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USA Shooting mourns the loss of Hall of Fame inductee, Arthur Edwin "Art" Cook

COLO SPRGS, CO (March 1, 2021) – Arthur Cook, member of the USA Shooting Hall of Fame,

1948 Olympic Gold medalist, and two-time National Smallbore Prone Champion passed away on February 12, 2021. Our heartfelt condolences to his wife Mary and their family and friends during this time.

"Most shooting athletes view Olympic Medals as a culmination of their career; for Art, his gold medal was only the beginning of his 70-year contribution to our sport," says Matt Suggs, USA Shooting CEO. "He transcended beyond a champion, long after his individual achievements in the Olympics and World Championships, as a grand ambassador for our sport. With the same smile that he had in 1948."

Read the full article detailing Arthur Cook's legacy, written by Hap Rocketto for Shooting Sports USA HERE:

https://www.ssusa.org/articles/2021/2/26/legends-art-cook-1928-2021



About USA Shooting

USA Shooting, a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation was chartered by the United States Olympic and Paralympic Committee as the National Governing Body for the Olympic Shooting Sports in April 1995. The organization develops and implements programs to promote growth in the sport and serves as a sanctioning body for local and national competitions. Headquartered in Colorado Springs, Colorado, at the US Olympic and Paralympic Training Center, USA Shooting has a full-time staff dedicated to our sport.



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