

Agenda for the 2010 WR Meeting
January 17th, 2010

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Roll Call – Confirm unit representatives

Reading of the last meeting's Minutes
-Correction or additions

Reports

- Commanders - Opening Statements
- Paymaster – Report
- IG Report – Safety
- Adjutant – Rosters
 - o Statistical results
- Recruiting officer
 - o Proposed events
- Web Page officer
 - o Discuss the posting of Skirmish dates
- National meeting report

Break to Eat.

Old Business

- Shooting Schedule
 - o Hour of instruction at skirmishes – Discuss worth it or not.

New Business

- National Board Meeting Package
 - o Rule changes as proposed by Tom Shedd. (see attached)
- Western Rule addition – Revolver tables required if revolver is offered either team or individual.

Round Robin to Unit Representatives

Each unit representative will be given a chance to bring up questions, or concerns.

Open Floor

Individual members will be given the chance to ask questions or state concerns

From Tom Shedd*

What I am asking the Board to do here is give us the flexibility, in these affected regions, the ability to compete on an even plane with this other organization. I am not asking other regions to change the way they conduct their skirmishes, but they would also have the same flexibility to make smaller teams, meaning more "B" and "C" teams for the larger teams at a regional skirmish. This rule change would only apply at Regional Skirmishes and not at the National level.

5.2 MUSKET COMPANY PERSONNEL REQUIREMENTS

A company may include more than eight (8) skirmishers, but not more than eight (8) at a time may compete on the firing line during the company events.

Supernumeraries from other organizations may fill vacancies in reduced companies with the permission of the Skirmish Director, the companies involved, and the individuals. In National Skirmishes, no company may compete unless it contains five (5) members of its own organization. For purposes of credit for participation in a minimum number of skirmishes annually, the term "compete" also means "participate." **In Regional Skirmishes, a company may participate with fewer than five (5) members of its own organization with the permission of the Skirmish Director; however, the company shall not be eligible for awards or for participation credit.**

Proposed

A company may include more than eight (8) skirmishers, but not more than eight (8) at a time may compete on the firing line during the company events. Supernumeraries from other organizations may fill vacancies in reduced companies with the permission of the Skirmish Director, the companies involved, and the individuals. In National Skirmishes, no company may compete unless it contains five (5) members of its own organization. For purposes of credit for participation in a minimum number of skirmishes annually, the term "compete" also means "participate." At Regional Skirmishes, the Regionals Commander and or N-SSA Skirmish Director may declare that all N-SSA participating N-SSA teams will be staffed at 6 man for Team Musket with the appropriate 6 man targeting. The

company shall be eligible for awards or for participation credit.

Or you can add from the Carbine Rules "Either 5 person or 8 person companies may be used." changing 5 to 6

6.2.1 CARBINE COMPANY, REGIONAL SKIRMISHES

Either 5 person or 8 person companies may be used. Supernumeraries may be assigned to vacancies in accordance with rule 6.2. No company shall be allowed to compete for awards with less than three or five members of its own organization for 5- or 8 person companies, respectively.

Proposed

Adding " 6.2.1.A At Regional Skirmishes, the Regional Commander and or N-SSA Skirmish Director may declare that all the N-SSA participating teams will be staffed at 4 man for team Carbine with the appropriate 4 man targeting 6.2. No company shall be allowed to compete for awards with less than three members of its own organization for 4 person companies, respectively.

Note 6.2 minimums did not change even though the teams are down to 4 man.

Respectfully

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*Note: This is not the complete correspondence submitted by Tom Shedd and was edited by John V Matuszek – WR Commander.