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## Let's Talk!

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## 2018 Schedule

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**Spectators always welcome!**

### April

27-29 2<sup>nd</sup> WI & 114<sup>th</sup> ILL Skirmish,  
Springfield, IL

### June

2-3 66<sup>th</sup> NC Skirmish,  
Appleton, WI

23-24 Btry H Skirmish,  
Streator, IL

### July

21-22 56<sup>th</sup> VA skirmish,  
Bristol, WI

### August

3-5 1<sup>st</sup> USSS, 8<sup>th</sup>, & 15<sup>th</sup> WI Skirmish,  
Boscobel, WI

17-19 46<sup>th</sup> IL Skirmish,  
Streator, IL

31- Sep 28<sup>th</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> WI Skirmish  
Rhineland, WI

### September

15-16 15<sup>th</sup> WI Skirmish,  
Bristol, WI



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*Reliving  
Civil War History  
through  
Competitive Shooting*



If you're a Civil War enthusiast with an urge to bring that era of history to life, the American Civil War Shooting Association (ACWSA) wants you!

The sport of Skirmishing combines Civil War era weapons with marksmanship competitions. It's a fast paced hobby that's both fun and educational.

The ACWSA a wide range of individual and team competitions. Members can participate in all, or concentrate on only the ones they choose.



Skirmishers join together into teams representing specific regiments that participated in the Civil War.



Our marksmanship competitions, called skirmishes, are open to both men and women. Competitors dress in authentic civil war era uniforms and clothing, and shoot either original or replica firearms.



The teams in the WI/ILL Region of the ACWSA represent the following units:

Union:

- 1st US Sharpshooters
- 2nd Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry
- 8th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry
- 15<sup>th</sup> Volunteer Infantry

Confederate:

- 56th Virginia Infantry
- 66th North Carolina Infantry



**Annual Dues:** New members get their first year free! Returning members pay only \$10 annual dues.

## A typical skirmish includes:

**Individual Competition**, using muskets, carbines, revolvers, breech loaders, smoothbore muskets and pistols, shooting at paper bulls-eye targets at ranges from 25 to 100 yards.

**Team Competition**, using muskets, carbines, revolvers, breech loaders, smoothbore muskets and pistols, and sometimes mortars. Teams are judged for both speed and accuracy.

At the end of competitions, awards are presented to the top individuals and teams in each category.

The American Civil War Shooting Association (ACWSA) is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving Civil War history through the sport of skirmishing

