

“Ground Hog Mod. 2” Challenge

Objective:

This is not a timed event. The goal of this challenge is to be accurate with an elevated heart rate while using unconventional shooting techniques and performing combat reloads. Starting at the 50-yard line (PCC loaded and at the low ready position) the competitor will run to the 15-yard line, turn around and run to the 30-yard line. The competitor will run back and forth from the 30-yard line to the 15-yard line 5 times (complete rotation). Once the competitor reaches the 30-yard line for the last time, they will turn and run to the 20-yard line and do 10 jumping jacks (maintaining muzzle control and direction). Once the competitor has finished their 10 jumping jacks, they will go to the ground, lay on their support side, and engage the 8” steel target (blue) and the 8” steel target (orange) with 1 round each. Following the second shot the bolt should lock to the rear at which point the competitor will perform a combat reload. Following the reload and keeping the PCC pointed in a safe direction (down range) the competitor will roll onto their back (supine) and engage the 10” steel target (purple) and the 10” steel target (green) with 1 round each. Again, following the second shot the bolt should lock to the rear at which point the competitor will perform a combat reload. Following the reload and keeping the PCC pointed in a safe direction (down range), the competitor will roll onto their strong side and engage the silhouette steel target (pink) with 2 rounds. To successfully pass this challenge, the competitor and the challenger(s) must complete the exercises and tasks.

IMPORTANT: *Once the shooter goes to the ground their feet should be facing downrange (towards the targets). Since everyone’s body type is different and this challenge utilizes unconventional shooting techniques, body position and movement while on the ground is dependent on the shooter.*

Tasks:

Moving, unconventional shooting techniques from the ground, reloading, and hit (ding) on each target

Distance:

Moving, running from the 50-yard line to the 15-yard line (1x), running from the 15-yard line to the 30-yard line (5x) and running from the 30-yard line to the 20-yard line (shooting position)

Loadout:

6 rounds total: 3 magazines with 2 live rounds in each magazine

Time:

N/A

Targets:

- 1: 8” steel plate (blue)
- 2: 8” steel plate (orange)
- 3: 10” steel plate (purple)
- 4: 10” steel plate (green)
- 5: Silhouette steel plate (pink)

Skills Strengthened:

Stress induced shooting (simulated with the use of cardio), unconventional shooting techniques, and combat reloads