



MTOA 2023 COMPETITION

OCTOBER 25, 2023

Events

**In honor of the 30th anniversary of
Battle of Mogadishu aka “Black Hawk Down”**

October 3-4, 1993

1. We Gotta Get to the Crash Site – “Devastator” -

Competitors will work in pairs of two, each pair will start at a shooting position next to each other, one competitor will be the shooter and one competitor will be the spotter, on go competitors will begin, after all targets have been engaged the pair will leap frog the other pair to the next available shooting position, the shooter and spotter will swap positions (the previous spotter will become the shooter and the previous shooter will become the shooter), this sequence will continue until all targets in the final shooting position have been engaged, once the final target has been engaged time will stop

pairs can only engage from one position at a time
pairs must alternate shooting positions
ROs will point out position that the pair will have
multiple engagements

2. 2a. **Single Shot Through the Engine Block** – “180 fan” -
Competitors will be at a start location, on go competitors
will begin, one shooter will move to a seated position and
will have one shot at a target, if the competitor hits they
are out, if the competitor misses they go to the back of
the line, this sequence will continue until all shooters get
a first round hit, once all shooters have achieved a first
round hit time will stop
A shooter that misses their one shot must always go back
to the start location before returning to attempt again
- 2b. **Helio Shot** – “Spring chairs” - Two competitors will be
begin seated in the spring chairs, competitor will have
their feet on the tire not the ground, each competitor will
engage their targets until all targets are down, once the
last target is down time will stop, targets will be reset,
the other two competitors will take a seat in the spring
chairs, the entire sequence will run again, the time from
each sequence will be combined for the team’s total time

3. **Now They're Shooting at Us** – “Rifle façade” -

Competitors will work in pairs of two, each pair will start at a shooting position next to each other, one competitor will be the shooter and one competitor will be the spotter, on go competitors will begin, after all targets have been engaged the pair will leap frog the other pair to the next available shooting position, the shooter and spotter will swap positions (the previous spotter will become the shooter and the previous shooter will become the spotter), this sequence will continue until all targets in the final shooting position have been engaged, once the final target has been engaged time will stop

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4. **Super 64** – “Crazy Indian” - Competitors will be at a start location, one competitor will carry two ammo cans to a shooting position, that shooter will engage two racks of rifle targets, once completed he will return the ammo cans to the start location, the next shooter will carry the two ammo cans to a shooting position, that shooter will engage two racks of rifle targets, once completed he will return the ammo cans to the start location, the next shooter will carry the two ammo cans to a shooting

position, that shooter will engage all pistol targets, once completed he will return the ammo cans to the start location, the next shooter will carry the two ammo can to a shooting position, that shooter will engage two steel targets from a seated position, once completed he will return the ammo cans to the start location, once the final shooter returns to the start location with the ammo cans time will stop

5. **Dope and Beer** – “Pull handles” - Competitors will be at a start location, the first competitor will engage one racks of pistol targets, once completed they will run to the end of the bay and look at items on the ground, they can memorize three items, they will run back and engage another rack of pistol targets, once back at the start location they will write down the three items they memorized, the next shooter will go, this sequence will continue until all 12 items have been written on the board, once all 12 items have been listed on the board time will stop

6. **Last Mag** – “Pepper poppers” - Competitors will be at a start location, the first competitor will run to a shooting position and shoot an array of pistol targets, once completed they will run back, the next shooter will move to another array of pistol targets, that competitor will shoot that array of pistol targets, this sequence will

continue until all eight arrays have been shoot, once the last shooter returns time will stop

7. **He Missed the Rope** – “New side long range” -

Competitors will be at a start location, a shooter will engage three targets at long range distances, once the three targets have been engaged the competitors will load a rescue dummy onto a litter, the litter will be carried by two competitors, another competitor will carry two ammo cans, the shooter must be in front of the aid and litter team at all times, once the end location is reached the shooter will engage another target, once that target has been engaged all competitors will return to the start location, the shooter must be in front of the aid and litter team at all times

F. **Mogadishu Mile** – one-mile group run not for score but in honor of the service members of the Battle of Mogadishu