

January- February 2023

Attached:

- Pistol Australia Dress Guidelines
- Form 2 Levels



DATE CLAIMER !!
PISTOL SHOOTING QUEENSLAND
WILL BE HOSTING THE
PISTOL AUSTRALIA
ISSF NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
AT BISC IN 2024
A DATE IN MAY TBC

PSQ Update for PSQ Members

General Information

Pistol Australia Dress Guidelines: available on the PA website under the 'Officiating' tab and 'Rules'.

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Shooting Australia National Insurance Program

PISTOL AUSTRALIA DRESS GUIDELINES FOR ALL ATHLETES, COACHES & OFFICIALS

Please refer to the attached Guidelines as received from Pistol Australia.

'Purpose

In order to provide a publicly acceptable appearance for the sport of Pistol Shooting Pistol Australia has developed the following dress guidelines. This 'dress code' will be applicable to all Pistol Australia competitions, regardless of the discipline.

For ISSF events Shooting Australia has agreed to adopt each affiliates own dress code where the event has been confirmed as a Shooting Australia endorsed event.

Note that for the elite Shooting Australia events the ISSF Dress Code will apply.

These guidelines take into account safety, appearance and the public perception of our sport'.



PSQ INSURANCE 2023-2024 RENEWAL: from 01 May 2023

PSQ is working with Shooting Australia and Marsh Insurance re the Shooting Australia National Insurance Program for 2023-24

The policies this renewal will cover are:

- 1. Association Liability**
Includes Public & Product Liability.
- 2. Group Personal Accident**
- 3. Management Liability & Professional Indemnity** (the old Directors & Office Bearers cover)

More detail on the Shooting Australia - Marsh program as it comes to hand.

Further explanation:

- 'Elite' Shooting Australia events are events like Oceania; World Cup etc.
- For the Shooting Australia events held at BISC in 2023 the Pistol Australia Dress Guidelines apply. Denim will be able to be worn by competitors provided it meets with the Guidelines.
- 'Each affiliate' refers to the National body affiliated to Shooting Australia – for PSQ members the 'affiliate body' is Pistol Australia.

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Action Pistol

The Regions

PSQ Range Officers

**PSQ Government
Funding available**

Action Pistol

The Action Pistol discipline has been provided with a laptop; printer and Labradar to be taken to be on site at the Action Pistol events ... these items are taken care of by the Action Pistol Coordinator Ray Penney.

In the Regions

Information has gone out to the clubs in each region this week letting the clubs know which disciplines are missing a Regional Championship in their region.

The Northern Region Championships are fully catered for but there are gaps in the other regions, in varying disciplines.

If your club is able to fill one of these gaps it would be greatly appreciated by PSQ and our members in those regions.

PSQ supplies the grade medals and the Regional Champion medals free of charge to the host club, with the club collecting and keeping the entry fees.

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Are you working towards the Level 1 Range Officer accreditation?

Make sure your club provides you with plenty of opportunities to be the Range Officer at your weekly club events so you can practice and gain confidence.

All you need to do is:

- use the Pistol Australia Range Guide for the relevant event.
- know how to use the range equipment (timer, stop watch etc).
- be aware of the paperwork to be in place before and after the competition (sighting licences; signing the range register and signing the competitors' participation record)

Help PSQ Spend our Funding from the Qld Government PSQ Courses for Members

PSQ provides courses to all affiliated members – at no cost.

Courses available for members:

- Pistol Australia Range Officer Level 1
- Pistol Australia Range Officer Level 2
- Pistol Australia Judge Accreditation
- Club Instructor (Coaching)
- Shooting Australia Coach Level 1
- Shooting Australia Coach Level 2
- Shooting Australia Coach Level 3
- Coach the Shooter Workshops: :any discipline
- Match Education
- Holster accreditation
- Holster Examiner accreditation.

Several Clubs have missed out on courses in 2021 and 2022 ... these clubs will be a priority in 2023.

Our current Government funding takes us through until 30 June 2023.

New Pistol Australia requirements for Pistol Australia Level 2 Range Officers and Pistol Australia Judges.

As advised earlier this year:

Each of PSQ's Level 2 RO's and Judges have been provided with a Log Book to record the details of their volunteer roles:



Judge duties



Range Officer duties

We are looking to have more (and younger!) members progress to the higher levels of officiating – with ISSF Judge accreditation being a priority.

The log book will assist when Level 2 RO accreditation is due for renewal.

