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## Information for PSQ Members

### COVID 19 IMPACTING SPORT

#### COVID-19 and Sport

Pistol Clubs are required to maintain adherence to the COVID requirements for all sport.

**The Tracing Register is to be maintained (either paper based or QR Code) along with physical distancing; sanitisation; hygiene and cleaning protocols.**

This allows clubs and the host clubs of sanctioned events to comply with the basic COVID requirements for outdoor sport & to protect their members and visitors.

#### PSQ Sanctioned Events 2021

50 events have been sanctioned to date.

Clubs have provided the COVID Checklist dated 25.01.21 as the guide for PSQ sanctioned events – this is being reviewed at the moment, with the latest easing of instructions by the Govt in mind – when we receive the updated Industry Plan for Outdoor Sport from the Qld Govt. PSQ will review our COVID Checklists.

#### Sanctioned Events Coming Up Soon

Date	Event	Host Club
May 1-2	ISSF Open	FNQ
May 9	SE Region Action Pistol	Gold Coast PAA
May 14-16	Brisbane Cup ISSF Pistol- Rifle	BISC
May 15-16	Serv/WA1500 SE Region	Murrumba PC
May 21-23	Great Barrier Reef Masters Games	Cairns TSC
June 4-5-6	ISSF Len Luke Memorial	Gold Coast PAA
June 4-5-6	Brisbane Cup ISSF Pistol & Rifle	BISC
June 12-13	Action Pistol Ron Schadwell Memorial	Warwick PC
June 19-20	ISSF N Region	Mt Isa PC
June 26 & 27	Services/WA1500 Marathon	Cairns TSC
July 2-4	Services & WA1500 State Champs	Cairns TSC

### PSQ SANCTIONED EVENTS 2021

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*Thank you to the clubs which are maintaining the basic COVID requirements to keep their members safe... as per the easing of restrictions advice sent 16.04.21*

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### PSQ Website Activities

Keep in touch with PSQ and Pistol Australia by checking in to the PSQ website, and Pistol Australia's too.

### New Member Advice

Many clubs are registering new members with PSQ each week ... this is great for our sport in Queensland and nationally.

Excellent for risk management to ensure that these members have all insurance covers in place from the moment they join the club.

PSQ membership is the highest it has been for over 11 years ... thanks everyone for supporting our sport!

### Participation Requirements

#### 2020-2021

Participation requirements (with COVID adjustments) for members have remained as previously advised by Weapons Licensing – this advice is attached again for members' information.

### PSQ Affiliation Fees 2021-22

The PSQ Fee Chart for 2020 - 21- 22 is attached.

PSQ annual affiliation for 2021-22 will be \$106.00 for an adult and \$53.00 for a junior.

The 2019 AGM set the affiliation fee at \$106.00 and \$53.00 for 2020-21, but this was lowered by \$20.00 (adult) and \$10.00 (junior) due to a reduction in PA affiliation for 2020-21, which PSQ passed on to all clubs and members.

We will now return to the fee set at the 2019 AGM: all set out on the attached Fee Chart

### Range Officer Courses

Clubs have RO Course requests registered with PSQ, with some already completed.

The Level 1 course is at no cost; the Level 2 course requires a deposit of \$20.00 which is refunded on completion of the Course.

We encourage members to do the Level 1 Course as a basic skill for members over 18.

This is a very basic course to give members the confidence to run a range correctly, using the Pistol Australia Range Guides.

Before doing the course members are encouraged to run ranges at their own club often to give them familiarity with the match format, the correct commands to be used and with the range equipment they may need to operate.

### COACHING COURSES

There are options out there for shooters to get coaching in a specific discipline or to gain a nationally recognised Coach Accreditation through Pistol Australia and Shooting Australia.

Approach your Club Committee if you want a PSQ/PA accredited Coach to come to your Club!

All coaching is free to members.

- Attend a coaching session
- Develop a plan
- Set goals
- Start slowly & carefully to master technique
- Move through the stages of development: precision to timed fire & low calibre to higher calibre.



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## VOLUNTEERS! VOLUNTEERS!

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### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

As members will see on the PSQ website Calendar there are major events to come for our sport in Queensland this year.

We can't run these events successfully without the help of our valuable PSQ Volunteers.

Events where PSQ volunteers are needed vary from State Championships to Nationals, understanding that many volunteers will offer to help at their own club's events too.

We had a great band of volunteers who worked at the 3 Shooting Australia events at BISC and at the Nationals at the Metropolitan PC venue. Then there were those who stayed on to help out at the hurriedly organised ISSF Grand Prix following the 3 day Brisbane Lockdown after the Nationals were suspended.

