

# HANKINS MEMORIAL TROPHY



The Hankins Memorial Trophy is an original cast of Frederic Remington's bronze "Bronco Buster." The statuette, exclusive of the trophy base, stands about 25 inches high and depicts a cowboy on a rearing horse. The trophy was donated to the NRA in 1953 by COL Walter S. McIlhenny of Avery Island, LA in commemoration of COL Joseph Hankins, USMC, who was killed in action in the South Pacific in World War II.

1983	COL Kenneth J. Erdman, USMCR	2354-89X
1984	MSGT Allan M. Ewing, USAR	2362-98X
1985	SP4 Thomas P. Rider, USAR	2357-86X
1986	SFC Allen M. Ewing, USAR	2358-86X
1987	SGT Lowell D. Johnson, USAR	2343-88X
1988	MSGT Allan M. Ewing, USAR	2354-96X
1989	LTCOL Walter H. Smith, USMCR	2354-91X
1990	SSGT Lowell D. Johnson, USAR	2356-88X
1991	SP4 Thomas P. Rider, USAR	2356-78X
1992	MSGT Allan M. Ewing, USAR	2364-83X
1993	COL Walter H. Smith, USMCR	2354-104X
1994	SPC Thomas P. Rider, USAR	2355-68X
1995	LTC Christopher J. Stark, ARNG	2350-93X
1996	LTC Christopher J. Stark, USAR	2362-90X
1997	LTC Christopher J. Stark, USAR	2352-92X
1998	SSG Dwight H. Barth, USA	2348-86X
1999	SFC Steven J. Slee, USA	2352-76X
2000	MSGT Harry D. Harrison, USMCR	2369-101X
2001	MSGT Steve L. Wilson, USMC	2371-80X
2002	SSGT Kevin Worrell, USMC	2313-73X
2003	SSG Lewis Tippie, USA	2352-92X
2004	SSGT Julia L. Watson, USMC	2353-79X
2005	GYSGT Julia L. Watson, USMCR	2366-93X
2006	SGM Steven J. Slee, USA	2352-97X
2007	GYSGT Julia L. Watson, USMCR	*1762-55X
2008	SFC Norman L. Anderson, USA	2349-94X
2009	SGT Eric Swearingen, USMC	2363-87X

\* Aggregate shortened due to weather

## Match Conditions:

- 1953 Awarded to the highest scoring Reserve competitor in the President's Match, fired during the National Matches.
- 1971 Awarded to the highest scoring Reserve competitor in the National High Power Service Rifle Championship

## Trophy Winners

1953	LTCOL Emmett O. Swanson, USMCR	147-11V
1954	LTCOL P.C. Roettinger, USMCR	147-9V
1955	MAJ Samuel C. Burkhalter, USAR	147-17V
1956	MAJ Donald C. Olive, USBP	146-16V
1957	LT Joe A. Deckert, USAR	147-19V
1958	MAJ Donald L. Thompson, USAR	146-13V
1959	LT James M. Bailey, USAR	146-12V
1960	CAPT Kenneth J. Erdman, USMCR	147-9V
1961	SSGT David J. Wardian, USAR	148-12V
1962	CAPT Leonard C. Dejong, USMCR	148-9V
1963	LT Lones W. Wigger, Jr., USAR	147-9V
1964	LTCOL E.F. Bayless, Jr., USAR	148-12V
1965	CPT C.D. Norenberg, USAR	149-10V
1966	SP5 C.R. Stockman, USAR	147-13V
1967	LT Herbert N. Clark, USAR	292-5X
1968-70	NO COMPETITION	
1971	Raymond C. Crouse	1545-42X
1972	CPT Frank H. Loudermilk, USAR	1535-31X
1973	CPT Charles M. Byers, USAR	1557-52X
1974	SGT Mark McSheehy, USAR	1550-34X
1975	SSGT Mark McSheehy, USAR	1557-47X
1976	CPT Boyd D. Goldsby, USAR	1981-87X
1977	CAPT Richard N. Jeppessen, USMCR	1955-71X
1978	LTC Tommy G. Pool, USAR	2368-99X
1979	LTC Tommy G. Pool, USAR	2350-68X
1980	SSGT Allan M. Ewing, USAR	2358-83X
1981	1LT Thomas Whitaker, USAR	2363-81X
1982	COL Kenneth J. Erdman, USMCR	2358-79X