Changes: ISSF & Action Pistol

CHANGES

Rule Changes

ISSF Rules from 01 January 2023

These changes affect the Preparation time allowed, as shown below:

Match	Set up time	Preparation time
25m Standard Pistol	When advised by Range Officer	3 minutes
25m Precision (CF;WSPS;25m Pistol)		3 minutes
25m Rapid Fire Stage		3 minutes
25m Rapid Fire Match		3 minutes
10m Air Pistol & 10m Supported Rest	10 minutes	15 minutes (Preparation and sighters)
50m Pistol & 10m Supported Rest	10 minutes	15 minutes (preparation and sighters)

ACTION PISTOL: Change

The Conditions of Entry for Action Pistol sanctioned events must now state that:

Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) Action Pistol Rules, effective 01 January 2023, will apply.

This must now appear on all Entry Forms for PSQ sanctioned events, along with the usual Conditions of Entry.

As stated on the Pistol Australia website under the 'Officiating ' and 'Rules' tabs, Pistol Australia Action Pistol **'is now controlled by the 'Civilian Marksmanship Program'.**

Previously PA (and therefore PSQ) accreditation to access this discipline was granted by the NRA.

Change to the Form 2: Levels for ISSF events

As has been explained earlier this year, the past few years have seen a depletion in the number of Judges able to officiate at PSQ ISSF sanctioned events.

This led to the PSQ Board and some of our Judges working on a plan early this year which would lighten the workload for our Judges.

This plan established 3 levels of ISSF Sanctioned Events: Level 1 having a designated person (Level 2 RO) to sign off on the event, rather than a Judge.

The Board has found that Level 2 events which originally required a Judge to officiate, continued to pose a problem with regard to a Judge's attendance.

There has now been a change made: a Level 2 event can be signed off by a Judge **or** two (2) Level 2 Range Officers.

The Form 2 Levels information document, amended and endorsed by the PSQ Board on 14.02.23 is attached for your information.

Updated information on the State Squad's selection scores regarding Level 1 events is included in the new Form 2.

Form 2 (ISSF Sanctioned Event Levels) Amendment

SIGNING THE RANGE REGISTER

RANGE OFFICER RESPONSIBILITY

COVID Requirements

PSQ Coordinator & Team Manager Roles 2023

VOLUNTEERS! VOLUNTEERS! Thanks

RANGE OFFICER SIGNING THE RANGE REGISTER

The Range Register must show the signature of the Range Officer for each person (that is, each line) who signed the Range Register.

No brackets or dittos to be used.

Each person must provide their Category H licence for sighting at the time.... no licence, no shoot! **Make sure this is happening at your club please – this is a Weapons Act requirement**

The Cat H or Minors Licence plastic card must be provided – a photo or digital copy cannot be used instead.

The Range Register must not be signed by non-shooters.

All the above was checked with Weapons Licensing when the Shooting Organisations had a joint meeting with WL on Monday 28 November 2022.

Weapons Licensing confirmation:

Participants who compete in a detail must not be the Range Officer for that detail.

The Weapons Act states that the Range Officer must ensure that everyone participating is 'properly supervised'.

Risk management and adhering to the Weapons Act is then in place.

PSQ Volunteer Coordinators & Team Managers:

Do you want to become more involved in our sport? Are you a good organiser?

Perhaps you would like to take on one of the roles below?

Team Manager: Action; Metallic Silhouette

Section Coordinators:

Action Pistol

Coaching

Metallic Silhouette

Officials

Holster Accreditation

Applications by Friday 03 March (extended)

Charters & Role Descriptions & Application Forms can be found on the PSQ website:

'About' tab; select Administration; Select Meetings & Forums.

The Team Manager Applications for ISSF and the PA events will be called after the May Nationals.

COVID-19 and Sport

Sporting Clubs are to maintain adherence to the Government's & Queensland Health's COVID requirements for all community sport.

COVID Requirements:

PSQ Sanctioned Events (and at your club level events too)

Government requirements continue to stipulate:

1. Regular cleaning and sanitising of facilities and touch points.
2. Physical distancing to occur:
 - Off the shooting line and generally around the facility.
3. Competitors who are unwell are not to attend, or asked to leave.
4. Masks: an option for attendees..

Volunteers needed again in 2023!

Club sanctioned events are happening around the state & at the various events at the Brisbane International Shooting Centre, Belmont.

Volunteer support and assistance is much appreciated by everyone and our competitions couldn't happen without this commitment.

Thank you!