A huge thankyou to these fantastic volunteers! Volunteers are needed in the future for:

- **PSQ – QTS Brisbane Cup ISSF May 14-16 @ BISC**
- Brisbane Cup ISSF June 4-5-6 @ BISC
- **PSQ State Championships Services & WA1500 July 2 – 3 - 4 @ Cairns TSC**
- PSQ State Champs ISSF Aug 6-7-8 @ BISC
- **PSQ State Champs Black Powder Aug 21-22 @ Mt Isa PC**
- PSQ State Champs Action Pistol Oct 2 -3 @ Toowoomba PC
- **PSQ State Championships MS S Bore & FP Dec 3 – 4 – 5 @ Metropolitan PC**

**PLEASE NOTE A CHANGE OF DATE FOR THE BLACK POWDER STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE HELD AT THE MOUNT ISA PC. DATE IS NOW **AUGUST 21-22****

### VOLUNTEERS continued

PSQ members who commit to volunteering regularly will receive the PSQ Volunteer pack: cap; shirt; bag; pen; waterbottle etc.

Some members have already received their pack and are very noticeable on the ranges.



Interested members are asked to contact the PSQ Office or email the attached form to

[admin@pistolshootingqld.org.au](mailto:admin@pistolshootingqld.org.au)

A huge thankyou to those members who have already registered and have assisted at a variety of events in 2021.

### PSQ EVENTS: ENTRY FORMS

Many entry forms are now available on the PSQ website, under the 'Events' & 'Calendar' tabs.

### TOP 15

The PSQ Top 15 for March is on the PSQ website: for all disciplines for sanctioned event results up to the end of March.

Go to the 'Results' tab and then select 'PSQ Top 15'.

**Sanctioned Event** results are also available under the 'Results' tab and 'PSQ Competitions'.

### NEW PSQ HOLSTER PROFICIENCY OFFICER

PSQ Board member Ross Patching has taken on this role for 2021.

An email address for Ross, specific for this role, will be advised soon.

## THANK YOU TED!

## STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

## THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS THAT DIDN'T QUITE MAKE IT!

# Thank you!

PSQ sincerely thanks Ted Collins who has, for many years, taken on the volunteer role of Holster Proficiency Officer for PSQ members.

Ted has worked hard to ensure that those renewing, or gaining new accreditation, received their cards in a timely way, & keeping our database up-to-date to ensure that our records were correct and current. Our sincere thanks go to Ted ... PSQ members and the PSQ Board have greatly appreciated Ted's dedication and support.

## STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

State Championship Event	Host Club	Date
<b>Metallic Silhouette B Bore</b>	Toogoolawah PC	June 13-14 On hold due to range development
<b>Services &amp; WA1500</b>	Cairns TSC	2-4 July
<b>ISSF</b>	PSQ @ Brisbane International Shooting Centre	August 6-8
<b>Black Powder</b>	Mount Isa PC	21-22 August
<b>Action Pistol</b>	Toowoomba PC	2-3 October
<b>Metallic Silhouette S Bore &amp; Field Pistol</b>	Metropolitan PC PSQ Division	3-5 December

### PISTOL AUSTRALIA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021

As everyone will know by now the PA National Championships were suspended after the third day, due to the Brisbane COVID Lockdown on 29 March.

25 Yd Service and Service Pistol UR were not completed.

**Thank you to the volunteers who worked at the Metropolitan PC venue for this section of the Championships – well done, and thank you!**

The ISSF part of the Nationals was suspended with many interstate and Queensland competitors departing Brisbane on the Monday afternoon.

Some competitors did stay on however, and a new event was quickly organised.

The Grand Prix was restricted to the ISSF Olympic events to ensure the range could cater for entries over the 3 days: Good

Friday; Saturday & Easter Sunday.

Entries were taken from any Nationals' competitor and they were able to participate in the qualifying match and then go on to compete in a Final (if qualifying) in their home state, via Zoom or by whatever method endorsed scores could get to us.

Media crews were on site at Belmont to cover all aspects of the PA events & the Grand Prix, including live streaming of all Finals.... provided by Pistol Australia.

Prizes were donated by Bruce Quick of Potter Firearms for all Grand Prix placegetters.

We had a wonderful crew of volunteers who stayed on to help PSQ and PA run the Grand Prix – their work on the ranges, and in maintaining the required COVID protocols was excellent and really appreciated by everyone on site.