shotgun Instructor & teach scouts the FirstStep/Merit Badges classes.

Any youth staff member at summer camp age 15 to 17 can become an NRA apprentice instructor or an 18-year-old to 20-year-old that wants to become an NRA assistant instructor.

Cost for completing the course: \$195.00 includes all teaching materials, NRA membership & certifications for 2years. (*You must pass a written open book test*).

NON NRA member both courses: \$125 + \$70 for registration & certifications
NON NRA member one course: \$125 + \$60 for registration & certification
Registered NRA certified member: \$125 + \$50 for 2-course certifications
Registered NRA certified member: \$125 + \$40 for 1-course certification

Additional requirement upon certification: Volunteer assisting with the Great Smoky Mountain Council for shooting sports activities when available.

Registration: February 1st to March 16th, 2018. Please sign up as soon as possible for us to order the appropriate materials for these courses.

Schedule: Friday-Check in 6:00-7:00pm Sharp.

7:00pm NRA Basic Instructor Training (BIT).

Saturday-NRA Rifle Instructor Training 12hrs (includes pre-qualifications).

Sunday-NRA Shotgun Instructor Training 8hrs (includes pre-qualifications).

Food and Lodging: Lodging will be at Camp Buck Toms, Campsite #3 bring your outdoor camping necessities for the weather conditions. This will be a two-night campout. Plus, due to dietary restrictions you are required to bring your own food, etc. for the weekend (1-meal Friday evening; (3 meals) Saturday and (2) meals Sunday. Cracker-barrel will be furnished.

The course goal of this training is to develop NRA Certified Rifle and Shotgun Instructors who possess the *knowledge, skills and attitude* essential to organizing, conducting and instructing safe shooting activities. This is a BSA National requirement for all BSA Shooting Sports. *You must be 21 years of age to take this course, or a youth summer camp staff 15-17yr old (Apprentice Instructor), and an 18-20yr old for (Assistant Instructor).*

BSA/NRA Rifle/Shotgun Course Application

Course Date: April 6th-8th, 2018 (Must be registered by March 16, 2018)

Course Location: GSMC Camp Buck Toms
373 Camp Buck Toms Road
Rockwood, TN 37854

Registration: Name: _____

Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Phone number: _____ e-mail: _____

NRA Membership number: _____

(Not required to attend)

If you have any questions, please contact: Nick Myers/NRA Chief RSO/Rifle/Shotgun/Pistol Instructor

Cell: 865-824-8602

e-mail: nmyers@utk.edu

What to bring items: **No firearms or ammunition.** Bring your personal food, camping gear and proper comfortable attire, depending on the weather. Parts of this course will be in an outdoor environment. Pen/Pencil, notebook and a happy learning attitude. Also you may bring your own personal eye and hearing protection.

Please send Application and fees to: BSA/NRA Rifle/Shotgun Instructor course

Great Smoky Mountain Council

P.O. Box 51885

Knoxville, TN 37950-1885

ATT: Ms. Jennifer Williams

All registrations and fees must be submitted before: March 16, 2018

(in order to acquire the necessary course materials).