PSQ SANCTIONED EVENTS 2023

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023

Shooting Australia
ISSF Events @ BISC

TOP 15

The January/February
2023 lists will be on the
PSQ website under the
'Results' tab after
February 28

COMPETITIONS

Sanctioned Events Confirmed to Date

We have 47 events sanctioned to date.

Check the PSQ website under the 'Events' tab and select 'Calendar'.

Entry Forms or the link to an entry form will be uploaded to the Calendar as quickly as possible after we receive them at the PSQ Office.

Entry Forms can be done as soon as the club's sanction number is received and sent to the PSQ Office so we can upload to the PSQ website

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Sanctioned Events Coming Up

Feb 18	FNQ Sports & PC	ISSF L2
Feb 19	FNQ Sports & PC	ISSF L2
March 11-12	Warwick PC	Action Pistol R2
March 10-11-12	Maryborough Rifle & PC	ISSF L1
March 19	Cairns TSC	Services
March 25-26	BISC	Shooting Australia BISC Open L3
March 26	Gold Coast PC PAA	Action Pistol R3
April 14-16	Toogoolawah PC Ram Slam	M Sil B Bore TBC
April 15-16	FNQ Sports & PC	ISSF L2
April 16	Toowoomba PC	Action Pistol R4
April 22-23	Cairns TSC	Services & WA1500
April 29 - 01 May	Murrumba PC	ISSF L1 B Powder

PSQ State Championships 2023

Confirmed: shown below

PSQ ISSF State Championships
at BISC on August 4-5-6 2023:

Clubs are invited to provide the catering – all proceeds to the club doing this, with no hire fee for the canteen area.

Black Powder

FNQ Sports & PC 09 July

ISSF

PSQ @ BISC 4-5-6 Aug

Services & WA1500

Cairns TSC 9-10 Sept

M Silhouette S Bore & Field Pistol

Metropolitan PC PSQ Division

December 1-2-3

M Silhouette B Bore

Toogoolawah PC June 11-12

TBC

Action Pistol

No nominations to date.

SHOOTING AUSTRALIA Pistol Competitions @ BISC

The Shooting Australia pistol events held at BISC are hosted by PSQ.

Shooting Australia's squad members will compete.

However ... all PSQ members are eligible to compete and encouraged to participate in these competitions, either as volunteers or competitors.

These events are PSQ Sanctioned events in the Olympic events of 25m Rapid Fire; 10m Air Pistol; 25m Pistol Women (& Jnr Male & Female)

Extra ISSF events may be added to the program.

Members are invited to experience competing on electronic targets.

Many volunteer roles available.

CONGRATULATIONS & GOOD SHOOTING TO OUR 2023 STATE TEAMS

STATE TEAMS 2X National Championships

Metallic Silhouette Small Bore & Field Pistol

Services & WA1500

Black Powder

ISSF

WSPS

Metallic Silhouette Small Bore and Field Pistol Pistol Australia

National Championships Inverell PC March 3-4-5

Representing Queensland

Judy Harding	Toogoolawah PC
Kirsten Jackes	Metropolitan PC PSQ Division
Aidan van Ee	Toogoolawah PC
John Harding	Team Captain

PISTOL AUSTRALIA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS SERVICES WA 1500

Darwin PC and Palmerston PC NT 5-10 May

Representing Queensland

Brandan Ede	Cairns TSC	Jamie Longbottom	Cairns TSC
Peter Knowlton	Cairns TSC	Roy Facey	Bowen PC

PISTOL AUSTRALIA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS BLACK POWDER

Darwin PC and Palmerston PC NT 5-10 May

Representing Queensland

Manpreet Dhillon	Brisbane PC	Rick Harrold	Murrumba PC
Steve Fascia	FNQ Sports & PC	Noel Ryan	Cairns TSC

PISTOL AUSTRALIA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS ISSF

Darwin PC and Palmerston PC NT 10-14 May

Representing Queensland

Robyn Birch	Metro PC PSQ Division
Bruce Dimond	Gold Coast PAA
Steve Fascia	FNQ Sports & PC
Kristy Gillman	Warwick PC
Caitlin Gray	Toowoomba PC
Oliver Gray	Toowoomba PC
Leo Greening	Murrumba PC
Chris Mamouzelos	Gold Coast PAA
Noel Ryan	Cairns TSC
Civon Smith	Metro PC PSQ Division
Lynn Thomas	Murrumba PC
Matt Sydes	Brisbane International PC

WSPS

Chris Pitt

Brisbane International PC

Jabelle Tanzer

Rockhampton PC

Ben Wilmot

Brisbane International PC